

Winter Symposium

Thursday, February 25 & Friday, February 26, 2010

**At the Novotel Toronto North York Hotel
3 Park Home Avenue, Toronto, ON**

PRELIMINARY REGISTRATION PACKAGE

Details are subject to change

The negotiated hotel guest room rate of \$115 per night has been extended. **Saturday, January 30, 2010** is the deadline to get this preferred rate. Call 416-733-2929 to book today and mention that you are with the alPHa conference.

Program Details

Day One: Thursday, February 25

7:00 to 8:30	REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST
8:30 to 10:00	COUNCIL OF ONTARIO MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH SECTION MEETING Discussion with the Ministry of Health Promotion
8:30 to 10:00	BOARD OF HEALTH SECTION – HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Networking Session that includes table top discussions on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Implementing recommendations from the Pascal Report; ▪ Health unit performance management and; ▪ Other key public health issues
10:00 to 10:30	BREAK
10:30 to 12:00	COUNCIL OF ONTARIO MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH SECTION MEETING Cont.
10:30 to 12:00	BOARD OF HEALTH SECTION – HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Cont.
12:00 to 1:00	LUNCH
1:00 to 1:30	JOINT SESSION Address from the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, Minister Deb Matthews (Invited)
1:30 to 3:00	COUNCIL OF ONTARIO MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH SECTION MEETING Meeting with the Ontario Agency for Health Protection and Promotion

Program Details

Day One: Thursday, February 25 continued

1:30 to 3:00

BOARD OF HEALTH SECTION – HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Cont.

- Presentation from Ministries with healthy community initiatives including a presentation from the Ministry of Health Promotion;
- A discussion on creating walkable communities.

3:00 to 3:30

BREAK

3:30 to 5:00

JOINT SESSION

A discussion of the latest evidence on wind turbines and their effects on health.

5:00 to 7:00

COCKTAIL RECEPTION – SPONSORED BY EASTERN ONTARIO HEALTH UNIT

EVENING

ON YOUR OWN

See page 7 for a list of possible activities

Day Two: Friday, February 26

7:00 to 8:30

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST

8:30 to 10:00

JOINT SESSION

Report from Allison Stuart, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care

10:00 to 10:30

BREAK

Program Details

Day Two: Friday, February 26 continued

10:30 to 12:00

COUNCIL OF ONTARIO MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH MEETING

Discussion with Arlene King, Ontario's Chief Medical Officer of Health

10:30 to 12:00

BOARD OF HEALTH SECTION - HEALTHY COMMUNITIES Cont.

12:00 to 1:00

LUNCH

1:00 to 3:30

COUNCIL OF ONTARIO MEDICAL OFFICERS OF HEALTH MEETING Cont.

Wrap up and internal business.

Information

Conference Location

All conference sessions and activities will take place at the **Novotel Toronto North York Hotel** located at 3 Park Home Avenue, minutes from the 401. Nearest intersection is Yonge and Sheppard. The hotel features high speed wireless internet, a fitness centre, an onsite restaurant and is part of the City Centre North York complex which houses the TTC North York Centre subway station, a library, community centre, skating rink, and movie theatre. It is also across the street from the Toronto Centre for the Arts where there are nightly performances of Jersey Boys and other community theatre productions.

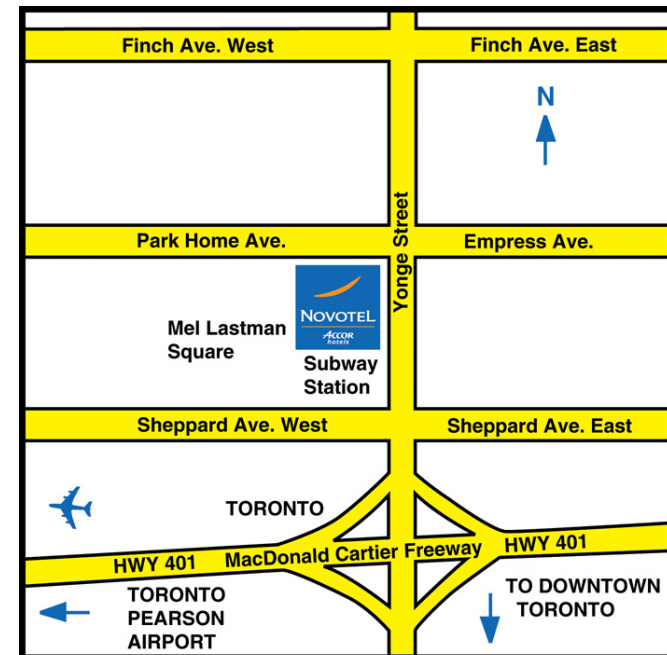
Directions

By car from Pearson/Detroit/Windsor:

Follow Hwy 401 (Toronto) East, exit Yonge Street North and follow Yonge St. to Park Home Avenue, (6 traffic lights north of Hwy 401) turn left on Park Home. Hotel entrance located on left.

By car from Niagara Falls:

Follow QEW (Toronto East Queen Elizabeth Way) to Hwy 427 North, exit Hwy 401 East, follow Hwy 401 East exit Yonge St. North, and continue on Yonge St. to Park Home Ave, (6 traffic lights north of Hwy 401) turn left on Park Home. Hotel entrance is located on the left.



Information

By car from downtown Toronto on the highway:

Follow any street southbound to Lakeshore Blvd. East, enter Gardener Expressway East to Don Valley Parkway North (also called Hwy 404 North), exit Hwy 401 West Collectors to Yonge St. North, follow Yonge St. to Park Home Ave. (6 traffic lights north of the Hwy 401), turn left on Park Home Ave. Hotel entrance is located on the left.

By car from downtown Toronto via city street:

Follow Yonge St. North to Park Home Ave. (3 lights north of Sheppard Ave.) turn left on Park Home Ave., Hotel entrance located on left.

By car from Barrie/North Ontario:

Follow Hwy 400 South to Hwy 401 East, exit Yonge St. North, and follow Yonge St. to Park Home Ave., (6 traffic lights north of Hwy 401) turn left on Park Home Ave., Hotel entrance located on left.

By subway:

From Union station take the Yonge line, exit at North York subway station at the northern most end of the platform. Exit the station into the city centre complex and go up the escalator. There is an entrance to the hotel inside the city complex so you do not need to exit the building.

Information

Accommodation

Conference attendees may reserve rooms at a discounted group rate by calling 416-733-2929 and identifying themselves as alPHa delegates. The special rate for conference attendees is \$115.00 for a standard guest room, per night, plus applicable taxes. **This special rate expires Saturday, January 30, 2010.**

Meals

Registration includes breakfast, breaks and lunch; dinner will be at the delegate's expense. The North York Novotel offers a 10% discount on room service and in its *Trio* restaurant located on the hotel's main floor.

Parking

The Novotel Toronto North York Hotel offers overnight parking. The fee is \$17.00 per night with in and out privileges.

Recreational Activities

There are numerous activities just steps away from the hotel including:

- Free ice skating at Mel Lastman square
- A visit to the North York Centre Public Library (for a list of library programs visit http://www.torontopubliclibrary.ca/hou_az_nycl.jsp)
- Movies at Empress Walk Cinema (for a list of what's playing call 416 -223-9586)
- Live theatre including Jersey Boys at the Toronto Centre for the Arts (for a list of performances at the venue visit <http://www.tocentre.com/>)
- Dinner at Milestones, Baton Rouge, Moxie's, Asian Legend, Ichiban Sushi

Information

Conference Registration Fees

Full Conference:	\$250 + GST
Includes 2 breakfasts, 3 breaks, 2 lunches, 1 reception, Thursday & Friday program sessions	
Daily Rate:	
Thursday - includes breakfast, breaks, lunch, reception and full day programs	\$200 + GST
Friday - includes breakfast, break, lunch and scheduled meetings	\$75 + GST
Emeritus:	
Full Conference	\$125 + GST
Thursday - includes breakfast, breaks, lunch, reception and full day programs	\$100 + GST
Friday - includes breakfast, breaks, lunch and scheduled meetings	\$37.50+GST
Community Medicine Residents:	
Includes 2 breakfasts, 3 breaks, 2 lunches, 1 reception, all program sessions	Fees Waived

Registration & Payment

Online Registration:

Register and pay online using Visa or Master Card by accessing our secure system. [Click here](#) and register today.

Information

Register By Post:

If you wish to pay by cheque, complete the attached registration form on page 10 and mail or fax to:

Association of Local Public Health Agencies
2 Carlton Street, Suite 1306
Toronto, ON M5B 1J3
Fax: 416-595-0030

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellations must be received by **Thursday, February 18, 2010** for a full refund of your registration fee. Cancellations received after this date and before February 22, 2010 are subject to a 20% administrative fee. There are no refunds for cancellations received after February 21, 2010 however, substitutions are allowed.

Important: Hotel room cancellations must be confirmed with the Novotel Toronto North York and *not* through alPHa.

Contact:

alPHa: For questions about registration and payment contact Karen Reece, at 416-595-0006 ext 24, by email at Karen@alphaweb.org or fax 416-595-0030.

Novotel: To book guest rooms contact the Novotel Toronto North York at 416-733-2929.

Registration

Delegates Name: _____

Title: _____

Health Unit/Org. _____

Address: _____

Contact Person: _____ Tel: _____

E-mail: _____

Delegates position: BOH Member A/MOH Affiliate CMR Speaker Other

Dietary requirements: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Tel. _____

Registration Fees:

aIPHa Members

- Full Conference \$250 \$ _____
- Thursday \$200 \$ _____
- Friday \$75 \$ _____

Emeritus

- Full Conference \$125 \$ _____
- Thursday \$100 \$ _____
- Friday \$37.50 \$ _____

Community Medicine Residents

Complimentary \$ NA

- Full Conference Thursday Friday

Please indicate which university you are affiliated with: _____

Please return completed registration forms along with your payment to:

**ASSOCIATION OF LOCAL
 PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCIES**
 2 Carlton Street, Suite 1306
 Toronto, ON M5B 1J3
 Tel: 416-595-0006
 Fax: 416-595-0030
 E-mail: Karen@alphaweb.org

**Please add 5 % GST
 to all totals:**

Total: \$ _____