Controlling costly care: a billion dollar hospital opportunity

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Public hospital spending is the fastest-growing area of government expenditure, but its growth could be slowed. Each year, public hospitals across Australia spend one billion dollars with little or no benefit. In this presentation, Dr Duckett, author of a recent Grattan Institute Report on hospital inefficiency, will discuss the report and ways to improve public hospital efficiency.

Stephen Duckett is Director of the Health Program at Grattan Institute. He has a reputation for creativity, evidence-based innovation and reform in areas ranging from the introduction of activity-based funding for hospitals, to new systems of accountability for the safety of hospital care. An economist, he is a Fellow of the Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

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