

Program-at-a-Glance: Day One

Day 1	Thursday November 10, 2016			
	Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D
7:30	Registration & Continental Breakfast			
8:45 – 9:00	Opening Remarks			
9:00 – 10:00	<p>Keynote Address: COGNITIVE REHABILITATION: WHAT ARE THE ESSENTIAL INGREDIENTS?</p> <p>Lyn Turkstra, PhD, CCC-SLP, BC-ANCDs Professor and Associate Dean, Speech-Language Pathology, School of Rehabilitation Science, McMaster University</p> <p><i>Supported by an unrestricted educational grant from Thomson Rogers</i></p>			
10:10 - 10:55 Concurrent Sessions	<p>PARTNERS IN STRENGTH – LEARNING FROM THE LIVED EXPERIENCE</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Caron Gan, RN, MScN, RMFT RN, Marriage and Family Therapist, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p> <p>Amir Karmali, Family-Centred Care Specialist, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p>	<p>LIFE WITH A BRAIN INJURY AND A DUAL DIAGNOSIS: BARRIERS TO OUTCOME</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Rolf Gainer, PhD Chief Executive Officer, Neurologic Rehabilitation Institute of Ontario (NRIO)</p>	<p>GETTING TO CAT – A ROADMAP FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Stacey L. Stevens, LL.B, Partner, Thomson Rogers, Personal Injury Lawyers</p>	<p>EASING THE STRAIN OF PAIN ON THE BRAIN: HOW A NEW SERVICE WAS DEVELOPED TO TEACH PAIN SELF-MANAGEMENT SKILLS FOR BRAIN INJURY SURVIVORS, AND USEFUL TAKE-HOME PRINCIPLES FOR YOUR PRACTICE</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Bronwen Moore, OT Reg (Ont), Occupational Therapist, UHN - Toronto Rehab Brain and Spinal Cord Program LEAP Service</p> <p>Bonnie Cai-Duarte, BSc PT, M.Sc., Physiotherapist, UHN - Toronto Rehab Brain and Spinal Cord Program LEAP Service</p> <p><i>Supported by an unrestricted educational grant from McLeish Orlando</i></p>
10:55-11:25	<i>Break</i>			

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11:25 - 12:10 Concurrent Sessions	<p>THE ABI SIBKIT: PILOTING TIPS AND RESOURCES FOR SUPPORTING SIBLINGS</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Kathy Gravel, MSW, RSW, AAMFT Clinical Fellow Adjunct Lecturer, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work, University of Toronto Social Worker, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p> <p>Laura Hughson, CYW (cert.) Child & Youth Worker and Clinical Education Liaison, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p> <p>Breanne Mathers, B.A., TRS, CCLS Certified Child Life Specialist and Inpatient Snoezelen Coordinator, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p>	<p>LIFE AFTER BRAIN INJURY: FACTORS IMPACTING SATISFACTION WITH LIFE IN CAREGIVERS OF BRAIN INJURY SURVIVORS</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Cecile Proctor, B. A. (Hons), M. A. Candidate, University of New Brunswick</p>	<p>FEELING STUCK WITH YOUR CLIENT: NAVIGATING THE THERAPEUTIC ALLIANCE</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Heidi Reznick, OT Reg.(Ont.), FunctionAbility Rehabilitation Services</p> <p>Veronica Takes, OT Reg.(Ont.), FunctionAbility Rehabilitation Services</p>	<p>A SCIENTIFIC, EVIDENCE BASED PRESENTATION ON THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN POST-CONCUSSION SYNDROME (PCS), HRV, CORTISOL, EXERCISE TOLERANCE, AND CHRONIC HEAD PAIN</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Kelly Armstrong, OTR, SIPT, MPP Senior Instructor, MPS Education, and President Women's Integrative Healing</p>
12:10 - 1:00	<i>Lunch - Sponsored by Carranza LLP</i>			

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1:00 - 1:15	Thomson Rogers, our Diamond Sponsor, celebrates its 80 th Anniversary! Join us in the Grand Ballroom
1:15 - 2:10 Rapid Podium Presentations	Rapid Podium Presentations – 5 presentations (9 minutes each)
	Title: EMBRACE THE CHALLENGE Presenter: David McQuillan, Caregiver, Community Head Injury Resource Services (CHIRS)
	Title: TRANSITION FROM REHABILITATION TO SCHOOL FOR YOUTH WITH AN ACQUIRED BRAIN INJURY: EXPLORING PARENTS' EXPERIENCES AND THE ROLE OF THE PHYSIOTHERAPIST Presenter: Tracy Lee, MScPT, Physiotherapist, Brain Injury Rehabilitation Team, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital; Status-Only Appointment as Lecturer, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Toronto
	Title: UTILIZING INTENDU TO TRANSFORM COGNITIVE REHABILITATION FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH MILD TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY Presenters: Sarah Berry, OT Reg. (Ont.), Beverlee C. Melamed & Associates Ade Dyon, OT Reg. (Ont.), Beverlee C. Melamed & Associates
	Title: OBIA's ONLINE MTBI/CONCUSSION SUPPORT GROUP – FACILITATED PEER CONNECTIONS Presenter: Katie Muirhead, BA, Advocate Specialist, Ontario Brain Injury Association
	Title: EARLY COGNITIVE REHABILITATION IN ACUTE CARE Presenters: Andrea Blake, OT Reg. (Ont.), Occupational Therapist, Neurotrauma, Neurosurgery and Neurotrauma ICU, St. Michael's Hospital Allison Rinne, OT Reg. (Ont.) Occupational Therapist, Trauma/Neurosurgery, St. Michael's Hospital

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2:15 - 3:00 Concurrent Sessions	<p>KIDS CONNECTING: BUILDING FAMILY RELATIONSHIPS POST ABI</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Mary-Ellen Thompson, PhD, CCC (SLP), SL-P(C), Regd CASLPO Speech-language Pathologist, Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p> <p>Caron Gan, RN, MScN, RMFT RN, Marriage and Family Therapist, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p> <p>Kathy Gravel, MSW, RSW, AAMFT Clinical Fellow, Adjunct Lecturer, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work, University of Toronto Social Worker, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital</p>	<p>FROM CHAOS TO COHERENCE: THE POWER OF MINDFUL INTENT IN SHAPING AND EXPANDING POSSIBILITY IN CLINICAL PRACTICE</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Lynne Harford, MSW, RSW, Social Worker, The Social Work Consulting Group</p> <p>Angela Croft, MSW, RSW, Social Worker, The Social Work Consulting Group</p>	<p>ETHICS IN ACTION: INTEGRATING EVERYDAY ETHICS INTO ABI COMMUNITY PRACTICE</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Clare Brandys, PhD, C. Psych., Psychologist, Community Head Injury Resource Services (CHIRS)</p> <p>Diana Brouwer, MSW, RSW, Social Worker, Community Head Injury Resource Services (CHIRS)</p> <p>Michael Milligan, BT, Behaviour Therapist, Community Head Injury Resource Services (CHIRS)</p>	<p>BRAINEX 90: USING A CIRCUIT TRAINING GROUP MODEL OF TREATMENT TO PROMOTE RECOVERY AFTER MTBI</p> <p><u>Presenters:</u> Shannon McGuire, B.H.Sc.(PT), B.P.E. Physiotherapist, Parkwood Institute</p> <p>Becky Moran, OT, Reg. (Ont.), Occupational Therapist, Parkwood Institute</p>
3:00 - 3:30	Break & Last Chance to Vote for People's Choice Award			
3:30 - 4:30	<p>Keynote Address: THE PATIENT AS A PERSON</p> <p>Judith John, BA, Phi Beta Kappa, Summa Cum Laude Patient Advocate and Healthcare Communications Professional</p>			
4:30 - 4:40	Closing Remarks and presentation of People's Choice Award			
4:45 - 6:00	<p>Networking Reception – Sponsored by Thomson Rogers All registrants are invited to the reception following Thursday's program.</p>			

Program-at-a-Glance: Day Two

Day 2	Friday November 11, 2016			
	Room A	Room B	Room C	Room D
7:30	Continental Breakfast			
8:45 – 9:00	Greetings			
9:00 – 10:00	<p>Keynote Address: DEFINING AND MEASURING REHABILITATION TREATMENTS: DO WE KNOW WHAT WE ARE DOING AND CAN WE TELL OTHERS?</p> <p>John Whyte, MD, PhD Psychiatrist/Experimental Psychologist Director, Moss Rehabilitation Research Institute, Pennsylvania USA</p>			
10:00 – 10:30	Break			
10:30 – 11:30	<p>Concurrent Workshops</p> <p>"SOMETIMES I'D RATHER BE EATING GELATO!"</p> <p>THE COST OF CARING...</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Valerie Spironello, MSW, RSW, Choose Wellness</p>	<p>NO EASY ANSWERS: INTEGRATING CARE FOR COMPLEX CLIENTS</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Carolyn Lemsky, PhD, C. Psych ABPP-Cn, Clinical Director, Community Head Injury Resource Services of Toronto (CHIRS)</p> <p><i>Supported by an unrestricted educational grant from Oatley Vigmond</i></p>	<p>THE USE OF MUSIC THERAPY TO WORK TOWARDS FUNCTIONAL REHABILITATION GOALS FOLLOWING ABI</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Cheryl Jones, MMT, NMT-F, MTA PhD Candidate: University of Toronto: Music and Health Sciences</p>	<p>REHABILITATION NEUROSCIENCE: A NEW FRONTIER IN COGNITIVE REHABILITATION</p> <p><u>Presenter:</u> Gary R. Turner, PhD, C.Psych. Associate Professor Department of Psychology, Faculty of Health York University</p>
11:30 – 12:30	Lunch			
12:30-1:30	<p>Keynote Address: TBI RESULTING FROM EXPLOSIVEBLAST WAVE PROPAGATION – A SOLDIERS' PERSPECTIVE</p> <p>Warrant Officer Mark Jones, CD, CDS Commendation, Joint Counter Explosives Threat Task Force, Canadian Armed Forces</p>			
1:30-2:00	Closing Remarks			

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