

TB CONFERENCE 2018 PROGRAM

**Please note some titles may be subject to change.*

Pre-Conference - Toronto Public Health Unit, 277 Victoria Street, 5th Floor

Monday November 19, 2018

1:00pm - TB 101 - *Julie Seemangal, Genevieve Armstrong*

2:00pm - Contact Investigation - *Dr. Elizabeth Rea, Teresa Leung, Bernard Lee, Toronto Public Health*

TB Conference 2018 - Chelsea Hotel, 33 Gerrard Street West

Day 1 - Tuesday November 20, 2018

7:30am - REGISTRATION

7:45am - BREAKFAST & EXHIBITS

8:30am - Opening Remarks - *George Habib, The Lung Association - Ontario*

8:40am - Keynote Speech - *Stephen Lewis, Co-Director, AIDS-Free World (www.aids-freeworld.org)*

9:40am - TB in Canada: The Big Picture - *Howard Njoo, Deputy Chief Public Health Officer Canada and Chief Medical Advisor, PHAC*

10:25am - BREAK, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

10:55am - LTBI Debate: 9 months of INH vs 4 months of Rifampin - *Dr. Kamran Khan and Dr. Jane Batt, Research at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto*

11:35am - More Reasons Why Smoking is Bad For You (and for TB) - *Dr. Elizabeth Rea, Bernard Lee, Toronto Public Health*

12:05pm - LUNCH, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

1:05pm - Nunavut outbreak - *Dr. Kim Barker, CMOH, Nunavut*

1:50pm - Thunder Bay outbreak - *Diana Gowanlock, Manager Infectious Diseases and VPD, Thunder Bay District Health Unit*

2:35pm - BREAK, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

3:05pm - Lab talk: Molecular Drug Sensitivity Testing - *TBD*

3:35pm - Announcements and Housekeeping remarks

3:40pm - Concurrent Sessions. Please choose one of the following:

- 1) Interpretation of x-rays and other diagnostic tools in children from high risk populations - *Dr. Ian Kitai, The Hospital for Sick Children*
- 2) TB and Palliative Care - *Rehannah Khan, Public Health Nurse, Toronto Public Health; Dr. Russell Goldman, Director, The Temmy Latner Centre for Palliative Care, Mount Sinai Hospital*
- 3) TB and the Tibetan Community - *Dr. Mary Rose MacDonald, Parkdale CHC and Tenzin Nawang Tekan, Parkdale Community Legal Services (PCLS)*

4:40pm - End of Day 1

Day 2 - Wednesday November 21, 2018

7:30am - REGISTRATION

8:00am - BREAKFAST & EXHIBITS

8:30am - Welcome Day 2 - *TBD*

8:35am - TB in the Life of a Patient - *Priya Amin and Gloria E., patient representatives, Toronto*

9:05am - Stop Stigmatizing Language in TB Care - *Dr. Elizabeth Rea, Toronto Public Health*

9:35am - Ethics in TB Prevention and Care - *Diego Silva, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Health Sciences, Simon Fraser University, BC*

10:20am - BREAK, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

10:50am - Rifapentine - *Dr. Gonzalo Alvarez, The Ottawa Hospital*

11:35am - Global TB elimination - *TBD*

12:05pm - LUNCH, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

1:05pm - MDR TB - *Dr. Natasha Sabur, University of Toronto*

1:50pm - Hospital Infection Control for TB - *Dr. Matthew Muller, Research at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto*

2:35pm - BREAK, EXHIBITS & POSTERS

3:05pm - History of TB - *Dr. Chris Ruddy, University of Toronto*

3:50pm - TB Radiology: How to Read an X-ray - *Dr. Micheal McInnis, University of Toronto*

4:45pm - Closing Remarks