

Dear {{ First name }},

Thanks for signing up for the Australia & New Zealand <https://optiTHERMM.org> study!

We have recorded {{ Surveys collected }} survey(s) collected on your behalf/by you.

**\*REMINDER: to qualify for collaborative authorship on the publication, you must recruit 5 consultants to do the survey. Deadline: 15 May 2022\***

### **NEED HELP GETTING SURVEYS DONE?**

- Surveying is quick and can be completed in 1 day.
- Email us at [info@optithermm.org](mailto:info@optithermm.org) or contact on Twitter [@optiTHERMM](https://twitter.com/optithermm) (<https://twitter.com/optithermm>).
- FAQ to help you: [>> HERE https://is.gd/qVdxrz <<](https://is.gd/qVdxrz)
- The optiTHERMM steering group will **host a live video call Q&A** for collaborators on **Wednesday, 27 April 2022 @ 18:00 Perth, 19:30 Darwin, 20:00 Brisbane/Melbourne/Sydney/Canberra, 22:00 New Zealand** times. Link [>> HERE https://meet.google.com/jav-jira-gdj <<](https://meet.google.com/jav-jira-gdj)

### **IMPORTANT POINTS**

- You can collaborate if you are in a hospital that DOES NOT HAVE A BURNS UNIT. You have to contact your friendly neighbourhood burns surgeons, anaesthetists and intensivists in the units you know or can reach out to.
- It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to KNOW HOW MANY RESPONSES YOU HAVE. This survey is to help those below the consultant level contribute to a multicentre study and publication. We recommend doing this face-to-face or by phone and entering the data into the survey. If you only email this survey, you will not know how many consultants have responded. The optiTHERMM team will NOT respond to requests for how many consultants have completed the survey for you.

### **STUDY PROGRESS 25 April 2022**

- **50 collaborators signed up:** 38 medical students; 10 junior doctors who are not yet consultants; 2 consultants;
- **38 responses** from consultants working at 7 ANZBA units and 2 peripheral hospitals.
- A map of ANZBA units response status can be seen here: [>> HERE https://is.gd/BA4oN6 <<](https://is.gd/BA4oN6)
- The UK optiTHERMM study is preparing to roll out.

### **DO YOU KNOW POTENTIAL COLLABORATORS AT THE FOLLOWING UNITS?**

If you know a student or doctor who can survey consultants,

please ask them to sign up [>> HERE https://optithermm.org/ <<](https://optithermm.org) or email [info@optiTHERMM.org](mailto:info@optiTHERMM.org).

We are URGENTLY seeking collaborators at the following hospitals:

1. **Royal Darwin Hospital, NT Au;**

2. **Queensland Children Hospital**, QLS Au;
3. **Royal North Shore Hospital**, NSW Au;
4. **Westmead Children's Hospital**, NSW Au;
5. **Waikato Hospital**, Taupo NZ;
6. **Hutt Hospital**, Wellington NZ;
7. **Christchurch Hospital**, NZ;
8. **Royal Hobart Hospital**, TAS Au;
9. **Women's & Children's Hospital**, SA Au;
10. **Royal Adelaide Hospital**, SA Au;

Sincerely,

The optiTHERMM team