The Stroke Society of Australasia (SSA) 2011 Annual Scientific Meeting (ASM) has the theme “Challenges in the New Millenium: Prevention, Thrombolysis and Repair!”.

Abstract Submission has CLOSED.

Closing Date was extended to: Friday, 13th May 2011 (5pm Australian Eastern Standard Time) and this has now passed.

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