Summary of Twitter coverage of presentation by RANZCOG president Dr Vijay Roach at #RANZCOG19. Compiled for Croakey News (5pp).

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If you can't be at #RANZCOG19 you can watch @RANZCOG_Pres's address, and the launch of the gender equity report, here:

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RANZCOG President Dr Vijay Roach’s address at ranzcog19 pscp.tv /w/CHZDWTfkdktP...
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Roach eschews the word 'resilience' in #mh4docs, risks blaming the victim and ignores intrinsic and extrinsic factors. Says the College grieves with Keane, 'Emily didn't lack resilience' #RANZCOG19

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'I think that resilience is a term that we impose on other people so we can mask their suffering and make it easier for the rest of us' - @RANZCOG_Pres #RANZCOG19

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'We want to grow trainees who feel supported, understood, cared for and empowered. We want @ranzcoog to be a family that stands by you' - @RANZCOG_Pres #RANZCOG19 #mh4docs

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Roach says the College has failed in the past, with punitive and unsupportive approaches to trainees #RANZCOG19 #mh4docs

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Roach calls for resilience to be exchanged for acceptance - that medicine is a vocation, not a hobby, and there are parts of it we cannot change #RANZCOG19 #mh4docs

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Roach says he, like many other people, suffers from imposter syndrome. He worries about his relationships. But one of the things that helps is accepting these things about himself, and being open about these shortcomings with others #RANZCOG19 #mh4docs
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Leave that perfectionist behind and accept your frailties, your vulnerabilities. Ask for and accept help, says Roach #RANZCOG19
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The College needs to be fit for purpose, both now and in the future, says Roach #RANZCOG19
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Roach says we must be advocates for our profession, the medical system and always, always for women. Says College now speaking loudly and without fear for Indigenous women, refugee women, victims of mesh and other O&G practices #RANZCOG19

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Roach acknowledging work of @Connankf in driving this conversation at @ranzcou. We covered Connan's talk here --> #RANZCOG19

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Roach says these were difficult, contentious, emotional discussions within the College #RANZCOG19

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'If you have a systemic bias you do not have equity. If you have inherent disadvantage you do not have equity. Women do not have the same opportunities as men. Women are invisible' says Roach #RANZCOG19

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Roach says @ranzcou can be a leader and advocate for social change, but it has to start in its own backyard. Acknowledges disappointment that this is not a policy document with firm deadlines, says pushback is inevitable and most important thing is to get it right #RANZCOG19
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We have to bring everyone along with us, says Roach #RANZCOG19

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We are going to stop gender inequity at @ranzcohg says Roach. Says it is so much more than a slogan. We want a College that can rightfully claim its place as advocates and leaders in women's health #RANZCOG19

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Cites GD Anderson: 'Feminism is not about making women strong. Women are strong. It's about changing the way that the world perceives that strength' #RANZCOG19