

## Connecting educators and learners in real-time

## What is connectEd

Every day health professionals working in hospitals, or other healthcare sectors, perform clinical practices that offer exciting opportunities for others to learn from.

With no way of getting the word out quickly, both teachers and learners are missing out on opportunities to share knowledge. Our app changes that.

connectEd is an award-winning app that links health care professionals who have something to teach with those who want to learn.

Now health professionals can organise a time, place, lesson, and manage attendees in a matter of minutes and in real time.

## ConnectEd for educators

connectEd knows you're busy. That's why you'll find 1500 'tags' enabling you to reach your learners in less than a minute. The tags cover a wide range of conditions (e.g. #osteoarthritis), procedures (e.g. #cannulation) and activities (e.g. #examination).

Once you have selected from the handy tag list, just select your number of attendees, location and time. And press "create". You can easily see how many learners are reserving places at your event. You can also save your lessons in connectEd's handy My Activity log



## Connected for learners

connectEd is your classroom in your pocket. You simply create a profile of interests from a list of tags and other specifications, for example the conditions and procedures you're interested in, plus your preferred location. connectEd will notify you when an event is posted that matches your interests. All you need to do is reserve your place and attend.

You'll also have a record of your lessons with connectEd's handy My Activity log.



# Trialling connectEd app

The connectEd app is undergoing testing in the clinical setting and the Medical Student Program (MSP) at Eastern Health Clinical School (EHCS) has an opportunity to take part in trialling it. The trial will be offered to medical students across year level 3-5 who are based at Maroondah hospital. The trial will also be open to all clinical staff at Maroondah hospital.

The app will be available free of charge for the period of the trial after which all staff and students will cease to have access to it.

Information about app usage will be collected and analysed by connectED staff only. Only deidentified app activity will be shared with EHCS MSP for the purposes of determining how useful the app is in clinical setting.

Use of the app will be supported by;

- a website where you can gain information about it: http://www.connectedteamapp.com/
- a Facebook page where you can comment on how you are connectED, make suggestions for improvements and get real time support: https://www.facebook.com/groups/connectEdTeamApp/
- a representative on site at Maroondah hospital, Dr Karen Donald 03 9955 1131.

## How do I sign up for the connectEd trial?

The connectEd trial period will begin at the start of semester 2, 4<sup>th</sup> July 2016, but it's important that as many students and clinicians have downloaded the app, and familiarised themselves with its use ready for the trial to begin.

You can install the connectED app at any time.

Encourage your peers and clinical tutors to participate in the connectEd trial, the larger the user group the greater the opportunities for teaching and learning.

There will be ongoing information sessions and live demonstrations of the connectED app advertised throughout Maroondah hospital and via the connectEd Facebook page.

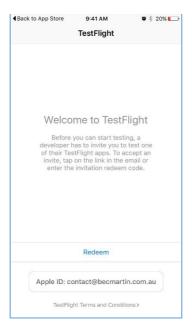
This is the first trial of the connectEd app in the clinical setting, your feedback and suggestions are very welcome via the website, Facebook or site representative.

#### iOS Users

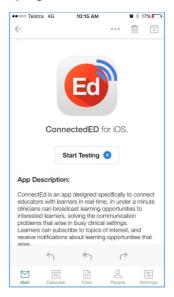
1. Install Apple's TestFlight app from the app store: https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/testflight/id899247664?mt=8



2. Open it and make sure it's signed into your Apple ID.



3. Now you just need to wait for an email from TestFlight with an invitation. This will be sent if you've been in touch with the program administrator and registered your email address.



4. Click on the 'Start Testing' button and then 'ACCEPT'. You should then be able to open the app from TestFlight once it has downloaded. You will find notes about specific changes between versions in the 'What to Test' section.



## **Android Users**

1. Install the Android app from the Play Store here:



(https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=au.com.connectedteam.trial1)

2. Log in using the details we emailed you. If you can't find the email, contact us at support@connectedteamapp.com