

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

**Note: Dietitians Association of Australia, trading as Dietitians Australia (DA).**

To qualify for early bird registration, registration fees must be paid in full by 12 May 2021. Registration fees received after this date will revert back to the standard conference applicable rate. Registration fees are based on date of payment receipt, not the date of receipt of registration form.

After Friday, 18 June 2021 midnight AEST, only payment made by credit card will be accepted.

The overwhelming importance of the Conference Committee is the health and safety of our delegates, sponsors and exhibitors, your communities and our industry. In the event of travel bans, border closure, restrictions on large gatherings, or other impacts due to Covid-19 pandemic or other conditions, the conference will move from a hybrid event to a virtual conference/congress. By registering to attend, you accept that the date of the conference may change under these conditions.

If moved to virtual only the conference will refund the difference in registration fee between in-person and virtual rates. In the case that the delegate does not wish to attend the Conference virtually, no full refunds will be given, only the difference in the fee will be refunded.

As a condition of attendance, in-person delegates must agree to adhere to all Covid-safe measures put in place by the Dietitians Australia 2021 Conference, the venue or state and acknowledge that these procedures may be changed at any time in accordance with the latest health advice from the Australian Government.

### **CANCELLATION CONDITIONS**

Change from a full registration to virtual registration component only can be accepted if no in-person attendance is possible. The difference between full registration and virtual registration cost will be refunded if advised via email by 18 June 2021.

Cancellations received in writing at the Conference Office by 18 June 2021 will be accepted and all fees refunded less an administrative fee of AUD \$100. Cancellations received after this date cannot be accepted and will not be refunded (in part or full).

If your application for a visa to enter Australia is unsuccessful, the above cancellation terms apply.

Transfer of registration: Transfer of your registration to another person within your organisation is acceptable. The full name and details of the person that will replace you must be advised in writing to the Conference Office prior to the Conference.

Non-attendance: No refunds will be made for non-attendance at the Conference.

### **Conference Cancellation of the conference by Dietitians Australia or Think Business Events**

It may be necessary for reasons beyond the control of Dietitians Australia or Think Business Events to alter the times, dates, itineraries or speakers of the conference by notice to you at any time. In the unlikely event of cancellation of the conference, the maximum liability of Dietitians Australia is the full amount of the refund of the conference registration fee and its associated components of attendance with no additional liability for travel costs, hotel costs, or any other costs or expenses whatsoever.

In the unlikely event of cancellation or postponement of the conference due to circumstances beyond Dietitians Australia or Think Business Events reasonable control including but not limited to, acts of terrorism, war, acts of God and natural disaster or global health crisis Dietitians Australia or Think Business Events cannot be held responsible for any cost, damage or expense which may be incurred by registrants as a consequence of the event being postponed or cancelled.

Member registration fees:

Applies to members of Dietitians Australia at the time of registration. Your membership status will be verified by Dietitians Australia.

Processing time for bank refunds: Refunds (less applicable administrative fees) if applicable will be processed no later than 30 days of the conclusion of the Conference. After this date if no bank details have been received by the Conference the refund will be forfeited.

### **Late Registration**

The Conference organisers cannot guarantee that collateral, such as satchels, will be available to late registering delegates (inside one month before the Conference). In addition, there is a risk that social program functions may be fully subscribed.

### **PRIVACY STATEMENT**

Dietitians Australia is required to comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act 2488 (Cth) (Australia). Dietitians Australia reserves the right to modify or amend this privacy and copyright statement at any time, provided that those modifications or amendments comply with applicable laws.

### **USE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION**

The Conference will collect and store information you provide in this Registration Form for the purposes of enabling us to:

- register your attendance at the Conference;
- assist with administrative and planning purposes;
- plan and develop the Conference and other events in the future;
- facilitate your requirements in relation to the Conference; and
- allow the compilation and analysis of statistics relevant to the Conference.

The information that you provide in the Registration Form and information provided at any other time during the Conference, including without limitation any feedback obtained during the Conference, will be used by the Conference to offer, provide and continue to improve its Conference and other services.

### **VIRTUAL PLATFORM**

All registered attendees' name, position, organisation, and email address will be uploaded to the virtual platform.

Attendees will receive Conference login details direct from the platform. Attendees are responsible for the setup of their own attendee profile on the virtual platform for interaction with other attendees, sponsors and exhibitors

(if applicable). Attendees are also responsible for any technical requirements to enable you to use the link to the platform provided by Conference name and to participate in the Conference via the Platform.

Attendees can update the profile and privacy settings at any time.

### **CONFERENCE DELEGATE LIST**

The Conference may publish a Delegate list. The Delegate list will also be available on display through the Conference Virtual Platform. The Delegate List will contain delegate's name, organisation and location (state or country) only. Registrants may withhold consent for inclusion of their details on the Virtual Platform and list by notifying the Conference Office in writing by 18 June 2021. Otherwise your name, affiliation and location (state or country) only will be included in the Virtual Platform and on the displayed list.

### **DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL INFORMATION TO THIRD PARTIES**

The Conference may disclose some of the information that is collected in the Registration Form such as your name, organisation and its location and your email address to Conference sponsors and exhibitors for marketing purposes. The Conference will not otherwise, without your consent, use or disclose your personal information for any purpose unless it would reasonably be expected that such purpose is related to the offer, provision and improvement of the Conference or where such purpose is permitted or required by law.

Registrants may withhold consent for disclosure of their contact details to sponsors or exhibitors during the registration process or by notifying the Conference Office in writing by 18 June 2021.

By registering for this Conference, all registrants grant permission to Dietitians Australia, the association and its agents, to take photographs at the Conference to reproduce and to distribute in association educational, news or promotional materials and other association publications, whether in print, electronic or other media, including the Conference website. By participating in the Conference you permit the association to use, reproduce and distribute photographs taken of you for such purposes and waive your legal rights to pursue any cause of action against the Dietitians Australia related to such photographs. If you have any concerns regarding the use of photographs taken of you during the Conference, please see the registration desk during the Conference or contact the Conference Office [da@thinkbusinessevents.com.au](mailto:da@thinkbusinessevents.com.au) before 18 June 2021.

It is understood these images may be used for promotional, news, on-line/multimedia, research and/or educational purposes by and for Dietitians Australia. Attendees agree that they are not entitled to remuneration, residuals, royalties or any other payment from Dietitians Australia in respect of their image/likeness or its use. Attendees release, discharge, and hold harmless, Dietitians Australia and its agents from any and all claims, demands or causes of actions that they may hereafter have by reason of any anything contained in the photographs or video. Should an attendee not agree to the above image release, they must advise the Conference Office.