



Research Days 2014
**Partners for Health: Communities, Families,
Researchers and Care Providers**
November 5-7, 2014
Civic Centre, Prince George, BC

Call for Abstracts

Abstracts are invited for the 2014 Research Days Conference in Prince George, BC. The conference themes are *healthy communities, integrated, accessible health services and person centred, family focused care*. The conference objectives are:

- Showcase Northern BC research, evaluation and quality improvement projects;
- Profile advances in how partnerships contribute to knowledge generation which can improve health;
- Support purposeful networking for established and emerging partnerships;
- Enhance attendees' research, evaluation and quality improvement knowledge and skills.

Who should apply? Researchers, students, health authority employees, health care practitioners, and community organizations.

We are ready to showcase your projects and partnerships at the Northern Health Research Days! Abstracts of up to 300 words are invited on health research, evaluation or quality improvement initiatives.

Your abstract may present knowledge from a variety of areas, including:

- Aboriginal health
- Access and wait times
- Child and youth health
- Chronic disease
- Disabilities
- Elder health
- Emergency services
- Governance and accountability
- Health human resources
- Health services planning
- Home, community and long term care
- Information technology in healthcare
- Implementing leading practices or clinical practice guidelines
- Knowledge transfer & Exchange
- Leadership
- Mental health and addictions
- Nursing
- Occupational and environmental health
- Organizational behavior and design
- Perinatal health
- Pharmaceuticals
- Population health
- Primary health care
- Public health
- Quality and patient safety
- Rehabilitation
- Research methods and practice
- Surgical Services

Deadline for submission of abstracts is Friday, September 5, 2014

The Abstract Submission Form is available at
<http://www.northernhealth.ca/YourHealth/ResearchandEvaluation/ResearchDays.aspx>

Abstracts are being accepted for workshops, oral and poster presentations:

Oral Presentation -An LCD projector will be available for Power Point presentations. Please bring your presentation on a USB data storage device.

Poster Presentation- The poster session facilitates one-on-one conversation between poster authors and conference attendees. Posters are encouraged to be displayed for the duration of the conference, however dedicated presentation times will be allocated in the Program. Assistance with poster design is available to Northern Health staff.

Workshop- *Participants are invited to submit workshop proposals for potential inclusion in the conference.* Workshops will run approximately two to four hours. Workshops are encouraged to relate to the conference themes and objectives.

Research Days Abstract and Conference Support:

If you have an idea for an oral presentation or poster that you would like to discuss for abstract submission, please contact the person associated with your institution. If you are not affiliated with Northern Health, UNBC, or the BC Cancer Agency, contact Jayleen Emery, at (250) 649-7006 or jayleen.emery@northernhealth.ca.

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