

Tuesday, November 12th – PRE-SYMPOSIUM EVENT

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| 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM | Presented by the Edmonton Seniors Coordinating Council, <i>Connecting Edmonton Seniors</i> aims to increase awareness of system barriers that affect seniors in our community. Shared stories will highlight the pressing issues that require our collective attention and effort to address. <i>Connecting Edmonton Seniors</i> is a network of stakeholders focusing on social isolation as an extension of the work that began as part of the Pan-Edmonton Group Addressing the Social Isolation of Seniors (PEGASIS). |
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Wednesday, November 13th – PRE-SYMPOSIUM EVENT

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| 8:15 AM | Registration opens for Care Hacks: Future Technology for Seniors Reverse Trade Fair |
| 9:00 AM – 9:25 AM | Opening Remarks for Care Hacks: Future Technology for Seniors Reverse Trade Fair (Mel Wong, President & CEO, BioAlberta, Honourable Josephine Pon, Minister of Seniors & Housing, Gary Faulkner PhD, P.Eng Director, Rehabilitation Research Innovation & Technology Development) |
| 9:25 AM – 10:35 AM | Presentations from caregivers and accompanying discussions, which will allow the technology sector to test their technological innovations against civil society's needs related to seniors' health. |
| 10:35 AM – 10:45 AM | Closing remarks from Mel Wong, President and CEO of BioAlberta |
| 10:45 AM – 11:45 AM | Facilitated networking session with our caregiver presenters and Reverse Trade Fair attendees to foster partnerships and further develop innovative solutions for caregiving challenges presented at the event. |
| 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM | Networking luncheon (For Trade Fair participants only) |

Wednesday, November 13th – SYMPOSIUM

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| Jubilee Foyer | 11:00 AM | Registration opens for the Vision 2030 for Seniors Services Symposium |
| Jubilee Ballroom | 12:45 PM – 12:50 PM | Welcome and introduction – goals of Vision 2030 for Seniors Services Symposium (Linda Stanger, President, Alberta Association on Gerontology) |
| | 12:50 PM – 1:20 PM | Opening remarks |
| | INTRODUCTORY KEYNOTE SPEAKERS | |
| | 1:20 PM – 1:55 PM | Responding to the Challenge of Aging - The Canadian AGE-WELL Network of Centres of Excellence (Dr. Andrew Sixsmith, Co-Director of AGE-WELL, and Professor and Director of Gerontology Research Centre, Simon Fraser University) |
| | 1:55 PM – 2:30 PM | What matters most for seniors health in Alberta (Dr. Adrian Wagg, Scientific Director and Dr. Heather Hanson, Assistant Scientific Director of Seniors Health Strategic Clinical Network™) |
| | 2:30 PM – 2:45 PM | Nutrition break |
| | 2:45 PM – 3:20 PM | The changing needs of a new generation of older adults (Corinne Schalm, Executive Director of Continuing Care, Alberta Health) |
| | 3:20 PM – 3:55 PM | Supporting family carers. International discourses, Canadian evidence and a vision for public policy (Dr. Norah Keating, Professor, Swansea University, UK, Professor and Co-director Research on Ageing, Policies and Practice, Department of Human Ecology, University of Alberta) |
| | 3:55 PM – 4:30 PM | Role of technology in helping seniors be independent (Dr. Lili Liu, Dean, Faculty of Applied Health Sciences, University of Waterloo) |
| Imperial Ballroom | 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM | Networking reception |

Thursday, November 14th – SYMPOSIUM

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| Jubilee Foyer | 7:00 AM – 8:10 AM | Coffee and breakfast, Jubilee Ballroom/Foyer |
| Jubilee Ballroom | 8:10 AM – 8:15 AM | Welcome and introduction (Linda Stanger, President, Alberta Association on Gerontology) |
| | 8:15 AM – 8:45 AM | Indigenous Seniors/Elders – Considerations for our most valuable resource (Carol Carifelle-Brzezicki RSW MHS) |
| | 8:45 AM – 9:35 AM | Long range reform of the British health system: the National Health Service’s Long Term Plan (Tim Gardner, Senior Policy Fellow, The Health Foundation, UK) |
| Jubilee Foyer | 9:35 AM – 9:50 AM | Nutrition break |

CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS (9:50 AM – 11:00 AM)

| Session A - Jubilee Ballroom | | Session B - Imperial Ballroom | |
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| 9:50 AM – 10:25 AM | Knowing and not doing is the same as not knowing – three terms that non-profit organizations know but do not do: partnerships, sustainability and engagement (Dr. Haidong Liang, Executive Director, Westend Seniors Activity Centre) | 9:50 AM – 11:00 AM | Addressing social isolation: experience from an Edmonton collaborative (Edmonton Seniors Coordinating Council) |
| 10:25 AM – 11:00 AM | The Long Term Care population in 2030 and upstream implications (Dr. Carole Estabrooks, Professor & Canada Research Chair (Tier 1) in Knowledge Translation, Faculty of Nursing; Adjunct Professor, School of Public Health, University of Alberta) | | |

CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS (11:00 AM – 12:10 PM)

| Session A – Jubilee Ballroom | | Session B – Edmonds Room | | Session B – Imperial Ballroom | |
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| 11:00 AM – 11:35 AM | Transforming the Alberta health system to meet the needs of an aging population (James L. Silvius BA(Oxon) MD FRCPC, Provincial Medical Director, Seniors Health AHS and Senior Medical Director, Seniors Health SCN) | 11:00 AM – 12:10 PM | How can we better meet the unmet transportation needs of seniors in urban, rural, and remote areas of Alberta? Discussion with: - Medically At-Risk Driver Centre (MARD) - Wainwright and District Handivan Society - Drive Happiness | 11:00 AM – 12:10 PM | How do we integrate the medical model of healthcare with community-based social services? Discussion with: - Karen McDonald, Executive Director, Sage Seniors Association - Lawrence Braul, Chief Executive Officer, Trinity Place Foundation of Alberta - Carol Anderson, RN, BScN, Executive Director, Continuing Care, Edmonton Zone, Alberta Health Services - Carol Carifelle-Brzezicki RSW MHS, Provincial Director, North Population, Public and Indigenous Health |
| 11:35 AM – 12:10 PM | Improving the quality of life and care of persons living with dementia and their caregivers (Dr. David B. Hogan, Professor and Academic Lead, Brenda Strafford Centre on Aging, O’Brien Institute for Public Health, University of Calgary) | | | | |

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| Jubilee Ballroom | 12:10 PM – 1:00 PM | Lunch |
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| CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS (1:00 PM – 2:20 PM) | | | | | |
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| Session A – Jubilee Ballroom | | Session B – Edmonds Room | | Session C – Imperial Ballroom | |
| 1:00 PM – 1:35 PM | Improving Seniors Services to Meet the Needs of Canada's Diverse Immigrant and Ethnocultural Communities (Dr. Jordana Salma, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Nursing, University of Alberta) | 1:00 PM – 2:10 PM | Seniors centres are part of the solution: how senior centres play a role in healthy aging in Alberta (Monica Morrison, Executive Director of Golden Circle Senior Resource Centre and President of Alberta Association of Senior Centres) | 1:00 PM – 2:10 PM | Workshop on Dementia Friendly Communities (The Brenda Strafford Foundation) |
| 1:35 PM – 2:20 PM | Report on current status, gaps and issues of current seniors' services in Alberta and possible future solutions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Karen McDonald, Executive Director, Sage Seniors Association - Dr. Sheree Kwong See, Alberta Seniors Advocate - Catherine Douglas, Manager, Health Advocates Office | | | | |

| WRAP UP – Jubilee Ballroom | |
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| 2:20 PM – 2:35 PM | Report on current status, gaps and issues of current seniors' services in Alberta and possible future solutions (Dr. Susan Slaughter, President, Calgary Chapter, Alberta Association on Gerontology) |
| 2:35 PM – 3:20 PM | Panel discussion by experts on Vision 2030 for Seniors Services Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Adrian Wagg, Scientific Director for Seniors Health Strategic Clinical Network - Tim Gardner, Senior Policy Fellow, The Health Foundation, UK - Dr. Sheree Kwong See, Alberta Seniors Advocate - Dr. Norah Keating, Professor, Swansea University, UK and Professor and Co-director Research on Ageing Policies and Practice, Department of Human Ecology, University of Alberta |
| 3:20 PM – 4:30 PM | Discussions by participants on the vision for seniors service for 2030 |
| 4:30 PM – 4:40 PM | Summary and next steps (Linda Stanger) |