

## Patient Experience Week 2018



# **BEYOND THE STETHOSCOPE**

## **Patient Experience Week Special Event**

Our health care system is sick. We live in an era of factory style medicine, spiralling costs, complex and chronic conditions, and doctors at the heart of it under pressure as never before. Lucy Mayes asked doctors on the front line how they make meaning in their work, what quality medicine looks like to them and what their hopes are for the future of medicine. What emerged were consistent messages about elements of practice that the culture and systems of medicine still struggle to understand and support; the power of humanism, compassion, listening, the therapeutic relationship, preventative care and the doctor's own wellbeing journey.

Beyond the Stethoscope is for doctors, patients and for those who work in or have an interest in healthcare. It will leave readers shocked, moved and inspired by the struggles, wisdom and insights of those who sit before them in that most ancient and intimate of humanist exchanges: that of doctor and patient.

Lucy Mayes is a trained lawyer, social worker and company director who has a lifetime interest in human systems and purpose at work.



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#### **Meet the Author**

Beyond the Stethoscope -Doctor's stories of reclaiming hope, heart and healing in medicine

When: Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April

### Time: 7-9am

Venue: The Platform, Level 3, 256 Adelaide Tce

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