

Newsletter

Northern Alberta Chapter

Welcome

The Northern Alberta Chapter is excited to bring you the Spring 2015 issue of our quarterly newsletter. Through this e-newsletter, we aim to keep the NAC membership informed of your chapter's initiatives, events, and membership highlights.



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Learning, Leading, Inspiring Apprendre, mener, inspirer

Message from the Chapter Chair

We hope everyone is looking forward to Spring and the promise of better weather.

As promised, we completed our Strategic Plan and are now well down the path to planning the actions to achieve our goals. We have divided up the work amongst Chapter Executive, and you may be hearing from your colleagues, as we will be looking to you for support in achieving our goals.

Our Education Committees has worked feverishly to put together a fulsome professional development program that is second to none! I hope you enjoyed our most recent Winter offerings with Vickie Kaminski on 13 March and Timothy Caulfield on 18 February 2015.

Through our relationship with the Chapter Chairs, we are working closely to represent the College as a whole, and to advocate for new and refreshed programming at the national level.

We are proud to work with you, as members of the North Chapter CCHL, to design and deliver learning and growth opportunities that meet/exceed your needs. We welcome you at our professional development events and look forward to getting to know you. Next time you attend one of our events, we challenge you to bring a friend, someone who is not member, but is interested in learning more about us and what it means to be a member. Hats off to the North Chapter for their energy in making this a better chapter...always!

Brenda Rebman, Chair

Upcoming Professional Development Events

Check out these exciting PD events coming up through the Emerging Health Leaders (EHL) and the Northern Alberta Chapter of the Canadian College of Health Leaders (NAC CCHL)!

Date: 11 May 2015, 1700 – 2030h, EHL Edmonton Node/NAC CCHL 2015-16 Mentorship Event. E-mail: ehlmentorship@gmail.com for more information

21 May 2015, 1630 – 1900h, Annual General Meeting, Looking Out Speaker: Laura Keegan. Keynote Speaker: Mayor Don Iveson. Registration will open in early April

15-16 June 2015, National Leadership Conference, Charlottetown, PEI, <http://tinyurl.com/motrtrtm>

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<http://tinyurl.com/k6jaqlm>



Certified Health Executive (CHE)

A shout out to our NAC members who received their CHE in 2014:

Meaghan Allen, CHE; Joseph Ayeni, CHE; Pardeep Dhillon, CHE;
Sunil Nakai, CHE; Jessica Logozzo, CHE; Heather Toporowski, CHE



Congratulations to our New Chapter Members in 2015

- Suraj Chavda Master of Public Health at University of Alberta (Student Member, Edmonton, AB)
- Major Trisha MacLeod, Officer Commanding Medical Company, 1 Field Ambulance (Edmonton, AB)
- Erane McManus
Manager, Communication Disorders, Alberta Health Services (Edmonton, AB)

Other News

Please note our AGM is coming up on 21 May 2015 and we will have vacancies on the Chapter Executive Committee. If you are interested in serving on the Executive, or have someone you would like to nominate, please forward a statement of interest and a brief biography to our Chapter Chair, Brenda Rebman at brebman@futuresrpi.com, or Jewel Buksa, Secretary at jewel@buksa.com.

Your Chapter Leadership Team

Brenda Rebman, Chair, Futures RPI Consulting

Jewel Buksa, Secretary, Buksa Strategic Conference Services

Corinne Schalm, Treasurer, Alberta Health
Mark Lazurko, TELUS Health Transformation

Sarah Jiwa, U of A School of Public Health

David Kay, RPAP | Health Workforce for Alberta

Sandy Jalonen, National Defense

Mareika Purdon, Emerging Health Leaders (EHL)

Taniya Birbeck, Alberta Health Services

Lee Hall, ACHIEVE Management Consulting Inc.

Arto Ohinmaa, U of A School of Public Health

Feisal Keshavjee, KWC Consulting (Alberta Director)



Get Involved!

The Northern Alberta Chapter is always looking for volunteers to assist with its programs. Looking for something new? Wish you could meet more people with similar interests? Want to give back? Volunteering with your Chapter lets you do all that and more! If this piques your interest, or if you have any questions about volunteering or the work of the Chapter, please contact Jewel Buksa, Chapter secretary at Jewel@buksa.com