



MASS Education Calendar




Issue 2: July to December 2022

All webinars will be presented using Microsoft Teams. Please be aware that all webinars are recorded. Links to webinar recordings will be sent to registrants. Information on how to join and participate in webinars appears on pages 6 - 8. Microsoft Teams currently supports the following browsers: Microsoft Edge, Google Chrome, Firefox and Safari.





All webinars and workshops are free to attend – we look forward to seeing you there.

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Date and time	Topic	Target Group	Booking: click link or scan QR code to register.
July 2022			
Wednesday 27 July 9.00- 11.00am Numbers are limited to 20 people	In-person workshop: Introduction to Maintaining and Adjusting Assistive Technology. Learning about basic maintenance and adjustments for a range of simpler assistive technology, including manual wheelchairs, hoists, pressure cushions, and bathing/toileting aids. This workshop suits health practitioners who want to build their confidence with hands-on adjustment of equipment and education of clients in equipment maintenance and cleaning. Allied health assistants responsible for basic set-up of equipment and management of equipment stock may also benefit.	Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Allied Health Assistants	Workshop Registration 
Thursday 28 July 12:00-12.30pm	Webinar: Resources for Maintaining and Adjusting Assistive Technology. For those unable to attend the in-person workshop “Introduction to maintaining and adjusting assistive technology”, this short webinar orientates you to a range of resources around equipment maintenance and adjustments.	Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Allied Health Assistants	Webinar Registration 

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July – ongoing	<p>Remote hands-on learning: Pressure Re-distribution Cushions Remote Hands-on Learning Programme.</p> <p>This is a new education approach for 2022. Gather together a team of learners, MASS will send a selection of pressure cushions to your workplace, and work through self-paced online learning with interactive support from MASS staff.</p> <p>Refer to the information sheet to find out more.</p>	Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Allied Health Assistants	<p>Complete an expression of interest.</p>  <p>This is a rolling program subject to pressure cushion pack availability.</p>
August 2022			
Thursday 25 August 1:00-2:00pm	<p>Webinar: Assessing and Prescribing Beds and Recliner/fall out Chairs in the Palliative Care Context</p> <p>Presents an overview of beds and recliner/fall out chairs commonly prescribed for people at the end-of-life, considerations for working in this specialty area and processes when applying through the MASS Palliative Care Equipment Program (PCEP).</p>	Occupational therapists Physiotherapists Registered Nurses Rehabilitation Engineers Allied Health Assistants specialising in palliative care	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 
September 2022			
Thursday 15 September 1:00-2:00pm	<p>Webinar: Applying for Continence Aids Using MASS-eApply.</p> <p>Gain confidence in submitting applications for MASS Continence Aids through MASS-eApply. Covers prescriber registration, useful links, benefits to using MASS- eApply and completing clinical questions in the application.</p>	Registered Nurses Occupational therapists Physiotherapists Urologists Uro-gynaecologists	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 

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Thursday 22 September 1:00-2.00pm	<p>Webinar: Emerging Research in Pressure Redistribution Support Surfaces.</p> <p>This webinar provides access to the most contemporary research into community-based pressure redistribution support surfaces. PhD Candidate Katherine Rae will provide a snapshot of her research comparing pressure mattresses for wound healing for older adults living in their own homes. Masters Candidate Gavin Brealey will provide a snapshot of his research comparing the performance of pressure cushions on recliners versus standards-based (hard base) surface.</p>	Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Registered Nurses	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 
Thursday 29 September 1.00 -2.30pm	<p>Webinar: Overview of Products in the new MASS Continence Standing Offer Arrangement (SOA).</p> <p>Find out about changes to continence aids and new product lines.</p>	Nurses Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Urologists Uro-gynaecologists	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 
October 2022			
Thursday 13 October 1:00- 2:00pm	<p>Webinar: Cultural Considerations regarding the Provision of Assistive Technology (AT) to First Nations Peoples.</p> <p>Unpacks the cultural identity of First Nations people and how this relates to the prescription and use of assistive technology.</p>	Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Speech Pathologists Rehabilitation Engineers Nurses Allied Health Assistants	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 

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<p>Tuesday 25 October 2.00 – 4.30pm</p> <p>Numbers are limited to 20 people</p>	<p>In-person workshop: Selecting and Setting Up Mounting Systems (wheelchair, table and rolling mounts) for Communication Aids.</p> <p>Mounting systems must be customised to the communication device, environment (e.g., type of wheelchair) and user needs. In this workshop you will have the opportunity to get hands-on with a range of mounting systems.</p>	<p>Occupational Therapists Speech Pathologists Allied Health Assistants</p>	<p>Workshop Registration</p> 
November 2022			
<p>Thursday 10 November 1:00–2:00pm</p>	<p>Webinar: Assessing for and Prescribing Bathing and toileting Aids.</p> <p>Covers the evaluation of an adult client’s ability to safely use assistive products to access a bath, shower and toilet. Reference will be made to the MASS Application Guidelines for Bathing and Toileting Aids and the eApply process.</p>	<p>Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Allied Health Assistants</p>	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 
<p>Wednesday 30 November 1:00-2:00pm</p>	<p>Webinar: Meeting the Assistive Technology, Continence and Pressure Management Needs of Bariatric Clients.</p> <p>Explores considerations for prescribing mobility, continence and daily living aids and advising on pressure management for bariatric clients.</p>	<p>Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Nurses Allied Health Assistants</p>	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 
December 2022			
<p>Wednesday 7 December 1:00 – 1.30pm</p>	<p>Webinar: MASS-eApply in a Nutshell.</p> <p>Gain confidence in submitting MASS online applications. Covers prescriber registration, useful links, benefits to using MASS-eApply and viewing completed applications.</p>	<p>Occupational Therapists Physiotherapists Rehabilitation Engineers Registered Nurses Speech Pathologists</p>	<p>Webinar Registration</p> 

Links to [view Recordings of Presentations](#) are available through [sway](#).

How to join MASS webinars

All MASS hosted webinars run in Microsoft Teams or Microsoft Teams Live Events which works across all operating systems: Windows, iOS and Android devices. Virtual sessions are viewable using Microsoft Edge, Mozilla Firefox, Apple Safari and Google Chrome.

You will need the following:

- Computer or tablet with internet access
- A larger screen size or data projector is recommended for multiple viewers. Smartphones provide a reasonable level of access to audio and videos included in presentations; however, some presentations will feature slides that are hard to read on a small smartphone screen

How to download Microsoft Teams for Webinars

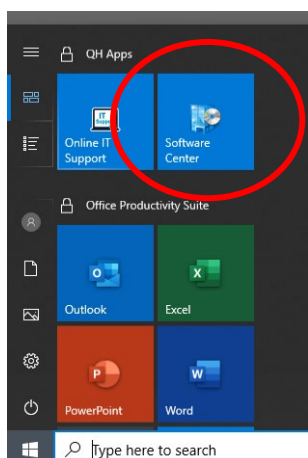
Microsoft Teams is free to download. Download the Microsoft Teams app if you do not already have it. it's easy and free.

- To download the desktop application go to: <https://teams.microsoft.com/download>
- For mobile phones, scan the below QR code to download it from the [iOS App Store](#) or [Google Play Store](#).

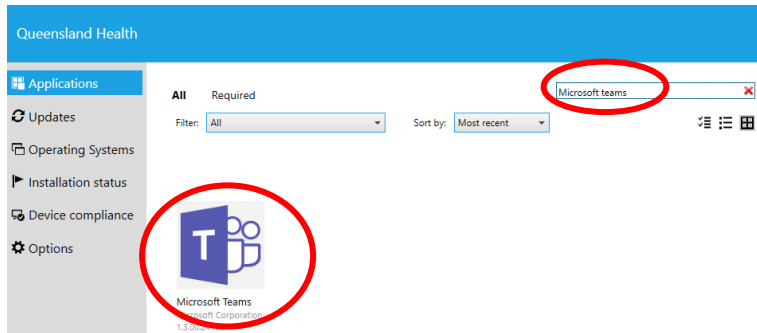


For Queensland Health Staff – you can install Microsoft Teams for Queensland Health devices through the Software Centre.

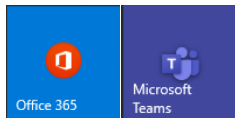
1. Go to the Software Centre – It can be found under “QH Apps” in your start menu.



2. Search for 'Microsoft Teams' and select the application



3. Double click the icon to open and click install
4. A shortcut will be available on your desktop once installed, you can also search for it in your start menu or open it through your Office 365 Portal.



Note:

- This is not available for computers that use multi-user tap on/off functionality.
- More information can be found on QHEPS (sign in required) [Self Help - eHealth Service Portal \(service-now.com\)](https://service-now.com)
- If a message says that Teams is already installed, but you are missing the desktop icon please refer to [Self Help - eHealth Service Portal \(service-now.com\)](https://service-now.com)

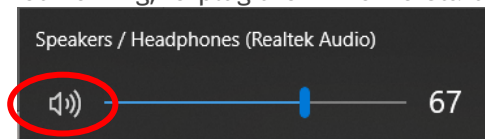
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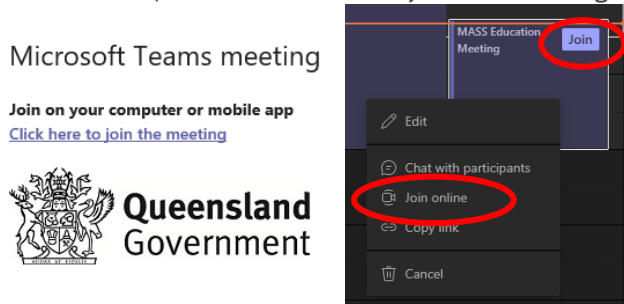
1. On the Education Calendar, click on the link to register and/or scan the QR code, for the event you are interested in.
2. You will receive a confirmation email with a link to join the webinar and a calendar attachment. If you do not receive the email with the link to join the webinar, please contact us.

Joining the session

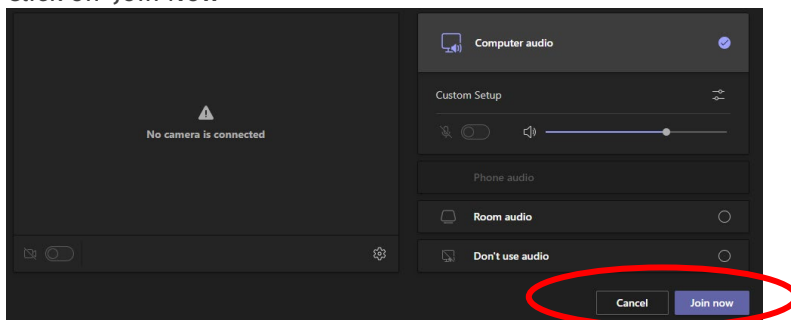
3. Ensure you test the volume of your headphones or speaker volume. If your headphones are not working, re-plug them in or re-start your computer.



4. When you receive the email with the invitation, please click 'accept'. From the invitation or in your calendar, select 'Click here to join the meeting' or on your Teams Calendar click 'Join'



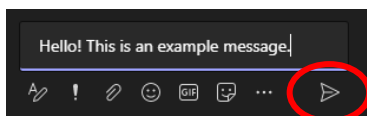
- Please ensure the session opens with the 'Teams App' and not a regular web-browser for use of full features. It will open the Choose your audio and video settings window – check your audio and camera settings.
- Click on 'Join Now'



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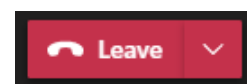
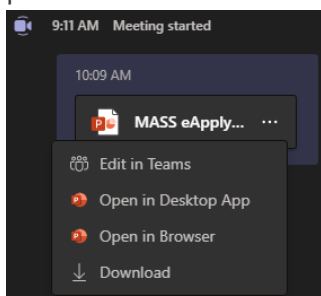
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- Type your question or comment and click the paper plane icon to send



- You can use the emoticons as well.



- In the conversation, you will also find a PDF version of the PowerPoint used in the presentation. Feel free to open the document(s) and/or download it.



- When you are ready to leave the meeting, click on the Leave icon.

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