



## First National Conference Announcement:

Celebrating the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child

### “Paediatric Ethics in Practice”

Hosted by the **Children's Bioethics Centre**, at **The Royal Children's Hospital Melbourne**,

in partnership with The Murdoch Children's Research Institute and University of Melbourne.

Public Forum: **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2009, 5.00pm - 7.30pm**

Conference: **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2009, 9.00am - 5.00pm**

Speakers include:

- Hon. Justice Michael Kirby
- Prof Neil Schechter, University of Connecticut School of Medicine Hartford,
- A/Prof Lynn Gillam, Children's Bioethics Centre.

Topics include:

- Children's involvement in medical decision-making
- The ethics of paediatric pain management
- How society upholds the rights of children in a medical context – legal, medical and social perspectives



No fee, but registration required by Friday November 13<sup>th</sup>. Limited places!

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