

National Safety Council of Australia



John Brogden

John Brogden is the Chief Executive Officer of Manchester Unity Australia. Manchester Unity was founded in Australia in 1840 and today operates as a modern mutual company, providing health insurance to over 190,000 Australians.

From 1996 to 2005 John was the Member for Pittwater in the NSW Parliament. In March 2002, on his 33rd birthday, he was elected Leader of the Opposition – the youngest person ever to hold the position in NSW.

John is a passionate advocate for mental health. As Leader of the Opposition in NSW he appointed the first ever front bench spokesperson for mental health – government or opposition – in Australia.

John is also the Patron of Lifeline NSW, Chair of ABACUS-Australian Mutuals, a Director of the Australian Health Insurance Association and a Director of the Australian Friendly Societies Association.

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Breakfast Seminar Series

Event Details

Date: Friday 13 June 2008

Time: 7.00am – 9.00am

Venue: Sofitel Brisbane

249 Turbot Street, Brisbane

Price: Non NSCA Member \$71.50/Table(10) Special \$679.25

NSCA Member \$55/Table(10) Special \$522.50

RSVP: Tuesday 10 June

Email eventregistration@nsca.org.au or call the Events Executive on (02) 9213 6299

Limited space is available so book early to avoid disappointment.

“Out of the Darkness”

The NSCA, supported by Workplace Health and Safety Queensland, invites you to hear John Brogden discuss the challenges and triumphs of managing and coping with mental health illness in the workplace.

From an OHS perspective it's important to understand that we should deal with mental illness in the same way we deal with physical illness. Through a personal account, the former Leader of the Opposition in NSW will outline the importance of understanding depression and mental illness in the world today. John will bring an inspiring message of hope - that depression is not a death sentence and properly diagnosed and treated, life and work can be enjoyed again.



RSVP “Out of the Darkness” presented by John Brogden

Title: _____ Name: _____ Company: _____
Address: _____ Suburb: _____
State: _____ Postcode: _____ Phone: _____
Fax: _____ Email: _____ Member Number: _____

Additional Guest Names (attach separately if required)

Payment (NSCA Member \$55/Table \$522.50) (Non-Member \$71.50/Table \$679.25)

(Prices include GST)

Total: \$ _____ Cheque (Make payable to National Safety Council of Australia Ltd)

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Return this form to the NSCA by Tuesday 10 June via email: eventregistration@nsca.org.au , Fax: 02 9213 6220. Enquiries call: 02 9213 6299