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Welcome message from the CHNC President



The Community Health Nurses of Canada (CHNC) are pleased to be again working with the Community Health Nursing Initiatives Group (CHNIG) to present for you the 4th National Community Health Nurses Conference in Toronto, June 16 – 18, 2010.

On behalf of the CHNC Board of Directors, I invite you to join us at the event that has become one of the primary education opportunities chosen by community health nurses. An excellent line up of plenary speakers is planned for you, and as usual we've had an exceptional response to the call for abstracts to bring you up to date on current practice, education, research and administration domains in public, community and home health. And of course, the connection with other community health nurses from across the country is the added benefit we all cherish.

Knowledge to Action: Engage, Enable, Inspire. In the world post-H1N1, there is so much in community health nursing to celebrate. Come be engaged, enabled, and inspired with us. We look forward to seeing you there!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K Thompson'.

Kate Thompson
President, CHNC

From the Community Health Nurses Initiatives Group president



The Community Health Nurses' Initiatives Group (CHNIG) President of the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario is delighted to be collaborating with Community Health Nurses of Canada to host the 4th National Community Health Nurses Conference in Toronto, June 16 - 18, 2010.

CHNIG's mission is to act as the voice of Community Health Nurses influencing the health care system, and health and social policy in areas which affect the work of Community Health Nurses and the public we serve. This vibrant conference enables this work by providing an opportunity to learn from key leaders about current research, education, practice, administration and policy related to Community Health Nursing. Through your participation you will learn concrete and practical strategies to build the future of Community Health Nursing.

The 4th National Community Health Nursing Conference brings us all to a common meeting place at the heart of one of the most exciting cities in the world. I look forward, with you, to exploring the conference theme of **Knowledge to Action: Engage, Enable and Inspire.**

I wish you all a very enjoyable and stimulating experience as you network with colleagues and, build new partnerships. I'm sure you'll go back to work with new ideas and strategies for success and be inspired about being a community health nurse!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Katie Dilworth".

Katie Dilworth
CHNIG president

A message from the Conference Co-Chairs

As conference co-chairs, we are pleased to invite you to participate in the 4th National Community Health Nurses Conference. This year the conference is a collaboration between the Community Health Nurses of Canada (CHNC) and the Community Health Nurses Initiative Group (CHNIG). The conference will be held in Toronto, June 16-18, 2010.

The theme; Knowledge to Action: Engage, Enable, Inspire, builds on the incredible success of the previous 3 conferences which 'blazed our trail' with the dissemination of current knowledge and research in community health nursing. Now is the time to put that knowledge into action.

Come experience informative concurrent sessions including keynote speakers and panels, with more than 70 concurrent speakers, 6 Networking Cafés, 40 roundtable discussions and 20 poster presentations on topics relevant to public health, home health and community health nurses across Canada. Pre-conference sessions are offered on important topics such as communities of practice, determinants of health and evidence informed decision making.

It has never been so important to incorporate **Knowledge to Action**, by **engaging** nurses with others in knowledge exchange, **enabling** evidence informed practice, and **inspiring** excellence. Learn from experts in the fields of research, education and practice, administration and policy. You'll discover solutions to complex community health nursing issues with dialogue and discussion on best practice from across the country. All this while you network and build partnerships with others who share similar interests, issues and challenges.

We know your experience will be educational and uplifting. Help us celebrate and promote all that is good with the profession of nursing and get inspired and excited about being community health nurses!

Respectfully,



Katie Dilworth
Conference co-chair



Claire Betker
Conference co-chair

PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE

Wednesday June 16th

12:00pm – 7:00 pm	Registration Open
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Pre-Conference Workshops
5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Dinner on Own
6:30pm – 8:00pm	CHNC Annual General Meeting
8:00 pm – 9:30 pm	Welcome Reception

Thursday June 17th

7:00 am – 6:00 pm	Registration/Information Desk Opens
8:15 am – 8:45 am	Opening Ceremonies
8:45 am – 9:45 am	<p>Keynote Address <i>Addressing the Social Determinants of Health: the Knowledge and Practice Relationship</i></p> <p>Dr. David Butler-Jones, <i>Chief Public Health Officer, Public Health Agency of Canada</i></p>
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Refreshments Break
10:15 am – 11:15 am	Breakout Sessions 1
11:15 am – 11:30 am	Stretch Break
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Breakout Sessions 2
12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Lunch with the Exhibitors
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Breakout Sessions 3
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Refreshment Break
3:15 pm – 4:15 pm	Breakout Sessions 4
4:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Poster Reception

Friday June 18th

7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Registration/Information Desk Open
7:45 am – 8:30 am	Home Health Competencies Launch
8:30 am – 8:45 am	Remarks from the Province of Ontario
8:45 am – 9:45 am	<p>Panel Discussion: <i>“Multiple Perspectives on Knowledge to Action”</i></p> <p>Leila Gillis, <i>Director, Prevention & Promotion Programs and Nursing Leadership Health Canada</i></p> <p>Dr. Nancy Edwards, <i>Scientific Director, CIHR Institute of Population and Public Health</i></p> <p>Fred Monpetit, <i>Chief Nursing Officer, Nunavut</i></p> <p>Tina Hurlock-Chorostecki, <i>NP, Past President Nurse Practitioners’ Association of Ontario</i></p>
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Refreshment Break
10:15 am – 11:15 am	Breakout Sessions 5
11:15 am – 11:30 am	Stretch Break
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Breakout Sessions 6
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Luncheon and Awards Presentation
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Play: “In My Shoes”
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm	<p>Closing Keynote Address <i>What does Prorogation, Climate Debt, and Avatar Have in Common and What Do They Have to do With Nurses?</i></p> <p>Cathy Crowe, <i>Street Nurse</i></p>
3:45 pm – 4:00 pm	Hand off Ceremony to 2011 CHN Conference in Halifax, Nova Scotia

SESSION DETAILS

What is a Networking café?

One topic is discussed for the duration of the session. A facilitator will engage and guide the group discussion. Typically the facilitator provides an overview, key points/perspectives then leads full room discussion or small group discussions. Sometimes the participants move around the room to foster an exchange of ideas. Outcomes of the discussion are typically summarized as a large group.

What is a Roundtable discussion?

There will be different topics being discussed at round tables within one room. The room will have a moderator and a facilitator will be assigned to each table. Individuals (8-10 per table) will come to discuss a topic and share ideas at one table for 25 minutes then participants can move to a 2nd table to discuss a new topic for the remaining 25 minutes. This provides a small group atmosphere and more in-depth discussion of a topic.

Wednesday June 16th

1:00 – 5:00 pm PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Cost: \$70 per person

Title: 100: An Introduction to 'Developing Leadership Skills for a Community of Practice': The CHNC Online Education Package

Hosted By: Community Health Nurses of Canada

Facilitators: Liz Diem, RN, BScN, MSc, PhD and Alwyn Moyer RN, BScN, MScN, PhD

This four hour workshop will demonstrate the components of a new CHNC online education package that builds on a research project funded by the Public Health Agency of Canada. Participants will learn 1) the benefits and costs to individuals and organizations of using a community of practice (CoP) for professional education and knowledge exchange 2) how the modules in the educational package support CoP leadership development; and c) how the education package might be integrated into professional development. Participants will also learn about new resources on chronic disease prevention and self management that were developed during the project and receive a copy of the Personal Health Passport.

Cost: \$70 per person

Title: 200: Unpacking the Canadian Context for the Determinants of Health: What do we really mean by 'Culture'?

Hosted by: National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)

Primary Presenter: Dr. Verlé Harrop, Senior Scientist, NCCDH

This workshop is part of a national discourse designed to engage front line practitioners in a conversation about the nature and use of the determinants of health in addressing the health and well-being of Canadians. The workshop will start with a panel

comprised of a historian, cultural anthropologist, and film maker, tasked with exploring one of the most elusive of the determinants, 'Culture', and its relationship to health and well-being. Subsequent to the panel discussion and question period, workshop participants will be invited to form small groups where they will be given, what the MIT Media Lab refers to as, "an object to think with". These objects d'arts/tools will help participants parse out and reflect on the many faceted dimensions that the determinant 'Culture' affords.

Cost: \$70 per person

Title: 300: Evidence-Informed Decision-Making in Community Health Nursing

Hosted By: National Collaborating Centre for Methods and Tools

Presenters: Donna Ciliska, RN, PhD, Professor, School of Nursing, McMaster University. And Scientific Director, National Collaborating Centre for Methods and Tools

Rebecca Ganann, RN, MSc, PhD (student) Lecturer & Research Coordinator, School of Nursing, McMaster University

Purpose: To demonstrate the overall process of evidence-informed decision-making in community health and how to find and apply the best available research evidence in program planning and nursing interventions.

Objectives:

Participants will learn to:

1. Describe the steps involved in evidence-informed practice, and apply this process to a practical scenario;
2. Construct a relevant, answerable question from a practical situation;
3. Identify sources of high quality relevant research, in particular, the pre-appraised literature;
4. Integrate research evidence with other important factors that contribute to decision-making (e.g., resources/costs, political will, community acceptability, etc.) using a tool to determine the applicability and transferability of study findings; and
5. Consider what factors need to be included in a plan to implement and evaluate the decision made.

Cost: \$70 per person

Title: 400: Integrating the Public Health Nursing Competencies into Practice

Hosted By: British Columbia Nurses Union, Fraser Health Authority, London Middlesex Health Unit, Community Health Nurses of Canada and Public Health Agency of Canada.

Presenters: Allyn Whyte, RN, BSN, MEd, CCHN(C) & Heather Lokko, RN, BScN, MPH(c), CCHN(C)

Come explore projects that integrate the Public Health Nursing (PHN) Discipline Specific Competencies Version 1.0 into practice! Project overviews, successes, challenges, principles and strategies will be shared. The first project, “Strengthening Your Professional Identity: Embracing the Public Health Nursing Competencies”, has been collaboratively funded by the Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC), the British Columbia Nurses Union, and the Fraser Health Authority. Frontline PHNs, who are being introduced to the competencies as a framework to examine learning, personal leadership and ongoing professional development, are also involved in the planning, implementation and evaluation process. The second project, “Public Health Nurse Performance Evaluation: Integrating PHN Core Competencies and the Performance Management Process”, has been funded by the Middlesex-London Health Unit in Ontario and PHAC. Building on previous work with the Community Health Nursing Standards of Practice, collaborative efforts have led to the development of a performance evaluation tool based on the PHN Discipline Specific Competencies and the Competency-Based Performance Management Toolkit for Public Health. Validation and evaluation of the tool is underway.

Cost: \$70 per person

Title: 500: Strengthening Advocacy and Social Justice in Community Health Nursing

Hosted By: Canadian Nurses Association, Registered Nurses Association of Ontario and the Community Health Nurses of Canada, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee

Community Health Nurses require knowledge and skills to engage in strategies which address social justice and health equity issues. This preconference session, presented in partnership with the Canadian Nurses Association and the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario, will focus on assisting participants to advance their skills related to political action and advocacy. The interactive workshop will help you learn to use the Canadian Nurses Association Social Justice Framework as a tool to understand and critique social justice issues that impact the health of communities and the people who live in them.

Cost: No Charge

Title: 600: Skills Enhancement for Public Health: Skills Online; Competency-based, Continuing Education for Public Health Practitioners

Hosted By: Public Health Agency of Canada

Presenters: Karen MacDougall, National Evaluation Coordinator, Skills Enhancement for Public Health, Public Health Agency of Canada & Jennifer Lowe, National Core Competencies Coordinator, Skills Enhancement for Public Health, Public Health Agency of Canada

Being able to understand and use health information is the foundation for effective public health practice in Canada. The Public Health Agency of Canada’s *Skills Enhancement for Public Health: Skills Online* continuing education program provides public health practitioners across Canada with the opportunity to develop and strengthen their public health core competencies.

Skills Online provides continuing, professional education opportunities for public health practitioners that may otherwise be unobtainable or unaffordable. The core component of the program is a series of distance-learning, Internet-based continuing education modules in both English and French.

This interactive workshop will provide front line public health practitioners and managers with an overview of this web-based professional continuing education opportunity and will demonstrate the interactive features of the program. Workshop participants will have the opportunity to gain hands-on experience with the online modules, as well as experience what it is like to learn within an online environment.

8:00 pm – 9:30 pm
WELCOME RECEPTION
“Flavours of the World”

Welcome Reception hosted by CHNC and CHNIG. The conference co-chairs and planning committee invite you to start the conference off with the opportunity to renew your connections (or establish new ones) with your CHN colleagues from across Canada. Enjoy flavours of the World and be inspired by sharing your passion for Community Health Nursing.

Thursday June 17th

8:15 – 8:45 am OPENING CEREMONIES

8:45 – 9:45 am KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Addressing the Social Determinants of Health: the Knowledge and Practice Relationship

Dr. David Butler-Jones, *Chief Public Health Officer, Public Health Agency of Canada*

Session Summary:

Awareness and action to strengthen social determinants of health - such as education, poverty, healthy child development and housing - is an important area of concern. Every day, nurses play important roles in addressing what determines health, through health promotion, building capacity, building relationships, and facilitating access and equity. Dr. David Butler-Jones will provide an overview of the determinants of health in Canada, from his unique perspective as Canada's first Chief Public Health Officer. He will take a look at how far we've come together, where we need to go, and discuss the challenges and opportunities we all face.

Biography:

Dr. David Butler-Jones is Canada's first Chief Public Health Officer. He leads the Public Health Agency of Canada which provides leadership on the government's efforts to protect and promote the health and safety of Canadians.

He has worked in many parts of Canada in both Public Health and Clinical Medicine, and has consulted in a number of other countries.

Dr. Butler-Jones has taught at both the undergraduate and graduate levels and has been involved as a researcher in a broad range of public health issues. He is a Professor in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Manitoba as well as a Clinical Professor with the Department of Community Health and Epidemiology at the University of Saskatchewan's College of Medicine.

From 1995 to 2002, Dr. Butler-Jones was Chief Medical Health Officer and Executive Director of the Population Health and Primary Health Services Branches for the Province of Saskatchewan.

Dr. Butler-Jones has served with a number of organizations including as: President of the Canadian Public Health Association; Vice President of the American Public Health Association; Chair of the Canadian Roundtable on Health and Climate Change; International Regent on the board of the American College of Preventive Medicine; Member of the Governing Council for the Canadian Population Health Initiative; Chair of the National Coalition on Enhancing Preventive Practices of Health Professionals; and Co-Chair of the Canadian Coalition for Public Health in the 21st Century.

In recognition of his service in the field of public health, York University's Faculty of Health bestowed on Dr. Butler-Jones an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

10:15 – 11:15 am BREAKOUT SESSIONS 1

A1

'In Pursuit of Client Value'

Nick Oliphant, Northern Health
Brenda Fraser, Northern Health

We Can Make It Work: A Program Evaluation of Street Health's Nursing Program

Stephanie Gee, Street Health Community Nursing Foundation
Anne Marie Batten, Street Health Community Nursing Foundation
Allana Sullivan, Street Health Community Nursing Foundation
Beth Pelton, Street Health Community Nursing Foundation

B1

Exploring Space and Place in Community-Based Healthcare with Homeless Persons

Abram Oudshoorn, The University of Western Ontario

Nursing Interventions to Support Homeless Pregnant Women: Lessons from the Homeless At-Risk Prenatal Program

Catriona Mill, Toronto Public Health
Alice Gorman, Toronto Public Health
Jan Fordham, Toronto Public Health
Caroline Murphy, Toronto Public Health

C1

Measuring Nursing-Sensitive Outcomes in the First Nation Community Health Practice Setting

Leila Gillis, First Nation and Inuit Health, Health Canada, Atlantic Region

The Experience of Immigrant Women who have Accessed Breast Health and Screening through a Women's Health Educator Program

Joanne Crawford, Public Health Services
Angela Frisina, Public Health Services
Faye Parascandalo, Public Health Services
Trish Hack, Public Health Services
Fatima Homid, St. Joseph's Immigrant Women's Centre
Abir Alsaid, St. Joseph's Immigrant Women's Centre
Michelle Xu, St. Joseph's Immigrant Women's Centre
Snober Naz, St. Joseph's Immigrant Women's Centre
Thuy Tam, St. Joseph's Immigrant Women's Centre

D1

Increasing the Scope of Practice of Registered Practical Nurses Working in Home Health Care

Karen Lorimer, Carefor Health & Community Services
Kathy Crompton, Carefor Health & Community Services
Barbara Campbell, Carefor Health & Community Services

E1

Sexual Health Services to Youth Initiative: Rural Community Partnerships, Advanced Nursing Role and Transtheoretical Change Theory

Nancy McKeil-Perkins, Horizon Health Network
Julie McConaghy, Horizon Health Network
Joyce Trafford, Horizon Health Network
Robert Knox, Horizon Health Network
Michelle Daniels, Horizon Health Network

Taking to the Streets – A Healthy Sexuality Risk Reduction Nursing Outreach Initiative

Claire Warren, Sudbury & District Health Unit
Gisele Sbrega, Sudbury & District Health Unit
Janice Price, Sudbury & District Health Unit
Stephanie Vendetti, Sudbury & District Health Unit

F1

Lone Mothers and Livelihood Assets in the Aftermath of Intimate Partner Violence

Lynne Duffy, University of New Brunswick

Introducing Dance Movement as an Innovative and Therapeutic Option for Women Experiencing Post Partum Mood Disorders

Pamela Dietrich, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing, The University of Western Ontario
Lorie Donelle, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing, The University of Western Ontario
Camille Burnett, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing, The University of Western Ontario

G1 NETWORKING CAFÉ

Public Health ~ Community Health Nursing Practice in Canada: Roles and Activities a la 2010

Alexandra Henteleff, Innovative Solutions Health Plus
Yvette Laforêt-Fliesser, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Jane Underwood, Underwood & Associates
Evelyn Butler, Community Health Nurses of Canada

H1 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

Developing a Sense of 'Community-Mindedness' in Undergraduate Nursing Students

Irene Koren, Laurentian University
Patti Dickieson, Laurentian University
Heather Jessup-Falcioni, Laurentian University
Debbie Shubat, Sault College of Applied Arts and Technology

Establishing an Atlantic Coalition for Community Health Nursing

Tracy Lovett, Community Health Nurses of Canada, NS Board Member
Ann Lebens, Community Health Nurses of Canada, NB Board Member
Karen Milley, Community Health Nurses of Canada, NL Board Member
Arlene Rose, Community Health Nurses of Canada, PEI Board Member

Innovative CHN Student/Preceptor Partnerships: Transitioning to Online Assessments

Geraldine Macdonald, University of Toronto
Mary Ann Fegan, University of Toronto

Rethinking Community Placement Opportunities for Nursing Students: Innovative Project Placements in Population Health/Population Health Promotion

Heather Correale, UNBC School of Nursing

Knowledge Translation for Public Health Practice

Hope Beanlands, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Claire Betker, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Bonnie Hamilton Bogart, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Kristin MacLellan, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Anna MacLeod, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Lynda Earle, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)
Karen Weir, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health (NCCDH)

Experiences of Canadian Public Health Nurses Implementing the Nurse-Family Partnership Home Visitation Program

Dianne Busser, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Clare Coley, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Lindsay Croswell, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Agnes Elliott, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Melissa Pietrantonio, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Susan Szozda, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Sharon Thorne, City of Hamilton Public Health Services

Enabling Knowledge to Action through Continuing Education Activities

Jennifer Vickers Manzin, The City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Tammy McIlroy, The City Of Hamilton Public Health Services

Engaging a Community – Managing Outbreaks of Vaccine Preventable Diseases in a Non-immunizing Community

Mary Metcalfe, Oxford County Public Health and Emergency Services
Elaine Reddick, Oxford County Public Health and Emergency Services

11:30 am – 12:30 pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS 2

A2

Building Capacity to Provide Clients with the Right Provider, with the Right Skill, at the Right Time

Karen Thompson, ParaMed Home Health

Optimizing the Practice of Registered and Licensed Practical Nurses in the Context of an Interprofessional Team in Primary Care

Jeanne Besner, Alberta Health Services
Rebecca Carter, Alberta Health Services
Robert McKim, Alberta Health Services
Steven Clelland, Alberta Health Services
Jeannette Sandstra, Rocky Mountain House Primary Care Network
Sheri Fielding, Edmonton Southside Primary Care Network
Angela Erza, Alberta Health Services
Nelly Oelke, Alberta Health Services
Deborah White, University of Calgary
Jane Drummond, University of Alberta
Lorna Milkovich, Red Deer Primary Care Network

B2

Innovative Clinical Community Placements in the Business Community

Marian George, Red Deer College
Ann Fisk, Red Deer College

Collaboration of Practitioners, Managers, and Educators in Developing National Community Health Nursing Student Clinical Placement Guidelines

Donna Meagher-Stewart, Dalhousie University School of Nursing
Marie Dietrich Leurer, University of Saskatchewan College of Nurses
Sherri Buhler, Manitoba Public Health Managers
Benita Cohen, University of Manitoba School of Nursing
Morag Granger, Managers of Public Health Nursing Services of Saskatchewan
Heather Pettulo, Canadian Public Health Association
Pat Seaman, University of New Brunswick Faculty of Nursing

C2

French Linguistic Minorities & Health Literacy: Issues Of An Emerging Social Determinant Of Health

Margareth Zanchetta, Daphne Cockwell School of Nursing-

Faculty of Community Services, Ryerson University
Louise Racine, College of Nursing, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, SK
Christine Maheu, York University, Faculty of Health, School of Nursing, Toronto, ON
Margot Kaszap, Faculté Des Sciences de L'éducation, Université Laval, Quebec, QC
Diane Masny, Faculty of Education, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, ON
Ines César, ABC Head Start Society, École Publique du Nord site, Edmonton, AB
Claire Maltais, Faculty of Education, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, ON
Ghislain Sangwa-Lugoma, Consortium National de Formation en Santé, Campus Saint-Jean, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB
Nancy Lussier, Toronto, ON
Mohamed Mohamed, Daphne Cockwell School of Nursing-Faculty of Community Services, Ryerson University, Toronto, ON
Meigan Seito, Daphne Cockwell School of Nursing-Faculty of Community Services, Ryerson University, Toronto, ON

A step toward Social Justice: Taking Action on Mould Issues in Social Housing

Windy Cloutier, McGill University
Karine Mekkelholt, McGill University
Mélanie Côté, McGill University
Gabriel Domocos, McGill University
Dominique Sinigagliaesi, McGill University
Mary Bonsu, McGill University
Windy Cloutier, McGill University
Cheryl Armistead, McGill University

D2

Skills Online: Maintaining Quality, Demonstrating Impact

Karen MacDougall, Public Health Agency of Canada

Connecting CHNs: Strategies to Create an Online Community

Alison Nelson, CHNAAlberta
Maryann Kusmirski, CHNAAlberta
Elaine Williams, CHNAAlberta
Roxie Thompson Isherwood, CHNAAlberta
Lynn Corcoran, CHNAAlberta
Rosemary McGinnis, CHNAAlberta
Tracey Forster, CHNAAlberta

E2

Reducing Children's Unintentional Injuries and Increasing the Profile of Children's Injury Prevention through Intersectoral Collaboration and Strategic Partnerships

Grace Dygas, Toronto Public Health
Eva Sogopoulos, Toronto Public Health

Baby Friendly Initiative Implementation and Change Theory at Peel Public Health

Yvonne Andrade, Region of Peel, Public Health
Angela Garrison, Region of Peel Public Health

**F2
Implementing Evidence-Based Programs in School Communities**

Amber White, Thunder Bay District Health Unit
Stasia Starr, Thunder Bay District Health Unit
Karling Zaporzan, Thunder Bay District Health Unit

Making Healthy Eating and Physical Activity Happen in Elementary Schools!

Sue Schnurr, Middlesex London Health Unit
Christine Callaghan, Middlesex London Health Unit

G2 NETWORKING CAFÉ

Building for the Future: Implementing an Innovative Orientation Toolkit for New Hires in Public Health Nursing

Joyce Fox, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
Louise Wilson, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

H2 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

Public Health Nurses Engage in Reflective Practice: Leading in the Face of Significant Challenges

Judy Wong, Toronto Public Health
Graciela Duran, Toronto Public Health
Susan Mendolia, Toronto Public Health
Nicolette Slovitt, Toronto Public Health

Pan-Canadian Inventory of Public Health Early Child Home Visiting

Hope Beanlands, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health
Claire Betker, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health
Bonnie Hamilton Bogart, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health
Karen Weir, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health
Anna MacLeod, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health
Kristin MacLellan, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health

A Collaborative Effort in Oral Health in a Remote Northern Health Region

Jane Smith, Beaufort Delta Health and Social Services Authority
Crystal Lennie, Inuvialuit Regional Corporation

Promoting Excellence in Infection Prevention and Control in Long-term Care Homes

Tara Cretney, York Region Public Health

Achieving Excellence - A Collaborative Approach

Michelle Davison, CBI Home Health - Alberta
Marlene Maclean, CBI Home Health - Alberta

A Symptom Relief Kit: Innovative Symptom Control in Palliative Homecare

Suzanne d'Entremont, Victorian Order of Nurses

Engaging Community Partners in Providing Early Identification Developmental Sessions in Hamilton Ontario

Rose Pocsai, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Glenda McArthur, Public Health Service, City of Hamilton

2:00 – 3:00 pm

BREAKOUT SESSIONS 3

A3

Meeting Competency Requirements: Inspiring Excellence in Practice

Eva Sogopoulos, Toronto Public Health
Marg Hulin, Toronto Public Health
Katie Dilworth, Toronto Public Health

Placement Factors that Contribute to Student Confidence in Community Health Nursing

Elizabeth Diem, University of Ottawa
Alwyn Moyer, University of Ottawa
Ruth Schofield, McMaster University
Cindy Hunt, Humber College

B3

A Collaborative Model for Cultivating Communities of Practice

Judith Burgess, University of Victoria
Linda Sawchenko, Interior Health Authority

Enabling Professional Networking: Building Leadership and Excellence in Professional Practice through Communities of Practice

Janet Purvis, VON Canada
Nan Cleator, VON Canada
Rebecca King, VON Hastings-Northumberland-Prince Edward

C3

Clean Hands in Communities Kits (CHICK)

Joan Mikkelsen, Capital Health, Halifax

A Public Health International Partnership

Marie-Claude Lang, Ottawa Public Health

D3

Analysis of Peer Support as a Resource for Recovery for Mental Health Consumers

Kathryn Vincer, MN, RN, Dalhousie University
Dr. Donna Meagher-Stewart, Dalhousie University
Dr. Linda Bayers, Self-Help Connection

Workplace Stress and Resilience - Developing a Culture of Support: Community Capacity Building Principles in Action

Alina Isaac, Toronto Public Health
Nancy Kwan, Toronto Public Health

E3

L'étendue de la Conscience Critique chez les Professionnels Francophones de la Santé et des Services Sociaux en Ontario sur la Littérature en Santé en Situation Linguistique Minoritaire

Margareth Zanchetta, École des sciences infirmières Daphne Cockwell, Faculté des services communautaires– Université Ryerson, Toronto, ON.

Christine Maheu, École des sciences infirmières, Faculté de la santé, Université York, Toronto, ON

Christiane Fontaine, Regroupement des intervenants francophones en santé et en service sociaux de l'Ontario, Toronto, ON

Nathalie Wong, École des sciences infirmières Daphne Cockwell, Faculté des services communautaires– Université Ryerson, Toronto, ON

An Inspiring Story: Engaging with a Cardiac Care Unit Enables a Home Health Agency to Develop a Home IV Inotrope Program

Kimberly Dalla Bona, Saint Elizabeth Health Care
Maureen Hubbert, Saint Elizabeth Health Care
Kathleen Wilson, Saint Elizabeth Health Care

F3

Seizing the Opportunity – Enabling Nurses and Building Nursing Capacity During H1N1

Karen Beckermann, Toronto Public Health

Through Sleet, Snow and Storm: Delivering a Mass Vaccination Campaign in the Northwest Territories

Anna Bergen, Government of the Northwest Territories, Department of Health and Social Services
Jen Buck, Government of the Northwest Territories, Department of Health and Social Services

G3 NETWORKING CAFÉ

Conceptualizing Advanced Practice in Public Health Nursing

Marjorie MacDonald, University of Victoria

H3 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

Partners Enabling Client Centred Care through Innovative Technology

Jane Myles, VON Middlesex-Elgin

From the Bedside to the Boardroom: Managing the Double Bottom Line

Cindy Hitsman, VON Canada

Nursing Influencing Accreditation Standards: What Makes Sense?

Nan Cleator, VON Canada

Irene Holubiec, VON Canada
Vivian Papaiz, VON Canada

Unfolding a Unique Vision of Palliative Care in Rural Australia through PEPA (Program of Experience in the Palliative Approach)

Shiraz Irani, Toronto

Aboriginal Nurses: Acknowledging the Past; Reconciling the Present to Redress the Future

Adele Vukic, Dalhousie University

Developing a New Generation of Community Health Nurses

Ruth Schofield, McMaster University
Rebecca Ganann, McMaster University
Leanne Siracusa, McMaster University

3:15 – 4:15 pm

BREAKOUT SESSIONS 4

A4

Narrative Reflective Process: Helping Students Transition into Community Care Nursing

Jasna Schwind, Ryerson University
Judith Franks, Centennial College
Debbie Cameron, Centennial College
Trish Robinson, George Brown College

Innovative Approaches for Integrating Community Health Nursing in the BScN Curriculum

Cindy Versteeg, Algonquin College
Sherry Poirier, Algonquin College

B4

Improving the Uptake of BPGs: One Agency's Experience with the PARIHS Framework

Charlotte Koso, CarePartners

Client Centred Care Satisfaction Survey: Seeking Feedback from Sexual Health Centre Clients

Susan O'Neill, Niagara Region Public Health
Sandy Dupuis, Niagara Region Public Health
Christine Diadamo, Niagara Region Public Health

C4

Leveraging Technology and Building a National Learning Centre to Reach Mobile Home Care Nurses - Can it be done?

Heidi Carr, VON Canada
Sandra MacDonald, VON Canada

Transforming PHC Education: A Three Step Approach to Integrating Research-in-Action

Geraldine Jody Macdonald, University of Toronto
Carol Gurney, University of Toronto
Joanne Louis, University of Toronto
Catriona Mills, University of Toronto

D4

Promoting Evidence-Informed Decision Making through a Knowledge Broker Mentorship: Evaluation Results

Sue Fernane, Region of Peel, Public Health
Kara DeCorby, health-evidence.ca
Paula Robeson, health-evidence.ca
Adele Lane, Region of Peel, Public Health
Maureen Dobbins, McMaster University

Getting to Know the Public Health Clinical Nurse Specialist: Leadership in Action

Ethylene Villareal, Region of Waterloo Public Health
Sharon Michael, Region of Waterloo Public Health

E4

Enhancing Existing Community Health Capacity and Infrastructure by Focusing on the Integration of Inuvialuit, Gwich'in, and Western Medicine Approaches to Palliative Care

Jane Smith, Beaufort Delta Health and Social Services Authority
Stephaine Bauhaus, Student University of Alberta
Crystal Lennie, Inuvialuit Regional Corporation

Making Care Decisions in Home-based Dementia Care

Oona St-Amant, University of Western Ontario
Dr. Catherine Ward-Griffin, University of Western Ontario
Ryan DeForge, University of Western Ontario
Jodi Hall, University of Western Ontario
Abe Oudshoorn, University of Western Ontario

F4

Empower: Education to Maximize Patient Outcomes with Empowering Relationships

Janis Leiterman, VON Canada
Karen Curry, VON Canada

Health Connection: Evaluating the Quality and Impact of a Public Health Telephone Response Service

Reina Barker, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
Joyce Fox, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

G4 NETWORKING CAFÉ

The Future of Community Health Nursing in Canada: A Time for Action

Pammla Petrucka, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatchewan Population Health & Evaluation Research Unit
Cheryl Armistead, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Claire Betker, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Anne Clarotto, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Kim Dalla Bona, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada

Katie Dilworth, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Carolyn Hill-Carroll, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Sheila Murray, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Laurie Parton, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Cheryl Reid-Haughian, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada
Marlene Slepkov, Political Action and Advocacy Standing Committee, Community Health Nurses of Canada

H4 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

Promoting Inclusion and Challenging the Processes of Exclusion

Sharon Yanicki, University of Lethbridge
Penni Wilson, University of Lethbridge
Mary Nugent, University of Lethbridge

Community Health Nurses: Quiet Leaders in Public Health and Primary Care Collaboration

Ruta Valaitis, McMaster University
Linda O'Mara, McMaster University
Ruth Martin Misener, Dalhousie University
Marjorie MacDonald, University of Victoria
Donna Meagher-Stewart, Dalhousie University
Sabrina Wong, University of British Columbia
Judy Burgess, University of Victoria
Sandy Isaacs, McMaster University

Missed Appointments: The process of improving attendance at liver biopsy appointments amongst participants in the East End Hepatitis C Treatment Program

Emily Cooper, South Riverdale Community Health Centre

4:30 – 6:30 pm

POSTER RECEPTION

Transformational Leadership Theory: What Every Leader Needs to Know

Paula Rolfe, Western Regional School of Nursing

Journal Club: A Local Solution to Transforming Public Health Nursing Practice

Suzanne Bell, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Lorraine Athwal, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Heather Lokko, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Yvonne Tymi, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Sherry Coulson, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Diane Bewick, Middlesex-London Health Unit

Nurse Supervision of Paraprofessional and Lay Home Visitors Providing Support to Families at Social Risk

Susan Jack, School of Nursing, McMaster University

Community-based Strategies for Colorectal Cancer Screening: Inspiring Hope

Joanne Crawford, Hamilton Public Health Services
Faye Parascandalo, Hamilton Public Health Services
Angela Frisina, Hamilton Public Health Services
Cindy Mutch, Juravinski Cancer Center
Joyce Sharkey, Brant County Health Unit
Sonya Muntwyler, Halton Region Health Department
Melanie Sequin, Niagara Region Public Health

A Journey of Learning: Implementing a Pressure Ulcer Prevention BPG in Home Care

Cathy Walker, CarePartners
Michelle Currie, CarePartners

Strengthening Communication, Client Safety and Efficiency with Unregulated Care Provider Education

MaryJane Herlihey, ParaMed Home Health
Cheryl Reid-Haughian, ParaMed Home Health

A Hat Is Where It's At!

Christine Johnston, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
Lori Hunter, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

The Development and Transfer of Knowledge in Community Capacity Building

Yoshiko Sugie, Toronto Public Health
Cathy Tersigni, Toronto Public Health

How Do Community Perceptions of Poverty Impact Equity-Based Public Health Planning and Policy Development?

Claire Warren, Sudbury & District Health Unit
Carol Kauppi, Laurentian University
Stephanie Lefebvre, Sudbury & District Health Unit
Renée Chevrier, Lamoureux, Sudbury & District Health Unit

Supporting Children to Be Ready for School: An Environmental Scan

Claire Betker, National Collaborating Centre for Determinants of Health

Successful Integration into School: Supporting Children with Type1 Diabetes with Continuous Subcutaneous Insulin Infusions

Colleen Turner, Saint Elizabeth Health Care
Glen Chenard, Saint Elizabeth Health Care
Helene Lacroix, Saint Elizabeth Health Care

Mental Health and Well-Being of Women of Low Socioeconomic Status Who Have Participated in the Woman Alive! Program: An Exploration of their Experiences

Angela Frisina, Hamilton Public Health Services
Joanne Crawford, Hamilton Public Health Services
Ann Stanziani, Hamilton Public Health Services
Priya Verma, Hamilton Public Health Services

Challenges of Implementing a CDDM Initiative in a System that is Not Ready

Janis Leiterman, VON Canada
Cindy Hitsman, VON Canada

Summer Fun Bar Blitz: Effective Risk Reduction for Patrons Meeting Partners in Bars

Ann Marie Sirko, City of Hamilton: Public Health Services
Nicole Ritz, City of Hamilton: Public Health Services

Engaging with Persons who are Homeless in the Suburbs

Isolde Daiski, York University, School of Nursing
Nancy Halifax, York University, Critical Disability Studies
Gail Mitchell, York University, School of Nursing
Gaetz Stephen, York University, Faculty of Education
Leslie Morris, Community Resource Connections of Toronto
Andre Lyn, Project Coordinator Social Planning Council Peel
Julia Gruson-Wood, York University, Critical; Disability Studies

Inquiry and Blended Learning Approaches in the Redesign of Community Health Practice & Theory Courses: Evaluation Results

Sylvia Loewen, University of Calgary

Sibling/Sibling-in-law Relationships in Home-Based Dementia Care: A Critical Analysis

Oona St-Amant, University of Western Ontario
Dr. Catherine Ward-Griffin, University of Western Ontario
Dr. Dorothy Forbes, University of Western Ontario

What You Don't Know CAN Hurt You: Improving Reporting of Medication Events

Colleen Kearney, VHA Home HealthCare
Sandra M. Tedesco, VHA Home HealthCare

One Student's Story of Learning in a Community Setting

Sumintra Bromley, Saint Elizabeth Health Care
Arvin Alcalde, Ryerson, Centennial, George Brown
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Debbie Cameron, Collaborative Nursing Degree Program - Centennial site

Competence and Computers: A Knowledge Exchange Site that Enables Delivery of a Competency Based Wound Orientation

Elise Nielsen, Saint Elizabeth Health Care

Community Health Nursing in Rural Africa: An Innovative and Comprehensive Student Placement

Sherry Poirier, Algonquin College

Creating Order from Chaos: Scheduling Pandemic Mass Immunization Clinics or Pandemic Mass Immunization Clinics Made Easy

Jill Fediurek, Brant County Health Unit

**Diabetes Care and Treatment Services in Pilot
First Nations in Manitoba**

Caroline Chartrand, Diabetes Integration Project

**Constructing Global Health Knowledge:
Educating Community Health Nursing Students**

Joanne Louis, University of Toronto

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Open Invitation to Undergraduate Nurse Educators

Join us to discuss the use of alternative placements for community health clinical experiences.

Friday June 18th

8:30 am – 8:45 am

Remarks from the Province of Ontario

**8:45 am – 9:45 am PANEL DISCUSSION:
“Multiple Perspectives on Knowledge to Action”**

Panelists from research/education, policy, administration, and practice perspectives will discuss how partnerships and collaborations shape their practice, how they integrate existing and emerging evidence into their roles, and how they are inspired to action on behalf of nurses and the communities in which they work. A stimulating question and answer period will provide opportunity for the audience to engage in the panel discussion.

**Leila Gillis, Director, Prevention & Promotion Programs and
Nursing Leadership Health Canada**

Leila Gillis is the Director of Prevention and Promotion Programs and Nursing Leadership for the Atlantic Region of First Nations and Inuit Health, Health Canada, based in Halifax, Nova Scotia (NS). She is originally from the Codroy Valley in Newfoundland and Labrador (NL) and is a graduate of the nursing programs at Western Memorial School of Nursing, NL and St. Francis Xavier University, NS; and has a Master of Nursing degree from Dalhousie University. Leila has 19 years of nursing experience in clinical practice, administration, and research and has held positions at the First Nations, Regional, Provincial and Federal government levels.

**Dr. Nancy Edwards, Scientific Director,
CIHR Institute of Population and Public Health**

Nancy Edwards is a Full Professor in the School of Nursing and the Department of Epidemiology and Community Medicine, University of Ottawa; and Scientific Director, IPPH, CIHR. Nancy is the holder of a CHSRF/CIHR Chair Award in Nursing. The

focus is “Multiple Interventions in Community Health Nursing Care”.

Nancy is Principal Investigator for a Global Health Research Initiative. The goal of the program is to contribute to health systems strengthening for HIV and AIDS in sub-Saharan Africa and the Caribbean. Nancy leads an innovative summer research internship program that has equipped over 100 Canadian interns with stronger grantsmanship, writing and collaborative team skills.

Fred Monpetit, Chief Nursing Officer, Nunavut

Frederick Montpetit is Nunavut’s first Chief Nursing Officer. He has lived and worked in Nunavut for almost a decade. Fred studied his nursing education at Algonquin College in Ottawa and then Athabasca University in Alberta. He has worked in many aspects of nursing from frontline emergency room nursing to public health nursing to regional communicable disease control to senior management and then finally to executive administration. He is recognized by the International Council of Nurses as an expert nurse in outbreak management and investigation. Fred has been actively involved with CHNC as a former board and executive member.

**Tina Hurlock-Chorostecki, Past President,
Nurse Practitioners’ Association of Ontario**

Tina Hurlock-Chorostecki, has been a member of the NPAO Board since 2003 and is currently the Past President. She was honored with the Jerry Gerow Award for NP leadership while a member of the Board. Tina held the NPAO President position in 2008-2009, during the development and passing of Bill 179 and the promise of open prescribing for NPs. After 20 years of hospital based nursing in Sarnia, Tina moved to London, working as a critical care NP for 8 years. Currently, as an Adult NP, Tina works in an innovative trial in-patient unit - Transitional Care - at Parkwood Hospital. Tina values speaking out for nursing and nurse practitioners and presents provincially, nationally and internationally at conferences, including invited presentations to industry and other associations. With a constant quest for knowledge, Tina assists with NP curriculum and does guest speaking at a variety of universities. She holds an Adjunct Assistant Professor position at the University of Western Ontario where she has begun PhD studies. Tina is published in peer reviewed journals on a variety of topics and has led and co-led several research projects. As a researcher, Tina recently completed a mixed methods study, as Co-Principal Investigator, on Integration of Specialty Nurse Practitioners into Ontario’s Health Care System.

10:15 – 11:15 am BREAKOUT SESSIONS 5

A5

**An E-Learning Education Strategy:
Empowering Nurses through Distance Education**

Lorraine Trojan, Health Canada, First Nations and Inuit Health
Wanda Tait, Health Canada, First Nations and Inuit Health

**Narrative and Solution Focused Approaches:
An Innovative Strategy of Strengths Based Client
Centred Care in Public Health Nursing**

Anna Schelle, Toronto Public Health

B5

**Adolescent Health in Rural Southwest Norfolk County:
A Social Phenomenon**

Deanna Morris, Haldimand-Norfolk Health Unit

HPV Campaign / Community Working Together

Janice Dempsey Stewart, Nova Scotia Public Health

C5

**Integration of Biomobility Information with a Point-of-Care
Decision Support System for Safer Client Care**

Winnie Sun, University of Toronto

Ha Nguyen, University of Toronto

**Caregiver Connect: A VON Innovative Approach
to Support Caregivers**

Bonnie Schroeder, VON Canada

Irene Holubiec, VON Canada

D5

**Technology – How Ottawa Public Health Incorporated It,
During pH1N1 Response**

Lorette Dupuis, Ottawa Public Health

**Impact of the Change in Service to Prenatal and Postpartum
Families During H1N1 Mass Immunization Clinics**

Tracy Lovett, Capital District Health Authority

E5

**Identifying Current and Expected Proficiency Levels for the
Community Health Nursing Standards for New Graduate Nurses**

Jo Ann Tober, Brant County Health Unit

Ruta Valaitis, McMaster University School of Nursing

Christina Rajsic, Brant County Health Unit

**Family Nursing Clinical Education: Engaging Students
and Families in Collaborative Partnerships to Promote
Health and Healing**

Pamela Dietrich, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing, The
University of Western Ontario

Susan Patterson, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing,
The University of Western Ontario

F5

**Studying Collaboration in an Inner-City Neighbourhood:
Knowledge to Action for Population Health Promotion**

Lynn Scruby, University of Manitoba

Lyn Ferguson, University of Manitoba

David Gregory, University of Lethbridge

Tracy Thiele, University of Manitoba, Research Assistant

**The Health of Homeless Mothers with Mental Illness:
Nurses as Agents of Change**

Sarah Benbow, The University of Western Ontario

G5 NETWORKING CAFÉ

Competencies: From Launching to Living It!

Joan Reiter, Public Health Agency of Canada

Caroline Ball, City of Hamilton, Public Health Services

Yvette Laforêt-Fliesser, Community Health Nurses of Canada

Phi Phan, Canadian Institute of Public Health Inspectors

H5 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

**Acting on Healthy Public Policy: Tapping into the Expertise,
Points of View and Needs of Community Health Nurses**

François Benoit, National Collaborating Centre for Healthy
Public Policy

A Student-Led Service-Learning Model:

The Feet First Collaborative

Judith Burgess, University of Victoria

Maximizing Staff Utilization & Monitoring Caseload:

A Provider-Contractor Collaborative

Cheryl Reid-Haughian, ParaMed Home Health

The Taming of Technology

Mary Ann Holmes, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

**Nurse and Manager Recruitment for Community H1N1
Mass Immunization Clinics in an Urban Region of NL**

Holly LeDrew, Eastern Health

Maira O'Regan-Hogan, Eastern Health

**Lead from Where You Stand-Strengthening Leadership
and Professional Practice**

Heidi Carr, VON Canada

Jennifer Bourque, VON Canada

11:30 am – 12:30 pm BREAKOUT SESSIONS 6

A6

**Working with Culture in Community Health Nursing
Practice: Maintaining the Status Quo?**

Kathryn Edmunds, University of Western Ontario

**Reorienting Home Care Services by Examining the
Development of Positive Space in Organizations:
Implications for Community Health Nurses**

Judith MacDonnell, York University

Natalie Lazier, York University

Andrea Daley, York University

B6

Inspiring Students to Take Action to Promote Environments Supportive of Health

Cheryl Armistead, McGill University

Home Visit Simulations to Orient First-Year Students to Community Health Nursing

Maureen Barry, Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing
University of Toronto
Geraldine (Jody) Macdonald, Bloomberg Faculty
of Nursing University of Toronto
Amy Bender, Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing
University of Toronto

C6

H1N1 Mass Immunization in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador: The School Experience

Moira O'Regan-Hogan, Eastern Health

Using Evidence to Inform the Development of an Early Childhood Immunization Program Plan

Mary Margaret Proudfoot, Northern Health
Tanis Hampe, Northern Health
Nora Whyte, PHC Consulting

D6

Quit Club - Together We Can

Shawna Frolick, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

Transforming How First Time Parents are Prepared for Parenting

Karon Foster, Invest in Kids

E6

Feasibility and Acceptability of an Intensive Nurse Home Visitation Program for First-Time, Low-Income Pregnant Women & Mothers with Young Children

Susan Jack, School of Nursing, McMaster University
Christine Kurtz Landy, School of Nursing,
McMaster University
Dianne Busser, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Debbie Sheehan, City of Hamilton Public Health Services
Harriet MacMillan, Psychiatry & Behavioural Neurosciences
and Pediatrics, McMaster University
Emily vander Zaag, School of Nursing, McMaster University
Olive Wahoush, School of Nursing, McMaster University

F6

Chariots of Fire: Community Nurses' Response to a Global Pandemic

Catherine Butler, VON Canada
Irene Holubiec, VON Canada

Pandemic Response in China: A Canadian Nurse's Experience

Theresa McMillan, Norman Bethune Mini Clinic Nurse,
Embassy of Canada, Beijing

G6 NETWORKING CAFÉ

Public Health Ethics: An Introduction and Interactive Discussion of Cases

Christopher McDougall, National Collaborating Centre
for Healthy Public Policy

H6 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSIONS

The Air Quality Health Index - A New Tool for Reducing Health Risks

Carol Mee, Toronto Public Health
Della Faulkner, Canadian Nurses Association

Setting the Stage for Action: Tobacco Cessation Best Practice in Ontario

Jennifer Tonn, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
Sheila John, Registered Nurses Association of Ontario
Nancy Bauer, Registered Nurses Association of Ontario

Laying the Groundwork for a Blueprint to Strengthen Public Health Nursing: A Centre of Excellence As One Approach

Audrey Danaher, Audrey Danaher and Associates
Jane Underwood, Public Health Consultant; Associate
Clinical Professor, McMaster University
Yvette Laforêt-Fliesser, Consultant, Community and Public
Health; Adjunct Associate Professor, School of Nursing,
University of Western Ontario
Ruth Schofield, Assistant Professor, School of Nursing,
McMaster University
Claire Betker, Director- Research, National Collaborating
Centre for Determinants of Health
Lisa Ashley, Nursing Consultant, Canadian
Nurses Association
Diane Bewick, Director, Family Health Services (FHS) and
Senior Nurse Leader, Middlesex-London Health Unit
Joyce Fox, Director, Healthy Living Service and Nursing
Leadership Designate at Simcoe Muskoka District
Health Unit
Adeline Falk-Rafael, Director, School of Nursing,
York University,
Audrey Danaher, Consultant, Community and Public Health

Does Working with Youth and Community Partners Decrease Mental Illness Stigma in High School Students?

Linda O'Mara, McMaster University, School of Nursing
Daina Mueller, Ministry of Health Promotion and
Health Protection
Lorraine Grypstra, Public Health, City of Hamilton

Community Health Nursing Students Making International Connections

Jasna Schwind, Ryerson University
Margareth Zanchetta, Ryerson University
Franklin Gorospe, McMaster University
Sharon Paton, Ryerson University
Rob Fraser, University of Toronto
Kateryna Aksenchuk, Ryerson University

**Maximizing Scope of Practice among Nurses:
Leveraging Best Practices to Support Role Change**

Samantha Thomson, VON Canada
David Keselman, VON Canada
Sherri Huckstep, VON Canada

**Youth Engagement in Central East Region: Going
Boldly Where No TCAN Has Gone Before!**

Cindy Baker-Barill, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit
Joyce Fox, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit

1:30 – 2:30 pm “IN MY SHOES”

It all started when staff at the Soup Kitchen Community Centre started gathering stories from many of those who sought help. The vulnerability, brutal honesty, disappointments and triumphs in their writing brought a new understanding of the barriers and isolation of people living in poverty.

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2:30 – 3:30 pm CLOSING KEYNOTE ADDRESS

What do Prorogation, Climate Debt, and Avatar Have in Common and What Do They Have to do With Nurses?

Cathy Crowe, *Street Nurse*

Session Summary

Cathy Crowe will bring her unique perspective to opinion on issues of the day. Whether it is engaging with individuals who experience homelessness, going to movies with friends, advocating for change with peers or bureaucrats - the one thing you know for sure - Cathy brings enthusiasm, vision, honesty, inclusiveness and integrity to all her endeavours.

Biography

Cathy Crowe is a community health nurse in Toronto who prefers to call herself a Street Nurse – a term that makes a strong political point about the state of poverty in Canada.

Cathy has been the recipient of numerous awards including three honorary Doctorates in Law, Science and Nursing, an international Human Rights Award and the prestigious Atkinson Economic Justice Award. Cathy is also a ground-breaking author (*Dying for a Home: Homeless Activists Speak Out*) and documentary filmmaker (*Home Safe Calgary, Home Safe Toronto*). Her work is the subject of a moving documentary *Street Nurse*.



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