

ANZDATA ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING: Videoconference

Meeting of the ANZDATA Advisory Committee (AAC) of the Australian and New Zealand Dialysis and Transplant Registry (ANZDATA) held by videoconference at 12:00-1:00 PM (ACDT) on 11th June 2025.

Members Present:

Nicholas Gray (NG) Chair
Sradha Kotwal (SK) Deputy Chair
Stephen McDonald (SPM)
Kylie Hurst (KH)
Georgina Irish (GI)
Revathy Manickavasagar (RM)
Shilpa Jesudason (SJ)
Hugh McCarthy (HM)
Rachael Morton (RM)
Kate Richards (KR)

Mel Wyld (MW)
Samantha Bateman (SB)
Jenny Chen (JC)
Matthew Roberts (MR)
Josephine Chow (JCh)
Michael Garrett (MG)
Helen Eddington (HE)
Breonna Robson (BR)
Dana Forcey (DF)
Amanda McKie (AM)

Apologies:

Georgina Irish
Breonna Robson
Jacqueline Soraru
Phil Clayton
Josephine Chow
Kate Richards

Absent:

Minute Taker:

Jo van Dommele (JVD)

Minutes:

Item	Matter
1.	Acknowledgment, welcome, present and apologies
1.1	Acknowledgment of Country NG (Chair) acknowledged the traditional custodians of the lands and their culture and heritage.
1.2	Māori Welcome HE kindly recited the Maori opening karakia
1.3	Welcome, present and apologies A quorum was met, and NG WELCOMED committee members. Apologies and absences were NOTED . WELCOMED new member Amanda McKie representative from RSA
1.4	AAC Committee membership and ToR: Noted the updated ToR
2.	Business Arising from Previous Meeting
2.1	Minutes of the previous meeting - Minutes of the AAC meeting held on 28th May 2025 circulated prior to the meeting. - Members ACCEPTED minutes as an accurate record of the event with no redactions for website publishing.
2.2	Outstanding Action Items
240901/01	SPM to report back on the outcomes of discussions with the National Renal Strategy Group. SPM Completed
250305/01	ANZDATA to support Paed WG in the development of an infographic for patients and families. ANZDATA/ Paed WG Ongoing
250305/02	KM to update the KHA representation in the ToR to "CEO or delegate" or "general manager clinical research or delegate". KM Complete
250305/03	KHA to coordinate with ANZDATA team on ways to leverage data and findings in KHA's advocacy and community outreach efforts. GI/KM Ongoing
2.3	New Variable Change Request

CR-0006 Change Request PD exit site tunnel infections

Members **DISCUSSED**:

- The introduction of reporting PD exit site tunnel infection as an ongoing collection to the ANZDATA survey now that TEACH-PD has closed. Members agreed this is valuable to collect but noted the increased data burden with the introduction of new variables. **SM provided data related to current reporting of PD infections to members**
- Members NOTED several questions** that will need further consideration from the PD WG with assistance of ANZDATA: Exit site infection or tunnel infection that turns into peritonitis how that would be reported, PD solution at time (relevance), data entry burden and route of antibiotic administration.
- NOTED:** JC hopeful of a timeline of January 2026. ANZDATA advised timeline would be depending upon the workload for the software development.

Members **AGREED:** To the change request with the agreeance PD WG to work with ANZDATA to finalise finer detail.

3.	Report from Executive
3.1	<i>Organisation, operational and ongoing Developments</i>
SM PROVIDED an update: - Congratulated KM on the appointment of Registry General Manager. - Introduced JVD newly appointed Business Support Officer. - Contract renewal year with main funding provider AOTA. The contract was put on hold due to the federal election. - NOTED: Contract is the same as previous year with standard CPI increase. The contract has been seen and in the process of getting finalised in the coming weeks. - ANZDATA is in the process of soft launching a broader brand. Acknowledgement of exceptional ongoing support from PC, KM, NG and GI.	

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4.	Working Groups
4.1	<i>WG Updates</i>
Members NOTED updates from: <u>HD Working Group by MR:</u> - Bloodstream Infection Reporting plans <u>Transplant Working Group by BM:</u> - The creatinine additions. Creatinine at the time of rejection added into the rejection reporting form in development phase. - Machine perfusion potentially adding in the surgical transplant data collection. - GN coding for causes of graft loss being reviewed and will be presented to advisory in the future. - <u>Projects</u> AMR Data collection - Data completeness in progress. Advanced trainee presenting borderline cellular rejection at TSANZ June 2025 <u>PD Working Group by JC:</u> - Exit site/tunnel infection/Pre-PD peritonitis - Now have Insertion date for PD catheter - PD adequacy missing data for high-risk sites. - Share Source Project. Next big project for PD WG start date undefined. <u>Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Working Group by SB:</u> - Consumer infographic in the process of reinvigorating. - Pre congress symposium on equities for global perspectives for first nations and indigenous transplant and organ donation at WTC this year. <u>Pediatric Working Group by HMC:</u> - NOTED: Genetic data under quarantine. Once available relevant to pediatric projects in future. - Focus on engagement with nephrologists. HMC is doing a road show publicizing the report around 7 units. - Consumer infographic to promote data <u>Parenthood Working Group by SJ:</u> - Pregnancies in home dialysis population. - Graft long term outcomes in pregnancies repeating previous study. - Data promotion over next twelve months including videos and webinars. - Data linkage projects including collaboration with REIN French data registry to do a multinational comparison.	
5.	KHA Update
<u>No Update</u>	

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	- NOTED: Nicholas Gray coming to the end of Chair of Advisory with Sradha stepping up into the role. - SPM acknowledged and thanked NG for his outstanding and long service to the Advisory Committee. - EOI for the Deputy Chair of Advisory position to be advertised SM encouraged other members to consider and think of any suitable recommendations.
6.	Other Matters - Nil
7.	Next Meeting – 6th August 2025
8.	Closing karakia
9.	Meeting Closed at 12:45 PM

Action items from the meeting:

Ref No	Item	Responsibility	Status
250611/01	Ongoing meetings with New Zealand National Rental Strategy Group to strengthen between ANZDATA and NZ how it can be utilised.	SPM	
250611/02	New Variable change request Peritoneal dialysis exit and tunnel infection PD Working Group to fine tune the details.	JC/ANZDATA	
250611/03	EOI for the Deputy Chair of Advisory position	ANZDATA	
