The Impact of Narrative Medicine on Medical Education and on Medical Practice

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In this presentation I explore how narrative medicine helps doctors care for themselves, their patients, and their discipline. Narrative medicine as a frame of reference for clinical practice is taking on new currency in New Zealand and around the world. I present ideas about its potential application in medical education in Harbin, China.

Supporting patient management of chronic illness: with a Pocket Health Plan

Dr Tanisha Jowsey

Much attention in primary health care goes towards the management of chronic illness, and this reflects both the prevalence of illnesses and the financial pressure that such illness puts on health care systems. After ten years researching chronic illness management in Australia, Tanisha has developed a chronic care management plan to support patients called the Pocket Health Plan - come hear about the plan and the next steps for implementation.

A light lunch will be provided

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