NETWORKING EVENT
Ethical Dilemmas in Continuing Care

15 October 2018
Agenda

9:00 - 9:10 AM - Welcome and introductions (ICCER)

9:10 - 9:55 AM - *Healthy Sexual Expression - "Never Gets Old"* - Shaniff Esmail, PhD, MSc OT

9:55 - 10:15 AM - Small group discussion

10:15 - 10:30 AM - Large group discussion

10:30 - 10:40 AM - Break and rotate tables

10:40 - 11:25 AM - *Ethical Issues & the Use of Cannabis in Continuing Care* - Gary Lepine, Clinical Ethicist, AHS

11:25 - 11:45 AM - Small group discussion

11:45 AM – Noon - Large group discussion
A network of post-secondary institutions, continuing care providers, and regulatory bodies collaborating to improve continuing care in Alberta.
Community Needs Driven Research Network (CNDRN)

• First funded by Alberta Innovates Health Solutions
• Now supported through an operational grant from Alberta Health
• The purpose is to identify needs – from the perspective of the community and care providers - related to continuing care where education and/or research could help improve care
  AND
• To encourage research and knowledge translation to address the identified issues.
# Community Needs Driven Research Network (CNDRN) for Continuing Care in Alberta

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## 1. Managing Behaviours:
- Managing Responsive Behaviours - PI Dr. S. Brémaud-Phillips, U of A (2013)
- Connecting with People with Dementia - PI N. Maclachlan, Bow Valley College (2015/16)
- Responsive Behaviours Symposium 2017 - Communication Tools to Enhance Care (2017)
- Fort McMurray - Communication Tools to Enhance Care (2017)
- Fort Chipewyan - Communication Tools to Enhance Care (2018)

## 2. Education Related issues:
- Creating Cultures of Care: How Responsive Leadership Enables Responsive Care events (2013)
- InterRAI: Utilizing Data to Enhance Clinical Care education session (2015)
- Creating Cultures of Care through Responsive Leadership workshops (2016)
- Learning Circles - PI: Dr. McLeod, Bethany Care Society & S. M. Barrington, Barrington Research (2013); PI: Dr. S. King, U of A & S. K. Friesen, Bethany Care Society & Dr. S. King, U of A (2016/17)
- Falls Prevention in Continuing Care and the Community education session (2017)
- Collaborative Practice Discussions: Creative and Collaborative Approaches to Learning (2018)

## 3. System Navigation & Transition of Care:

## 4. Role Definition within the CC Sector:
- Optimizing Workforce Utilization to Inform Care Delivery in Continuing Care Facilities - PI Dr. I. Sutter, AHS & S.C. Woodhead Lyons, ICCER (2012/13)
- A Comparison of the Effectiveness of Electronic vs. Paper-Based Documentation - PI J. Toh, Wing Kei Centre Care (2014/15)
- Collaborative Practice Discussions: The Role of Health Care Aides in Continuing Care (2017)

## 5. Staff Retention & Recruitment:
- Exploring the Influence of Teamwork on Recruitment and Retention - PI: Dr. S. Dahiie & Dr. S. Stanke, U of A (2015/16, 2016/17)

## 6. Person and Family Centred Care:
- Creating Culture Change in Continuing Care & Removing Expressive Behaviours in Dementia Care education sessions (2014)
- Family/Staff Relationships in Continuing Care education session (2015)
- Towards an Alternative Material Culture of Dementia Care - PI Dr. M. Strickland, U of A (2015/16, 2016/17)
- ICCER Speed Networking Events: Person & Family Centred Care (2016); The Importance of Communication In Person Centred Care (2017); Influences on Person Centred Care: Teamwork & Policy (2017)
- Collaborative Practice Discussions: Building Family/Resident Engagement in LTC & Supportive Living (2017)
- ICCER Networking Events: Enhancing Wellbeing in Long-Term Care (2017)

## 7. Support for Recreation & Rehabilitation:
- Recreation Services & Quality of Life - PI: Dr. G. Walker & Dr. R. Haennel, U of A (2014)
- Determining Factors in the Care Environment that Influence the Effectiveness of Recreational Activities - PI D. Milke, CapitalCare (2015/16)
- Implementing Music Care in Continuing Care education session (2016)
- Music Care Community of Practice (2016 ongoing)
- Music Care Conference (2017)
- Feasibility and Acceptability of Personal Contact Interventions to Address Loneliness for People with Mild-to-Moderate Dementia in Long-Term Care - PI H. O'Rourke, U of A (2018)
- Framing of an Alberta-based Music for Life program - PI H. O'Rourke, U of A (2018)

## 8. Intercultural Issues:
- Scoping Cultural Awareness Training Options for Staff Working with Older Canadians in CC in AB - PI Dr. L. Venturato, U of C (2014/15)

## 9. Palliative Care, End of Life, & Hospice:
- Transitions Experienced by Family Caregivers of Persons at the End of Life - PI Dr. W. Duggleby, U of A (2014/15)
- Application to Embedding Palliative Approaches to Care (EPAC) Spread Collaborative (2018)

## 10. First Nations Issues:
- Developing an Educational Model to Support CC in Remote Northern Communities - PI Dr. S. King, U of A & Dr. V. Thompson, Keyano College (2014/15)
- An Experiential Learning Curriculum to Support the Care of Aboriginal Populations in Continuing Care in Remote Northern Communities - PI Dr. S. King, U of A & Dr. V. Thompson, Keyano College (2016/17)

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Networking Events

• Part of our ongoing consultation and network development.

• Opportunity for researchers and community providers to meet, share needs/interests, develop potential relationships.
ICCER Priorities

• Knowledge translation & mobilization
• Innovation sharing
• Resident and family engagement
Our Speakers

• **Dr. Shaniff Esmail** (Associate Chair, Professor, Department of Occupational Therapy, University of Alberta) is an Occupational Therapist with extensive research and clinical experience in sexuality and disability, and sexual health education programs.

• **Gary Lepine** is a Clinical Ethicist with Alberta Health Services. Prior to formally joining AHS, he served as a volunteer community member on the Rockyview General Hospital's Ethics Committee. Gary also has a professional development company where his work includes training on workplace environment, team building, and organizational culture.
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