INDIGENOUS HEALTH CONFERENCE NOVEMBER 20-21, 2014

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

Objectives
• Discuss health disparities & burden of disease among Indigenous peoples in Canada, highlighting certain conditions with a high burden of disease.
• Start a dialogue about potential long term solutions towards health equity.
• Challenge stereotypes and misperceptions about Indigenous peoples in Canada.
• Discuss cultural competencies and safety in working with First Nations, Inuit and Métis populations.
• Job Fair to facilitate matching healthcare providers with working opportunities with Indigenous populations.

Target Audience
Any interested party is welcome. The focus will interdisciplinary healthcare providers and may include:
• physicians
• nurses
• nurse practitioners
• midwives
• allied health providers
• community health workers
• students
• social workers
• public health specialists and policy makers
• researchers

Themes
• Women’s health (ie, reproduction, violence)
• Children’s health
• Mental health (ie, substance abuse)
• Infectious disease
• Chronic disease
• Nutrition
• Determinants of health (ie, housing, poverty)
• Environmental health
• Health care systems
• Cultural competency and safety
• Traditional ways and self-determination
• Indigenous research and population health data

Dates to Note
Abstract Submissions Open: Monday, March 10, 2014
Abstract Submissions Close: Monday, June 23, 2014 at 11:59pm
Successful Submission Notification: Friday, August 15, 2014
Presenter Response: Friday, September 5, 2014

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