

DIRECTOR



Anna Castle-Burton *Occupational Therapist*

Anna has 20 years experience as an Occupational Therapist working solely in the area of Neurological rehabilitation of children and adults. She is a certified Life Care Planner as well as an approved Dispute and Care Needs Assessor for both Adult and Paediatric participants in Lifetime Care and Support scheme.

Anna supervises and mentors all of the multi-disciplinary staff and consultants at ARW. She maintains involvement in clinical treatment and provision of case management services. Anna undertakes medico-legal assessments for complex catastrophic injury cases.

SENIOR CLINICAL SUPERVISORS



Lauren Alach *Occupational Therapist*

Lauren has 20 years experience as an Occupational Therapist. She has worked for the past 12 years for ARW. Previously, Lauren worked at the Royal Rehabilitation Centre Sydney in the Brain Injury unit for 4 years

obtaining the position of Senior Occupational Therapist. In addition to her supervision of allied health staff within the team, she holds a clinical case load and undertakes complex catastrophic injury medico-legal reports.



Elizabeth Shannon (FACP) *Specialist Neurological Physiotherapist*

Elizabeth has been a Physiotherapist for the past 21 years. She was recently awarded a fellowship by the Australian College of Physiotherapy accrediting her with the title of specialist. Elizabeth has worked as a Physiotherapist for ARW for the past 7 years.

She maintains a clinical case load as well mentoring and assessing physiotherapists working towards becoming specialists. She undertakes neuro physiotherapy medico-legal reports.



Fiona Goron *Occupational Therapist*

Fiona has 13 years of experience as an Occupational Therapist. She has worked at ARW for the past 5 years. Prior to working at ARW, she worked at Westmead Hospital Brain Injury Unit for 6 years.

She maintains a clinical case load as well as being responsible for supervision and mentoring of other allied health staff within the practice. Fiona undertakes medico-legal reports on severe injury cases.

Our Divisions



- **assessment**
- **treatment**
- **case management**
- **training**



- **catastrophic injury**
- **orthopaedics**
- **medical negligence**
- **life care planning**



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ABOUT ARW

ARW was established in 1996 by Anna Castle-Burton. We have two main divisions, Neuro-Rehabilitation Works (NRW) and Medico-Legal Works (MLW). We offer a comprehensive range of rehabilitation services including assessment, treatment, case management and medico-legal reporting.

We treat children and adults with acquired and traumatic brain injury and spinal cord injury.

Our services are delivered in the home, community or workplace. All of our treatments are contextual in nature.

We work within all compensation systems including Compulsory Third Party, Workers Compensation, Life Time Care and Support, Government Agencies and Private Financial Management Companies. We also treat private clients.

ARW's staff and consultants have extensive years of experience in their fields and have held senior positions in either major teaching hospitals or Brain Injury Rehabilitation Units.

Our consultants' expertise combined with a rigorous research evidence approach and use of outcomes measures ensure that we provide the highest quality of client treatment.



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS

Inbal Luft – has worked as an Occupational Therapist for the past five years. She has worked at ARW for 2 years providing Occupational Therapy treatment, case management and medico-legal services to our clients. Prior to working at ARW, Inbal worked for 3 years at the Royal Rehabilitation Centre Sydney in the Brain Injury Unit. She has extensive experience with case management, equipment prescription, home modifications and research.



Katrina Curtain – has been an Occupational Therapist for the past 6 years. Prior to joining ARW she worked at Lady Davidson Rehabilitation Hospital in Sydney as the Senior Neurological Occupational Therapist and as the Senior Occupational Therapist in St Thomas' Hospital, London. She currently provides treatment, case management and medico legal services. Her key areas of expertise include provision of upper limb retraining, home modification and cognitive remediation.



Rachael Morris – has 6 years of experience as an Occupational Therapist and 14 years of experience as an Occupational Therapy assistant. She has worked as a Senior Occupational Therapist in the Central Scotland Brain Injury Centre in the UK. Rachael has worked as an Occupational Therapist at ARW, providing case management, treatment and medico-legal services to our clients. Her key area of expertise is in vocational rehabilitation.



Katherine Whitmore – has 13 years of experience as an Occupational Therapist. She has worked at ARW as a consultant for the past 2 years completing independent assessments and medico-legal reports. Katherine continues to work as an Occupational Therapist at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital and is a Grade 3 student supervisor.



PHYSIOTHERAPISTS

Jenny Clare – has been a Physiotherapist for the past 25 years. She has worked with ARW undertaking assessment, treatment and medico-legal reporting for our clients. Prior to joining ARW, Jenny worked in the Brain Injury Rehabilitation Unit at Westmead Hospital for 14 years.



Sarah Donaldson – has been a Physiotherapist for the past 21 years and specialises in Paediatric treatment. She works as a consultant Physiotherapist to ARW in providing treatment and medico-legal assessments for our paediatric clients. She continues to work as a senior Physiotherapist at the Children's Hospital Westmead.



Susannah Fortin – has worked as a Physiotherapist for 20 years. She has worked at ARW as a consultant Physiotherapist for the past 9 years. She provides assessments, treatment and medico-legal services for clients with severe orthopaedic injuries. She also holds a Certificate IV in Personal

SPEECH PATHOLOGY



Vanessa Huggett – has been a Speech Pathologist for the past 14 years. She works as a Speech Pathology consultant for ARW and provides treatment services for management of communication, cognition and swallowing impairments. Vanessa continues to work as a senior Speech Pathologist at the Royal Rehabilitation Centre Sydney.

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY



Nicola Gates – has been a Clinical Psychologist for the past 16 years and is also a Clinical Neuropsychologist. She has been a consultant with ARW for the past 13 years. Nicola provides Neuropsychological assessments, clinical psychology treatment and medico-legal reports to our clients. Her expertise is in individual Neuropsychological therapy programs for adjustment issues including anxiety and depression.