

FDCA 2025

MELB2025

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

PULLMAN HOTEL • MELBOURNE - ALBERT PARK • 23-25 OCTOBER 2025

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

THURSDAY 23 OCT 2025

TIME	REGISTRATION DESK	EXHIBITION HALL
2.30pm - 5.30pm	Registrations	
6.00pm - 8.00pm		Welcome Function

FRIDAY 24 OCT 2025

Time	Grand Ballroom	Grand 1 & 2	Grand 3 & 4	Grand 5	Element	Lake Room
8.45 - 8.55	Welcome to Country					
8.55 - 9.05	CEO Welcome					
9.05 - 9.30	VIP Address					
9.30 - 10.30	Keynote Address - Nathan Wallis					
10.30 - 11.10	Morning tea					
11.10 - 12.10		Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4	Workshop 5
12.10 - 12.20	Short break					
12.20 - 13.20		Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4	Workshop 5
13.20 - 14.20	Lunch					
14.20 - 15.50	Nathan Wallis Workshop					
15.50 - 16.30	Afternoon Tea					
16.20 - 16.50	VIP Address					
16.50 - 17.00	Day one wrap					

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Nathan Wallis
Neuroscience
Educator



Dr Jana Pittman
Dual Olympian



Anne Hollonds
National Children's
Commissioner

SATURDAY 25 OCT 2025

Time	Grand Ballroom	Grand 1 & 2	Grand 3 & 4	Grand 5	Element	Lake Room
9.00 - 9.05	Welcome to Country					
9.05 - 10.05	Keynote Address - Jana Pittman					
10.05 - 10.45	Morning tea					
10.45 - 11.45		Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4	Workshop 5
11.45 - 11.55	Short break					
11.55 - 12.55		Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4	Workshop 5
12.55 - 13.55	Lunch					
13.55 - 14.55	Keynote Address - Anne Hollonds					
14.55 - 15.00	Conference Wrap up					

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TIME	GRAND BALLROOM
7.00pm - 11.00pm	<p>Conference Gala Dinner</p> <p>Including the 2025 Excellence in Family Day Care Awards presentation</p>



To find out more information about the FDCA 2025 National Conference, visit www.familydaycare.com.au/2025conference

*Timetable subject to change.