

## CAPWHN Annual Clinical, Education, Research Conference September 24 - 26, 2020 in Winnipeg, Manitoba

## CAPWHN MB/SK/NT MEMBERS: YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR 2020 CONFERENCE PLANNING TEAM!

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Association of Perinatal and Women's Health Nurses (CAPWHN) Conference will be hosted by the Manitoba/Saskatchewan/Northwest Territories Region and will be in Winnipeg, MB on September 24 - 26, 2020. We are very excited to bring the CAPWHN conference to Winnipeg!

We are starting the planning process and welcome all volunteers to join our national conference planning committee! We invite all MB/BC/NT CAPWHN members to become involved in this opportunity to work with colleagues and to create an exciting national conference.

## What opportunities are there?

We welcome volunteers with a variety of skills and interests. We have a big team so there is a lot of support and fun involved! You may choose to help with any of the following three committees:

- **The Program Working Group** identifies and communicates with potential keynote and specialty session speakers, develops and collates evaluations, applications for CERPs and other activities.
- The Abstract Review Working Group creates the call for abstracts, evaluates the submissions received, determines which submissions to accept as oral or poster presentations, and organizes them according to the conference themes (along with the Program WG).
- The Hospitality Working Group plans the social aspects of the conference including the social event on the second evening of the conference, the Toonie Trot, and identify the conference charity. They obtain door prizes and silent auction items and serve as local hosts during the conference.

Please contact CAPWHN (admin@capwhn.ca) to express your interest in joining us.

Note: All planning committee members must be CAPWHN members in good standing. Committee members are required to register and pay to attend the conference (at the member rate). If you are not yet a CAPWHN member, go to <a href="https://www.capwhn.ca">www.capwhn.ca</a> to join.

We invite you to help us host a fabulous central conference for perinatal, neonatal and women's health nurses across Canada!

Sincerely,

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