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Jeff Richardson is a Professor in the Faculty of Business and Economics at Monash University and Foundation Director of its Centre for Health Economics. He is an Adjunct Associate of Stanford University. His research interests have included comparisons of international health care systems and health system reform, the econometric modelling of hospital and medical supply, demand and medical fees, cost-effectiveness and cost-utility analysis, the effects of privatisation and regulation in the health sector, health care technology and its diffusion, and the modelling of quality of life with multi-attribute utility instruments.

His recent work includes:

- Chairing an inquiry into the Tasmanian hospital system;
- Evaluation of the social values Australians wish to have embodied in the health system;
- Construction of the Assessment of Quality of Life (AQoL) instrument for use in economic evaluation;
- Specialist versions of AQoL for vision (Vis-QoL) and psychiatric illness (Psy-QoL) and obesity;
- Diffusion of technology as part of the Stanford based international collaboration;
- Supply-demand modelling the Australian health system and its extension to include global movements of health professionals.

He presently holds a 5 year NHMRC Professorial Fellowship to continue his research into social objectives and the allocation of health care resources.



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