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Microsoft Outlook Issue: New Outlook Issue is not a REGIS Issue

Audience: Everyone

There has been a recently identified incompatibility issue with Microsoft Outlook, with a few specific file type extensions not being able to be opened in the "New Outlook". Please be advised that **this is not a REGIS technical issue, or a REGIS system issue.**



Microsoft is addressing this issue by rolling out an update which will allow users to open file types, such as msg and others in the "New Outlook". In the meantime, users are advised to continue using the older Outlook until this update occurs.

More information regarding the status of the rollout update can be found here: [Outlook: EML, MSG, and OFT File Support in the new Outlook for Windows](#)

REGIS: Inactive HOD Positions and How to Re-Activate

Audience: Research Office

The eHealth REGIS team has received a number of inquiries that HOD positions are inactive, meaning these HODs are unable to be selected in the STE application to provide support. While there are legitimate reasons for these positions to be inactive, we are seeing some examples where inactive positions have no expiry date (expiry dates exist when positions have been made inactive).

While the eHealth REGIS team further investigates this, we have created a document to assist you with steps on how to re-activate HOD positions that you believe should be active.

REGU Forum Update

Audience: Research Office

Access Roundtable Resources at Your Fingertips

We're excited to share that all the invaluable presentations and slides from our **March 2024 Roundtable** are now just a click away! As part of our ongoing efforts to make our forum a central hub for sharing knowledge and resources, we've uploaded these essential materials for your convenience. ✨

Whether you're looking to revisit insightful discussions, dive deeper into specific topics, or share these resources with colleagues, everything you need is accessible through our dedicated forum post. Find all the **roundtable talks and slides**, easily searchable and available 24/7, at

<https://nswhealthresearch.discourse.group/t/roundtable-slides-march-2024/381>. 

Let's Co-Create Our Next Roundtable Adventure!

Riding the wave of enthusiasm from our last roundtable, it's time to gather our collective creativity for the next! ✨ Your insights, feedback, and bright ideas are the magic ingredients we need to make our upcoming event as engaging and harmonious as our last. 🎵

Do you have a groundbreaking topic, a must-hear speaker, or a fresh new format on your mind? Let's hear it! Head over to the forum and drop your brilliant suggestions in the mix. 🗣️ Every thought you share helps shape a roundtable that's not only enriching but deeply connected to what matters to us as a community.

Ready to contribute? Visit this [link](#) and share your ideas for our next roundtable in the forum. Can't wait to see your suggestions and start planning an unforgettable roundtable. Dive in and let's make this next event uniquely ours!

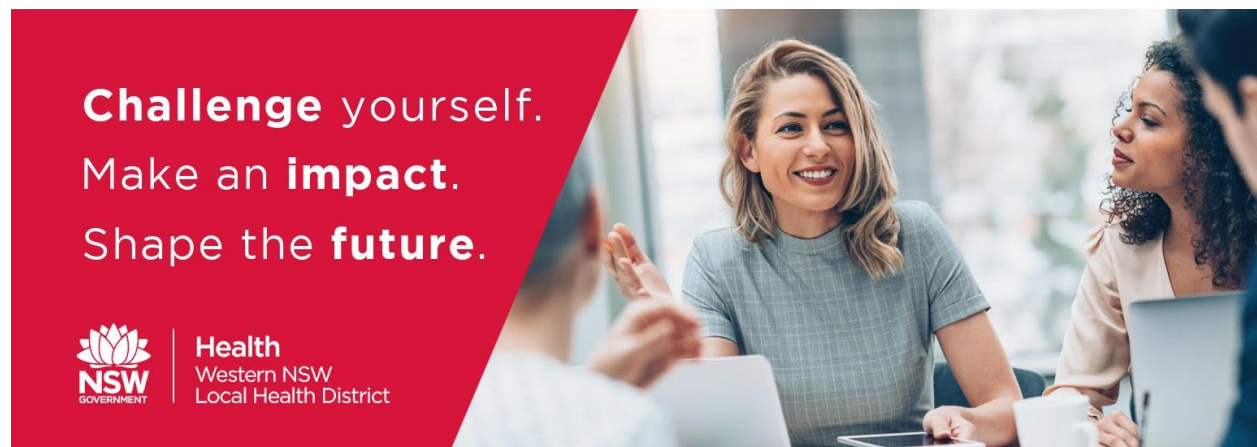
<https://nswhealthresearch.discourse.group/t/shape-our-next-roundtable-share-your-ideas/382>

Warmly looking forward to your input!

Quick Guide: Accessing the NSW Health Research Forum on Your Smartphone

Following [my presentation about the forum](#) at the roundtable, several of you expressed interest in how to get the Discourse App on your smartphones, ensuring the Forum is always just a fingertip away. To help you out, [here's a quick step-by-step guide](#).

Manager Research Ethics and Governance Role: Western NSW Local Health District



Audience: Everyone

Are you interested in managing the ethical review and governance of human research? Supporting researchers and working with diverse clinical and university partners to conduct research in Western NSW? If so, [take a look at this role here!](#)

Applications close 31 March 2024 and for any role related queries, please contact Kerrie Noonan on 0439 371 591 or at Kerrie.Noonan@health.nsw.gov.au

Upcoming events and dates

Audience: Research Office/Researcher



2024 Events and Dates

REGIS Research Office Lunch & Learn 2024: Lunch & Learn webinars have been scheduled for **March 27, April 10, May 15** and **June 12**.

Research Office REGIS Training: Research Office training will be held in **April, June** and **August**. [Register your interest here.](#)

Researcher REGIS Training: Researcher training will be held in **May, July** and **September**. [Register your interest here.](#)

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All previous version of the fortnightly email are available from the REGIS website: <https://regis.health.nsw.gov.au/news-and-events/regis-office-webinars/>

REGU/REGIS Newsletter: Inspiring other units within OHMR and LHDs since February 2021