



Program for the CNS Conference

Thursday June 6, Friday June 7, 2019

St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton (West 5th Campus)
100 West 5th Street, Hamilton, Ontario.



Time	Subjects:
18:00 (ON time)	<p>Thursday, June 6-2019 Opening ceremonies & The dinner is confirmed (at 18:00) & included in the cost of registration.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Location:</i> Sheraton Hotel in Hamilton. <p>Main Guest Speaker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Michelle Acorn, DNP, NP PHC/Adult • Provincial Chief Nursing Officer, Ontario.
	More information --here--later.
08:00-08:25	<p>Friday, June 7, 2019</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration
08:30-09:10	<p>Opening of the Clinical Nurse Specialists' conference day:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housekeeping items. • A few words by Cheryl Forchuk, CNS-C President. • Main guest speaker: TBA. • Short presentations by Co-hosts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o by Mary-Lou Martin, President-Elect, CNS-Canada; o by Paul-André Gauthier, President of CNS-Ontario.
09:20-09:50	<p>A/B 1 (1 hour) A discussion with CNSs on how to identify fears related to death when clients are facing a terminal diagnosis. <i>Contact:</i> Paul-André Gauthier.</p> <p>A 2 Hope for recovery in mental illness: A nursing priority. <i>Contact:</i> Kelly Holt.</p>
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10:00-10:30	<p>A/B 1 Fears of death (<i>continue</i>) - <i>Contact:</i> Paul-André Gauthier.</p> <p>B 2 Development to results: The Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) role in the implementation of a sub-acute geriatric centre of excellence. <i>Contact:</i> Gina Dolezel.</p> <p>B 3 Guiding graduate students in the implementation of an Early Warning System (EWS) on a medical and surgical unit. <i>Contact:</i> Sonia Boccardi.</p>
Health Break 20 min. Visit the Poster presentations and the Exhibits from our	

sponsors.	
10:50-11:20	C 1 Delirium prevention in acute care: The role of the CNS in implementing an evidence-based process improvement project. <i>Contact: Yasmin Khalili.</i> C 2 Impacting pediatric pain management: Diverse Clinical Nurse Specialist roles in pain care. <i>Contact: Jennifer Tyrrell.</i>
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11:30-12:00	D 1 Clients with mental health issues & life limiting illnesses: The art & the science of caring. <i>Contact: Mary-Lou Martin.</i> D 2 Enriching care for Gitksan First Nations with dementia through culturally relevant, place-based learning. <i>Contact: Gina Gaspard.</i>
Lunch (included) 12:00- 13:00 - Visit the Poster presentations and the Exhibits from our sponsors.	
13:00- 14:00	E 1 Plenary session - Team presentation Clarifying specialized and advanced nursing roles: Results of a national study to inform nursing workforce optimization in Canada. <i>Contact: Denise Bryant-Lukosius.</i>
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14:10-14:40	F 1 How can a CNS discuss sexuality with clients/ patients when they face concerns or diseases affecting their sexual organs? <i>Contact: Paul-André Gauthier.</i> F 2 Smart technology in community homes and transitional hospital apartments for individuals with mental illness. <i>Contact: Cheryl Forchuk.</i> F 3 Partners in care using a model of self-management: Individuals living with schizophrenia & outpatient case managers. <i>Contact: Mary-Lou Martin.</i>
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15:00-15:30	G 1 Utilizing technology- enhancing the CNS role & improving patient outcomes: A win win strategy. <i>Contact: Rashmy Lobo.</i> G 2 Short-term assessment of risk and treatability (START): Development by CNS & colleagues. <i>Contact: Mary-Lou Martin.</i> G 3 Intermediate care training program: Impact on the nurse's clinical judgment and patient safety. <i>Contact: Marineh Carapetian.</i>
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15:40-16:10	H 1 Articulating how the role of a Clinical Nurse Specialist contributes to optimal health care outcomes: A logic model approach. <i>Contact: Alex Curkovic.</i> H 2 Breaking the cycle from hospital to homelessness: Innovative housing first initiative. <i>Contact: Cheryl Forchuk.</i> H 3 Understanding compassion in mental health care from the perspectives of culturally diverse patients and families. <i>Contact: Elisabeth Jensen.</i>
16:15-16:30	– Plenary session- Closing remarks / Wrap-up / Evaluation.