

1989

National Heart Attack Week Workshop
Post Graduate Weekend at Kooralbyn – theme was 'Infections'
Winter Update Course at Charlottes Pass
Bush Dance at Canungra Valley
Opposition to the Government's proposed 'Breast Bus' program
Volunteers manned booths at: Gold Coast Show; The Home Show; The Boat Show; The Jobs Expo

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Weekend At Kooralbyn – theme Was 'Aged Care'
GCMA And GC Hospital Cricket Match
Winter Conference At Falls Creek
Gold Coast Triathlon
Xmas Dinner

1991

Weekend symposium at Sea World Nara Resort – the theme was 'Nutrition'
Gold Coast Marathon raised funds for an Alcohol Rehabilitation Program

1992

Gold Coast Hospital – Waiting lists, insufficient funding and facilities
Gold Coast Marathon
Ross River virus media release and seminar
Two cricket matches and a golf day
Falls Creek Conference

1993

The Medical Ball
Care for Children Marathon

1994

Seminar at Sea World Nara Resort – theme was 'Palliative Care'
Seminar on Prostate Cancer
Seminar on Snoring and Sleep Apnoea

1995

Bowel-scan campaign
Gold Coast Marathon
Seminar – professional liability and insurance

1996

Seminar on Menopause
Variety Club Bash
Gold Coast Marathon
Bowel scan
Support for junior doctors from the Gold Coast Hospital regarding government plans to restrict provider numbers to graduates
Established regular meetings with politicians

1997

Youth Suicide public forum
Underfunding of Gold Coast Hospital
Fluoridation of water supplies

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Launch of 'new look' publication - The Medical Link

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Incorporation of GCMA
Inaugural Community Health Expo
Needs Survey of members and potential members

2001

Visit by AMA President, Dr Kerryn Phelps
Forum to discuss No-Gap Insurance

2002

Indemnity Crisis

2003

Campaign re IBNR Tax Crisis

2004

Campaign to voice concerns over proposed change to Indemnity Insurance
Meeting with Mr Tony Abbott, Minister for Health re shortage of medical practitioners and Indemnity Reform

2006

Submission to Minister for Health, the Hon Stephen Robertson - 'Future Directions for the Gold Coast Hospital'

2007

Prize awarded to local journalist for the Best Media Story published on mental health
Calls for a Standing Commission of Inquiry and request to Government to undertake an audit of all suicide deaths (inpatient and in the community) to suggest ways of improving mental health services
Conduct of two-day Mental Health First Aid course attracting 20 attendees

2008

Campaign to publish reports from local State Parliamentarians on their activities in the health care area
Campaign calling on State Government to maintain Southport Hospital campus as a substantial Acute and Surgical Inpatient and Outpatient public facility
Invitation for GCMA to sit on the Gold Coast University Hospital Stakeholders Advisory Group

2009

GCMA publishes its first Membership Directory
Gold Coast/Fiji Medical Associations inaugural medical conference in Fiji

2011

Walk the Talk campaign launched to promote healthy lifestyle options to patients inspired by members
Inaugural Gold Coast Medical & Health Sciences Conference