

# ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (Dr) CHRISTIAN ROWAN

## ADDICTION MEDICINE & PAIN MANAGEMENT PHYSICIAN

### QUALIFICATIONS

FCHSM (2018)  
FRACMA (2008)  
FACHAM (RACP) (2005)  
FARGP (2002)  
FRACGP (2002)  
FACRRM (2001)  
MBBS (UQ) (1996)

### MEDICO-LEGAL ACCREDITATION

Maintenance of Continuing Professional Development  
Medical College Accreditation

### CURRENT POSITION

**Chief Medical Officer & Addiction Medicine Specialist**  
The Banyans, Brisbane  
Addiction Sciences Queensland (Smart Clinics), Brisbane

**Visiting Medical Officer**  
Addiction Medicine & Pain Management  
The Wesley Hospital & St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, Brisbane

### COMMITTEES AND MEMBERSHIPS

**Australian Medical Association of Queensland**  
President (2013–2014)  
Executive Council (2010–2014)  
Branch Councillor (2010–2013, 2007–2009, 2001–2012)

**Rural Doctors Association of Queensland**  
President (2006–2007)  
Member of the Management Committee (1999–2002, 2006–2007)

**Queensland Mental Health Commission**  
Mental Health & Drug Advisory Council (2013–2014)

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Deputy Chief Medical Officer** (2011–2015)  
Uniting Care Health, Brisbane

**Director of Medical Services** (2011–2015)  
St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital, Brisbane

**Deputy Exec. Dir. Rural & Remote Medical Services** (2009–2010)  
Office of Rural & Remote Health, Queensland Health, Brisbane

**Deputy Director Medical Services** (2007–2008)  
The Wesley Hospital, Brisbane

### PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Addiction Medicine | Pain Management | Rural & Remote Health |  
Public Health Policy | Medical Administration

### ASSESSMENT SPECIALTIES

Medico-legal Aspects of Addiction Medicine & Pain Management |  
Medico-legal Reporting of Pain Management & Rehabilitation  
Diagnoses



ABBREVIATED  
CURRICULUM VITAE

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Associate Professor (Dr) Christian Rowan gained his medical degree (MBBS) from the University of Queensland. He is a Specialist Physician in Addiction Medicine & Pain Management. He is a Fellow of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians' Chapter of Addiction Medicine (FACHAM), the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners (FRACGP), the Australian College of Rural & Remote Medicine (FACRRM), the Royal Australasian College of Medical Administrators (FRACMA) and the Australasian College of Health Service Management (FCHSM).

Associate Professor (Dr) Rowan is a member of the Australian Professional Society on Alcohol and Other Drugs. He is a former Deputy Chief Medical Officer of Uniting Care Health and a former Director of Medical Services at St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital. He is currently an accredited Visiting Medical Officer at St Andrew's War Memorial Hospital and the Wesley Hospital.

Associate Professor (Dr) Rowan has previously completed reports for the Queensland Government's Drug Court Program. He is a licensed methadone and buprenorphine prescriber. His clinical interests include prescription drug dependency, opioid substitution therapy and co-morbidity pertaining to pain conditions and substance dependency. Dr Rowan is a former President of the Australian Medical Association of Queensland and the Rural Doctors Association of Queensland.



**BIOGRAPHY**