



Infectious Diseases Research Institute Seminar Series

Using Economics to Reduce Healthcare Associated Infections

Date: Wednesday, 28 Aug 2019
Venue: PSL 2B, Level 2 Academia
Time: 01:00 - 02:00 PM

*Refreshments will be served from
12:30 PM onwards*

The talk will review the problem of scarce resources in the context of infection prevention and describe an economics framework to address it.

No registration is required. One
CME Point will be awarded.

Title: Using Economics to Reduce Healthcare Associated Infections



Prof. Nicholas Graves

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- PhD in Health Economics University of London
- Prior appointments: Lecturer and Research Fellow, Health Services Research Unit, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine; Professor of Health Economics, Queensland University of Technology
- Received more than \$20M in research funding since 2004, mostly from international & national competitive schemes. His work showcases that health services can be improved at low cost, or even improved with cost savings
- Research Expertise:
 - Health economics
 - High-value & low-value care and its effects on patients
 - Healthcare Associated Infections (HAI)
 - Non-beneficial treatments at the end of life
 - Health behaviour change interventions
 - Screening for infectious & chronic diseases
 - Research fund allocation