

Migrant Farm Worker Health Forum 2017 – Program Schedule

Brock University, St. Catharines, ON

FRIDAY, April 21, 2017			
8:30 . 9:00 am	Registration and Refreshments Academic South, North Corridor		
9:00 am . 9:15	Welcome (OHCOW and Brock University) Room: AS204		
	Room: AS-215 (97)	AS-216 (98)	AS-217 (96)
9:15 . 11:15 am	<p><u>Health Care Issues for MAWs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Care Needs of Migrant Agricultural Workers (<i>Quest Community Health Centre: Samuel Knight, Ellen Robb, and Janice Ke from McMaster School of Medicine</i>) • Occupational Health Support for Primary Healthcare of MFWs (<i>Dr. Donald Cole and Michelle Tew, OHN from OHCOW</i>) • Occupational Therapy for Migrant Agricultural Workers: Opportunity for Better Health and Wellbeing Outcomes (<i>Joanne Navarro, OT</i>) 	<p><u>Communication in Agricultural Health and Safety</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communication as a Tool to Improve Safety, Work, Rule Compliance, Use of Resources, and General Wellbeing of Migrant Workers in Canada (<i>Margarita Caropresi, founder of the Atoctli magazine</i>) • Communicating Field Hygiene to MFWs: a Focus on Non-Text-Based Messaging (<i>Wayne Du, OMAFRA</i>) • Designing Pesticide Health and Safety Messages for Agricultural Workers 	<p><u>Migrant Farm Worker Housing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MFW Housing Experiences in Ontario: Research Results (<i>Dr. Jenna Hennebry, Wilfrid Laurier University</i>) • Environmental Services and Housing Inspection for MFW Lodging (<i>Local Public Health speaker</i>) • An Update on Guidelines for MFW Housing in Ontario (<i>Public Health Ontario</i>)
11:15 - 11:30am	Refreshment Break sponsored by Brock University Faculty Association , Academic South, North Corridor		
11:30 . 12:30pm	<p>Plenary . AS-204 . capacity 238</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Backbone of Niagara Agriculture for over 50 Years: Celebrating the Contributions of Migrant Farm Workers . <i>Dr. Janet McLaughlin (Wilfrid Laurier University)</i> • Community Collaboration and Worker Engagement in Niagara <ul style="list-style-type: none"> . <i>Jackie Barrett Greene (Positive Living Niagara; Niagara Migrant Workers Interest Group)</i> . <i>Sonia Aviles (Agricultural Workers Alliance)</i> 		

12:30 . 1:30pm	Networking Lunch , Academic South, North Corridor & AS204		
	Room: AS-215 (97)	AS-216 (98)	AS-217 (96)
1:30pm . 3:30pm	<p><u>Sexual Health</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Case Study: Innovative Community Collaborations for Improved Health Outcomes for MFWs in Southwestern Ontario (<i>Raquel Bremmer, AIDS Committee of Windsor</i>) • Sexual Health Experiences in Niagara (<i>Aaraon Diaz Mendiburo, Wilfred Laurier University</i>) • Needs, Risks, and Context in Sexual Health Among Temporary Foreign MFWs in Canada (<i>Hailea Squires and Dr. Janet McLaughlin, Wilfred Laurier University</i>) • COLLABORATIVE SESSION 	<p><u>MSK</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of MSK Issues and its Related Health Effects (<i>OHCOW</i>) • Ergonomics and MSK Disorder Prevention: Experience with Workplace and Employers (<i>Kristen Hoffman, WSPS</i>) • Ergonomics and MSK Disorder Prevention: Greenhouse Experience and OHCOW Services (<i>Melissa Stratham, OHCOW Ergonomist</i>) • COLLABORATIVE SESSION (50min) 	<p><u>Assorted Health Topics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intentional Uprootedness: Women Temporary Agricultural Workers in Canada (<i>Dr. Kathryn Edmunds, University of Windsor</i>) • Occupational Pesticide Exposures in Agriculture: Hazards, Risks and Prevention (<i>Manisha Pahwa and Ela Rydz, Occupational Cancer Research Centre, Cancer Care Ontario</i>) • Eye Health Issues for MFWs (<i>Michelle Tew and Eduardo Huesca, OHCOW</i>) • Dental Health Issues and Opportunities for MFWs (<i>Dr. M. Salame, Maplewood Dental</i>)
3:30 . 3:45pm	Refreshment Break Academic South, North Corridor		
	Room: AS 204		
3:45 . 4:00pm	OHCOW Update: Migrant Farm Worker Program 2017 (<i>Eduardo Huesca, OHCOW</i>)		
4:00 . 4:30pm	Day 1 Wrap-up (<i>Michelle Tew, OHCOW</i>)		
	Free time		
6 pm	Optional Fun & Fellowship Dinner . (\$30 including tax & gratuity, paid individually)		

SATURDAY April 22

8:00 . 8:30 am	Light Networking Breakfast , Academic South, South Corridor		
	Room: AS-215 (97)	AS-216 (98)	AS-217 (96)
8:30 . 9:30	<p><u>Private Sector Standards with Implications for MFWs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CanadaGAP (<i>Food Safety Program</i>) • The Big Carrot (<i>Toronto Organic Market</i>) • COLLABORATIVE SESSION 	<p><u>Challenges and Innovation in Translation Services</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working with Community Interpreters (<i>Cristina Alzate and Jessica Lopez, Quest CHC</i>) • Brock University Community Outreach Course: The Student Clinical Translation Experience (<i>Dr. Irene Blayer and Dr. Cristina Santos, Brock University</i>) 	<p><u>COLLABORATIVE SESSION</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bridging Resources to Continuous Outreach (<i>Dane Record, Durham Region Migrant Workers</i>)
9: 30 . 9:45	Refreshment Break sponsored by Brock University Center for Labour Studies , Academic South, South Corridor		
	Room: AS-215 (97)	AS-216 (98)	AS-217 (96)
9:45 . 11:45 am	<p><u>Program Innovation and Clinical Engagement</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engaging Employers in Service Delivery for MFWs (<i>Allison Berkvens, Chatham-Kent CHC</i>) • “To be or not to be... that is the question”: Is a Community Health Centre the Right Model of Health and Wellbeing for a MFW Primary Healthcare Clinic? (<i>Janet Noble, Tricia Gutierrez, and Guillermo Rodriguez, Grand River CHC</i>) • MFW Project Serving Grimsby, Lincoln and West 	<p><u>Mental Health of MFWs</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Mental Health of Canadian Farmers: A 3-Year Research Study (<i>Colleen Best, Guelph University Department of Population Medicine</i>) • Growing Pressures: The Mental Health Experiences of SAWP workers in Ontario (<i>Stephanie Mayell, University of Toronto</i>) • COLLABORATIVE SESSION 	<p><u>WSIB and MFW Health</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Migrant Farm Worker Access to Workers Compensation (<i>Jessica Ponting and Belia Berrocal, IAVGO</i>) • WSIB and Migrant Farm Workers (<i>Kim Wood-Larue, WSIB Assistant Director</i>) • Migrant Farm Workers Knowledge and Experience with Workers Compensation in Ontario (<i>Dr. Jenna Hennebry and Dr. Janet McLaughlin, Wilfrid Laurier University</i>)

	Lincoln (Mike Hahn, Tim Arnold, Dr. Irene Blayer, and Dr. Cristina Santos, Brock University)		
11: 45. 12:00pm	Walk to Pond Inlet		
12:00 . 1:00pm	Plenary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expanding Rights: Possibilities for Improving Provincial and Federal Laws that Apply to Migrant Workers (<i>Migrant Workers Alliance for Change</i>) • OHIP For All – A Provincial Campaign • Being a Chicken Catcher: A MFW Story . <i>Guadalupe Resillas and Asgard Garcia (Norfolk County)</i> 		
1:00 . 2:00pm	Closing Remarks & Wrap-up Farewell Lunch with Ballet Folklorico Puro Mexico (<i>Mexican Dance Group</i>)		