

MEDIA ALERT/INVITE: Embargoed 3am Monday 30 April, 2018



THE UNIVERSITY OF
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Charles Perkins
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INSIDEOUT
Institute for Eating Disorders



Health
Sydney
Local Health District

Launch of InsideOut Institute – Australia’s first institute for research and clinical excellence in eating disorders

Federal Minister for Health The Hon **Greg Hunt** MP and NSW Minister for Mental Health The Hon **Tanya Davies** MP will join celebrity ambassadors, researchers, clinicians, patients and their carers in Sydney today Monday 30 April, 2018 for the launch of the nation’s first institute for research and clinical excellence in eating disorders.

The InsideOut Institute – a collaboration between [Sydney Local Health District](#) and the University of Sydney’s [Charles Perkins Centre](#) – aims to ensure every Australian living with an eating disorder has access to the best possible care by rethinking eating disorders from the ‘inside out’.

Next Monday’s launch will coincide with publication of an article in ***MJA Insight*** by InsideOut Institute Director, Dr Sarah Maguire calling for the destigmatisation of eating disorders to help curb the associated mortality rate through the delivery of heightened public education and innovative treatments and services to support those in need.

WHO

Federal Minister for Health, **The Hon Greg Hunt MP**

NSW Minister for Mental Health, **The Hon Tanya Davies MP**

Chief Executive, Sydney Local Health District (SLHD), **Dr Teresa Anderson**

InsideOut Institute Director and Clinical Psychologist, **Dr Sarah Maguire**

University of Sydney Vice-Chancellor and Principal, **Dr Michael Spence**

University of Sydney Charles Perkins Centre Academic Director, **Professor Stephen Simpson**

Three-time Olympic hurdler and bulimia nervosa survivor, **Jana Pittman**

WHEN

9.30am – 11.00am

Monday 30 April, 2018

WHERE

Charles Perkins Centre research and education hub

Building D17, Johns Hopkins Drive (off Missenden Road)

The University of Sydney (see map below)

MEDIA KIT

Available to download at 10am on Monday 30 April: insideoutinstitute.org.au/media-office

Launch photos will be uploaded shortly after the event

MEDIA RSVPS AND ENQUIRIES

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