



***Presents:***

***11th Alberta Dental Public Health Conference***

# ***Value Added Healthcare!***

***Dental Public Health Contributions to Albertans' Health, Safety & Well-being***

Co-sponsored by *The Dental Public Health Centre*, University of Alberta

**October 29-30, 2009**

TOTAL COURSE CREDIT: 10 HOURS CE

LOCATION: Sheraton Cavalier Hotel  
Calgary, Alberta

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# Course Schedule

(actual timing of events may change prior to conference)

## Thursday, October 29

- 8:00 Continental Breakfast/Registration
- 8:30 Welcome, Introductions  
*Dr. Steve Patterson, Dental Public Health Centre, U of Alberta*
- 8:45 Keynote Address  
**“Infection Prevention and Control Standards 2009”**  
*Dr. Trey Petty, Calgary, AB*
- 9:45 Break/Displays/Networking
- 10:15 Keynote Address continued  
**“Infection Prevention and Control Standards 2009”**  
*Dr. Trey Petty, Calgary, AB*
- 11:15 Scientific Session #1  
**Scientific Abstract Presentations**  
**1. TBA**  
**2. TBA**  
**3. TBA**
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:30 Scientific Session #2  
**“Lumps and Bumps: Oral Pathology in the Real World”**  
*Dr. Trey Petty, Calgary, AB*
- 3:30 Break/Displays/Networking
- 3:45 Scientific Session #3  
**“Dealing with the Tough Situations: Ethics in Dental Public Health- Case Study 1”**  
*Dr. Steve Patterson, Dental Public Health Centre, U of A*
- 4:30 End of first day of conference

## **Friday, October 30**

- 8:00 Continental Breakfast/Registration
- 8:45 Welcome, Special Recognitions, Award Ceremonies
- 9:15 National Update  
**“Current Landscape of Dental Public Health Issues in Canada”**  
*Dr. Peter Cooney, Chief Dental Officer, Canada*
- 10:15 Break/Displays/Networking
- 10:45 Provincial Update  
*Alberta Health Services*
- 11:30 Scientific Session #4  
**“Oral Health Status of Albertan Schoolchildren”**  
*Dr. Steve Patterson, Dental Public Health Centre, U of A*
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Scientific Session #5  
**“Fluoride: Current Recommendations”**  
*Dr. Steve Patterson, Dental Public Health Centre, U of A*
- 2:00 Scientific Session #6  
**Scientific Abstract Presentations**  
**4. TBA**  
**5. TBA**  
**6. TBA**
- 2:45 Scientific Session #7  
**“Dealing with the Tough Situations: Ethics in Dental Public Health- Case Study 2”**  
*Dr. Steven Patterson, CAPHD President, Dental Public Health Centre, U of Alberta*
- 3:30 Wrap-up, Closing Remarks, Evaluations, adjourn conference

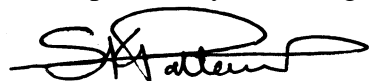
## **Alberta DPH Conference Topics & Speakers**

In an ever-changing and fiscally challenged healthcare environment, questions always arise regarding what can healthcare professionals do to ensure evidence-based, quality and needed care is provided in a manner that contributes to overall improvement in health and maintains the safety and well-being of the population.

This 11<sup>th</sup> Alberta Dental Public Health Conference focuses on elements of our practice that ensure delivery of “Value-added Healthcare” through dental public health practice, an often over-looked and underappreciated component of the overall healthcare system. Oral health is inextricably linked to our general health and well-being and although small in numbers, dental public health workers make huge efforts and contributions to maintain the health of Albertans.

Those participating in this will have opportunity to hear the latest regarding safe, ethical practice, network with colleagues from across the country and be part of a long-standing, dedicated, dental public health learning community.

We hope to see you in Calgary on October 29 & 30.



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29

**“Infection Prevention & Control Standards 2009”**

**“Lumps & Bumps: Oral Pathology in the Real World”**

**Dr. Trey Petty,**

**B.A., B.Sc., D.D.S., F.A.G.D., F.A.D.I.**



Dr. Trey L. Petty is the former Director of Dentistry and Oral Medicine for the Calgary Health Region at the Foothills Medical Centre and the Tom Baker Cancer Centre in Calgary. He recently opened a private practice in Calgary, still limited to the medically-complex patient; the first such practice in Canada. He is an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Calgary and is the Dental Consultant for Southern Alberta for the Alberta Cancer Board. His practice is limited to the mentally and physically challenged, medically compromised, infectious patient, head and neck cancer patients and the immunocompromised. Dr.

Petty has been directly involved in the new revision of the Alberta Dental Association’s Infection Prevention and Control Standards.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

## **“Current Landscape of Dental Public Health Issues in Canada”**

### **Dr. Peter Cooney,**

**B.D.S., D.D.P.H., M.Sc, F.A.G.D., F.R.C.D.(C)**



Dr. Peter Cooney completed his Specialty, Masters and Fellowship in Community Dentistry. He joined Health Canada in 1991 and worked with the First Nations and Inuit Health Branch (FNIHB) in Manitoba Region. In 1997, he became the National Dental Officer of the Medical Services Branch (now the First Nations and Inuit Health Branch or FNIHB). From 1999 to 2003, he was the Director General of the Non-Insured Health Benefits Division of FNIHB. Dr. Cooney is a former President of the Canadian Association of Public Health Dentistry and is currently the Chief Examiner for the specialty of Dental Public Health with the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. In 2006, Dr. Cooney was appointed Chair of the International Chief Dental Officers Public Health

Section of the FDI - World Dental Federation.

## **“Dealing with the Tough Situations: Ethics in Dental Public Health”**

## **“Oral Health Status of Albertan Schoolchildren”**

## **“Fluoride: Current Recommendations”**

### **Dr. Steven Patterson,**

**B.Sc., D.D.S., M.P.H., F.I.C.D., Cert. Addiction Studies**



Dr. Patterson is a graduate of the Faculty of Dentistry, University of Alberta. He later completed a post-graduate degree in public health, receiving his M.P.H. from the University of Washington as well as a certificate program in Addictions Studies through the Faculty of Extension, University of Alberta. He is currently Associate Chair (Academic) and Associate Professor in the Department of Dentistry, Faculty of Medicine & Dentistry. He is also Research Director of the Tobacco Cessation Program and Director of the Dental Public Health Centre and a leader in dental public health initiatives in the province. On a national front he is Past-President of the Canadian Association of Public Health Dentistry and a member of the Federal/Provincial/Territorial Dental Directors Working Group. Dr. Patterson has special interests in the area of interprofessional education & practice, addictions & tobacco cessation, prevention of dental caries,

access to oral health care and delivery of health care services. He has presented numerous continuing education courses and workshops nationally and internationally. He and his wife Shirley have six children and two grandchildren.

# Registration Form

## 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Dental Public Health Conference

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please check professional designation:*

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dentist          | <input type="checkbox"/> Dental Hygienist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dental Assistant | <input type="checkbox"/> Dental Therapist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Administrator    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____      |

### **Payment:**

\$180.00 (includes refreshments, lunch)  
(Student fee is \$70 for full-time students)

*Method of Payment: please check one:*

- Cheque     VISA     Mastercard

(Cheques made payable to University of Alberta)

If paying by credit card please supply the following information:

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

VISA/Mastercard # : \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Send Registration to:

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Edmonton, AB T6G 2N8*

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## Conference Calls:

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE UPCOMING DENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH CONFERENCE!

### 1) Scientific Abstracts- *deadline Friday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>*

Dentists, dental hygienists, dental therapists, students and other professionals are invited to submit abstracts of evaluations of dental public health programs, scientific research findings, literature reviews on a broad range of dental public health topics for presentation. An abstract of the presentation must be submitted. Abstracts will be evaluated and selected according to the following criteria: significance, timeliness, and originality of the subject; quality of writing; study design; and quality of supporting data. Authors of accepted abstracts will present their paper in Calgary on either October 29 or 30, 2009. Each presentation will be limited to a maximum of 12 minutes long, plus 3 minutes for questions. Travel, meal, lodging and conference registration expenses are the responsibility of the individual presenter.

**Each abstract should be typed, double-spaced on a single page, and contain the following components: the title, the names of the authors and their affiliations; followed by the contents of the abstract, which should outline the purpose, target group, methods and findings.**

### 2) Award Nominations- *deadline Friday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>*

**Sandra J. Cobban**

**Dental Public Health Merit & Service Awards**



These annual awards, recognizing contributions made to dental public health by individuals or groups both within the dental professions and without, are sponsored by the Dental Public Health Centre, Department of Dentistry, University of Alberta in recognition of Sandy's exemplary career.

The **Award of Merit** recognizes dental public health professionals who have exhibited a commitment and dedication to the practice of dental public health in Alberta and have furthered this practice through clinical practice, research, education, advocacy or other means. This award acknowledges significant time, energy and contribution.

The **Service Award** recognizes the efforts of individuals or groups who may or may not be dental public health professionals, towards the furthering of and support for dental public health practice in Alberta. This service can take many forms and acknowledges significant time, energy and contribution.

**Nominations can be submitted using the form on the following page.**

**Sandra J. Cobban**  
**Dental Public Health Merit & Service Awards**

NOMINATION FORM 2009

**Nominator:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINEE:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Check award this individual is nominated for:

- Award of Merit
- Service Award

Description of Qualifications for the noted award:

### 3)Dental Public Health Ethical Dilemmas- *deadline,* *Friday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>*

Two scientific sessions will be devoted to reviewing ethical dilemmas that occur in dental public health practice. Anonymous case studies will be presented for review in small groups and general conference discussion to allow for collaboration and discussion about how to deal with difficult situations often encountered in dental public health practice. These scenarios may be related to interactions with patients, co-workers, other professionals, private practice dental professionals, parents, schools, or organizations including your own.

**If you have experienced a situation that you view as an ethical dilemma, please submit a brief write-up of the various elements of the situation, making the submission anonymous in terms of location, person, and date so that no one can be identified.**

### 4)Conference Displays/Table Clinics/Posters- *deadline* *Friday, Sept. 25<sup>th</sup>*

We invite all participants or Dental Programs to consider bringing displays, table clinics or posters depicting initiatives, programs, promotional materials, or research that you could share with conference attendees. There is no cost to be involved in this way and it will go a long way to enhance the networking/sharing that can go on at this conference. Please contact conference personnel as to your desire to put up a display.

#### **Submission Details:**

Deadline date for submission of scientific abstracts, Sandra J. Cobban award nominations, DPH ethical dilemmas, and display requests:

**Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2009**

Submit abstracts, award nominations, ethical dilemmas, display requests by hard copy or electronically as follows:

Dr. Steven K. Patterson  
2087 Dentistry/Pharmacy Building, University of Alberta  
Edmonton, AB  
T6G 2N8  
[steven.patterson@ualberta.ca](mailto:steven.patterson@ualberta.ca)  
Phone: (780) 492-8240 Fax: (780) 492-1624

# Conference Arrangements

## **Conference sessions:**

- All sessions will be held in the Sheraton Ballroom, Sheraton Cavalier Hotel, Calgary

## **Parking:**

- Above ground complimentary parking available

## **Hotel:**

### **Conference Hotel (see map):**

Sheraton Cavalier Hotel  
2620 – 32 Ave. NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 291-0107



A limited block of rooms has been booked until **September 28, 2009** at the conference Room Rate of \$159.00 (indicate you are with the Annual Dental Public Health Conference- University of Alberta)

[www.sheraton-calgary.com](http://www.sheraton-calgary.com)

### **Other nearby hotels & restaurants:**

#### *Walking distance:*

Greenwoods Hotel  
3515-26<sup>th</sup> St NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 250-8855

Comfort Inn & Suites  
3111-26 St. NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 735-1966

#### *Within short drive:*

Best Western Port O' Call  
1935 McKnight Blvd NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 291-4600

Executive Royal Inn  
2828-23 St. NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 291-2003

Travelodge Calgary Airport  
2750 Sunridge Blvd, NE  
Calgary, AB  
(403) 291-1260

## **Refreshments:**

- Continental breakfast, coffee, juice available prior to meeting start each day
- Coffee, juice, available each morning break.
- Lunches on Thursday and Friday are included in registration costs.

## General Information/Policies:

- A **one-day** registration fee of \$100 is available for those unable to attend both days.
- Cancellations: any course which does not receive sufficient enrollment is subject to cancellation. Please notify the Office of Continuing Dental Education [(780)492-5391] of intention to enroll. Pre-registration is recommended. This will avoid frustration when arriving to register for a course, only to find that it has been changed or cancelled.
- Refund Policy: A tuition refund, less a \$20.00 cancellation fee for each participant will be issued up to the course date. After start of course, refunds will not be made. Please contact the Office of Continuing Dental Education [(780)492-5391] if you have any questions.
- GST: under current taxation laws, continuing education courses are not taxed the GST. However the meals and hotel services provided during the course are taxed the GST. The overall fee paid to attend the course includes tuition, cost of meals/refreshments, hotel services and the GST on those items. The University GST number is R 108 102 831.
- Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry reserves the right to limit enrollment, cancel or change the location, time, course content or teaching personnel of any course as may be deemed necessary or advisable.

## Map:

