



This territory is covered by the "Treaties of Peace and Friendship" which Mi'kmaq Wəlastəkwiyik (Maliseet), and Passamaquoddy Peoples first signed with the British Crown in 1725. The treaties did not deal with surrender of lands and resources but in fact recognized Mi'kmaq and Wəlastəkwiyik (Maliseet) title and established the rules for what was to be an ongoing relationship between nations. We are all Treaty people.

Mi'kma'ki includes all of Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, part of New Brunswick, the Gaspé region of Quebec, part of Maine, and southwestern Newfoundland.



IPAC NS 2022
Annual Conference
&
Education Symposium

## Halling into the new norm

#### Message from the Education Committee

Over the past two years we have come face to face with just how vital Infection Prevention and Control (IPAC) is, not only in health care, but in how society itself functions and thrives in the face of uncertainty.

Infection Prevention and Control has been thrust into the world spotlight. Hand hygiene, masking, social distancing and symptom testing are not new to the world of IPAC; however, they are now household concepts and practices.

We have seen great diversity during the pandemic regarding vaccinations, isolation, testing and masking.

We have worked hand in hand with Public Health organizations, Occupational Health & Safety and many other stakeholders to ensure that society as a whole were given every opportunity to keep their families and loved ones safe.

We have seen great loss in the last two years and have shed many tears for our colleagues who worked tirelessly on the frontlines of this pandemic. This not only forced us to keep striving for solutions, but it made us stronger and more innovative!

Artist and speaker Richard Hight said "Good things can come out of hard places"!

Now is the time to look at the "New Norm" and figure out how IPAC can continue to evolve. Now more than ever before the world is looking to IPAC for solutions, education, guidance, and our expertise.

Our hope during this Education Symposium is to examine the lessons learned over the past two years, and strive to make our programs and practices stronger and more fierce then they every were before.

What does our "New Norm" look like? How do we move forward? Will you be a part of shaping the future of Infection Prevention and Control?

Duane MacLeod BA/mm, BEd/MM, BScN, RN

IPAC Practitioner and 2022 Education Committee Chair





Vendor Registration at: <a href="https://register.onitevents.ca/register/register.aspx?EventName=IPACNSVendor">https://register.onitevents.ca/register/register.aspx?EventName=IPACNSVendor</a>

**Cost:** \$700 registration fee includes:

- 6' Table with table cloth (set up starts anytime after 3pm on Nov 18)
- Portfolio (Conference agenda, name tags)
- Day two lunch for two vendors
- Two drink tickets for the VIP Wine and Cheese Reception

### **Sponsorship Opportunities:**

I am interested in sponsoring or providing:

- Sponsorship of a Main Speaker (Contact Vendor Liaison for amount)
- A local speaker \$250
- A key note speaker \$500
- A break (approx. \$500)
- A meal or Wine & Cheese (approx. \$1000)
- Promotional items for the conference bags.
- An item to be used at the ticket auction for charity.

There will be approximately 125 to 150 participants at the conference Please contact our Vendor Liaison if interested in being a sponsor.

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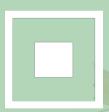
IPAC NS 2022 NOVEMBER 18 Education Symposium AGENDA



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9:00 - 9:30	REGISTRATION
9:30 - 9:45	WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS
	Duane MacLeod, Education Committee Chair, IPAC NS
*	Kathy Ellis, President, IPAC NS
9:45 - 12:00	CIC PREP - Bluenose B
	Daphne Murray, IPAC NS
12:00 - 1:00	LUNCH - Bluenose B
1:00 - 3:00	CIC PREP - Bluenose B
	Daphne Murray, IPAC NS
3:00 - 3:30	BREAK - Bluenose B
3:30 - 5:00	CIC PREP - Bluenose B
	Daphne Murray, IPAC NS
6:00 - 9:00	VIP WINE & CHEESE RECEPTION & AWARDS
	Education Committee, IPAC NS
	(Please see attached page for more reception details)

Special thank you to Stevens for generously providing the 2022 Education Symposium bags!







8:00 - 8:15	REGISTRATION
8:15-8:30	WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS
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	Duane MacLeod, Education Committee Chair, IPAC NS
	Kathy Ellis, President, IPAC NS
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8:30 - 9:30	THE NEW NORM "Lessons Learned from a Pandemic"
	Dr. Robert Strang, Chief Medical Officer of NS
9:30 - 10:00	BREAK WITH VENDORS - Bluenose A, Lunenburg Room, Bluenose Foyer
10:00 - 11:00	FALLING BACK TO ROUTINE "Routine Practice & Additional Precautions"
	Kathy Ellis, President , IPAC NS
11:00 - 12:00	THE NEW NORM IN LTC "LTC Panel Discussion"
	Dr. Lynn Johnston, Department of Medicine, Infectious Disease
	Tammy MacDonald, Director, IPAC NSH
	Patsy Rawding, Manager, IPAC WZ NSH
12:00 - 1:00	VENDORS LUNCH - Bluenose A & B
1:00 - 2:00	BUILDING BLOCKS TO A NEW NORM "Redevelopment, Construction & Renovation"
	Suzanne Rhodenizer Rose, Director, Clinical Planning & Interim IPAC Specialist, NSH
	Kim Allain, Manager, Clinical Planning & Interim IPAC Specialist, NSH
	Debbie Davidson, CBRM Health Care Redevelopment Project Team, NSH
2:00-3:00	THE NEW NORM "A Season of Change! "
	Neville MacKay, Floral Designer & Motivational Speaker, Lime Light Group
3:00 - 3:15	CLOSING REMARKS & DOOR PRIZES

IPAC NS 2022
VIP
WINE & CHEESE
RECEPTION

## Falling into the new norm

# Valiant & Immeasurable Passion Wine & Cheese Reception!

Meet with colleagues and browse the vendor exhibits to learn about new, innovative and exciting products!

This event is planned as a thank you for everyone's dedication throughout these past two years.

Your Valiant and Immeasurable Passion for others has not gone unnoticed!

#### ALSO:

Taking place this year is the
Annual Ticket Auction!
Tickets for the auction will be available
for purchase on Nov 18.
You can choose the prize you want to win!
It's easy and Fun!









This years Charity is:







Looking for more information on Infection Prevention and Control? Interested in becoming a member of IPAC Canada and IPAC NS?

Visit the IPAC Canada website at:

https://ipac-canada.org

Visit the IPAC NS website at:

https://ns.ipac-canada.org

For Membership inquiries contact our Membership Director: Karrie Dunn @ Karrie.Dunn@nshealth.ca





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