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Preliminary Conference PROGRAM

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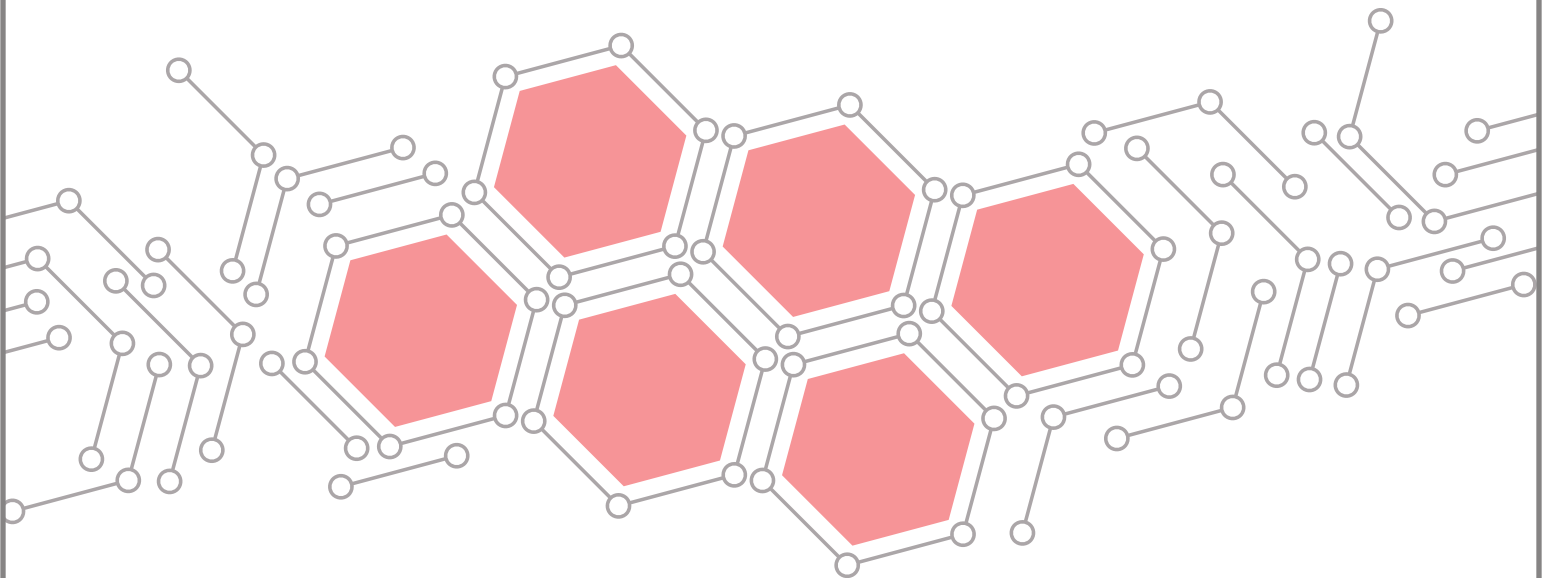
About Better Breathing

Take advantage of this unique opportunity to participate in a range of innovative sessions headed by leading medical professionals. Learn about new approaches to respiratory health, updates on critical research projects and relevant case studies. Over the course of the conference, you will gain exclusive access to more than 15 dynamic sessions, engage with experts and network with 300 of your peers in the respiratory field.

Better Breathing brings together healthcare professionals from many disciplines all focused on the respiratory health of the people of Ontario, including academic and community respirologists, nurses, respiratory therapists, physiotherapists and pharmacists.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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Preliminary Program Schedule

THURSDAY, JAN. 24

11:30AM REGISTRATION & LUNCH

1:00PM Welcoming Remarks
Lorelei Samis, BScPT, RHEIG Co-Chair

ORCS RESPIRATORY HEALTH EDUCATORS INTEREST GROUP SESSIONS

CHAIR: Lorelei Samis, BScPT, RHEIG Co-Chair

1:15PM Cannabis and Lung Health: What to Tell Your Patients
Dr. Peter Selby, MBBS, CCFP, FCFP, MHSc, DipABAM, DFASAM

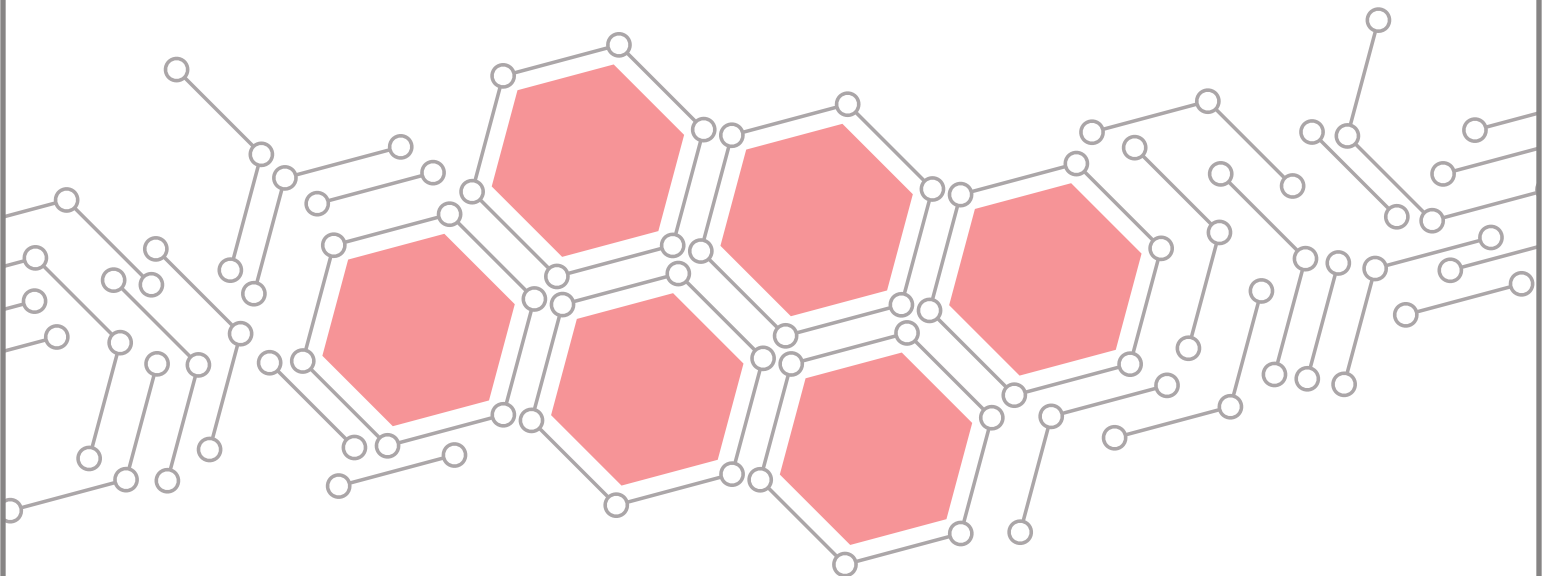
2:15PM TAKE A BREATHER

2:30PM Infection Prevention & Control in the Clinical Setting
Angela Thomas, BScN, RN, CIC

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (CHOOSE ONE FROM THE FOLLOWING TWO)

3:30PM 1 Keeping it Real... Translating Interprofessional Care Competencies into Your Practice
Kim Krog, BScN, MScN, CRN(c)
Tracey DasGupta, RN, MN
Dean Lising, BSc, BScPT, MHSc

2 TB 101: What to Tell Your Patients
Dr. Elizabeth Rea, MD, MSc, FRCPC



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FRIDAY, JAN. 25

6:30AM REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

8:00AM **Welcome Address**
John Martin, Board Chair of The Lung Association - Ontario

PLENARY SESSIONS

CHAIR: Dr. Sherri Katz, MDCM, FRCPC, MSc

8:30AM **Genetic Determinants of Lung Disease**
Dr. Gregory P. Downey, MD, FRCPC

9:15AM **Stem Cell-Based Therapies for Lung Diseases: The Time Has Come**
Dr. Bernard Thebaud, MD, PhD

10:00AM TAKE A BREATH & EXHIBITS

MORNING SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

CO-CHAIRS: Dr. Eric Hentschel, MD, FRCPC
Dr. Dina Brooks, BScPT, MSc, PhD

10:30AM **Lung Cancer Screening in Ontario - Research, Pilot, Practice**
Dr. Heidi Schmidt, MD

11:00AM **Lung Volume Reduction in COPD Patients/Alternative Therapies in COPD**
Dr. Kayvan Amjadi, MD, FRCPC

11:30AM **Management of Dyspnea/ Advanced Pulmonary Disease**
Dr. Rebecca Colman, MD, FRCPC

12:00PM NETWORKING LUNCH AND EXHIBITS

ORCS SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

CHAIR: Michael Keim, RRT, MA, ORCS Education Committee Chair

1:35PM **Transitions in Home Mechanical Ventilation: Research and Practice Perspectives**
Dr. Mika Nonoyama, PhD, RRT and Faiza Syed, BHSC, RRT

GENERAL MEETING

2:15PM **Ontario Respiratory Care Society (ORCS) AGM**
Chair: Dr. Dina Brooks, BScPT, MSc, PhD

2:45PM TAKE A BREATH & EXHIBITS

Virtual Rehabilitation
Denise Taylor, PT, MPH, BScPT

3:15PM **Knowledge to Action: Hot Topics in Research**
Lisa Wickerson, BScPT, MSc, PhD; Sylvia Renaldi, MSc, PhD; and Colin Massicotte, RPSGT

Rapid Fire 3-Minute Poster Presentations
Chair: Dr. Mika Nonoyama

6:00PM End of Day 2

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SATURDAY, JAN. 26

7:00AM REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST

DEBATES

CHAIR: Dr. Shawn Aaron, MD, MSc, FRCPC

8:30AM **Vaping / E-Cigarettes Should Be Used for Smoking Cessation**
PRO: Dr. Marcel Tunks, MD, FRCPC
CON: Dr. Cory Yamashita, MD, FRCPC

RESEARCH TALK

9:15AM **New TB Vaccine Strategies: From Bench to Human Studies**
Dr. Zhou Xing, MD, PhD

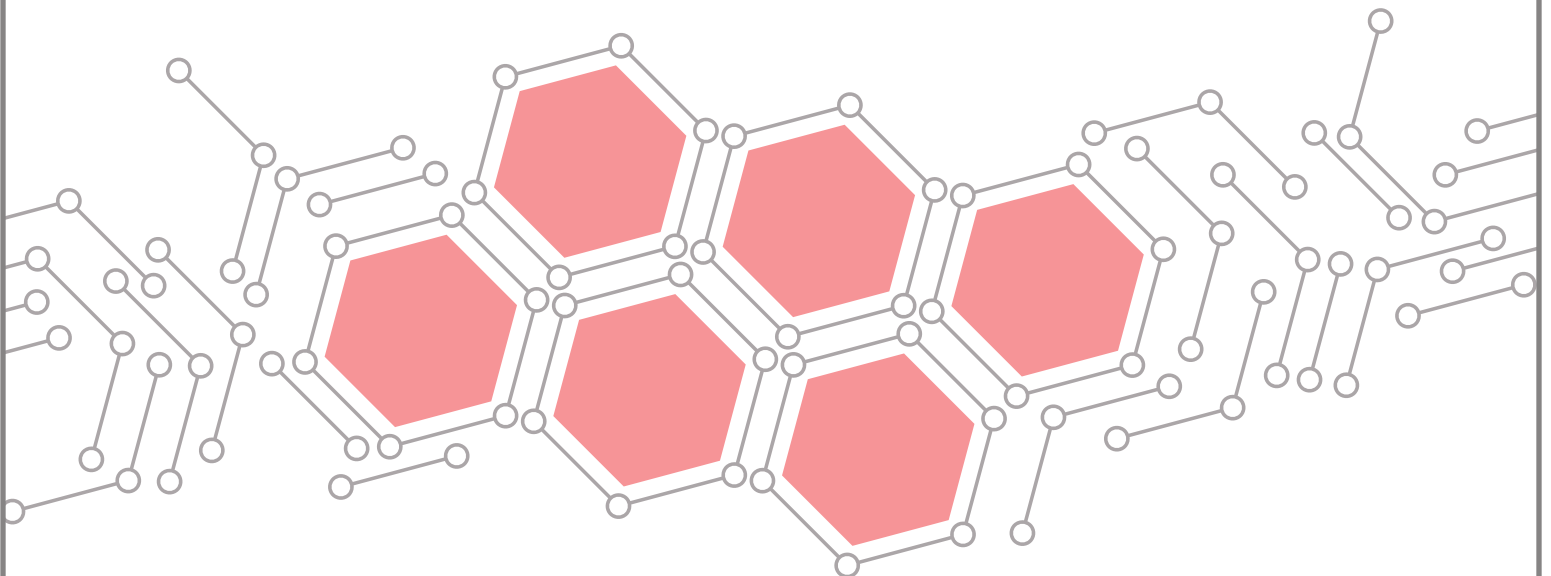
10:00AM TAKE A BREATHER & EXHIBITS

DEBATES (CONTINUED)

10:30AM **MI way or the BI way:
Motivational Interviewing (MI) vs Brief Intervention (BI) for Effective Behaviour Change**
Lana Biro, RRT, CRE and Ana MacPherson, MSc, RRT, CRE/CTE, SFI

11:30AM **Closing Remarks**
Dr. Dina Brooks, BScPT, MSc, PhD

12:00PM **End of Better Breathing 2019**



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