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# 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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