



Saturday, October 21

16:30 – 18:00 **WELCOME RECEPTION AND OPENING OF THE EXHIBITS (WITH POSTER SESSIONS)**
Exhibit Hall, VCEC

Sunday, October 22

08:00 – 10:00 **NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS**
Hyatt Regency

10:30 – 12:30 **PROVINCIAL DIRECTORS' MEETING**
Oxford Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

12:00 – 14:00 **CANADIAN JOURNAL OF CARDIOLOGY SYMPOSIUM**
Sponsored by the Canadian Cardiovascular Society and Pulsus Group Inc. and presented in collaboration with the University of Ottawa Heart Institute

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Genetics and Cardiovascular Disease
Crystal Ballroom, Pan Pacific Hotel

Co-Chairs: Eldon Smith
Robert Roberts

OPENING REMARKS
Eldon Smith

Identifying Genes for Coronary Artery Disease – An Idea Whose Time Has Come
Robert Roberts

Genetic Basis for Atrial Arrhythmias
Michael Gollob

Genetic Susceptibility to Obesity; A Candidate Gene Approach
Ruth McPherson

From Genes to Proteins: Novel Biomarkers to Personalize Cardiovascular Medicine
Peter Liu

PANEL DISCUSSION
Robert Roberts

12:30 – 13:30 **BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING**
Oxford Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:00 – 16:00

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16:30 – 18:00 **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING / WELCOME SOCIAL**
Balmoral, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

18:30 – 21:30 **PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP**
A Collaborative Effort to Shaping the Future of Heart Failure Management in Canada
Jonathan Howlett
Anna Svendsen
In conjunction with the CCS Heart Failure Consensus Conference Recommendations Program
Georgia B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

Monday, October 23

07:00 – 08:00 **WELCOME BREAKFAST**
Sponsored by General Mills
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

08:00 – 08:40 **CCCN OPENING CEREMONIES**
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

08:45 – 09:45 **OPENING PLENARY**
Ethical Issues in Cardiac Care at the End of Life: Negotiating with Patients, Families and Teams
Patricia Rodney
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

09:00 – 10:00 **STATE-OF-THE-ART LECTURE**
HDL Cholesterol – From Bench to Population Health
Jacques Genest Jr
Exhibit Hall C, VCEC
Chair: Todd Anderson

09:45 – 10:30 **CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS 1**

WORKSHOP
The Champlain Hospital-based Smoking Cessation Network
Bonnie Quinlan
Robert Reid
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

09:45 – 10:30 **WORKSHOP**
To Bridge or not to Bridge: A Literature Review and Implications for an ACNP Run Anti-coagulation Clinic
Sonya Shantz
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

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WORKSHOP

ACS Management: Up to the Minute Pharmacological Strategies – Test Your Knowledge

Debbie Oldford
Mike Callaghan

Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

09:45 – 10:30

WORKSHOP

Research Critique and Preparation of Abstracts for the CCCN National Conference

Cathy Roberts

Plaza Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

09:45 – 10:30

WORKSHOP

Comparison of Home, Ambulatory or Office Blood Pressure Measurement: Finding the Best Approach for Your Patient

Lyne Cloutier
Alain Vanasse
Lise Talbot

Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

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CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS 2

11:00 – 11:45

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Patient Safety ... The Sim Man Way

Leslie Graham
Sandra Goldsworthy

Plaza Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:00 – 11:45

WORKSHOP

Synchronize, Remodel, Regenerate: Implementing Evidence-Based Practice Changes in Cardiac Surgery

Leasa Knechtel
Laurie Fowler
Julie MacDonald

Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:00 – 11:45

WORKSHOP

Managing Infectious Complications of Ventricular Assist Device Implantation

Jane MacIver
Patricia Rose
Annemarie Kaan
Renzo Cecere
Cheung Anson
Vivek Rao

Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:00 – 11:45

WORKSHOP

Nursing Management of Hypertension: The RNAO Best Practice Guideline

Kirsten Woodend
Joy Noel-Weiss
Ann Alsaffar
Cheryl Christopher-Mayer
Cindy Bolton, et al.

Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:00 – 11:45

WORKSHOP

The BAADA Approach To Good Heart Failure Medication Discussions

Cathy Eastwood
Donna Best
Patricia Grainger

Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:00 – 12:30

PUBLIC POLICY SESSION

It Takes A Country: Improving Access to Care for Canadians

POLICY



Exhibit Hall C, VCEC

Chair: Blair O'Neill

Presenters: Wilbert Keon
Penny Ballem

Through its Access to Care Working Group, the CCS has established wait-time benchmarks for a wide range of cardiovascular services and procedures along the entire continuum of care. Our goal is to ensure that all heart patients receive the care they need, when they need it. To make this goal a reality, we need leadership and cooperation at all levels of the health system, from federal and provincial policy-makers, hospital administrators and front-line health care providers. Come join us to hear a lively discussion of the challenges, some opportunities and some practical examples of how to shorten the patient's journey through our cardiovascular health care system.

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BREAK

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LUNCH, POSTER PRESENTATION AND EXHIBITION

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13:15 – 14:50	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1</p>	13:40 – 14:00	<p>ORAL SESSION: HEART FAILURE Heart Failure Patients' Experience with Information in an Out-patient Clinic Diane Greer, Margaret Purden, Althea McBean <i>Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:15 – 13:35	<p>ORAL SESSION: CV RISK Prevalence of Smoking, Health Behaviours and Risk Behaviours in RNs in Canada: Results of a National Survey Karen Then, James Rankin <i>Plaza Ballroom A, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	13:40 – 14:00	<p>ORAL SESSION: SAFETY It Could Happen to You Too! Review of a Patient-related Adverse Event Through the Lens of Healthcare Safety Theory Angela Kelly, Sheila Staples <i>Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:15 – 13:35	<p>ORAL SESSION: CONGENITAL The Decision-making Process of Women with Congenital Heart Disease Regarding Pregnancy Kelley Kilpatrick, Margaret Purden <i>Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	13:40 – 14:00	<p>ORAL SESSION: PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT The case study: An Effective and Efficient Way to Meet Learning Needs Tammy Bolton <i>Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
3:15 – 13:35	<p>ORAL SESSION: HEART FAILURE The Impact of The In-patient Heart Function Clinic Educator Role on Patient Self-Care Practices and Clinical Outcomes Terina Werry, Annemarie Kaan, Tracy Lee <i>Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	14:05 – 14:25	<p>ORAL SESSION: CV RISK Locating Constraints and Supports: Studying Context in Maintenance of Heart Healthy Behaviour Change Jan Angus, Ellen Rukholm, Isabelle Michel, Robert Nolan, Jennifer Lapum <i>Plaza Ballroom A, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:15 – 13:35	<p>ORAL SESSION: SAFETY Evaluation of The Patient Safety Climate of a Cardiac Sciences Program Gayle Urquhart, Bernice Magee, Candace Kenyon, Bonnie Launhardt, Wanda Kelly Rea, Gail Suginomori, Susan Young <i>Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	14:05 – 14:25	<p>ORAL SESSION: CONGENITAL Inter-provincial Partnerships: The Western Canadian Children's Heart Network Sharon Chow, Denise Clarke <i>Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:15 – 13:35	<p>ORAL SESSION: PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT Creating Knowledge Transfer Tools: A Nurse's Guide To Common Questions Heather Sherrard, Lorraine Clark, Erika MacPhee <i>Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	14:05 – 14:25	<p>ORAL SESSION: HEART FAILURE Managing 'Cardio-renal Syndrome': The Experiences of a Community Heart Function Clinic Jeannine Costigan, Donna Lowery <i>Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:40 – 14:00	<p>ORAL SESSION: CV RISK The Cardiovascular Health in Motion Program: Integration of Cardiac Rehabilitation & Risk Factor Management Programs in A Tertiary Care Center Gillian Yates, Laurie King <i>Plaza Ballroom A, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	14:05 – 14:25	<p>ORAL SESSION: SAFETY Measuring Ami Care: Embedding Performance Indicators in Practice Martha MacKay <i>Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>
13:40 – 14:00	<p>ORAL SESSION: CONGENITAL Psychological Well-being in Adults with Congenital Heart Disease Yvonne Balon, Karen Then <i>Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>	14:05 – 14:25	<p>ORAL SESSION: PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT Nursing Competencies in the Cardiac Surgical Intensive Care Unit Irene Travale, Karen Lodata, Karen Cziraki <i>Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency</i></p>

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14:30 – 14:50 **ORAL SESSION: CV RISK**
 Risk Reduction: Mandate for Intervention or Cultural Imperative
 Heather Russell, Dianne Tapp
Plaza Ballroom A, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:30 – 14:50 **ORAL SESSION: CONGENITAL**
 Atrial Septal Defect Closure
 Rachael Ramsamujh
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:30 – 14:50 **ORAL SESSION: HEART FAILURE**
 What's New in Heart Failure: A Review of the 2006 Canadian Cardiovascular Society Guidelines
 Wendy Tucson
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:30 – 14:50 **ORAL SESSION: SAFETY**
 Arrhythmia Device Alerts: Managing The Challenge
 Diane Sell, Carol Harkness, Sharon Ann Kearns
Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:30 – 14:50 **ORAL SESSION: PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT**
 Development and Implementation of an Angina Protocol: Does It make a difference?
 Linda Belford, Sandra Li-James, Miranda Hadzic
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:50 – 15:15 **REFRESHMENT BREAK AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS**
Regency Foyer, Hyatt Regency

15:15 – 16:50 **CONCURRENT SESSIONS 2**

15:15 – 15:35 **ORAL SESSION: CARDIAC SURGERY**
 The Manitoba Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Surgery Research Project
 Jo-Ann Sawatzky, Barbara Naimark, Robert Tate
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:15 – 15:35 **ORAL SESSION: FAMILY**
 The Nexus Nursing Care Model: A New Approach To Nursing Care that Involves Families
 Lorraine West
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:15 – 15:35 **ORAL SESSION: INTER/MULTI-DISCIPLINARY**
 The Combined Cardiac-Kidney-Diabetes Care Clinic: An Innovative Approach to Health Care Delivery
 Terina Werry, Shelley Burnett, Raj Parmar, Betty Pottinger, Adeera Levin, Sabrina Gill, Andrew Ignaszewski, Krishnan Ramanathan
Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:15 – 15:35 **ORAL SESSION: TELEHEALTH**
 A Sustainable Telehealth Solution that Extends the Hospital into the Home
 Krisan Palmer, Cindy Nugent
Plaza Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:15 – 15:35 **ORAL SESSION: RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT**
 The FUTURE Program for Cardiovascular Nurse Scientists: A Unique National Initiative
 Heather Arthur, Kathryn King
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:40 – 16:00 **ORAL SESSION: CARDIAC SURGERY**
 Improvement of Patient Flow and Nursing Workload in Post-Operative Cardiac Surgery Care
 Kelly MacKay
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:40 – 16:00 **ORAL SESSION: FAMILY**
 Evaluating the Delivery of Pediatric Cardiac Care Procedures in the Western Canadian Children's Heart Network: A Family Satisfaction Survey
 Mary Spencer, Stephanie Vermulen, Sharon Chow, Denise Clarke, Pat Hebden, Michele Loeffler, Lea Legge, Norma Becker, Patty Knox
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:40 – 16:00 **ORAL SESSION: INTER/MULTI-DISCIPLINARY**
 A Multi-Disciplinary & Collaborative Team Approach to Managing the High-Risk Obstetrical Patient
 Venus Ramsaywak, Mahnaz Alibeiki
Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

15:40 – 16:00 **ORAL SESSION: TELEHEALTH**
 Telehealth Eliminates Geography For Post-Cardiac Surgery Patients
 Krisan Health Authority Palmer, Cindy Nugent
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 The Arts and Sciences of Cardiovascular Nursing
 Practice: A Poetical Prototype
 Jennifer Lapum
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:05 – 16:25 **ORAL SESSION: CARDIAC SURGERY**
 Has an intensive staff education program improved rates of early extubation post-adult cardiac surgery?
 Gayle Urquhart, Kimberly Scherr, Cate Bulbuc, Rochelle Fly, Christine Hannem, Cori-Lyn Kozak, Karema Lakhani, Tara Meyer, Alan Warrington, Stephanie Wold
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:05 – 16:25 **ORAL SESSION: FAMILY**
 Coronary Intensive Care Unit Critical Review of End of Life Approaches: Indicators for Timing of End of Life Discussions
 Rhonda Allan, Jane MacIver, Milijana Buzanin, Ainat Cohen, Heather Ross
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:05 – 16:25 **ORAL SESSION: INTER/MULTI-DISCIPLINARY**
 Raising The Bar: Meeting The Challenge of Infection Control in Cath Lab Device Implementation
 Sandra Lauch, Leslie Achtem, Rupinder Khotar, Susan Wynne
Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:05 – 16:25 **ORAL SESSION: TELEHEALTH**
 Cardiac Telehome Monitoring Program: Nursing Interventions & Outcomes
 Christine Struthers, Kathryn Easwood, Heather Sherrard, Lyall Higginson
Plaza Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:05 – 16:25 **ORAL SESSION: RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT**
 Cardiac Nursing Index: Quality Care Through Quality Practice
 Heather Sherrard, Eileen Frattini, Lorraine Clark, Erika MacPhee
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:30 – 16:50 **ORAL SESSION: CARDIAC SURGERY**
 Comprehensive Surgical Site Surveillance Programs in Cardiac Surgery
 Jennifer Beamer
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:30 – 16:50 **ORAL SESSION: FAMILY**
 Dysglycemia: A CCU and Family Challenge
 Judy Savin, Martha Schroeder
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:30 – 16:50 **ORAL SESSION: INTER/MULTI-DISCIPLINARY**
 End-of-life care and donation after cardiocirculatory death: Are we ready?
 Patricia Rose, Lisa Goulet, Louise Fullerton, Sophie Baillargeon, Jane Chambers-Evans, Steve Gagné, France Pacquet, Jocelyne St. Laurent, Chantal Souigny, Collen Stone
Plaza Ballroom B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:30 – 16:50 **ORAL SESSION: TELEHEALTH**
 Interactive Voice Response and Transition To Home: Our First Thousand Patients
 Anne Stolarik, Linda Harper, Sharon Ann Kearns, Heather Sherrard
Plaza Ballroom A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

16:30 – 16:50 **ORAL SESSION: RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT**
 Challenges in the Assessment of Cognitive Function of Patients Participating in Cardiac Surgery Trials
 Marie Poirer, Carmen Altoft, Suzanne Picard
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

19:00 – 23:00 **VANCOUVER NIGHT** (ticket required)
Regency Ballroom, Hyatt Regency

Tuesday, October 24

08:30 – 09:30 **HEALTH PROMOTION EDUCATION SESSION**
 Workplace Wellness – It Starts With You
 Martin Collis
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

09:00 – 09:45 **JOHN KEITH LECTURE**
 Kawasaki Disease 2006
 Jane Newburger, Boston, USA
Exhibit Hall C, VCEC

Chair: Marie Béland

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WILFRED G BIGELOW LECTURE

(Developed in collaboration with CSCS)

Challenge, Change and Choice – The Life and Hard Times of a Coronary Surgeon

Bernard Goldman

Exhibit Hall C, VCEC

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CONCURRENT SESSIONS 3

10:00 – 10:20

ORAL SESSION: PERCUTANEOUS CORONARY INTERVENTION

Emergency PCI: A Regional Program for ST Elevation Myocardial Infarction (STEMI)

Kathy Bally, Beth Young, Cathy McLellan

Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:00 – 10:20

ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME

Innovative Access Strategies: Same Day Discharge for ACS In-patients Transferred for Angiogram and/or Percutaneous Coronary Intervention

Margot Wilson, Martha Mackay, Sandra Barr, Ronald Carere

Regency Ballroom E, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:00 – 10:20

ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER

Cardiovascular Nurse Practitioner Practice: Results of a Canada-wide Survey

Sylvia Roschkov, Darlene Rebeyka, Ann Comeau, Jean Mah, Kelly Rae, Kimberly Scherr, Marcie Smigorowsky, Jacqueline Stoop, Jissy Thomas

Georgia B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:00 – 10:20

ORAL SESSION: POTPOURRI

Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy: Care at the Toronto General Hospital

Meredith Linghorne

Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:00 – 10:20

ORAL SESSION: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH

Aboriginal Women's Perceptions of Heart Health in their Community

Ellen Rukholm

Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:25 – 10:45

ORAL SESSION: PERCUTANEOUS CORONARY INTERVENTION

The Evolution of the Coronary Care Nurse's Role to Meet the Care Needs of Patients Undergoing Primary Percutaneous Coronary Angioplasty for ST Elevation Myocardial Infarction

Ruth Foggett

Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:25 – 10:45

ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME

Atypical Presentation of Acute Myocardial Infarction in Women Controlling For Co-morbidities

James Rankin, Karen Then

Regency Ballroom E, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:25 – 10:45

ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER

An Acute Care Nurse Practitioner Model: The Experience of One Cardiology Ward

Nadia Thomson

Georgia B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:25 – 10:45

ORAL SESSION: POTPOURRI

Endocarditis & IV Drug Users: Coping with the Challenges

Jang Ya Park, Nancy Mielezsko, Kara Murffit

Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:25 – 10:45

ORAL SESSION: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH

'I Need to Feel Like There Is Something Seriously Wrong': The Influence of Masculinity on White and South Asian Men's Decision to Seek Help for Chest Pain

Paul Galdas

Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:50 – 11:10

ORAL SESSION: PERCUTANEOUS CORONARY INTERVENTION

Safety and Cost-effectiveness of Same Day Discharge of Patients Undergoing Transfemoral Percutaneous Coronary Intervention Compared to Patients Who Stay Overnight in Hospital

Kathryn Momtahan, Marino Labinaz, Heather Sherrard, Sue German, Cheryl Charleois, Katie Bush

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10:50 – 11:10 **ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME**
Development and Evaluation of a Decision Support Tool to Manage Calls from Cardiac Patients Experiencing Chest Pain
Kathryn Momtahan, Catherine Burns, Heather Sherrard, Marino Labinaz, Thierry Mesana, Yukari Enomoto
Regency Ballroom E, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:50 – 11:10 **ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER**
The Benefits and Efficiencies of a Cardiology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner in the Emergency Department of a Large Community Hospital
Mary Lou Deane
Georgia B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:50 – 11:10 **ORAL SESSION: POTPOURRI**
Aortic Dissection: When Chest Pain is not Angina
Nancy Gwadry, Faye Lazar, Karen Then, Jehangir Appoo
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

10:50 – 11:10 **ORAL SESSION: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH**
Contemplating Change: Patients' & Spouses' Experiences After Percutaneous Coronary Angioplasty for Myocardial Infarction
Ellisa Remmer, Margaret Purden
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:15 – 11:35 **ORAL SESSION: PERCUTANEOUS CORONARY INTERVENTION**
Two-Hour Versus Four-Hour Sheath Pull Post-PCI: The Unending Controversy
Jo-Anne Costello
Plaza Ballroom C, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:15 – 11:35 **ORAL SESSION: ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME**
Myocardial Viability
Norica Stein, Shane Williams
Regency Ballroom E, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

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Nurse Practitioner Role in the Clinical Management of Kawasaki Disease
Nita Chahal
Georgia B, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:15 – 11:35 **ORAL SESSION: POTPOURRI**
The Nursing Role in Acute Stroke Rehabilitation: A Research Gap
Cydnee Seneviratne, Karen Then
Georgia A, 2nd Floor, Hyatt Regency

11:15 – 11:35 **ORAL SESSION: QUALITATIVE RESEARCH**
A Narrative Inquiry of Patients' Experiences of the Technological within Heart Surgery
Jennifer Lapum, Jan Angus, Elizabeth Peter, Judy Watt-Watson
Balmoral Room, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

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Exhibit Hall, VCEC

12:30 – 14:00 **SYMPOSIUM ON ATRIAL FIBRILLATION**
What is new in Atrial Fibrillation?
Parkview Terrace 2-3, Meeting Room Level, VCEC

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Chair: D George Wyse
Ablation Therapy for Atrial Fibrillation
Peter G Guerra
Antithrombotic Therapy in Atrial Fibrillation
Stuart Connolly
Atrial Fibrillation: New Targets for Medical Therapy
Charles Kerr

12:45 – 13:30 **CLOSING PLENARY**
Toward 2020: New Directions for Canadian Nursing
Michael J Villeneuve
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

13:30 – 13:45 **POSTER AWARDS / CLOSING COMMENTS**
Bonjour Québec / Travel Blessing
Regency Ballroom D, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

14:00 – 15:00 **CONSENSUS CONFERENCE**
Recommendations on Heart Failure 2006: Diagnosis and Management
Exhibit Hall C, VCEC

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Co-Chairs: Malcolm Arnold
Heather Ross
Jonathan Howlett

Wednesday, October 25

08:00 – 14:00 **CCCN BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING**
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Poster Listings

Monday, October 23

Regency Foyer, 3rd Floor, Hyatt Regency

001 HEALTH-RELATED QUALITY OF LIFE IN WOMEN WITH ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROMES AND STABLE ANGINA

Hallveig Broddadottir, Landspítali University Hospital, Reykjavik, Iceland

Louise Jensen
Christine Newburn-Cook
Michelle Graham

002 CAROTID STENT PROGRAM: TEAM APPROACH

Bernice Budz

003 VENTRICULAR SEPTAL RUPTURE (VSR) COMPLICATING ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION (MI): NOT AN OPEN AND SHUT CASE

Chris Coltman, Susan Bengivingo,
Angela Coles, Elize Lamoureux,

004 MEDICAL DEVICE ADVISORIES AND HOW SOUTHLAKE REGIONAL HEALTH CENTRE ARRHYTHMIA SERVICES COPEd

Nancy Constable, Sherri Patterson, Marianne Beardsall

005 STAFF EDUCATION VIDEO FOR REFERRING HOSPITALS – A STRATEGY TO DECREASE PATIENT WAIT TIMES AND INCREASE EFFICIENCY WITHIN THE CARDIAC CATHETERIZATION LABORATORY

Tammy Cosman, Beverly Barbato

006 ENDOVASCULAR STENT GRAFTS FOR DESCENDING THORACIC AORTIC ANEURYSM: COMPLICATIONS AND NURSING CARE

Nancy Edge

007 CARDIAC IMAGING ADVANCES DETECT A POTENTIAL NEW FORM OF CARDIOMYOPATHY: IMPLICATIONS FOR CARDIAC NURSES

Lorna Estabrooks, Paula Price, Susan Beischel

008 THE RESULTS ARE IN...THE BEST APPROACH... AS A LAST RESORT...IN RESTRAINING AGITATED STERNOTOMY PATIENTS

Teresa Fritsch-Sitlani, Trish Gaffney, Shree Bhalerao

009 CHANGING OUTCOMES FOR INFANTS WITH HYPOPLASTIC LEFT HEART SYNDROME FOLLOWING STAGE 1 CORRECTION

L. Hawkins

010 ACUTE CORONARY CARE OUTSIDE THE CCU – ANOTHER MODEL

Scott Hutchings, Lynn Voelzing, Beth Grgurich

011 NON-ADHERENCE IN THE HYPERTENSIVE PATIENT: CAN NURSING PLAY A ROLE IN ASSESSING AND IMPROVING COMPLIANCE?

Jackie Jayasinghe, Debbie Oldford

012 OFFERING CARDIAC SURGERY PATIENTS AN ALTERNATIVE TO TRADITIONAL CORONARY ARTERY BYPASS GRAFTING

Mary Sue Kealey, Catherine Brown, Teresa Polan, Cynthia Holm

013 INSTITUTING A SAME DAY TRANSFER/DISCHARGE PROGRAM FOR PATIENTS UNDERGOING PCI

Carol Laberge, Jackie Murray

014 A PATIENT SATISFACTION SURVEY: DRIVING CHANGES IN OUR ANGIOGRAM AND ANGIOPLASTY EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL AT TRILLIUM HEALTH CENTRE (THC)

Dorothy McParland, Audrey Bodnar

015 WEB-BASED APPROACH TO DEVELOPING STANDARDIZED PCI GUIDELINES

Selma Mitchell

016 A STANDARD OF CARE FOR MINIMIZING FLUID IN ENTERALLY-FED PATIENTS IN A CARDIOVASCULAR INTENSIVE CARE UNIT

Nancy Prittie

017 WOUND INFECTIONS AFTER CARDIAC SURGERY: CAN WE DO BETTER?

Patricia Rose, Nicole Sauvé

018 IMPROVING TURNOVER TIMES FOR CATH LAB PATIENTS: AN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING APPROACH

Kyla Sutherland, Seema Mohite, Carol Dunham

019 FAST TRACK FOR CARDIOVASCULAR SURGERY PATIENTS

Susan Taylor

020 WILL YOUR SURPRISE PARTY BREAK YOUR HEART?

Elizabeth Young, Kathy Bally

021 IMPLEMENTING ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTATION: LESSONS LEARNED IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A CHEST PAIN ASSESSMENT TOOL

Irene Zahrebelny, Julie Moffat-Judd

022 ENHANCING THE NURSE'S ROLE IN HEART FAILURE EDUCATION THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN EVIDENCE-BASED TOOL

Irene Zahrebelny, Ann Schofield

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001 CORONARY INTENSIVE CARE UNIT CRITICAL REVIEW OF END OF LIFE APPROACHES: STAFF PERSPECTIVES ON END OF LIFE CARE

Rhonda Allan, Jane MacIver, Milijana Buzanin, Ainat Cohen, Heather Ross

002 YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY BABY: THE EVOLUTION OF CARDIAC CATHETERIZATION AND ANGIOPLASTY

Susan Bates, Vivien Braga

003 HEPARINIZED LINES VS NON-HEPARINIZED LINES IN THE PREVENTION OF HEPARIN-INDUCED THROMBOCYTOPENIA IN POST-OPERATIVE BYPASS PATIENTS: A RESTROSPECTIVE STUDY

Catherine Cardiff, Rachel Romany

004 OPTIMIZING CARE FOR CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE AND 22Q11 MICRODELETION SEQUENCE: IMPLICATIONS FOR NURSING PRACTICE

Loryle Cender

005 THE PITFALLS OF ACHIEVING AND MAINTAINING INTENSIVE INSULIN CONTROL IN CARDIAC SURGERY PATIENTS THROUGH PRACTICE CHANGE

Georgina Chapman, Demetrios Sirounis

006 ROLE OF THE REGISTERED NURSE FIRST ASSISTANT IN CARDIAC SURGERY

Karen Cheah, Brenda Koivula, Gabriella Cremenose, Sheila Arnston

007 CO-ARCTATION OF THE AORTA

Wynne Chiu, Doreen Fofonoff

008 SYNCOPE AND TILT TABLE TESTING IN THE CORONARY CARE UNIT

Ruth Foggett, Mary Lou Brunskill

009 THE CHANGING FACE OF CARDIOLOGY: ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OOF THE COMPLEX ELDERLY

Ruth Foggett, Darlene Wilson, Ancy Sookraj

010 DROPPING PLATELETS ONE WEEK AFTER ABCIXIMAB ADMINISTRATION

Kathleen Fullington, Charlene Lester, Joseph Castro, Rehana Rahaman

011 A LATE CAREER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVE FOR NURSING...RESPONDING TO BOTH A PATIENT AND NURSING NEED

Trish Gaffney, Teresa Fritsch-Sittlani, Phyllis Nichols

012 IMPROVING PAIN MANAGEMENT POST-CARDIAC SURGERY

Sheila Gallinger, Charleene Fros, Valerie Longo Wild, Sonya Shantz, Patricia Cruchley

013 STRESS-INDUCED CARDIOMYOPATHY: BROKEN HEART SYNDROME

Judy Horne, Marleen Spencer

014 CARDIAC NURSING COMPETENCIES: RECOGNIZING COMMON PRACTICE AND SUPPORTING SPECIALIZED EXPERTISE

Sandra Lauck, Annemarie Kaan, Martha Mackay

015 ATRIAL MYXOMA, A PRIMARY TUMOR OF THE HEART

Faye Lazar, Nancy Gwadry, Gail Armstrong, Karen Then, Theresa Kieser, William Kidd

016 THE FORGOTTEN DIURETIC: BUMETANIDE

Charlene Lester, Jeff Carter, Janna Shipovsky, Carolyn Schmidt, Elaine MacLagan

017 PAIN: A MYTH OR REALITY FOR PATIENTS DURING FEMORAL SHEATH REMOVAL?

Sandra Li-James, Zelia Souter, Nenita Tan

018 TRANSITION IN THE 21ST CENTURY: A TOOL THAT PROMOTES SEAMLESS TRANSFER OF CARE

Joanne Morin, Lynne Lynch

019 INTERDISCIPLINARY PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF ATRIAL FIBRILLATION AFTER CARDIAC SURGERY

Monica Parry, Pamela Bart, Janet Giroux, Ron Koob

020 TALK TO YOUR PATIENTS ABOUT SMOKING CESSATION: A TOOL TO ASSIST CARDIAC NURSES

Jill Shorrocks

021 IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF CARE POST-CARDIAC SURGERY – A REVIEW OF COMPLIANCE RATES TO SECONDARY PREVENTION STRATEGIES POST-CARDIAC SURGERY

Sandra Skerratt, Shelley Martin, Gail Beatty, Byung Moon

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