

3rd Annual Pacific Psychopharmacology Conference
Safety Issues in Psychopharmacology

February 13 & 14, 2009



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Current Events Conference

A focused informative conference for Pharmacists, Psychiatrists, Physicians, Nurses, Psychologists, and Students

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Renaissance Vancouver
Hotel Harbourside
1133 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, BC



Safety Issues in Psychopharmacology



Topics

- ° Safety and Antipsychotic Use in Dementia
- ° New Psychotropic Medication Review
- ° Medication Errors in Psychiatry
- ° Pharmaceutical Care in the International Setting
- ° Genetics and Mental Illness
- ° When Clozapine Doesn't Work
- ° Assessment of Movement Disorders
- ° Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
- ° And more.....

Conference Overview

The third annual Pacific Psychopharmacology Conference will be held on Feb 13th & 14th in Vancouver, British Columbia. We invite you to participate and learn from speakers from Canada, the United States and the UK. The 2009 theme is on safety issues in Psychopharmacology with presentations on what is happening in Canada and the UK. In addition, attendees will have the opportunity to learn how to assess movement disorders, hear about recent discoveries in seasonal depression, and expand their knowledge on genetics and mental illness as well as become updated on other topics on psychotropic medications.

DAY 1 -- February 13, 2009

0700 - 0800 **Breakfast**
0730 - 0830 Registration
0830 - 0840 Welcoming Address
0845 - 0945 **Learning from Medication Incidents in Mental Health**
Ben Thomas, PhD Psych, BSc (Hons), MSc, RGN, RMN, DipN (Lond), RNT, Cert Health Econ, FRCN
Head of Mental Health and Learning Disabilities, National Patient Safety Agency, London, England

0945 - 1000 **Health Break**
1000 - 1045 Option A
Medication Errors in Psychiatry
Ric M. Procyshyn, BSc Pharm, MSc, PharmD, PhD
Psychopharmacologist, Clinical Associate Professor, University of British Columbia, BC Mental Health & Addictions Research Institute, Vancouver, BC

Option B
Treating Refractory Schizophrenia: An Evidence Based Approach
Deborah L. Thompson, BSc Pharm, PharmD, BCPP
Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Psychiatry, Fraser Health Authority, Mental Health & Addictions;
Clinical, Professor & Preceptor, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of British Columbia

1045 - 1130 **The Anxious Brain**
Diane McIntosh, MD, FRCPC
Psychiatrist, Clinical Assistant Professor
Department of Psychiatry, University of British Columbia

1130 – 1300 **Lunch**
1300 - 1345 **An Update on Advances in the Pharmacotherapy of Stimulant Dependence**
Christian J. Teter, Pharm D, BCPP
Assistant Professor
Northeastern University School of Pharmacy;
McLean Hospital Alcohol & Drug Abuse Treatment Program, Belmont, Massachusetts

1345 - 1430 **Psychotropic Medications - Sense and Serum Levels**
Jane Dumontet, BSc Pharm, PharmD, BCPP
Clinical Pharmacy Specialist, Fraser Health -
Cottonwood Lodge, Coquitlam, British Columbia

1430 - 1445 **Health Break**
1445 - 1530 **New and Improved? – Psychotropic Medications**
Sally K. Guthrie, PharmD, FACCP, BCPP
Associate Professor of Pharmacy,
The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

1530 - 1615 Option A
Motivational Interviewing: Bridging the Abyss
Penny Jones, RPN, CPRP
Registered Psychiatric Nurse, Certified Psychosocial Rehabilitation Practitioner
Coordinator for Residential & Recovery Service, Northern Health
Instructor, College of New Caledonia, Prince George, British Columbia
Board of Directors, Canadian Mental Health Association, Prince George, British Columbia
Public Educator, Canadian Mental Health Association
Prince George, British Columbia

Option B
International Pharmaceutical Care A Pharmacist Experience
Monica Zolezzi, BSc Pharm, MSc Pharm
Clinical Practice Leader, Geriatric Psychiatry Regional Pharmacy Services, Capital Health, Edmonton, Alberta
Clinical Adjunct Professor, Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Alberta

1700 - 1800 **Reception and Posters - No Host Bar**

DAY 2 -- February 14, 2009

0800 - 0900 **Breakfast**
0900 - 1000 **Genetics: Clinical Implications in Psychiatry**
Jehannine C. Austin, PhD, CGC/CCGC
Assistant Professor, Departments of Psychiatry and Medical Genetics, University of British Columbia

1000 - 1045 **Treating Behavioral & Psychological Symptoms in Patients with Dementia: An Evidence Based Approach**
Kiran Rabheru, MD, CCFP, FRCPC
Geriatric Psychiatrist, Associate Professor, University of Ottawa & British Columbia

1100 - 1200 **Seasonal Depression**
Teodor T. Postolache, MD
Director, Mood and Anxiety Program (MAP), Department of Psychiatry, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, Maryland

1200 - 1315 **Lunch**
1315 – 1400 **Movement Disorders: The Forgotten Problems**
Richard Williams, MBBS, M Phil, FRCPsych, FRCPC
Clinical Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of British Columbia
Adjunct Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Victoria

1400 - 1415 **Health Break**
1415 – 1500 **Movement Disorders: The Forgotten Problems**
Richard Williams, MB, BS, M Phil, FRCPsych, FRCPC

1500 - 1515 Closing Remarks

Target Audience

This conference is focused on providing information for professionals who specialize or have interest in the pharmacotherapy of psychiatric illnesses. It is an excellent opportunity for pharmacists, physicians, and nurses to stay abreast of the most recent advances in the field.

Leisure Time

Vancouver has plenty of options to fill your free time with world class skiing, entertainment, sightseeing, shopping and sporting events. Visit the Vancouver tourism website for a list of options to start you off. http://www.tourismvancouver.com/visitors/things_to_do/

Venue

The Renaissance Vancouver Hotel Harbourside is located on the waterfront and positioned in the heart of downtown Vancouver just steps away from Historic Gastown and Stanley Park.
1133 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 3T3, Canada
Website: <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/yvrrd-renaissance-vancouver-hotel-harbourside/>
Special Room Rates:
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Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Telephone: Work: (____) _____ - _____ Home: (____) _____ - _____

1. How did you hear about this conference? 2. Which days would best suit you for future conferences?

- Website Magazine Brochure Word of Mouth Thursday / Friday **or** Friday / Saturday

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GST Exempt # _____	Students		Delegates	
	Early <i>(Before Jan 20/09)</i>	Late <i>(After Jan 20/09)</i>	Early <i>(Before Jan 20/09)</i>	Late <i>(After Jan 20/09)</i>
One Day	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100+ \$5.00 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$125+ \$6.25 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$195+ \$9.75 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$245+ \$12.25 (GST)
Full Conference	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150+ \$7.50 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$175+ \$8.75 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325+ \$16.25 (GST)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$375+ \$18.75 (GST)
Workshop Choices	Morning: 1000 - 1045 <input type="checkbox"/> Option A <input type="checkbox"/> Option B	Afternoon: 1530 - 1615 <input type="checkbox"/> Option A <input type="checkbox"/> Option B		

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Make check payable to: **PHSA-Pacific Psychopharmacology Conference 2009**
and forward payment to:
Learning & Development, BC Mental Health & Addiction Services,
2601 Lougheed Highway, Coquitlam, BC, Canada V3C 4J2
Attention: Merle Wray

Registration Includes:
Course Materials, Breakfast, Lunch and Health Breaks. For diet restrictions, please specify:

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