

**Theme – Everyday Ethics in Mental Health and Substance Use
CONFERENCE SCHEDULE**

8th ANNUAL JOURNAL OF ETHICS IN MENTAL HEALTH CONFERENCE
Thompson Rivers University – Barber Centre – 900 McGill Road, Kamloops, B.C.
Conference Program – www.jemh.ca

Thursday, June 2 8:00 – 8:30		Registration Coffee/Tea provided
8:30 – 9:30	Aboriginal Elder (Name)	Welcome - Opening Remarks Chris Mazurkewich, President and CEO of Interior Health; Hon. Terry Lake, MOH
9:30 – 10:45	Prof. Steven Sabat Key Note	KEY NOTE SPEAKER – Dr. Dagg to introduce “Treating People with Alzheimer’s Disease as Semiotic Subjects”
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee Break	Beverages/Snacks Provided
11:00 – 11:30	Dr. C. Tess Sheldon	The Utility of a Public Mental Health Law Approach to Understanding Contemporary Challenges to the Rights-Experience of Persons with Mental Health Issues
11:30 – 12:00	Prof. G. Luther Dr. M. Mela	“Mainstreaming Mental Health Courts: Consent and Coercion – There is need for a better rationale for entry into Mental Health Court processes - A call for legislative change to s. 720 of the Criminal Code”
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch	Lunch Provided
1:00 – 2:30 Panel	Dr. Ruby Dhand, Clara Silva, Leilah Stella and Linda August	“Culturally Appropriate Treatment and Care: Aboriginal Mental Health and Cross Cultural Mental Health “
2:30 – 2:45	Coffee Break	Beverages/Snacks Provided
2:45 – 3:15	Dr. Jacques Quintin	How to determine the right limit of our engagement with people suffering severe mental illness and drug use.
3:15 – 3:45	Emma Gauvin	Borderline Personality Disorder Diagnosis: A Barrier to Health Care?
3:45 – 4:15	Jenny Young, MSW MA Bethan Everett, MBA, PhD	Cause of Death: Schizophrenia?
4:15	Dr. Dagg Dr. J. Maher	Closing Remarks
5:00 – 9:00	Appies & Cash Bar	Join us in the Mountain View Room (TRU Campus Activity Centre) For A Social Gathering
FRIDAY, JUNE 3 8:00 – 8:30		Registration Coffee/Tea provided
8:30 – 9:00	Dean Bradford Morse Dr. Paul Dagg Dr. John Maher	Opening Remarks
9:00 – 10:15	Dr. Michael Perlin	KEY NOTE SPEAKER – Dr. Dagg to Introduce “Said I, `But You Have No Choice’”: Why a Lawyer Must Ethically Honor a Client’s Decision about Mental Health Treatment Even if It Is Not What S/he Would Have Chosen
10:15 – 10:30	Coffee Break	Beverages/Snacks - Break
10:30 – 11:45	Dr. Paul Dagg	KEY NOTE SPEAKER Control or Care – The Ethical Challenges of Inpatient Psychiatry
11:45 – 1:00	Lunch	Lunch provided
1:00 – 1:30	Sophie Nunnelley	“The legitimacy of coercive care: Lessons from <i>Carter v. Canada</i> ”
1:30 – 2:15	Margaret Hall, LLB, LLM	"After Decision Making: From Bentley to Carter"
2:15 – 2:30	Coffee Break	Beverages/Snacks Break
2:30 – 4:00	Panel Discussion Chris Huston Judy Nicol Gerrit Clements	“Medical Assistance in Dying (MAiD)”
4:00	Dr. Paul Dagg Dr. John Maher	Closing remarks – wind up