



Health Economics Workshop

Wednesday 11th February 2009

Seminar Room, Level 6 (entry via Level 7), Alan Gilbert Building, 161 Barry Street, Melbourne Institute of Applied Economic and Social Research, The University of Melbourne

PROGRAMME

- 8.45 - 9.00 Coffee/tea
- 9.00 – 10.00 Michael Grossman, City University of New York & NBER
Parental education and child health: evidence from a natural experiment in Taiwan
- 10.00 – 11.00 Stefi Schurer, University of Melbourne
Reforming physician payment to improve quality of care: evidence from Australia's Practice Incentive Program
- 11.00 – 11.30 Coffee/tea
- 11.30 – 12.30 Manisha Shah, University of Melbourne
Compensated for life: sex work and disease risk in Ecuador
- 12.30 – 1.30 Lunch
- 1.30 – 2.30 Hugh Gravelle, University of York.
Measuring and testing for gender discrimination in a professional workforce: English General Practitioners
- 2.30 – 3.30 Terrence Cheng, University of Melbourne.
The role of illness severity and private hospital insurance on hospitalisation decisions in a mixed public and private system: evidence from Australia
- 3.30 - 4.00 Coffee/tea
- 4.00 – 5.00 Michael Shields, University of Melbourne
Childhood economic conditions and length of life: evidence from the UK Boyd Orr Cohort, 1937-2008

There is no cost for attending the workshop. Refreshments and lunch will be provided.

A dinner will be held at 7pm on *Tuesday 10th of February - the night before the workshop*. Approximate cost is \$70. Speakers will be guests of the Health Economics Research Program.

Please RSVP to Michelle Wilson (mawils@unimelb.edu.au) for catering purposes and indicate whether you are also attending the dinner.