

OPIOID SYMPOSIUM

Together, We Can **#StopOverdoses**



THE GLOBE AND MAIL CENTRE
351 KING STREET EAST, 17TH FLOOR, TORONTO, ON

SEPTEMBER 5-6, 2018

Meeting Objectives

- ▶ Place the voices of people with lived and living experience at the centre of the discussion
- ▶ Promote increased access to treatment and harm reduction
- ▶ Recognize the different aspects of the opioid crisis and discuss opportunities for collaboration



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Day 1 - Wednesday September 5, 2018

TIME	ACTIVITY
7:30-8:30	Participant Registration / Continental Breakfast / Meet and Greet
8:30-9:00	Welcome / Opening Remarks and Prayer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Kahontakwas, Diane Longboat, Elder, Traditional Healer, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health ▶ The Honourable Ginette Petitpas Taylor, Minister of Health
9:00-9:15	“Snap Shot”: Setting the Context: Telling the Data Story <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Theresa Tam, Canada's Chief Public Health Officer
9:15-10:45	Panel Discussion: Examining the Factors That Lead to Problematic Substance Use Objective: To discuss factors that lead to problematic substance use and identify potential areas for action on prevention. Moderator: Dr. Theresa Tam, Canada's Chief Public Health Officer Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Leila Attar ▶ Dr. Robert Strang, Chief Medical Officer of Health, Nova Scotia ▶ Caitlin Etherington, Director of Prevention, Vancouver Coastal Health ▶ Rebecca Haines-Saah, Assistant Professor, University of Calgary
10:45-11:10	Networking Break / Kiosk Visits

CONCURRENT SESSION A: LEARNING FROM PEOPLE DIRECTLY IMPACTED BY THE OPIOID CRISIS

TIME	ACTIVITY
11:10 - 12:40	A1. Canada Is In Crisis: What Needs to Change and How We Can Get There <i>(Organized by the Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs)</i> Moderator: Rick Sproule, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs, Overdose Prevention Ottawa Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Shanell Twan, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs, Alberta Addicts Who Educate And Advocate Responsibly ▶ Alexandra de Kiewit, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs ▶ Olympia Trypis, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs ▶ Jordan Westfall, Executive Director, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs

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11:10 – 12:40	<p>A2. Moms Stop The Harm: A Journey from Grief to National Advocacy <i>(Organized by Moms Stop The Harm)</i></p> <p>Moderator: Lorna Thomas, Co-Founder, Moms Stop The Harm</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Leslie McBain, Co-Founder, Moms Stop The Harm ▶ Petra Schulz, Co-Founder, Moms Stop The Harm ▶ Marie Agioritis, Moms Stop The Harm ▶ Amy Graves, President, Get Prescription Drugs Off The Street Society
11:10 – 12:40	<p>A3. Unintended Consequences: The Impact of the Opioid Response on People Living with Chronic Pain <i>(Organized by Pain BC and the Chronic Pain Network's Patient Partners)</i></p> <p>Moderator: Nicki Kahnamoui, Director, Strategic Initiatives Pain BC</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Linda Wilhelm, Canadian Arthritis Patient Alliance ▶ Billie Jo Bogden, People-patient of Eastern Ontario Pain Lifestyle Education Centre ▶ Dr. Vincent Raymond ▶ Laura Robertson, Chronic Pain Support Services
11:10 – 12:40	<p>A4. People – Confronting Stigma, Educating and Raising Hope by Telling Our Stories <i>(Organized by the Community Addictions Peer Support Association)</i></p> <p>Moderator: Gord Garner, Executive Director, Community Addictions Peer Support Association</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Kier Knight ▶ Logan Carroll ▶ Adar Shire ▶ Chris Cull, Founder, Inspire by Example
12:40 – 1:00	Grab-n-Go Lunch
1:00 – 1:30	<p>“Snap Shot”: How Fentanyl Changed My Life</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Darryl J. Gebien, currently non-practicing ER physician in long-term recovery, Lived Experience Educator <p>“Snap Shot”: Building the Evidence Base</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Samuel Weiss, Scientific Director, Institute of Neurosciences, Mental Health and Addiction, Canadian Institutes of Health Research

**CONCURRENT SESSION B: ADDRESSING STIGMA ASSOCIATED
WITH PEOPLE WHO USE DRUGS AND PEOPLE LIVING WITH CHRONIC PAIN**

TIME	ACTIVITY
1:40 – 3:10	<p>B1. Changing the Conversation In and Through the Media <i>(Organized by The Globe and Mail)</i></p> <p>Moderator: André Picard, Health Reporter and Columnist, The Globe and Mail</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Donna May, Founder, mumsDU (moms united and mandated to saving the lives of Drug Users) ▶ Dan Werb, Executive Director, Centre on Drug Policy Evaluation ▶ Evelyn Pollock ▶ Nick Boyce, Director, Ontario HIV and Substance Use Training Program ▶ Conor Lavelle, Resident physician, healthcare journalist, and patient advocate
1:40 – 3:10	<p>B2. Barriers to Healthcare</p> <p>Moderator: Karen Howlett, National Reporter, The Globe and Mail</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cindy MacIsaac, Executive Director, Direction 180 ▶ Dr. Ginette Poulin, Medical Director, Addictions Foundation Manitoba ▶ Dr. Eugenia Oviedo-Joekes, Providence Health Care
1:40 – 3:10	<p>B3. Barriers to Treating Chronic Pain</p> <p>Moderator: Lynn Cooper, Co-Chair, Patient and Public Education Working Group (National Faculty)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dawn Richards, Vice-President, Canadian Arthritis Patient Alliance ▶ Dr. Manon Choinière, Administrator, Association québécoise de la douleur chronique ▶ Dr. Owen Williamson, Chair, Academic Pain Directors of Canada
1:40 – 3:10	<p>B4. Changing the Conversation in the Workplace</p> <p>Moderator: Michel Perron, Executive Vice President, Canadian Institutes of Health Research</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ SanDee Vandal, Manager, Program Operations Branch, Service Canada ▶ Garth Mullins, BC Association for People on Methadone ▶ Jennifer Hollington, Assistant Deputy Minister, Communications and Public Affairs Branch, Health Canada ▶ Vicky Waldron, Executive Director, Construction Industry Rehab Plan
3:10 – 3:30	Networking Break / Kiosk Visits

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3:30 – 5:30	Restricting the Marketing and Advertising of Opioids in Canada <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Ed Morgan, Director General, Policy, Planning and International Affairs Directorate, Health Products and Food Branch, Health Canada
	Canadian Drugs and Substances Strategy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Michelle Boudreau, Director General, Controlled Substances Directorate, Health Canada ▶ Donald MacPherson, Executive Director, Canadian Drug Policy Coalition ▶ Chief Bryan Larkin, Waterloo Regional Police Service

Day 2 - Thursday September 6, 2018

TIME	ACTIVITY
8:00-8:15	Welcome - Overview of the Day
8:30-10:00	<p>Panel Discussion: Impacts of the Opioid Crisis on Indigenous Communities</p> <p>Objective: To discuss the current impact of the opioid crisis in Indigenous communities across Canada.</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Tom Wong, Chief Medical Officer of Public Health & Executive Director, Office of Population and Public Health, First Nations and Inuit Health Branch, Indigenous Services Canada</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Esther Tailfeathers, Family Physician, Standoff Clinic, Blood Tribe Department of Health ▶ Mae Katt, Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner ▶ Gabrielle Fayant, CEO and Co-founder, Assembly of Seven Generations and Special Youth Advisor to the Minister of Crown-Indigenous Relations ▶ Karen Pictou, Executive Director, Nova Scotia Native Women's Association ▶ Lorna Bird, Vancouver Area Network of Drug Users
10:00-10:30	Networking Break / Kiosk Visits
10:30-12:00	<p>Federal, Provincial, Territorial, and Municipal Armchair Discussion: Responding to the Opioid Crisis</p> <p>Objective: To discuss actions taken to respond to the opioid crisis and priorities for the way forward.</p> <p>Moderator: André Picard, Health Reporter and Columnist, The Globe and Mail</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ The Honourable Ginette Petitpas Taylor, Minister of Health ▶ The Honourable Bill Blair, Minister of Border Security and Organized Crime Reduction ▶ The Honourable Judy Darcy, Minister of Mental Health & Addictions, British Columbia ▶ His Worship Gregor Robertson, Mayor of Vancouver ▶ His Worship John Tory, Mayor of Toronto
12:00-12:45	Lunch

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12:45 – 2:15	<p>C1. New Practices in Correctional Services</p> <p>Moderator: Andrea Woo, Journalist, The Globe and Mail</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. John Weekes Waypoint Centre for Mental Health ▶ Henry de Souza, Director General, Clinical Services and Public Health, Correctional Services Canada ▶ Dr. Benedikt Fischer, Senior Scientist, Institute for Mental Health Policy Research, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health ▶ Howard Sapers, Advisor on Corrections Reform, Ontario Provincial Government
12:45 – 2:15	<p>C2. Increasing Access to Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Prevention Services in Indigenous Communities</p> <p>Moderator: Valerie Gideon, Senior Assistant Deputy Minister, First Nations and Inuit Health Branch, Indigenous Services Canada</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Shannon McDonald, Deputy Chief Medical Officer, First Nations Health Authority of BC ▶ John Dixon, Director, Mental Health and Addictions, Dilico Anishinabek Family Centre ▶ Julia Bareham, Pharmacist Manager, Prescription Review Program, College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan ▶ Marcie Pruden, Youth Community Dialogue Facilitator, Matsqui-Abbotsford Impact Society
12:45 – 2:15	<p>C3. Treatment for Substance Use Disorder</p> <p>Moderator: Rita Notarandrea, Chief Executive Officer, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Dr. Marie-Eve Goyer, Quebec Regional Director, Canadian Society of Addiction Medicine ▶ Dr. Mark Tyndall, Director, British Columbia Centre for Disease Control ▶ Stacey Petersen, Executive Director, Fresh Start Recovery Centre ▶ Dr. Peter Selby, Clinician Scientist, Addictions Division and Director, Medical Education, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health ▶ Alexandra de Kiewit, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs
12:45 – 2:15	<p>C4. Treatment for Chronic Pain</p> <p>Moderator: Dr. Fiona Campbell, President, Canadian Pain Society</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Paul Ross ▶ Dr. Norm Buckley, Executive Director, Chronic Pain Network ▶ Dr. Hance Clarke, Director, Transitional Pain Program, University Health Network (Toronto) ▶ Dr. Aliza Weinrib, Clinical Psychologist, Transitional Pain Service, Toronto General Hospital

CONCURRENT SESSION C: INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO TREATMENT AND PREVENTION

TIME	ACTIVITY
2:15 – 2:45	Networking Break / Kiosk Visits

CONCURRENT SESSION D: COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT

TIME	ACTIVITY
2:45 – 3:45	<p>D1. Addressing the Illegal Supply Moderator: Joanne Crampton, Assistant Commissioner, Federal Policing Criminal Operations, Royal Canadian Mounted Police</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Paul Beauchesne, Chief Superintendent, Serious and Organized Crime and Border Integrity, Royal Canadian Mounted Police ▶ Johnny Prasad, Director, Commercial Program Compliance and Outreach Division, Programs Branch, Canada Border Services Agency ▶ Jean-Philippe Caron, Chief Postal Inspector and General Manager, Security and Investigation Services, Canada Post
2:45 – 3:45	<p>D2. New Approaches to the Opioid Crisis in Law Enforcement from the Front-lines Moderator: Chief Bryan Larkin, Waterloo Regional Police Service</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Deputy Fire Chief Mark Griffioen, City of Surrey, British Columbia ▶ Staff Sergeant Conor King, Victoria Police Department ▶ Deputy Chief Tim Farquharson, Peterborough Police Service ▶ Kris Nyrop, Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion, City of Seattle and King County
2:45 – 3:45	<p>D3. Therapeutic and Restorative Approaches in the Justice System Moderator: Miranda Compton, Operations Director, Overdose Emergency Response Centre, BC Ministry for Mental Health and Addictions</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Robin Cuff, Director, Toronto Drug Treatment Court and Manager, Aboriginal Services, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health ▶ Lerena Greig, Executive Director, Parents Empowering Parents ▶ Guy Felicella, Harm Reduction Educator
4:00 – 4:15	<p>“Snap Shot”: I Died Six Times – Let’s End the Stigma of Harm Reduction ▶ Guy Felicella, Harm Reduction Educator</p>
4:15 – 4:30	<p>Closing Remarks and Closing Prayer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ The Honourable Ginette Petitpas Taylor, Minister of Health ▶ Kahontakwas, Diane Longboat, Elder, Traditional Healer, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health