As a general rule, the Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand does not endorse meetings organized by external organizations.

In the case of meetings which are not jointly run or developed by the CSANZ, formal ratification requires:

- The meeting must be run by a scientific, professional or academic organisation;
- Should have a demonstrable benefit for CSANZ Members;
- A formal letter of request from the organisers of the meeting to the CSANZ President and the Chair of the Scientific Committee;
- Request to be considered by the CSANZ Board;
- CSANZ would request and nominate a representative to participate on the Organising and Programme Committees of that meeting;
- Scientific content and invited speakers must be determined by a scientific committee independent of financial sponsors;
- A decision by the Society to endorse or support a meeting does not necessarily imply any financial obligations on behalf of the CSANZ;
- The objectives of the scientific meeting are consistent with those of the Cardiac Society.

Endorsement of external meetings by the CSANZ does not imply any financial support or funding by the CSANZ.

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