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CCSA's Issues of Substance 2021 Program at a Glance

Note: Authors whose names are in bold are presenting authors.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23	
TIME in EST	ACTIVITY
11:00–11:30	Opening Remarks
11:30–12:30	Keynote Plenary 1 Title TBC Eddy Robinson (simultaneous interpretation available)
12:30–13:00	Break and Poster Viewing Session
13:00–14:00	CONCURRENT SESSION A
<p>ORAL A1: Updating Canada's Low-Risk Drinking Guidelines to Reduce Alcohol Related Harms (in English)</p> <p>Catherine Paradis, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Peter Butt, University of Saskatchewan Hanie Edalati, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Christine Levesque, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Jennifer Reynolds, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction</p> <p>ORAL A2: COM-CAP Supports for Innovative Community-Level Initiatives in Addressing Opioid/Overdose Harms (in English)</p> <p>Caroline Bennett AbuAyyash, Public Health Ontario Pamela Leece, Public Health Ontario Triti Khorasheh, Public Health Ontario Kate Sellen, Ontario College of Art & Design University Maryam Mallakin, Ontario College of Art & Design University Christina Dery, Ontario College of Art & Design University Robert Schwartz, University of Toronto Emily Taylor, University of Toronto</p> <p>WORKSHOP A3: Best Practices in Recognizing the Expertise of People who Use Drugs (in English)</p> <p>Natasha Touesnard, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs San Patten, San Patten and Associates, Inc. Jenn McCrindle, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs Michael Nurse, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction's Lived, Living Experience and Family and Friends Working Groups Shay J. Vanderschaeghe, Canadian Drug Policy Coalition Wyatt Noel, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs Joshua Edward, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs Marie-Anik Blanchet-Gagnon, Sherbrooke University, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs</p>	

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13:00–14:00 | **CONCURRENT SESSION A (continued)**

ORAL A4: Youth and Substance Use

A4.1 Who Is in the Cracks? Profiles of Youths Seeking Intensive Substance Use Treatment (in English)

Laura Mills, Pine River Institute

A4.2 Understanding Youth and Young Adults' Interest in Vaping Flavoured Cannabis (in English)

Andra Taylor, Health Canada

A4.3 Walking in the Shoes of a Youth with OUD: an Interactive Addiction Simulation (in English)

Faria Khan, Alberta Health Services

Linda Kongnetiman, Alberta Health Services

ORAL A5: Improving Outcomes: Perinatal Clients and Substance Use

A5.1 A Collaborative Approach to Care and Child Welfare for Perinatal Patients Who Use Substances (In English)

Erika Royal, BC Ministry of Children and Family Development

Alison Grundel, Vancouver Aboriginal Child and Family Services

Christene Buchanan, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre and BC Children's Hospital

Jillian Richman, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

A5.2 Elders Visioning Perinatal Substance Use Toolkit (in English)

Akash Sidhu, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

Elder Roberta Price, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

Elder Glida Morgan, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

Denise Bradshaw, BC Women's Hospital and Health Centre

A5.3 Opioid Use Disorder in Pregnancy, Treatment and Perinatal Outcomes: A Population-based Study in British Columbia, Canada, from 2000 to 2019 (in English)

Micah Piske, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

Fahmida Homayra, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

Jeong Eun Min, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

Haoxuan Zhou, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

Carolyn Marchand, BC Centre on Substance Use

Annabel Mead, Provincial Perinatal Substance Use Project

Jennifer Ng, BC Centre on Substance Use

Megan Woolner, BC Centre on Substance Use

Bohdan Nosyk, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

ORAL A6: Cannabis and Public Health

A6.1 Perceptions of When It Is Safe to Drive after Using Cannabis: Analysis of Canada's National Cannabis Survey (in English)

Shawna Meister, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction

Nick Cristiano, University of Guelph

A6.2 The Prevalence and Perceptions of Cannabis-impaired Driving among Canadians, 2018 (in English)

Jeanette Bourne, Health Canada

Bruna Brands, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

A6.3 Cannabis, Corporate Crime and Public Health (in English)

Mike DeVillaer, McMaster University

ORAL A7: Opportunities and Barriers in Substance Use Treatment

A7.1 Substance Use Treatment in Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder (FASD) Populations (in English)

Aamena Kapasi, University of Alberta

Erika Makowecki, University of Alberta

Devyn Rorem, University of Alberta



13:00–14:00	CONCURRENT SESSION A (continued)
A7.2 Increasing Access to Injectable Opioid Agonist Treatment (iOAT): Barriers and Opportunities (in English) Brian Rush , Centre for Addiction and Mental Health April Furlong, Furlong Consulting Karen Cook, Addictions and Mental Health Ontario Adrienne Spafford, Addictions and Mental Health Ontario	
A7.3 Effectively Treating Alcohol Use Disorder with Medication (in English) Izabela Szelest , Canadian Alcohol Use Disorder Society	
14:00–14:30	Break and Poster Viewing Session
14:30–15:30	CONCURRENT SESSION B
ORAL B1: Concurrent Use and Transition to Methamphetamine in British Columbia: Reflections on Processes and Findings (in English) Jenny Corser , BC Centre for Disease Control Mathew Dueck, BC Centre for Disease Control Jenny McDougall, BC Centre for Disease Control Jessica Lamb, BC Centre for Disease Control Heather Spence, BC Centre for Disease Control Amiti Mehta, BC Centre for Disease Control Jane Buxton, BC Centre for Disease Control	
ORAL B2: Substance: Pursuing Innovations in Drug Checking (in English) Bruce Wallace , University of Victoria Jarred Aasen, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research Piotr Burek, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research Lea Gozdziński, University of Victoria Scott Borden, Vancouver Island University Armin Saatchi, Vancouver Island University Chris Gill, Vancouver Island University Dennis Hore, University of Victoria	
WORKSHOP B3: Building Competency-based Job Profiles for the Substance Use Workforce (in English) Claire Rykelyk-Huizen , Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Nina Salazar, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction	
ORAL B4: Innovation in Action for Substance Use Treatment	
B4.1 Journey of a Seed: A Métis-specific Cultural Framework to Integrate Métis Culture into Addictions Treatment Programming (in English) Indiana Best , University of Saskatchewan, School of Public Health Barbara Fornssler, University of Saskatchewan, School of Public Health	



14:30–15:30 | **CONCURRENT SESSION B (continued)**

B4.2 Effectiveness of Rapid Access Addiction Medicine Clinics: An Innovative Model of Care to Improve Outcomes for People with Opioid Problems (in English)

Kim Corace, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre, University of Ottawa
Brian Hutton, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute
Kednapa Thavorn, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute
Melanie Willows, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre
Pamela Leece, Public Health Ontario
Meldon Kahan, Women's College Hospital
Kelly Suschinsky, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre
Gord Garner, Community Addictions Peer Support Association

B4.3 A Youth Services Appraisal Tool to Improve Service Accessibility, Inclusivity and Safety for Youth with Lived/Living Experience of Substance Use (in English)

Roxanne Turuba, Foundry
Courtney Lank, YMCA of Northern BC
Curtis Harris, YMCA of Northern BC

ORAL B5: Making an Impact: New Approaches to Education and Prevention

B5.1 A Community-informed Approach to Cannabis Public Education and Awareness (in English)

Marisa Blake, Native Women's Association of Canada

B5.2 Substance Use Prevention in Youth (in English)

Marcella Ogenchuk, College of Nursing, University of Saskatchewan

B5.3 Presenting the World's First Lower-Risk Gambling Guidelines (in English)

Matthew Young, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
David Hodgins, University of Calgary

ORAL B6: The Opioid Overdose Crisis during COVID-19

B6.1 The Impact of the Overdose Crisis on Harm Reduction Services Providers (in English)

Samantha King, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Sue Cragg, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Sara Atif, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction

B6.2 Characteristics and Circumstances of People Experiencing Homelessness Who Died of Opioid Toxicity in Ontario in 2020 (in English)

Symron Bansal, Public Health Agency of Canada
Andrew Caudarella, St. Michael's Hospital
Regan Murray, Public Health Agency of Canada

B6.3 Opioid-related Emergency Department Visits and Hospitalizations during the COVID-19 Pandemic

Antony Christy, Canadian Institute for Health Information
Derek Lefebvre, Canadian Institute for Health Information

ORAL B7: Attitudes, Knowledge and Implementation Around the Good Samaritan Drug Overdose Act Among Police Officers and People Who Are at Risk of Experiencing or Witnessing an Overdose in BC, Canada (in English)

Jessica Xavier, BC Centre for Disease Control
Allissa Greer, Simon Fraser University
Emma Ackerman, University of British Columbia
Brad Kievit, MPH student, University of British Columbia
Max Ferguson, BC Centre for Disease Control
Zahra Mamdani, Project Coordinator (Peer2Peer), BC Centre for Disease Control
Jackson Loyal, Research Assistant, BC Centre for Disease Control
Heather Palis, University of British Columbia
Jane Buxton, BC Centre for Disease Control
Amanda Slaunwhite, BC Centre for Disease Control
Bernie Pauley, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research, University of Victoria



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24	
The Mental Health Commission of Canada has partnered with CCSA to present Day 2 of the conference focused on the Intersection between Mental Health and Substance Use	
TIME	ACTIVITY
11:00–11:15	Day 2 Greetings
11:15–12:00	<p>Keynote Plenary 2</p> <p>My Story</p> <p>Jann Arden</p> <p>This keynote plenary is presented in partnership with the Mental Health Commission of Canada (simultaneous interpretation available)</p>
12:00–12:30	Break and Poster Viewing Session
12:30–13:30	CONCURRENT SESSION C
<p>ORAL C1: Indigenous-led Research on Cannabis and Mental Health (in English)</p> <p>Cara Kane, Mental Health Commission of Canada Amanda Perri, Thunderbird Partnership Foundation Kristy Kowatch, Lakehead University Terri Gillis, Métis Nation British Columbia Jillian Jones, Métis Nation British Columbia Alana Roscoe, First Nations Information Governance Centre</p> <p>ORAL C2: Mental Health and Substance Use during COVID-19: A Research, Policy and Lived Experience Perspective (in English)</p> <p>Robert Gabrys, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Mary Bartram, Mental Health Commission of Canada Rebecca Jesseman, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Francine Knoops, Mental Health Commission of Canada Matthew Young, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Jes Beshara, Harm Reduction Community Support Navigator, LGL Public Health, Peer Support Worker for Canadian Addiction Treatment Centres, Harm Reduction Pillar Lead, Brockville’s Municipal Drug Strategy & co-founder of Brockville’s Overdose Outreach Team</p> <p>ORAL C3: Examining the Intersect Between Pain, Mental Health and Substance Use (in English)</p> <p>Andrew Taylor, Health Canada Manon Choinière, Centre de recherche du Centre hospitalier de l’Université de Montréal Patricia Poulin, Ottawa Hospital Pain Clinic</p> <p>ORAL C4: The Varied Helping Roles of Service Dogs in the Recovery Journeys of Veterans Diagnosed with PTSD and Substance Use Disorder (in English)</p> <p>Colleen Dell, University of Saskatchewan Linzi Williamson, University of Saskatchewan Maryellen Gibson, University of Saskatchewan Alexandria Pavelich, University of Saskatchewan</p> <p>WORKSHOP C5: Developing and Implementing a Virtual Day Program for Concurrent Substance Use and Mental Health Problems: Lessons Learned (in English)</p> <p>Louise Overington, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre Suzanne Bell, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre Kelly Suschinsky, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre Charlene Belu, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre Kim Corace, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre, University of Ottawa</p>	



12:30–13:30	CONCURRENT SESSION C (continued)
ORAL C6: Elements of Mental Health and Substance Use	
C6.1 Latent Class Analysis for Co-occurrence of Common Mental Health and Substance Use Problems in University Students (in English)	
Daniel Vigo, University of British Columbia Richard Munthali, University of British Columbia Julia Pei, University of British Columbia Jean Westenberg, University of British Columbia Chris Richardson, University of British Columbia Brian Rush, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health Angel Wang, University of British Columbia	
C6.2 A Preliminary Investigation of ADHD as a Moderator of the Relation Between Cannabis Misuse and Readiness to Change (in English)	
Talia Tissera, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton Stephanie Penta, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton Mina Pichtikova, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton James Mirabelli, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton Holly Raymond, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton Catherine McCarron, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton Michael Amlung, Cofrin Logan Center for Addiction Research and Treatment, University of Kansas James MacKillop, McMaster University, Peter Boris Centre for Addictions Research, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton, Centre for Medicinal Cannabis Research Katherine Holshausen, St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton	
C6.3 Alcohol and Suicide (in English)	
Melanie Varin, Public Health Agency of Canada Hailley White, Mental Health Commission of Canada Sarah Konefal, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Robert Gabrys, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction	
ORAL C7: Stigma: Why It Matters and Ways to Reduce It	
C7.1 Regarding Our Stigma (in English)	
An Autre, Person with Lived Experience	
C7.2 TRIP: Reducing Substance Use Stigma by Increasing Resiliency Skills, Self-Compassion and Compassion Satisfaction in Direct Service Providers (in English)	
Stephanie Knaak, Mental Health Commission of Canada Kirandeep Kharpal, Mental Health Commission of Canada Marika Sandrelli, Fraser Health Authority	
C7.3 Reducing Opioid and Substance Use-Related Stigma in Health Care and Other Direct Service Delivery Contexts – Evaluation Results from Four Programs (in English)	
Kirandeep Kharpal, Mental Health Commission of Canada Stephanie Knaak, Mental Health Commission of Canada	
13:30–14:00	Break and Poster Viewing Session



14:00–15:00

CONCURRENT SESSION D

ORAL D1: You've Got a Friend in Me – Peer Support in Different Settings

D1.1 The Promise of the ROSE Model in Improving Workplace Stigmatization of Peers in Overdose Response Settings in British Columbia (in English)

Zahra Mamdani, BC Centre for Disease Control
Sophie McKenzie, BC Centre for Disease Control
Emma Ackerman, BC Centre for Disease Control (UBC practicum student)
Mike Knott, SOLID Outreach
Fred Cameron, SOLID Outreach
Amy Howell, SOLID Outreach
Ryan Seguin, SOLID Outreach
Jennifer Conway-Brown, Fraser Health (previously RainCity Housing)
Denice Edwards, RainCity Housing
Jessica van Norren, RainCity Housing
Rayne Voyer, RainCity Housing
Peter Woodrow, RainCity Housing
Tracy Scott, RainCity Housing
Bernie Pauly, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research, University of Victoria
Jane Buxton, BC Centre for Disease Control and University of British Columbia

D1.2 All People, All Pathways: Online Peer Support Meetings for People Seeking Wellness with Relationships to Substances (In English)

Gord Garner, Community Addictions Peer Support Association
Ashleigh Hyland, Community Addictions Peer Support Association

D1.3 Peer Support in the Emergency Department: An Innovative Way to Compliment Care for Young Adults Presenting with Mental Health and Substance Use (in English)

Yolanda-Nicole Delmonte, Sinai Health
Christine Bradshaw, Sinai Health System

ORAL D2: Sex, Gender and Cannabis: Creating a Knowledge Hub (in English)

Nancy Poole, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Andreea Brabete, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Julie Stinson, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Lindsay Wolfson, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Ella Huber, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Lamiah Adamjee, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health
Lorraine Greaves, Centre of Excellence for Women's Health

ORAL D3: The Impact of the Pandemic on the Mental Health and Substance Use Workforce in Canada (in English)

This session is sponsored by an operating grant entitled "COVID-19 Mental Health & Substance Use Service Needs and Delivery – Matching Access to Service with Needs" from the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (grant number 173110) to Ivy Bourgeault and Mary Bartram.

Ivy Bourgeault, University of Ottawa
Mary Bartram, Mental Health Commission of Canada
Lynn Bar-Telford, Statistics Canada
Rita Notarandrea, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Michel Rodrigue, Mental Health Commission of Canada



14:00 –15:00	CONCURRENT SESSION D (continued)
WORKSHOP D4: The Brain Story in Action: Mobilizing Knowledge about Childhood Adversity in Your Community (in English)	
Doris Payer, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Julie Cull, Consortium for Students in Northern Ontario	
ORAL D5: Personal Experience Story Panel	
Hosted by Jennifer Lafontaine (www.communitystorystrategies.ca), this session will showcase the stories of individuals with lived and living experience with substance use and mental health issues, and include a moderated interactive discussion.	
ORAL D6: On Course: Building Capacity and Reducing Harms through Training	
D6.1 Building Capacity for FASD Through the Design of Service Provider Training (in English)	
Pascal Gagné, Health Nexus	
D6.2 Tackling the Opioid Crisis by Developing a Curriculum for Postgraduate Medical Education and Continuous Professional Development on Pain Management and Substance Use Disorder in Canada (in English)	
Lisa Graves, Western Michigan University Homer Stryker, School of Medicine, Kalamazoo, Michigan Fran Kirby, Association of Faculties of Medicine of Canada Richard van Wylick, Queen's University Nancy Dalgarno, Queen's University Klodiana Kolomitro, Queen's University Jeanne Mulder, Queen's University	
D6.3 Land for Healing Train the Trainer Program (in English)	
Deanna Jones-Keeshig, Thunderbird Partnership Foundation	
ORAL D7: The Complex Interplay between Personality, Drinking, Adherence and Distress During the COVID-19 Pandemic (in English)	
Sherry Stewart, Dalhousie University Matthew Keough, York University Natasha Baptist-Mohseni, York University Clayton Murphy, Dalhousie University Mackenzie Moore, Dalhousie University Kara Thompson, Saint Francis Xavier University Marvin Krank, University of British Columbia Patricia Conrod, Centre de recherche, CHU Sainte-Justine The Univenture Consortium, Dalhousie University	
15:00–15:30	Break and Poster Viewing Session



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25

TIME

ACTIVITY

11:00–12:00

CONCURRENT SESSION E

ORAL E1: Cannabis Products, Sources, and Criminal Justice Issues: Findings from the International Cannabis Policy Study (in English)

David Hammond, University of Waterloo
Elle Wadsworth, University of Waterloo
Fathima Fataar, University of Waterloo
Samantha Goodman, University of Waterloo

WORKSHOP E2: Improving Opioid Treatment Service Experiences for Family Members of Youth with Lived/Living Experience with Opioids: A Cross-provincial and Co-design Workshop of Family Members' Experiences, Needs and Solutions (in English)

Christina Katan, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Kirsten Marchand, Foundry, Providence Health Care, University of British Columbia
Faria Khan, Alberta Health Services
Roxanne Turuba, Foundry

ORAL E3: Innovative Efforts in Client Care

E3.1 Digital Health Resources for Substance Use Concerns in Women: A Gender- and Trauma-informed Resource Evaluation (in English)

Lena Quilty, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

E3.2 The Virtual Opioid Dependency Program and COVID-19: Pivoting a Fully Virtual OAT Clinic to Safely Care for Clients (in English)

Nathaniel Day, Alberta Health Services
Maureen Wass, Alberta Health Services
Kelly Smith, Alberta Health Services

E3.3 Ka-pasikônahk Piyêsiw (the Thunderbird is lifting you up) (in English)

Brittini Duesterbeck, Leading Thunderbird Lodge

ORAL E4: Different Paths of Recovery

E4.1 Recovery Is Not a Swear Word (in English)

Rand Teed, Drug Class

E4.2 Strengths and resources used throughout the journey of people with persistent substance use concerns (in French)

Myriam Beaulieu, University of Quebec at Trois-Rivières

E4.3 Writing Your Recovery: The Healing Power of Narrative Therapy (in English)

Ann Dowsett Johnston, Author and Psychotherapist

ORAL E5: It's All About Perspective

E5.1 "A Reward for Surviving the Day": Gendered Meanings of Substance Use in the Context of Daily Activity (in English)

Niki Kiepek, Dalhousie University

E5.2 My Story Is Not Unique (My Experience with an Alcohol Use Disorder) (in English)

Liz VandenBygaart, Community Addictions Peer Support Association



11:00–12:00	CONCURRENT SESSION E (continued)
E5.3 Gatekeeper Perspectives on Substance Misuse among a Muslim Community in Southwestern Ontario, Canada (in English) Siham Elkassem , Affia Wellness, Private Practitioner Rick Csiernik , Kings University College at Western University	
ORAL E6: Monitoring Substance Use Trends: What Does the Data Tell Us?	
E6.1 Alcohol-related Emergency Department Visits and Hospitalizations During the COVID-19 Pandemic (in English) Derek Lefebvre , Canadian Institute for Health Information Antony Christy, Canadian Institute for Health Information Xi-Kuan Chen, Canadian Institute for Health Information Liudmila Husak, Canadian Institute for Health Information Vanessa Sovran, Canadian Institute for Health Information	
E6.2 Community Urinalysis and Self-Report Project: Past, Present and Future of a Standardized Drug Surveillance System (in English) Emily Biggar , Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Veda Končan, Manitoba Harm Reduction Network Kristi Papamihali, BC Centre for Disease Control Doris Payer, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Matthew Young, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Pascale Leclerc, Direction régionale de santé publique du Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux du Centre-Sud-de-l'Île-de-Montréal Brittany Graham, BC Centre for Disease Control Jane Buxton, BC Centre for Disease Control	
E6.3 Predictors of Concurrent Use of Stimulants and Opioids among People Who Access Harm Reduction Services in British Columbia, Canada: Findings from the 2019 British Columbia Harm Reduction Client Survey (in English) Christine Lukac , University of British Columbia Abigail Steinberg, University of British Columbia Kristi Papamihali, BC Centre for Disease Control Amiti Mehta, BC Centre for Disease Control Jane Buxton, BC Centre for Disease Control	
ORAL E7: Marketing and Advertising Substances in Canada	
E7.1 Communication and Advertising Practices Related to the Marketing of Non-medical Cannabis Products (in English) Antoine Fournier , National Institute of Public Health in Quebec	
E7.2 Portrait of alcohol marketing in Québec: strategies for every taste (in French) Marianne Dessureault , Québec Public Health Association	
E7.3 Alcohol Advertising and Control in Canada (in English) Norman Giesbrecht , Centre for Addiction and Mental Health Emilene Reisdorfer, MacEwan University	
12:00–12:30	Break and Poster Viewing Session



12:30–1:30

CONCURRENT SESSION F

ORAL F1: Alcohol and COVID-19: A Time for Change (in English)

Daniel Myran, Ottawa Hospital Research Institute
Susan Barrass, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Tim Stockwell, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research
Erin Hobin, Public Health Ontario
Rebecca Jesseman, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction

WORKSHOP F2: Moving Beyond Regression: Can We Use Other Methods in Substance Use Research to Drive Change? (in English)

Amanda Doggett, University of Waterloo

ORAL F3: Harm Reduction: Best Practices and Novel Approaches

F3.1 Putting Indigenous Harm Reduction to Work (in English)

Andrea Medley, Vancouver Coastal Health Authority
Alexa Norton, First Nations Health Authority
Sarah Levine, Vancouver Coastal Health Authority

F3.2 Analysis of the harm reduction approaches offered to people who use drugs (in French)

Caroline Longpré, University of Quebec in the Outaouais
Monique Benoît, University of Quebec in the Outaouais
Sylvie Charette, University of Quebec in the Outaouais
Jorge Flores-Aranda, University of Quebec at Montreal
Isabelle Savard, University of Quebec in the Outaouais
Gilbert Émond, Concordia University
Hugo Bissonnet, Centre Sida Amitié
Maripier Jubinville, University of Quebec in the Outaouais

F3.3 Prevention interventions in festive environments: Recommendations for best practices (in French)

Marie-Anik Blanchet-Gagnon, Sherbrooke University, Canadian Association of People Who Use Drugs

ORAL F4: How COVID-19 Changed the World of Substance Use

F4.1 The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Opioid Use Disorder Treatment: Client and Prescriber Perspectives (in English)

Kim Corace, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Care Centre, University of Ottawa
Susan Barrass, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Kelly Suschinsky, Royal Ottawa Mental Health Centre
Jennifer Wyman, Mentoring, Education, and Clinical Tools for Addiction: Partners in Health Integration (META:PHI)
Pamela Leece, Public Health Ontario
Amy Porath, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Sarah Konefal, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Sue Cragg, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction
Priscille Pana, Public Health Montréal

F4.2 Love and Substance Use in the Time of COVID (in English)

Mandy Hagen, Dalhousie University
Sherry Stewart, Dalhousie University
Helene Deacon, Dalhousie University
Danika DesRoches, Dalhousie University
Lindsey Rodriguez, University of South Florida
Simon B. Sherry, Dalhousie University
Raquel Nogueira-Arjona, Dalhousie University
Sandra Meier, Dalhousie University
Allan Abbass, Dalhousie University
Myriam Beaulieu, University of Quebec at Trois-Rivières



12:30–1:30 CONCURRENT SESSION F (continued)

F4.3 Changes in Substance Supply and Use Characteristics among People Who Use Drugs during the COVID-19 Global Pandemic: A National Qualitative Assessment in Canada (in English)

Fariyah Ali, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

ORAL F5: Changing the Landscape of Substance Use through Legalization and Decriminalization

F5.1 The Impact of Cannabis Legalization in Canada on Adolescents' Perceptions (in English)

Jill Robinson, University of British Columbia Okanagan

F5.2 Decriminalizing Drugs: A Canadian Civil Society Common Platform (in English)

Sandra Ka Hon Chu, HIV Legal Network

Richard Elliott, HIV Legal Network

Scott Bernstein, Canadian Drug Policy Coalition

Caitlin Shane, Pivot Legal Society

Donald MacPherson, Canadian Drug Policy Coalition

F5.3 Over-policed and Underrepresented: Perspectives on Cannabis Legalization from Members of Racialized Communities in Canada (in English)

Jessica Wiese, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

Tara Marie Watson, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

Akwasi Owusu-Bempah, University of Toronto

Elaine Hyshka, University of Alberta

Tara Elton-Marshall, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

Margaret Robinson, Dalhousie University

Samantha Wells, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

Sergio Rueda, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

ORAL F6: Opioid Use Disorder Treatment in Canada (in English)

F6.1 Environmental Scan of Withdrawal Management Practices and Services in Canada: Response to Opioid Use Disorder

Brian Rush, Centre for Addiction and Mental Health

F6.2 Psychedelic Use Is Associated with Reduced Daily Opioid Use among People Who Use Illicit Drugs in a Canadian Setting (in English)

Elena Argento, University of British Columbia; BC Centre on Substance Use

M. Eugenia Socias, University of British Columbia, BC Centre on Substance Use

Kanna Hayashi, Simon Fraser University; BC Centre on Substance Use

JinCheol Choi, BC Centre on Substance Use

Lindsay Mackay, University of British Columbia

Devon Christie, University of British Columbia

M-J Milloy, University of British Columbia; BC Centre on Substance Use

Kora DeBeck, Simon Fraser University; BC Centre on Substance Use

F6.3 Assessing the Determinants of Completing OAT Induction and Long-term Retention: A Population-based Study in British Columbia, Canada, (in English)

Megan Kurz, Centre for Health Evaluations and Outcome Sciences

Jeong Eun Min, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences

Laura Dale, Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences

Bohdan Nosyk, Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences



12:30–1:30	CONCURRENT SESSION F (continued)
ORAL F7: Saving Lives: Overdose Prevention Strategies	
F7.1 Section 56 Exemptions for Drug Checking Services: Supporting a Streamlined Approach (in English)	
Doris Payer, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction Karen McDonald, Centre on Drug Policy Evaluation Bruce Wallace, University of Victoria Jarred Aasen, Canadian Institute for Substance Use Research	
F7.2 Scoping Review on drug analysis models: in support to overdose prevention strategies in Québec (in French)	
Monique Benoit, University of Quebec in the Outaouais Jorge Flores-Aranda, University of Quebec at Montreal Caroline Longpré, University of Quebec in the Outaouais Gilbert Émond, Concordia University Sylvie Charette, University of Quebec in the Outaouais Isabelle Savard, University of Quebec in the Outaouais Hugo Bissonnet, Centre Sida Amitié Jean Robert, Clinique Santé Amitié Marie-Ève Blackburn, University of Quebec in the Outaouais	
F7.3 A Cultural Perspective (in English)	
Sukh Shergill, Surrey Overdose Response Community Action Team	
13:30–14:00	Break and Poster Viewing Session
14:00–14:15	Closing Remarks and Awarding of Poster Prizes
14:15–15:15	Keynote Plenary 3
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