



47th Annual General Meeting and Scientific Sessions
June 15-17, 2016 in London, ON, Canada at the DoubleTree by Hilton

JUNE 14 • TUESDAY

19:00 – 21:00	S Welcome Wine and Cheese Reception and Registration	Windsor Club
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JUNE 15 • WEDNESDAY

06:45 – 07:45	S Registration	Centre Ballroom
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07:45 – 08:20	S Welcome Breakfast - Buffet Style	Centre Ballroom
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08:20 – 09:00	S Opening Ceremonies	Centre Ballroom
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09:00 – 09:50	G Mary Glover Lecture: Homelessness in Mental Health: Playing Musical Chairs <i>Speakers: Cheryl Forchuk RN PhD</i>	Centre Ballroom
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09:50 – 10:40	N New Insights into ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) <i>Speakers: Michael Strong MD FRCPC</i>	Centre Ballroom
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10:40 – 11:00	K Coffee Break	Centre Ballroom
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11:00 – 11:50	I Development of an Integrated Spinal Cord Injury Pathway: Initiative to care for Spinal Cord Injury Patients in Medical-Surgical/Neurosurgical Intensive Care Unit <i>Speakers: Maureen Anderson BA M.Div dipSHC, Andrea Dyrkacz, Deborah MacGarvie, Angela McGauley, Rosalie Magtoto RN MN, Louise Pothier, Karen Bennet RN</i>	Centre Ballroom
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11:50 – 13:20	A Plated lunch & Speaker: Chronic Inflammatory Demyelinating Polyneuropathy <i>Speakers: Wilma Koopman MN NP CNN(c), Kurt Kimpinski MD FRCPC</i>	Centre Ballroom
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13:20 – 14:10	A A Novel Approach to Managing mTBI/Concussion After Presentation to the Emergency Department <i>Speakers: Chrisanthi Lefkimmatis RN BScN CNN(C) CNS</i>	Centre Ballroom
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14:10 – 15:10	G Physician Assisted Death: Implications for Your Patients; Implications for Your Practice <i>Speakers: Cheryl Talbot RN(EC) MN NP, Robert Sibbald</i>	Centre Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	A A Coffee and Posters Event	Centre Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	A Improving and Expanding Neurosurgical Services Across Ontario <i>Speakers: Brenda Bousfield RN, Chad Johnson RN, Kim Belluz RN, Marnie Cranston BScN RN, Sean Hopkins RN</i>	West Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	O Advancing Stroke Expertise: Evaluating the Southwestern Ontario Stroke Network Acute Stroke Unit Orientation <i>Speakers: Lyndsey Butler, Gina Tomaszewski RN MN, Gwennyth Stevenson OT, Jennifer Beal RN, Sherry Sims RN</i>	West Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	O Effects of Neurosurgery Pain Algorithm on Pain Intensity, Nursing Time and Detecting Changes in a Patient's Neurological Status <i>Speakers: Mi Young Kim RN MN Gerontological Nurse Practitioner</i>	West Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	O Effects of Sham Feeding on the Recovery of Abdominal Discomfort and Constipation Assessment Scale after Spine Surgery <i>Speakers: Hyung Ja Kim RN MN Geriatric Nurse Practitioner</i>	West Ballroom
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15:10 – 15:40	O Facilitating Occupational Engagement Through Management of Agitated Behaviours	West Ballroom
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Speakers: Charmaine Arulvarathan RN BScN, Joanna Rodamar Reg. OT, Michelle Mohan Reg. OT, Janice Williams RN(EC)

15:10 – 15:40	O In-Hospital Code Stroke Protocol Ensures Faster Access to Hyperacute Stroke Care	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Julie Brochu, Sheila Hunt RN BScN, Jasna Gole, Lindsay Lambourn, Jennifer Mandzia MD, Gina Tomaszewski RN MN, Breeda O'Farrell NP, Megan Rempel, Jackie Walker</i>	
15:10 – 15:40	O Mythbusting: The Truths about Ambulatory Nursing in the Neuromuscular Clinic	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Dana Tigner RN BN, Christine Roberts RN</i>	
15:10 – 15:40	O Quality Improvement Project: Stroke Rehabilitation Needs Assessment	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Robin LeBlanc RN BScN</i>	
15:10 – 15:40	O Safety in the Epilepsy Monitoring Unit: An Integrative Review	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Kaitlyn Francois RN BN</i>	
15:10 – 15:40	O TPA Nurse Role Impacts Hyperacute Stroke Care at University Hospital	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Sheila Hunt RN BScN, Paula Gilmore, Lindsay Lambourn, Jennifer Mandzia MD, Gina Tomaszewski RN MN, Breeda O'Farrell NP, Debara Pastushuk, Megan Rempel, Lynda Ryall-Henke</i>	
15:10 – 15:40	O Bedside Leadership: Development of the Neuroscience Clinical Resource Nurse Role	West Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Christianne Krassman RN, Hayley Shepherd RN, Samantha Arnott RN, Samantha Johnson RN, Shelly Bohn RN</i>	
15:40 – 16:30	G Brain Tumour Foundation of Canada Award for Excellence in Neuroscience Nursing	Centre Ballroom
20:00 – 23:59	S London Calling: Pub Crawl	Centre Ballroom

JUNE 16 • THURSDAY

06:30 – 07:30	S Run/Yoga for Research	Centre Ballroom
07:20 – 07:50	S Continental Breakfast	Centre Ballroom
07:50 – 09:50	U Annual General Meeting	Centre Ballroom
09:50 – 10:00	K Coffee Break	Centre Ballroom
10:00 – 10:50	P Forgoing Artificial Nutrition and Hydration in Paediatric Neuro-Palliative Care	Centre Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Lisa Pearlman RN(EC) BA MN NP (Pediatric)</i>	
10:00 – 12:00	W1 G What You See is What You Get: Neuroradiology and the Neuroscience Client (2 Hour Workshop)	Prince of Wales
	<i>Speakers: Dawn Tymianski NP</i>	
10:50 – 11:40	G Medtronic Award Winning Paper	Centre Ballroom
12:00 – 13:30	G Lunch & Pauline Weldon Lecture: Assessing and Treating Cognitive Impairment in Multiple Sclerosis across the Disease Continuum	Centre Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Trudy L. Campbell MN MScN NP</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	A1 A Epilepsy Checklists: Engaging Parents and Teens to Tick All the Boxes	Windsor Club
	<i>Speakers: Jennifer Boyd RN MHSc CNN(c)</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	A2 G How to Write a Paper	Queen Victoria
	<i>Speakers: Mina Singh RN PhD</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	A3 N Let's Talk About Sex: Sex and Disability in the Neuromuscular Clinic	East Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Dana Tigner RN BN, Christine Roberts RN</i>	
13:30 – 14:10	A4 N Myasthenia Gravis: The Battle of Fatigue and Energy Conservation Guidelines	Centre Ballroom
	<i>Speakers: Marilyn Ricci RN MS CNS CNRN (Retired)</i>	

13:30 – 15:30	W2 G KISS Neuroanatomy: Keep It Simple, Straightforward (2 Hour Workshop) <i>Speakers: Rachele McCready BScN CNCC(c)</i>	Prince of Wales
14:10 – 14:50	B1 G Creation of a Neuroscience Volunteer Program <i>Speakers: Michelle Dabrensky, Sarah Firman, Hayley Shepherd RN, Samantha Arnott RN</i>	Queen Victoria
14:10 – 14:50	B2 G Quality Improvement Initiatives for the Neuroscience Nurse: An Acute Stroke Unit Experience <i>Speakers: Ruth Whelan RN MN CNS CNN(c)</i>	East Ballroom
14:10 – 14:50	B3 N Portrait de la litt�ratie en sant� des personnes atteintes de maladies neuromusculaires (French/English Presentation) <i>Speakers: Louise Catherine de Jordy inf. BScN, �va-Marjorie Couture MD CMFC, Maud-Christine Chouinard inf. PhD, M�lissa Lavoie inf M. Sc.</i>	Centre Ballroom
14:10 – 14:50	B4 P Brain Tumours in Young Children: What's New and What's Different <i>Speakers: Andrea Neufeld MN RN(EC)</i>	Windsor Club
14:50 – 15:10	O Coffee and Posters	Centre Ballroom
15:10 – 15:50	C1 G CNS (Neurological) Lupus: A Multiple Perspective Case Study <i>Speakers: Jill Kerrigan RN MN</i>	Centre Ballroom
15:10 – 15:50	C2 G The Single-seizure Clinic Model is a Superior Paradigm of Care: Analysis and Evidence <i>Speakers: Karen Waterhouse RN BScN CNN(c), R. Hernandez-Ronquillo, G. Hunter, F. Moien-Afshari, S.A. Rizvi, J. Tellez-Zenteno</i>	East Ballroom
15:10 – 15:50	C3 P Symptom Management and Supportive Care for Children with Neurodegenerative Diseases <i>Speakers: Lisa Pearlman RN(EC) BA MN NP (Pediatric)</i>	Windsor Club
15:10 – 15:50	C4 I An Accident Waiting to Happen <i>Speakers: Marnie Cranston RN BScN, Nicole Chenier-Hogan RN NP MSc CNN(c)</i>	Queen Victoria
15:30 – 15:45	K Break	Prince of Wales
15:50 – 16:30	D1 A Improving and Expanding Neurosurgical Services Across Ontario <i>Speakers: Chrisanthi Lefkimmatis RN BScN CNN(C) CNS, Brenda Bousfield RN, Chad Johnson RN, Kim Belluz RN, Marnie Cranston BScN RN, Sean Hopkins RN</i>	Queen Victoria
15:50 – 16:30	D2 R Neuropalliative Care in High-Grade Gliomas: How to Make the Best of the Worst <i>Speakers: Justine Gauthier inf BSc, Maxime Boutin-Caron inf BSc, Annik Plamondon inf BSc MSc</i>	East Ballroom
15:50 – 16:30	D3 G Deaf American Sign Language (ALS) Users and the Challenges Faced in Neuroscience <i>Speakers: Katie Fink RN BScN</i>	Centre Ballroom

JUNE 17 • FRIDAY

07:30 – 08:20	G Diagnosis and Treating Multiple Sclerosis in 2016 <i>Speakers: Lynn McEwan NP MScN CNN(C)</i>	Centre Ballroom
08:30 – 09:10	E1 G Moral Distress in Neuroscience Nursing <i>Speakers: Angela Russell MN NP, Hayley Shepherd RN</i>	Centre Ballroom
08:30 – 09:10	E2 G The Challenges of Sympathetic Storming <i>Speakers: Sue Kadyschuk RN MScN CNN(c), Maria Huertas</i>	East Ballroom
08:30 – 09:10	E3 I En Bloc Spinal Tumour Resections: Nursing Implications <i>Speakers: Angela Sarro RN(EC)</i>	Windsor Club
08:30 – 09:10	E4 V Innovation in Ischemic Stroke Hyperacute Care: It is called 'RED UNIT'	Queen Victoria

Speakers: Nadia Nasr RN BScN DES, Joanne Charbonneau RN MScN

09:10 – 09:50	F1 G Bedside Leadership: Development of the Neuroscience Clinical Resource Nurse Role	East Ballroom
	Speakers: Christianne Krassman RN, Hayley Shepherd RN, Samantha Arnett RN, Samantha Johnson RN, Shelly Bohn RN	
09:10 – 09:50	F2 I Bowel Care After Spinal Cord Injury	Windsor Club
	Speakers: Chris Fraser RD, Danae Coggins RN, Elizabeth Fox RN, Sheila Hunt RN	
09:10 – 09:50	F3 T Optimizing Nutrition in Brain Tumour Patients: Relieving Symptom Burden, Enhancing Recovery and Quality of Life	Centre Ballroom
	Speakers: Dumindra Kandana Arachchige RN BN	
09:10 – 09:50	F4 V Know Your Stroke: Etiology Matters	Queen Victoria
	Speakers: Aline Bourgoin RN BScN CNN(c), Sophia Gocan RN MScN CNN(c)	
09:50 – 10:10	O Coffee and Posters	Centre Ballroom
10:10 – 10:50	G1 I Nurse's Survey of Spinal Cord Testing	Windsor Club
	Speakers: Sabrina Brik, Brenda Orizietti, Soan Tang	
10:10 – 10:50	G2 T Postoperative Management and Case Study Review of Transsphenoidal Pituitary Tumour Resection	Centre Ballroom
	Speakers: Michelle Nakoneshny RN BScN, Christine Catton RN BScN CNN(c)	
10:10 – 10:50	G3 V What Colour is Your Cape? From Beside to the ED to the Angio Suite: The Evolving Role of TPA Nurses	Queen Victoria
	Speakers: Sheila Hunt RN BScN	
10:10 – 12:10	W3 G Approach to the Adult Neurologic Exam: Optimizing Practice, Enhancing Synthesis and Interpretation (2 Hour Workshop)	West Ballroom
	Speakers: Angela Russell MN NP	
10:10 – 12:10	W4 V Make it Happen: Lifelong Recovery after Stroke	East Ballroom
	Speakers: Mr. & Mrs. John, Dr. Steve Macaluso, Breeda O'Farrell NP, Sari Shatil PT	
10:50 – 11:30	H1 A Spinal Cord Injury: Standards of Nursing Practice	Windsor Club
	Speakers: Chrisanthi Lefkimmatis RN BScN CNN(C) CNS, Tracey Anthony RN, Angela Sarro RN(EC)	
10:50 – 11:30	H2 R Cushing's Response: A Tale of Two Patients	Centre Ballroom
	Speakers: Andrew Pharbo RN BScN, Charmaine Arulvarathan RN BScN	
10:50 – 11:30	H3 V Red Herrings: Unexpected Outcomes in the Neurologically Changing Patient	Queen Victoria
	Speakers: Stephanie Van Rooy RN(EC) MN CNN(c)	
11:30 – 12:10	I1 A Cavernous Malformation of the Central Nervous System	Queen Victoria
	Speakers: Aaron Gardner RN BScN CNN(c)	
11:30 – 12:10	I2 G Normothermia Management of Patients with Neurological Injuries in the ICU	Centre Ballroom
	Speakers: Erica Camardo, Mark Klingenberg, Brenda Orizietti	
11:30 – 12:10	I3 I Use of Neuropathic Pain Questionnaires in Predicting Persistent Postoperative Neuropathic Pain following Lumbar Discectomy for Radiculopathy	Windsor Club
	Speakers: Darcia Paul RN (EC) MN CNN(c), Alina Shcharinsky RN(EC) MN, Mohammed Shamji MD PhD FRC SC	
12:10 – 13:10	G Lunch & Inspirational Speaker: One Run	Centre Ballroom
	Speakers: Theresa Carriere	

KEY:

A All Levels **B** Basic **K** Break **U** Business **G** General Level

N Neuromuscular **P** Pediatric **O** Poster **S** Social **I** Spine

T Tumour **V** Vascular

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