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Another Bloody Breakfast

WHAT IS A BLOOD CLOT? – ARE YOU AT RISK?



Hosted by Channel 7's
Adrian Barich



West Coast Eagles player
Mark Hutchings

Blood clots are jelly-like masses of blood. They can occur in arteries or veins, in your heart, brain, lungs, abdomen, arms, and legs. You need your blood to clot when you're cut or injured. It helps stop bleeding. Most of the time, your body breaks down the clot, after your wound has healed. But sometimes, they don't dissolve on their own, clots form inside your blood vessels for no reason. When this happens, it can lead to serious health problems or a medical emergency!

Thrombus: Blood clots can be stationary. That means they don't move. But they can block blood flow. This type of clot is a thrombosis.

Embolus: Blood clots can also break loose. These are embolisms. They're dangerous because they can travel to other parts of the body and can be fatal!

Arterial Clot: These form in your arteries - the blood vessels that carry blood away from your heart. Arterial clots, block blood and oxygen from reaching your vital organs.

Learn more and join us for 'Another Bloody Breakfast' hosted by Channel 7's Adrian Barich with special guest West Coast Eagles player Mark Hutchings.

Date Thursday, 11th April 2019

Time 7:30am - 9:00am

Place **University Club of Western Australia**
Hackett Entrance No.1, Hackett Drive, Crawley

Tickets **\$45 each (Limited Seats)**

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