



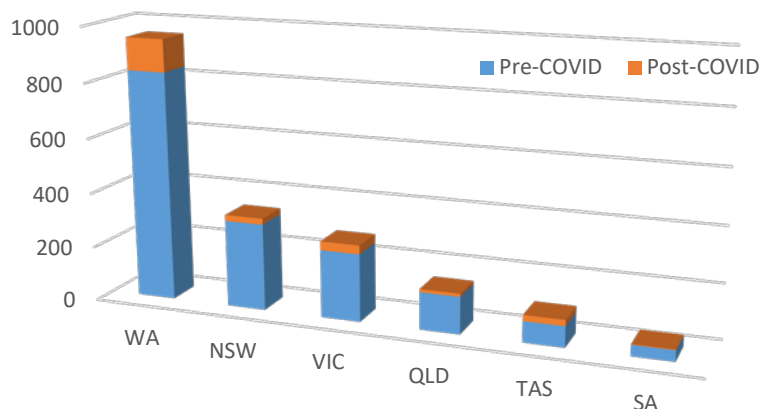
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FH Australasia Network Registry Members:

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- Warrick Bishop
- Edmund Brice
- Andrew Black
- John Burnett
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- Jacqueline Ryan
- Leon Simons
- Shubha Srinivasan
- David Sullivan
- Gerald Watts
- Andrew Wilson
- Frank van Bockxmeer
(Registry Custodian)
- Jing Pang
(Registry Coordinator)

Site Updates

- We now have a total of **45** clinical sites around Australia!
- We welcome on board Dr Stjepana Maticcic as the lead from Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital (WA) and we are working with Prof Nadarajah Kangaharan who has joined us from Royal Darwin Hospital (NT).
- We also have three new board members: Prof Nadarajah Kangaharan (NT), Dr Campbell Kyle (NZ) and Dr Shubha Srinivasan (NSW).
- Several large centres have been provided block funding to boost entries, with a particular focus on children and acquisition of longitudinal cardiovascular outcomes data. The funded centres are: Royal Perth Hospital, Royal Darwin Hospital, Monash Heart, Queensland Children's Hospital, Perth Children's Hospital and the Children's Hospital at Westmead.
- The first publication of the Registry data is now available in [Heart, Lung & Circulation](#). This paper focused on the gaps in the detection and management of FH in Australia.
- Data collection has been slow in the last 18 months, understandably owing to the impact of COVID-19:



- We will be sending out a patient newsletter this month, with a very relevant article on elevated cholesterol and COVID-19 by Dr Warrick Bishop (TAS).

FH Guidance 2021

- An Integrated Guidance for Enhancing the Care of Familial Hypercholesterolaemia in Australia is now published in [Heart, Lung & Circulation](#) with Open Access.
- Further dissemination of the guidance has been published through the [American Journal of Preventive Cardiology](#), [Internal Medicine Journal](#), [Medicine Today](#) and the Australian Journal of General Practice.
- The guidance now requires implementation nationally.

FH Summit 2021

- This year, the FH Summit will be virtual and in two parts over the course of two weeks.
- International guest speakers include Dr Amy Sturm, from Geisinger, USA and Prof Rod Jackson from New Zealand. The presenters and agenda for the meeting can be viewed [here](#).
- Register via the link [here](#) (note: you will need to create new user account to register).