



# elder abuse

## Challenges for Changemakers

**World Elder Abuse Awareness Day Conference**

**Friday 16 June 2017**

Stamford Grand Adelaide, Moseley Square, Glenelg

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aged rights advocacy service inc.

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**8.00 am Registration**

- 9.00 **Welcome: Carolanne Barkla, CEO, ARAS**  
**Keith Conlon, Master of Ceremony**
- 9.05 **Welcome to Country: Frank Wanganeen**
- 9.15 **Opening: The Hon. Zoe Bettison, Minister for Ageing**
- 9.30 **Keynote**  
**Emeritus Professor Rosalind Croucher AM**  
President, Australian Law Reform Commission  
*Supporting Older Australians in Exercising and Protecting their Rights – Insights from the ALRC’s Elder Abuse Inquiry*

**10.30 am Morning Tea (30 minutes)**

- 11.00 **Carolanne Barkla, CEO, ARAS**  
**State of the Nation**
- 11.30 **Christopher Boundy, Manager, Access Services**  
Legal Services Commission  
**Launch of APEA video for website**
- 11.45 **Professor Wendy Lacey, Dean of Law at the University of South Australia**  
**Findings of the Prevalence Study**
- 12.15 **Rosa Colanero, CEO**  
Multicultural Aged Care Inc  
**Where is the line in the sand?**

**12.45 pm Lunch (1 hour)**

- 1.45 **Graham Aitken, CEO**  
Aboriginal Community Care SA  
**Working with Elders in a respectful way**
- 2.15 Noleen Hausler - Consumer perspective  
**Advocating for the Vulnerable without a Voice**
- 2.45 **Brenton Pope, Manager**  
ARAS, Residential Care Program  
**Breaking Down Barriers: The Role of Advocacy in the Prevention of Elder Abuse**
- 3.15 **Nat Cook, MP, Chair, Parliamentary Joint Committee**  
**Elder Abuse Inquiry**
- 3.45 **Closing: Joan Stone, ARAS Chair**

**4.00 pm Refreshments**