

**FURTHER POSTPONEMENT of the
9th World Rett Syndrome Congress which was to take place
in Surfers Paradise (Gold Coast), Australia, in September 2021
NEW Dates 28th Sept to 1st Oct 2022**



The COVID-19 pandemic causes YET another postponement of the 9th World Rett Syndrome Congress
What with the influence that the COVID-19 pandemic is still having around the world, the uncertainty of both travel restrictions and extent of the vaccination process, the Committee of the Rett Syndrome Association of Australia (RSAA) has decided to postpone (yet again) the 9th World Rett Syndrome Congress. The revised dates are **28th Sept to 1st of Oct 2022**.

Congress venue

The QT Hotel, Gold Coast, which is located in Surfers Paradise, Queensland, will remain as the Congress venue.

Presenters

Presenters who originally accepted RSAA's invitation to speak at the Congress are being notified of the latest postponement and will be reinvited. Hopefully, the revised dates will not affect their availability.

Congress website

Work continues on building the Congress website <https://rettworldcongress.org> to a point where it will meet the information needs of potential attendees. Online registration for the Congress is now open which may be of particular interest to Australian families who have included, or wish to include, coverage of the registration fees in their National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) plans.

An online abstract submission portal has been completed but won't be available for submissions until early 2022.

In the meantime

One thing for certain is that during the upcoming months, RSAA will push on with its task of organising the World Rett Syndrome Congress. It is hoped that there will be no more postponements and the COVID-19 situation reaches some degree of stability around the world in the near future.

We look forward to seeing you in Surfers Paradise in late 2022.