



Jana Pittman's story is a roller coaster of triumph, defeat, failure and success.

She will take you on a journey through the peaks and troughs that helped shape her career and build her into who she is today.

Two times World Champion, Four times Commonwealth Champion, in the sport of athletics, Jana Pittman personifies resilience and determination.

When continued injuries hampered her athletic career could have signalled retirement, she swapped the track for the ice. Jana joined the Australian Women's bobsleigh team, to become the first women to represent Australia in both a Summer and Winter Olympic games.

This year Jana Pittman has officially transitioned from athlete to doctor, now an intern at Blacktown and Mt Druitt Hospitals.

With her keen interest in women's health Jana is an ambassador for the 'Australian Cervical Cancer Foundation', Save the box (RANZGOG) and Targeting Cancer.

In 2017 she published her autobiography, 'Just Another Hurdle', where she detailed her personal and professional struggles, including her relationship with fellow athlete Chris Rawlinson, her battle against bulimia, suicide and injury.

The mother of three has juggled parenthood, work and study since commencing her medical training seven years ago, and has declared her new career will be "even better".

Pittman said in a statement, "I loved my athletics career, representing Australia was gold, but I hope my future in medicine will be even better."

"It's one of those things where you think you're never going to get there, but it shows that if you persist with something you love, then it just might happen."