



Comité d'action du premier ministre
sur la prévention de la violence familiale

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ANNOUNCEMENT DETAILS

1) Canadian Domestic Violence Conference 2020 call for submissions: Deadline 16 September

Presentation Submissions are now being accepted for the 6th Canadian Domestic Violence Conference - March 3-6, 2020 in Halifax.

Deadline for submissions is September 16, 2019.

Opening Keynote Speakers are Lana Wells, a collaborator on the CDHPVP project and Brenda Stafford, Chair in the Prevention of Domestic Violence and Associate Professor at the Faculty of Social Work, University of Calgary.

To learn more: <https://canadiandomesticviolenceconference.org/>

2) Gender-Based Violence Work in Context: Addressing Structural Violence and Promoting Agency 8 October

The Learning Network invites you to join on October 8 2019 for a Forum addressing both personal and structural aspects of gender-based violence work in a range of contexts. Invited speakers will address issues such as working to protect children, covering gendered news stories, developing and using online platforms, and administering justice.

8 October 2019 8:30am- 4:30pm

Lamplighter Inn, London, Ontario

Cost is \$100

More information can be found at <https://bit.ly/2ZBfv8m>

3) UPDATE: Indigenous Justice Forum 18 October

The MCPEI Indigenous Justice Program is pleased to be hosting their Annual Indigenous Justice Forum on Friday, October 18, 2019 at the Rodd Charlottetown Hotel. The theme of the forum is "No Sides in a Round World". The Honourable Laurel J. Halfpenny MacQuarrie will be this year's keynote speaker.

18 October 8:30am-3:00pm

Rodd Charlottetown Hotel

Registration is free.

For more information see attached poster.

To register contact Novalea MacKinnon at 902-626-2882 or email nmackinnon@mcpei.ca.

4) PEI Rape and Sexual Assault Center Opening for 60% Part Time Permanent Therapist Position

Permanent Part Time (60%) Position with the PEI Rape and Sexual Assault Centre Charlottetown Office

The PEI Rape and Sexual Assault Centre (peirsac.org) is a feminist, pro-choice, not for profit organization that has been providing services in PEI since 1983. PEIRSAC offers individual and (when resources allow) group therapeutic services to adults (16+) of all genders who have experienced recent and historic sexual assault and childhood sexual abuse.

Therapist:

In collaboration with other team members, the candidate will be responsible for providing intake, on-going assessment, group, and individual therapeutic services. The ideal candidate will have:

- A Masters' degree in Social Work, Counselling, or Clinical Psychology and current registration in good standing with the respective professional governing body
- Minimum two years of individual and group counselling experience, preferably with survivors of sexualized violence and/or childhood sexual abuse with complex attachment-related traumas including dissociative coping defenses
- A demonstrated facility with multiple modalities for working with survivors of sexualized violence, e.g. psychoeducational, attachment-based, somatic, emotional, cognitive, behavioural, internal family systems, mindfulness-based approaches
- Experience working with populations with a variety of lived experience, including newcomers, Indigenous, 2SLGBTQ+, and other communities
- A critical analysis of social/cultural dynamics contributing to sexualized violence and child abuse and a commitment to anti-oppressive, decolonizing, pro-choice, feminist practice
- A commitment to ongoing professional development
- A demonstrated ability to work collaboratively as part of a team and in maintaining a trauma-informed workplace
- Excellent written and oral communication, organizational, and time management skills
- Excellent judgment, reasoning, discretion, and ethical behaviour

Please send your resume and cover letter by **September 30, 2019** to:

Hiring Committee

PO Box 1522

Charlottetown PE

C1A 7N3

Or e-mail to: admin@peirsac.org

REMINDER DETAILS

1) MMFF Conference: *Ending Gender Based Violence: Harnessing Research and Action for Social Change, October 9-10, 2019*

Registration for the Muriel McQueen Fergusson Centre for Family Violence Research Conference on Ending Gender Based Violence: Harnessing Research and Action for Social Change is now open. Keynote speaker is Dr. Myrna Dawson of the Centre for the Study of Social and Legal Responses to Violence at the University of Guelph.

9-10 October 2019

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Registration cost: **\$150 + HST**

For more information see attached flyer.

2) Purple Ribbon Amnesty

Do you have purple ribbons and/or bookmarks that haven't been used? Please feel welcome to return them to the Advisory Council with no judgment, only appreciation. We will reuse and recycle them for our 2019-2020 Purple Ribbon Campaign against Violence against Women:

PEI Advisory Council on the Status of Women
PO Box 2000 (161 St. Peter's Road)
Charlottetown, PE C1A 7N8
tel: 902.368.4510 / michelle@peistatusofwomen.ca

3) Call for Volunteers: Purple Ribbon Campaign Against Violence Against Women

December 6th, 2019 marks 30 years since the Montreal Massacre in which 14 young women were murdered because they were women. Members of the Advisory Council on the Status of Women have chosen this year's Campaign theme as **Support Survivors: Support the person ~ Involve the community ~ Right the world.**

The Purple Ribbon Campaign Against Violence Against Women welcomes volunteers to prepare purple ribbons and other resources for distribution across PEI. Please contact Michelle@peistatusofwomen.ca

THANK YOU!

**Premier's Action Committee on
Family Violence Prevention Vision Statement**

A society where all individuals are safe, respected and valued; where any form of violence is unacceptable; and where children, women, and men have opportunities to reach their full potential and contribute to the overall well-being of all families and communities.

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