



*SEVENTH ANNUAL*

# NP Knowledge Exchange Virtual Symposium



## PROGRAM

# RNAO's Seventh-Annual NP Knowledge Exchange Symposium

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Moving from Strength to Greater Strength: NPs in Ontario, Canada, and around the Globe

Showcasing the NP Task Force: Vision for Tomorrow

*November 23, 2020, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (EST)*

## ***Virtual via ZOOM***

### **Co-Chairs:**

Doris Grinspun, RN, MSN, PhD, LLD(hon), Dr(hc), FAAN, O.Ont.  
CEO, RNAO

Sally Baerg, NP-PHC, MSc, MScN, CHPCN(C)  
Nurse Practitioner Interest Group (NPIG) Chair

### **Objectives:**

- Gain knowledge about the Nurse Practitioner Task Force: Vision for Tomorrow- its compelling history, dynamic progress, and promise to drive successful health transformation
- Share and discuss how the clinical, policy and governance roles of NPs during COVID-19 impacted the system and can be leveraged in the vision for tomorrow
- Identify opportunities and strategies to enable and advance full NP supply, utilization, and scope expansion within Ontario's health system
- Gain new insights on global and local policies impacting health transformation and the role of the Nurse Practitioner
- Contribute to development of a vibrant public education campaign regarding the role and capacity of NPs

Time	Session
<p><b>9:00 – 9:15 a.m.</b></p>	<p>Welcoming Remarks from RNAO Doris Grinspun, CEO, RNAO</p> <p>Opening Remarks and Review of the Day Sally Baerg, NP-PHC; NPIG Chair</p>
<p><b>9:15 - 11:15 a.m.</b></p>	<p>Introduction and Overview of the <i>NP Task Force: Vision for Tomorrow</i> Report Doris Grinspun, Task Force Co-Chair; CEO, RNAO Elissa Ladd, PhD, FNP-BC, MGH Institute of Health Professions, Boston, MA; ICN/APN Network Core Steering Group; Deputy Director, ICN/APN Network Global Academy of Research and Enterprise</p> <p>Panel – Task Force Members Vicki Smye, RN, PhD; Director and Associate Professor, Arthur Labatt Family School of Nursing, Western University; Chair, Ontario Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner Program Beth Sweeney, NP- PHC; Youth Justice Services; NP Policy Consultant, RNAO Michelle Acorn, NP, DNP; Provincial Chief Nursing Officer, MOHLTC</p> <p>International Perspective Barbara Stillwell, Executive Director, Nursing Now</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Catherine Jewell, RN, MN; Nursing Policy Analyst, RNAO</p>
<p><b>11:15 - 11:30 a.m.</b></p>	<p>Break</p>
<p><b>11:30 - 12:00 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Breaking the Ceiling on NP Practice &amp; Envisioning a Bright Future for NPs Globally Barbara Stillwell, PhD, NP, RN, FRCN; Executive Director of the Nursing Now Global Campaign</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Doris Grinspun</p>
<p><b>12:00 - 1:00 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Lunch and Learn with Nurse Practitioners and Task Force Members: A Day in The Life Tara Leach, NP-PHC; Clinical Director/Founder HEALTH Clinic Hoodo Ibrahim, NP-PHC, MSN; St. Joseph’s Health Care; NPIG Communications ENO Wendy Dunn, NP; Greenwood Court and Knollcrest Lodge Sarah Rice, NP-PHC, MScN, ET; Alliance for Healthier Communities/ London InterCommunity Health Centre Renee Bradley, NP; Women’s Health in Women’s Hands CHC</p> <p>Moderator: Elissa Ladd, Task Force Co-Chair</p>

Time	Session
<p><b>1:00 – 1:45 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Concurrent Sessions with Seasoned Nurse Leaders &amp; NPs: Experiences &amp; Lessons Learned from COVID-19 <i>Choice of one concurrent session</i></p> <p>Concurrent Session #1 Perspectives from Acute Care &amp; Working with Indigenous Populations Suzanne Robichaud, RN, Vice-President Clinical Services and Chief Nursing Executive (CNE); Monfort Hospital &amp; Aric Rankin, NP; De dwa da dehs nye&gt;s Aboriginal Health Center</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Catherine Jewell</p> <p>Concurrent Session #2 Perspectives from Academia &amp; Mental Health &amp; Addiction Dania Versailles, RN, MScN, Director of Clinical Services; CHMA-Ottawa &amp; Sherry Morrell, NP, MN, MCISc-WH, PhD (c); Faculty, University of Windsor</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Irmajean Bajnok</p>
<p><b>1:45 - 2:00 p.m.</b></p>	<p>NPIG: What's Upcoming? <i>"White Board" Timeline Review</i> Sally Baerg, NP-PHC; NPIG Chair Eric Staples, DNP, RN, Miller Fellow, NPIG Student Liaison</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Catherine Jewell</p>
<p><b>2:00 - 2:15 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Break</p>
<p><b>2:15 – 3:00 p.m.</b></p>	<p>On the Horizon: NPs and Health System Transformation Helen Angus, Deputy Minister of Health</p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Doris Grinspun, CEO, RNAO</p>
<p><b>3:00 – 3:45 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Crafting a Courageous Global to Local Public Education Campaign: How do we get there? <i>Brainstorming Session</i></p> <p><b>Session Leaders:</b> Barbara Stillwell, Executive Director, Nursing Now; Doris Grinspun, CEO, RNAO; Marion Zych, Director of Communications, RNAO; &amp; Madison Scaini, Web &amp; Social Media Editor, RNAO</p>
<p><b>3:45 - 4:00 p.m.</b></p>	<p>Closing Remarks Sally Baerg, NP-PHC; NPIG Chair</p> <p>Doris Grinspun, Co-Chair NP Task Force; CEO, RNAO</p>