



Elder Abuse Ontario  
Stop Abuse - Restore Respect  
Maltraitance des personnes âgées Ontario  
Arrêtez les mauvais traitements - Restaurez le respect

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You are invited to Elder Abuse Ontario's Symposium  
Register Now

Don't miss this unique forum and **register** yourself and other staff members, who will benefit from this unique educational event.

Join us for an interactive day of knowledge exchange, to learn about ground breaking research and successful international initiatives addressing abuse of older adults. **Keynote Speakers from Australia, USA and Canada** will join Ontario's leading experts to share their experiences in the delivery of programs/services, advocacy, and current research to address the complexities of abuse issues towards older adults.

Sexual and Domestic Violence are more relevant now than ever and EAO wants to ensure you are there to participate, to hear their insights and to contribute your ideas during facilitated discussions with colleagues, on how we can collectively adapt these learnings to Ontario.

### Meet our Keynote Speakers



**DR. GLORIA M. GUTMAN**  
Vice-President, International Longevity Centre Canada, Professor/Director Emerita, Simon Fraser University Gerontology Dept. & Gerontology Research Centre



**DR. PATRICIA BROWNELL**  
Associate Professor Emerita of Social Service, Fordham University, New York, United States



**JANICE ABBOTT**  
Chief Executive Officer, Atria Women's Resource Society, Vancouver, British Columbia



**DR. JANE MEARS**  
Associate Professor, University of Western Sydney Australia, School of Social Services

To learn more information about ALL our invited speakers and to view the program in its entirety please visit:

<http://conference.elderabuseontario.com/>

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Early Bird Rate: \$225 Rate after October 18, 2017: \$275

## Funding Call for Proposals

### Multicultural Community Capacity Grants Program

The program will help build diverse and inclusive communities by enhancing the ability of newcomers and ethno-cultural communities to participate fully in the civic, cultural, social and economic life of Ontario. *Grants available between \$1,000 and \$8,000*

This grant program will make funding available for projects across Ontario that address one or more of the following priorities:

- Civic engagement • Social connections • Education and empowerment
- Women's empowerment • Capacity building and partnerships

For full application detail visit: [ontario.ca/multiculturalgrants](http://ontario.ca/multiculturalgrants).

**The deadline to submit applications is 4:00 p.m. on August 1, 2017.**



### ACCESS TO JUSTICE FOR OLDER VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT

CNPEA is currently gathering research and literature relating to older adult victims of sexual assault and their access to justice.

Canada's Largest LGBTQ Health Conference

<http://www.rainbowhealthontario.ca/conference>

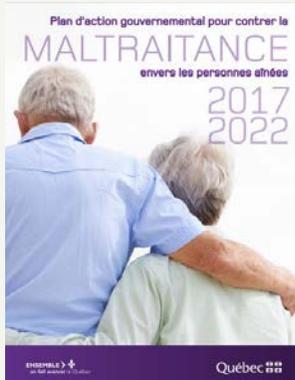
If you wish to share some of your research or resources about this topic, for inclusion in this upcoming project [send an email](#) or to access further information, [visit CNPEA's Elder Abuse Hub](#).

### Ontario to Recognize Outstanding Age-Friendly Communities

#### [Province Introduces New Age-Friendly Community Recognition Program](#)

Ontario is launching a program to recognize communities across the province that have made outstanding progress to be inclusive and accessible for people of all ages. The Program recognizes communities and municipalities that are working to meet the needs of Ontario's growing senior's population by being inclusive, accessible and promoting the health and well-being of community members.

Nominations for the Ontario Age-Friendly Community Recognition Program will open in fall 2017.



## Action Plan - Quebec

The first [government action plan to deal with elder abuse for seniors 2010-2015](#) (WFP), renewed until 2017, was born out of a public consultation on the living conditions of seniors. The deployment of the measures included in this first action plan has made it possible to achieve the following three main objectives:

1. \*To publicize and acknowledge the phenomenon of maltreatment by the elderly themselves, their loved ones, the stakeholders and the general public;
2. \*Strengthen the coherence and complementarity of actions carried out by partners from different sectors;
3. \*Improve knowledge of the phenomenon of abuse.

Through the deployment of its [Government Action Plan to Address Elder Abuse 2017-2022](#), the Government of Québec reiterates its commitment to addressing the public's concerns by continuing to address elder abuse in Environments and encouraging benign behavior in order to lay the foundations for a more just, inclusive, healthy and safe society.

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