



VIC State Committee Event | 15 September 2019

Useful distal treatments for neck, back and sciatic pain

Presented by Joseph Azuolas

Most humans will suffer neck and back pain in their lifetime and in clinical practice these conditions will be seen in a significant number of patients seeking acupuncture treatments. There are a multitude of useful treatments for neck, back and sciatic pain using local and distal acupuncture points. However, distal treatments with acupuncture points that are located on arms and legs are convenient to use, require little disrobing and are extremely effective. Protocols and strategies for successful distal treatments of neck, back and sciatic pain will be discussed. The acupuncture treatments which are presented arise from and are explained by common threads linking Five Phase, Extraordinary Meridians, Tung, Imaging and Tan concepts. The use of Wrist Ankle Acupuncture will also be discussed. All treatment protocols described include supporting case studies.

The seminar will be delivered in a lecture format plus hands-on needling of Tung acupuncture points and Wrist Ankle protocols. Participants will learn treatment strategies and protocols for neck, back and sciatic pain that have been found effective in clinical practice.

About the presenter

Joseph studied Acupuncture at Endeavour College in Melbourne and has been in practice for approximately ten years. Prior to entering practice, he was a Research Assistant at the Peter McCallum Cancer Institute, a Forensic Scientist then a Senior Research Scientist for the Department of Primary Industries.

Important information:

In appreciation of their support of our events, we will have representation from some of our TCM suppliers at this event and samples for our registered attendees on the day.

Registrants please note that the parking onsite at Kew library has recently changed to 2 hours. However there are several suitable parking options close to the venue. Please click [here](#) to view them.

Event Details

Date	15 September 2019
Time	1.30pm-5.45pm

Cost	AACMA Members: \$40 (walk-in: \$50) Students Members: FREE Non-members: \$60 (walk-in: \$70)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Please register with AACMA prior to the event. Only 70 seats available at this event. NO walk-ins will be accepted on the day if the number limit has already been reached.</i> • <i>No fees for AACMA student members.</i> • <i>Non AACMA student members pay the same price as non AACMA member registrants.</i> • <i>Students need to show their current student card on attendance at the event.</i> • <i>Photos may be taken during the seminar. These photos may be published in the AACMA newsletter.</i> • <i>If you do not wish to be photographed, please inform the AACMA head office when you register for this seminar.</i>
Venue	Phyllis Hore Meeting Room, Kew Library, Civic Dve (Off Cotham Road), KEW Victoria 3101
CPD	4 CPD points
Registration Via Office	Via office - RSVP by 12:00 PM EST, Thursday 12 September 2019. Contact AACMA national office on 07 3457 1800 or email aacma@acupuncture.org.au

Please bring your AACMA Tax Invoice as proof of your seminar registration and payment

Registrations and payments are to be done either via BPAY or over the phone via credit card. Please contact AACMA national office on 07 3457 1800.

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Cancellations received one week or more before the event date will incur a \$20 administration fee. There are no refunds for cancellations received less than one week before the event or for failure to attend the event; however, a credit, minus the \$20 administration fee, can be retained for future events.

Any changes to event date, time, location, content or speaker(s) will be advised by the AACMA office before close of business on the Friday prior to the event.

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Please note that the AACMA office is not able to notify registrants of any event changes that may happen after the close of business of the Friday prior to the event.

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