

# Stroke Education Opportunities

NOVEMBER 2025

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## CANADIAN STROKE CONGRESS

NATIONAL

**HOLD the DATES:** May 23 - 26, 2026

**Location:** Banff, Alberta - for more information visit the [Canadian Stroke Congress website](#)

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## PROVINCIAL STROKE ROUNDS

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**November 5th 2025 12:00 - 1:00 EST (note time change only for November)**

**Topic:** Stronger Together After Stroke: Impacts of Strength Training and Lived Experience

**Speaker(s):** Dr. Ada Tang and Dr. Kenny Noguchi

**Virtual Event:** no pre-registration required, just click on the link at the designated time of the event: Click [HERE](#) to join on November 5<sup>th</sup> at NOON.



## GTA REHAB NETWORK - BEST PRACTICES DAY 2026 (VIRTUAL)

**HOLD the DATE:** May 1, 2026

Best Practices Day is the only provincial rehabilitation conference that gathers clinicians, administrators and researchers from across sectors and disciplines for a day of learning and networking.

### **ABSTRACT SUBMISSION INFORMATION:**

Please submit the abstract submission form and email it to [conferences@uhn.ca](mailto:conferences@uhn.ca).

**Opens:** October 8, 2025

**Ends:** November 21, 2025

For more information visit <https://gtarehabnetwork.ca/best-practices-day-2026/>



## OTTAWA STROKE SUMMIT

**HOLD the DATE:** September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Visit <https://crsn.ca/en/education-training/ottawa-stroke-summit> for additional information as it becomes available

**Location:** Ottawa Conference Centre

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## SEXUALITY POST-STROKE

REGIONAL

**November 28 & December 5, 2025 12:00 - 3:30 p.m.** (must be able to attend both sessions)

**Target Audience:** All healthcare providers are welcome, cross-continuum

**Facilitator:** Dr. Louis-Pierre Auger is an occupational therapist and has more than five years of experience in intensive functional rehabilitation with a clientele with neurological disorders, particularly stroke. He is now a postdoctoral fellow at McGill University and focuses his research interests on sexuality, disability and rehabilitation.

**Limited space in workshop** - email Dorothy Burrige [burriged@rvh.on.ca](mailto:burriged@rvh.on.ca) to be added to registration list



## RETURN TO VOCATIONS WEBINAR

**January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026 12:00 - 1:00 p.m.**

To secure your spot **[CLICK HERE](#)** to register

**Target Audience:** This webinar is ideal for rehabilitation professionals seeking strategies and tools to support return to work planning

Please join us for an engaging and practical webinar focused on supporting persons with stroke in their journey back to meaningful work. This session will cover:

- Highlights from the ***Return to Vocations Post Stroke Toolkit for Providers***
- ***Emotional and mental health considerations*** on returning to work
- Insights from the ***clinical experience*** of our expert speakers

### Featured Speakers:

- Liza Pain, PhD, OT Reg. (Ont.)
- Paula-Jane Bellizzi, MSW, RSW

### Watch for more information on the following sessions:

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| Nov 21, 2025<br>12:00 p.m. | Sickle Cell and Stroke Management - Dr. Sashi Perera       |
| Nov 27, 2025<br>12:00 p.m. | Secondary Prevention Management - Dr. Andrew Demchuk       |
| Feb 2026<br>Date TBC       | Functional Electrical Stimulation (FES) - virtual workshop |

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