










CDHA Summit 2023: Program at a Glance

Thursday, October 19

2:00 to 5:00 pm	Canadian Museum for Human Rights Tour sponsored by  Manitoba Dental Hygienists Association Enjoy a complimentary, self-guided tour of the Canadian Museum for Human Rights . Pre-registration is required by sending an email to info@mdha.ca . Registrants are asked to meet in the lobby of the Fort Garry Hotel at 1:40 pm to make the 10-minute walk to the museum. In the case of inclement weather, alternative transportation will be arranged by MDHA.
5:30 to 7:30 pm	Welcome Reception sponsored by  Securian CANADA Crystal Ballroom

Friday, October 20

7:30 to 8:30 am	Registration & Breakfast sponsored by  Crest + Oral-B
8:30 to 9:00 am	Introduction & Welcome Anne Caissie, RDH, CDHA President (elle/she, her)
9:00 to 10:00 am	Keynote Address sponsored by  PHILIPS Using Your Power to Sustain Healthy & Inclusive Communities Presented by Anne-Marie Pham, MPA, SHRM (she, her) CEO, Canadian Centre for Diversity and Inclusion This thought-provoking session will help participants pause and consider what they can do to build the kind of culture, engagement, and commitments needed to support diversity, equity, and inclusion in their workplace and in their clinical practice. Participants will be encouraged to reflect on their power and privilege and what they can do to foster and sustain healthy and inclusive communities.
10:00 to 10:30 am	Nutrition Break sponsored by  Crest + Oral-B
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	An Introduction to 2S-LGBTQ+ Inclusion in Health Care sponsored by  CPS Presented by Keegan H (he/they) Sara R (they/them/theirs) Program Coordinators, Safer Spaces In this shared learning experience, participants will be introduced to content and tools relevant to facilitating a safer space and affirming experiences that seek to address the diverse needs of the 2S-LGBTQ+ community. This presentation will cover topics such as the importance of inclusion, language and pronouns, and strategies for greater inclusion in the healthcare context. The Safer Spaces team will also review best practices and pertinent statistics and offer foundational knowledge upon which participants can build.
12:00 to 1:00 pm	Lunch sponsored by  Crest + Oral-B
1:00 to 3:00 pm	Diversity: It Goes Beyond Race & Ethnicity sponsored by  VOCO  SDI Presented by Joy D Void-Holmes, DHSc, BSDH, RDH, AADH (she, her) CEO Founder, Dr. Joy, RDH Canada's public policies and institutional practices can cause harm to individuals and communities based on race, religion, culture, and ethnic origin, resulting in inequities in all aspects of life. This interactive diversity presentation goes beyond race and ethnicity to equip oral health care professionals with the necessary skills to provide non-discriminatory care to their patients. Participants will learn to be conversant in issues related to diversity and

	to have culturally meaningful interactions with their patients. After this presentation, oral health care professionals can begin the process of reducing oral health disparities and help build a more inclusive society.
3:00 to 3:15 pm	Stretch Break
3:15 to 4:00 pm	Panel Presentation sponsored by HAL=ON Panelists will explore DEI concepts related to 2S-LGBTQ+ issues in oral health care provision.

Saturday, October 21

7:30 to 8:30 am	Registration & Breakfast sponsored by Crest + Oral-B
8:30 to 10:00 am	Building Indigenous Intercultural Capacity sponsored by HAL=ON Presented by Jennifer David (she, her) Senior Consultant, NVision Insight Group This presentation will provide participants with the skills necessary to build Indigenous intercultural capacity, such as adaptability, self-knowledge, attitude of respect, and intercultural communication. It will also offer guidance on developing other attitudes and skills to be anti-racist and strengthen relationships with Indigenous communities, organizations, and governments.
10:00 to 10:30 am	Nutrition Break sponsored by Crest + Oral-B
10:30 am to 12:00 pm	Anti-Indigenous Racism in Canada's Health and Dental System Presented by Jennifer David (she, her) Senior Consultant, NVision Insight Group This presentation begins with a description of First Nations and Inuit health and well-being prior to European contact, then discusses the impact that colonialism (including residential schools, forced relocations, Indian hospitals, and coerced sterilization) and anti-Indigenous racism had and continue to have on Indigenous peoples' health. Participants will understand how the way forward involves incorporating Indigenous ways of knowing into reconciliation initiatives. Please note that this presentation has disturbing details and may be triggering for some people. Please take care.
12:00 to 1:00 pm	Annual General Meeting & Lunch* Lunch sponsored by Crest + Oral-B CDHA's annual general meeting will be held at the Fort Garry Hotel following the morning education sessions. Hear about the work of the association outlined in the 2022–2023 annual report and approve the selection of financial auditors for the new fiscal year. <i>Note: Only active, life, and graduated student members are eligible to vote.</i>
1:00 to 1:30 pm	Stretch Break
1:30 to 2:30 pm	Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB) Program Overview Presented by Alyssa Hayes, BDent (Hons), MSc, FRCD(C) (she, her/elle) This presentation offers oral health care providers an overview of the Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB) program, the federal government's role in oral health, and resources available to NIHB clients and providers.

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