Humanizing Health Care

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Humanizing Health Care - Program Snapshot

Conference - Day 1

October 19, 2017



Opening plenary

Shane Sinclair Ph. D. Faculty of Nursing, University of Calgary

Compassion: Human to Human Healthcare



Plenary speaker

Rebekah Hackbusch Coordinator, Spiritual and Religious Care, Bruyère Continuing Care

Building Compassionate Communities through Meaningful Engagement



Plenary speaker

Karen Lemaire Director, Therapeutic Support Services, Bruyère Continuing Care

Building Compassionate Communities through Meaningful Engagement



Afternoon plenary panel

Alvin Fiddler Grand Chief Nishnawbe-Aski Nation and member of Muskrat Dam First Nation

Indigenous Health and Wellness in Canada During a Time of Reconciliation



Panelist

Meeka Arnakaq Inuk healer and elder from Pangnirtung, Nunavut



Panelist and translator

Reepa Evic Carleton Support Coordinator, Family Well-Being Program, Ottawa Inuit Children's



Panelist

Dr. Michael KirlewPhysician, Sioux Lookout First Nations

Health Authority
Indigenous Health and Wellness
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Closing plenary

Rev. Elizabeth MacKinlay, AM, FACN, PhD Anglican Church of Australia; School of Theology, Charles Sturt University

Finding Meaning in the Experience of Dementia: A Spiritual Perspective Challenging Myths and Social Expectations

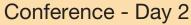


Wine and cheese

Dr. José Pereira

Director, Research, College of Family Physicians of Canada; professor, Division of Palliative Medicine, McMaster University and Department of Family Medicine, University of Ottawa; scientific officer and co-founder, Pallium Canada; palliative care physician, William Osler Health Centre

Palliative Care: Where Competencies and Compassion Meet



Opening plenary followed by panel discussion

Medically-Assisted Dying and Humane End-of-Life Care: Key Ethical Issues and Considerations

Join our panel of experts as we explore together the deeper meaning of care and kindness as it relates to palliative and end of life care.



October 20, 2017

Opening plenary

Didier CaenepeelO.P., Ph. D. (Phys.), Ph. D. (Th.)
Faculty of Theology,
Dominican University College



Panel facilitator

Michel Bilodeau

Vice-president, Public Governance International; former CEO, Bruyère Continuing Care and the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario



Panelist

Dr. David Henderson MD. CCFP

Medical director, Palliative Care Program, Colchester East Hants Health Authority; assistant professor, Department of Family Medicine, Dalhousie University; president, Canadian Society of Palliative Care Physicians



Panelist

South

John Fraser Member of Provincial Parliament for Ottawa



Panelist

Peter Tanuseputro MHSc, MD, CCFP, FRCPC Investigator, Bruyère Research Institute; associate scientist, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute



Panelist

Roshene Lawson Clinical Chaplain, Bruyère Continuing Care



Closing plenary

Mike Nolan BEd, MA, MSc, PhD RGN, RMN Gerontological Nursing, University of Sheffield

We're All in ThisTogether: Enriching Care for Everybody