



Call for Abstracts: Guidelines and Application Form

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The Conference Program Committee invites you to submit abstracts for the 2007 Canadian Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion Conference. This national event is being co-hosted by Safe Communities Foundation, Safe Kids Canada, SMARTRISK and ThinkFirst Canada from November 11–13, 2007 at the Westin Harbour Castle Hotel in Toronto, Ontario.

Submissions are encouraged from a wide range of sectors including community groups, social service organizations, education, justice, health, transport, recreation, sport, aboriginal organizations, NGO's, government and industry.

Presenters/authors have the opportunity to submit their abstracts as:

- attended poster presentations – accepted posters will be in place for the entire conference and poster presenters must stand by their poster during the attended session times. Poster presenters will be provided with a free-standing 8 x 4 foot poster board as well as velcro/pins to affix their presentations; no audiovisual or tables will be provided.
- oral presentations (10–15 minute presentations with an additional 5 minutes for question and answer);
- workshops/roundtables (60–90 minutes in length including question and answer. These submissions should include lists of speakers and outcomes).

There is no limit to the number of abstracts one author can submit.

The overall theme for the 2007 Conference is **Evidence, Action, Innovation: Moving to End Injury, Violence and Suicide in Canada**, with submissions incorporating the sub-themes of Evidence, Action and Innovation in relation to issue areas including: social support networks; education; physical environments; social environments; health services; culture; impact of colonialism; spirituality; role of traditional healers; income; social status; employment and working conditions; biology and genetic endowment; personal health practices and coping skills; gender; and, health across the lifespan.

Evidence to Action to Innovation Approach

The overall theme, Evidence, Action, Innovation: Moving to End Injury, Violence and Suicide in Canada will be woven into all aspects of the conference, including this call for abstracts. All submissions will be closely reviewed for their link between evidence, and action and innovation. Based on this, evidence-based submissions need to include examples of how their findings have and/or could be translated to action and the action-based submissions need to include implications for and/or examples of evidence (research, evaluation, etc.). All submissions must also demonstrate how their initiative is innovative and will help us all move to end injury, violence and suicide in Canada.

Deadline

Submissions must be received by the Conference Program Committee by **April 15, 2007**.

Notification

Notification of acceptance will be given by **June 30, 2007**.

The principle presenter/contact person listed above will be notified about the acceptance of this presentation. It is the responsibility of the principle presenter/contact person to contact any secondary authors. Please note that any secondary authors can present the poster or oral presentation.

Registration

Please note that ALL poster and oral presenters must register as delegates for the CIPSPC conference. To register and book your hotel room on-line please go to www.injurypreventionconference.ca. Please take advantage of the early bird registration rate that is available until September 15th, 2007 offering all delegates a \$100 savings!



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Abstract Submission

Instructions — Call for Abstracts form

1. Type the entire TITLE OF YOUR ABSTRACT IN CAPITAL LETTERS. Please note that if your abstract is accepted, this is how it will appear in the conference program.
2. Type the name, title and affiliation of the presenting/primary author.
3. Type the name, title, and affiliation of any secondary presenters/authors.
4. Type the summary of your presentation, single-spaced in a font no smaller than 10 point. The summary should be clear and concise (no more than 400 words). The link from evidence to action to innovation must be clearly stated. Do not include instructions, tables, literature reviews or bibliographies.
5. On the call for abstracts form please indicate under which sub-theme your abstract falls. This will assist the Program Committee in the review process.
6. Indicate your preference for oral presentation, workshop/roundtable, or poster format. Please note that the Conference Program Committee may recommend that some presentations submitted as posters be expanded into oral presentations and the reverse. In some cases, oral presentations will be grouped together into a panel format. The Program Committee will assist in coordinating such panels.
7. Please indicate if you are a student, including your institution, discipline and the name of your supervisor as a co-investigator/sponsor.
8. Presenters/Authors may submit abstracts via the on-line form at www.injurypreventionconference.ca or print off the form and fax it to (613) 798-2422.

If you have any questions, please contact **Shelley Callaghan**.

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Abstract Title (PLEASE USE CAPITAL LETTERS FOR TITLE)

In three sentences or less please describe how your abstract links evidence to action to innovation or action to evidence to innovation.

Summary No more than 400 words (attach additional sheet if necessary)

Presenting Author

First name _____ Last name _____
 Title _____
 Organization _____

Second Author

First name _____ Last name _____
 Title _____
 Organization _____

Third Author

First name _____ Last name _____
 Title _____
 Organization _____

Additional Authors

In the space below, enter information on any additional authors. For each author, please provide all the information requested above.



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Select the issue areas that best describe your abstract (please select all that apply)

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| <input type="radio"/> social support networks | <input type="radio"/> income |
| <input type="radio"/> education | <input type="radio"/> social status |
| <input type="radio"/> physical environments | <input type="radio"/> employment and working conditions |
| <input type="radio"/> social environments | <input type="radio"/> biology and genetic endowment |
| <input type="radio"/> health services | <input type="radio"/> personal health practices and coping skills |
| <input type="radio"/> culture | <input type="radio"/> gender |
| <input type="radio"/> impact of colonialism | <input type="radio"/> health across the lifespan |
| <input type="radio"/> spirituality | <input type="radio"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="radio"/> role of traditional healers | |

Preferred Presentation Style

- Oral Presentation
 Poster
 Workshop/Roundtable

Are you a student?

If yes, please indicate your institution, discipline, and the name of your supervisor as a coinvestigator/ sponsor.

Institution _____

Discipline _____

Supervisor _____

Presenting Author/Contact

Salutation _____ First name _____ Last Name _____

Title _____ Organization _____

Area Code () Phone Number _____ Extension _____ Fax _____

Street Address _____

City _____ Province/Territory/State _____

Country _____ Postal Code _____

Email _____

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