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RESEARCH DAY

Wednesday, November 14, 2018

8:00am - 1:00pm

Community Leaders Auditorium

St. Catharines Site

AGENDA

INNOVATIVE RESEARCH
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Research Office



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RESEARCH OFFICE

Research plays a vital role in healthcare by fostering specialized knowledge, skills and expertise. The Niagara Health Research Office has a goal to be community leaders in health innovation and research.

Established in collaboration with the Niagara Regional Campus of McMaster University's Michael G. Degroote School of Medicine to build a culture of research at Niagara Health, the Research Office is focused on promoting staff engagement and accessibility to research.

The Research Office's mandate aligns with Niagara Health's strategic plan through strengthening our research activities by using research to inform care, inspire innovation and create environments of collaborative learning and research.

Research Office Goals:

- To **build** healthcare learners' and professionals' skills and confidence in conducting health research
- To **promote** interprofessional collaboration in research
- To **establish** research networks with partners in the community to improve integration of primary and acute health services
- To **improve** health through knowledge translation

To work towards achieving these goals, the Research Engagement Program was developed, which encompasses the Research Coaching Program, as well as the Research Seminar Series.

KEYNOTE



DR. DEBORAH COOK
MD, FRCPC, MSc (Epid), DABIM

Dr. Cook is a Distinguished Professor of Medicine at McMaster University and a staff physician in the intensive care unit at St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton. She has collaborated with clinicians in various settings across the world.

In this keynote, she will discuss the importance of conducting research in a community hospital, features of successful studies in this setting, and her experiences working with colleagues locally who are leading the way.

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8:00 - 9:00 **REGISTRATION & LIGHT BREAKFAST**

9:00 - 9:30 **OPENING REMARKS**

WELCOME AND AGENDA OVERVIEW

Dr. Jen Tsang & Zeau Ismail
Research Day Co-hosts

9:30 - 10:30 **FIVE PILLARS OF RESEARCH AT NIAGARA HEALTH**

Research Office Dr. Jen Tsang & Zeau Ismail
Critical Care Dr. Jen Tsang & Dr. Erick Duan
Emergency Medicine Dr. Shira Brown & Dr. Suneel Upadhye
Cardiology Dr. Natalia Pinilla-Echeverri
Oncology Dr. Linda Lee & Dr. Abhi Hallock

Patient Experience in Research Trials at Niagara Health

Research St. Joseph's – Hamilton Laura Garrick

10:30 - 11:30 **INTERACTIVE SESSION & POSTER COMPETITION**

Please join us in the cafeteria space on the first floor for our research poster showcase and competition.

11:30 - 12:00 **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

Building Capacity in Research Dr. Deborah Cook

12:00 - 12:15 **AWARDS PRESENTATION**

Derek McNally, EVP Clinical Services/CNE

12:15 - 12:20 **CLOSING REMARKS**

12:20 - 1:00 **NETWORKING LUNCH**

We invite our guests to join us outside the auditorium for a lunch service and networking opportunity.

