New virtual format

2021 Annual Convention



May 5-6, 2021

Online Registration

Register online through May 3, 2021, at www.advancingseniorcare.ca

Virtual Exhibit Hall

Visit over 40 exhibit booths during the two day program!

Schedule At A Glance

Morning Pre-Show

Wednesday, May 5

8:15 AM - 8:45 AM

8:45 AM – 9:30 AM	The Anchor Desk with Lisa Levin and Special Guests including Deputy Premier and Minster of Health Christine Elliott
9:35 AM - 10:20 AM	Opening Keynote – Timothy Caulfield Infodemic: Overcoming Misinformation in the Age of COVID
10:20 AM - 11:00 AM	Exploration Time! > Virtual Tradeshow > Scaventure Hunt > Five-Minute Solutions Video Lounge > Wellness Break: Easy Chair Yoga > Food for Thought: Yum Yum Chocolate > Mental Health Break: Manage Anxiety with Mindfulness
11:00 AM – 11:45 AM	Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #1) > Establishing and Enabling Effective LTC/Hospital Partnerships > Happily Ever Older: Revolutionary Approaches to Long-Term Care > The Cost of Waiting for Long-Term Care: New Research > Oh, Crepe! Food Service Lessons from the Pandemic > Changed by a Pandemic: How COVID-19 Transformed Our Campus > Strengthening Medication Safety in Long-Term Care > Harnessing the Power of Digital Innovation for LTC

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM Stretch Break: Take a Breather

Wednesday, May 5

12:00 PM - 12:45 PM

Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #2)

- > Palliative Care in Long-Term Care: COVID-19 and Beyond
- > How Not to Work Short: Homes Share their Staffing Strategies
- > Vertical Aging: The Future of Aging in Place in Urban Canada
- > Be Heard: Developing a Strong LTC Voice in Ontario Health Teams
- > LTC Workplace Mental Health: A Leaders' Roadmap for Change
- > More Resilient The Not-For-Profit Difference during COVID-19
- > When Less Is More: Deprescribing and Medication Management

12:45 PM - 1:45 PM

Exploration Time!

- > Virtual Tradeshow
- > Scaventure Hunt
- > Five-Minute Solutions Video Lounge
- > Wellness Break: Stretch It!
- > Food for Thought: The Perfect Caesar
- > Mental Health Break: The Resilient Mind

1:45 PM - 2:40 PM

Networking: Chatterbox Discussions

2:45 PM - 3:30 PM

Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #3)

- > Redevelopment Reality Check: Avoiding the Pitfalls
- > The Global View of COVID-19 and the Long-Term Care Response
- > Peer Support through LTC+: Acting on Pandemic Learning Together
- > New Hands on Deck: The Role of Resident Support Aides
- > County of Renfrew Seniors' Housing Strategy The Sky's the Limit
- > Staying Cyber-Secure through Crises and Beyond
- > Pressure Injury Prevention: New Tools for Risk Assessment

3:35 PM - 4:30 PM

LTC COVID-19 Commission Final Report: Insights from the Lead Commissioner

Learn: Hear from LTC and Seniors' Care Leaders

Take advantage of this unique opportunity to hear directly from Ontario leaders and top companies, all in one place.

The Anchor Desk

Join AdvantAge Ontario CEO Lisa Levin as she officially kicks off the day's events. Hear about program highlights and updates to the daily Convention agenda while interacting with other attendees via chats. Lisa will share the latest news related to the senior care sector and welcome special guest speakers each morning. This is a not-to-be-missed stop on your Convention itinerary.

Five-Minute Solutions

Join us in the solutions-based Five-Minute Video Lounge to take in more than a dozen short videos that provide quick solutions to common problems in long-term care!

Guest Speakers

CONFIRMED! Minister of Long-Term Care Merrilee Fullerton and Deputy Premier and Minster of Health Christine Elliott will be giving remarks. Join us to hear from these and other government officials!



Thursday, May 6

8:10 AM - 8:30 AM	Morning Pre-Show
8:30 AM - 9:10 AM	The Anchor Desk with Lisa Levin and Special Guests including the Honourable Dr. Merrilee Fullerton, Minister of Long-Term Care
9:15 AM – 10:00 AM	Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #4) > The Future of Care: How Homes Are Enhancing Care with Emerging Technologies > Towards National Standards for Long-Term Care > Towards a Brighter Post-Pandemic Future: Campuses of Care > Learnings from Eastern Ontario Wardens' Caucus - LTC Analysis and Advocacy > Management and Medical Leadership: Working Together for Care > Partners in Care: Supporting Safe and Meaningful Engagement of Caregivers During Covid-19 and Beyond > How We Handled the Staffing Shortage: Field Notes from County of Grey > The Eyes Have It: Using "Smart Glasses" for Virtual Care in LTC
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Exploration Time! > Virtual Tradeshow > Scaventure Hunt > Five-Minute Solutions Video Lounge > Wellness Break: Body Stress Release > Food for Thought: Fun Finger Foods > Mental Health Break: Mindfully Calm a Worried Mind
11:00 AM – 11:45 AM	Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #5) > Auditor General Update: Findings and Recommendations for Long-Term Care > Lessons Learned: Moving the Sector Forward after COVID-19 > The Unrelenting Spotlight: Media Relations Lessons from the Pandemic > Diversity and Inclusion: Creating Welcoming and Affirming LTC Communities > Nurse Led Outreach Teams: An Integrated Solution to Supporting LTC Homes > Understanding the Current LTC Insurance Marketplace > What Do Seniors Want? Trends in Dining, Services and More
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Stretch Break: Take a Breather
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Networking: Lunch of Champions/Birds of a Feather
1:10 PM – 1:55 PM	Concurrent Learning Labs (Block #6) > Ministry Update on the Changing LTC Inspections Landscape > Untapped Assets: Creating Affordable Housing for Seniors > Sexual Expression and Dementia: A New E-Learning Resource > Step into Wellness: A Pilot Project to Support Staff in Senior Care > The Dementia Isolation Toolkit: An Ethical Guide for Difficult Clinical Decisions > Taking Action: Incident Management Best Practices
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Keynote - Trish Tutton

Convention Closing Remarks

Thrive! Mindfulness as a Pandemic Recovery Tool

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