

Assessing & Treating Mild to Moderate TBIs

Overview of Conference:

The objective of this one day conference is to provide information and practical strategies for managing an acquired brain injury. Participants will have the opportunity to hear from a variety of experts in their field of practice. New this year, we are offering a ***Rise & Shine Lecture*** that will focus on the prevention, treatment and management of head injuries geared towards Family Practitioners and Medical Specialists. Sponsorship and Exhibitor opportunities are available.

Part 1: Rise & Shine Lecture

This session will feature Dr. Lisa Fischer, Assistant Professor, Depts of Family Medicine and Faculty of Health Sciences Director, Primary Care Sport Medicine, Fowler Kennedy Sport Medicine Clinic. Dr. Fischer will be sharing the most recent clinical diagnosis and management strategies for acute sport concussion and persistent symptoms post TBI. This early session is geared to encourage Family Practitioners and Medical Specialists to participate, prior to heading into the hospital or office. The rate for this session only is \$50.00 and includes a light breakfast.

Part 2: Assessing & Treating Mild to Moderate TBIs

Following the *Rise and Shine Lecture*, delegates will have an opportunity to hear from a number of highly regarded professionals in the field of Brain Injury & Rehabilitation. The day will be filled with the opportunity to learn about recent research and effective treatment protocols and management as related to concussions. Two Break Out Sessions will allow delegates to select from topics that best suit their interests. There will also be able opportunity to network with professionals, survivors and family members.

Guest Speakers include:

- i) Dr. Lisa Fischer, Assistant Professor, Depts of Family Medicine and Faculty of Health Sciences Director, Primary Care Sport Medicine, Fowler Kennedy Sport Medicine Clinic
- ii) Mr. Rob Wakelin & David Ure, A Personal Journey through Recovery
- iii) Dr. South, Psychologist
- iv) Jim Forbes, Dr. of Chiropractic, Archway Health & Sports Services
- v) Gina Matesic, OT, DMAREhability
- vi) Jane Hobbs, System Navigator, Southwestern ON
- vii) Christopher Collins, Personal Injury Lawyer, Siskinds The Law Firm

Target Audience:

This conference will be of special interest to rehabilitation professionals, occupational therapist, physiotherapists, case managers, survivors, and other health care professionals who treat, advise and advocate on behalf of the brain injury population.

Confirmation of Registration:

Conference fees include: handouts, exhibitor information, continental light breakfast, lunch and a refreshment break.

Conference Chair Contact Information:

Ms. Cheryl Scollard, Director, Marketing & Operations, DMAREhability. Phone: 1-866-309-0046, x 348 / Email: cscollard@dmarehab.com

AGENDA – Thursday, Sept. 28, 2017

Conference Moderator: Chantal Prasad / Kevin Cheung

Part 1: RISE & SHINE LECTURE

8:00	Registration & Light Breakfast	Guildhall Room
8:05-8:10	Introduction – Kevin Churchill Manager of Family Health for Lambton Public Health	The FRONT Room
8:10-9:15am	Rise & Shine – Dr. Lisa Fischer, Director, Sport & Exercise Medicine, Fowler Kennedy Sport Medicine Clinic - <i>Sports Concussion Management</i>	The FRONT Room

Part 2: ASSESSING & TREATING MILD TO MODERATE TBIs

9:15-9:20	Welcome & Introduction	Guildhall Room
9:20-10:20	Rob Wakelin & David Ure - <i>Journey through Recovery</i>	Guildhall Room
10:20-10:40	Networking Break / Exhibits	Guildhall Room
10:40-11:40	Concurrent Sessions – Choose One A) Dr. South, Psychologist - <i>Disruptions in Life (tentative)</i> B) Bianca Heaslip,, Speech Language Pathologist <i>Technology Workshop – What's App?</i>	Guildhall Room The FRONT Room
11:45 – 12:15	Concurrent Sessions – Choose One C) Gina Matesic, OT, Matthew Woodall, OT - <i>Value Gained Utilizing the Extended Glasgow Outcome Scale (GOSE).</i> D) Chris Collins, Siskinds LLP – <i>Contingency Fees: Good? Bad? Good Questions to Ask</i>	The FRONT Room Guildhall Room
12:15-1:00	Lunch / Networking Break / Exhibits	Guildhall Room

1:00-2:00	Dr. Lisa Fischer – Assistant Professor, Depts of Family Medicine and Faculty of Health Sciences Director, Primary Care Sport Medicine, Fowler Kennedy Sport Medicine Clinic– Clinical Diagnosis & Management Strategies for Acute Sport Concussion	Guildhall Room
2:10-2:55	Jim Forbes, Doctor of Chiropractic <i>Concussion Management: Manual Therapy & Performance Care</i>	Guildhall Room
2:55-3:10	Networking Break / Exhibits	Guildhall Room
3:10-3:40	Jane Hobbs, System Navigator, LHNS, SW <i>Building Bridges, Funding Resources</i>	Guildhall Room
3:45 – 4:00	Panel Discussion - Moderator – Laura Zeleznik viii) Gina Matesic, OT ix) Jane Hobbs, System Navigator x) Dr. Lisa Fischer xi) Jim Forbes, Dr. of Chiropractic xii) Dr. South, Psychologist xiii) Mr. Christopher Collins, Lawyer	Guildhall Room
4:00	Closing Remarks /Exhibit Draws Kevin Cheng , President of the Board, BIA Sarnia & Lambton	Guildhall Room

Registration Form

Registrants Name

Profession and Company Name

Address

Business Phone # and Ext.

Email Address : _____

Registration Rates: (please check)

September 28, 2017

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| Rise & Shine Lecture ONLY | \$50.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Full Registration before September 1, 2017 | \$150.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Full Registration after September 1, 2017 | \$175.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Survivor / Student / Caregiver | \$ 50.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> |

For further information, Please contact Cheryl Scollard, at 519-452-0046, x 348 or email, cscollard@dmarehab.com

Consent: I consent to having my name appear on a published registrant list YES NO

Dietary Requirements: Please indicate any dietary limitations: _____

Conference Location and Directions:

Best Western Guildwood Inn
1400 Venetian Boulevard,
Sarnia, Ontario
N7T 7W6

Sponsorship / Exhibitor Opportunities

Name /Contact

Organization

Address (Street, City, Prov., Postal code)

Business Phone and ext.

Email Address

Sponsorship Opportunities: Please check box

- Brain Stem - \$2,000**
Includes: Recognition on event Banner, exhibition table, logo recognition on event signage & screens, placard displayed at every table, promotional material may be distributed, 2 admissions, website advertisement on BIASL Site, Acknowledgement in BIASL newsletter “The Life Line”, & Recognition throughout the event.
- Left Brain - \$1,000**
Includes: Exhibition table, logo recognition on event signage & screens, placard displayed at every table, promotional material may be distributed, 1 admissions, website advertisement on BIASL Site, Acknowledgement in BIASL newsletter “The Life Line”, & Recognition throughout the event.
- Right Brain / Exhibitor Table - \$500**
Includes: Exhibition table, logo recognition on event signage & screens, placard displayed at every table, promotional material may be distributed, 1 admissions, website advertisement on BIASL Site, Acknowledgement in BIASL newsletter “The Life Line”, & Recognition throughout the event.
- Sponsor a Survivor - \$100**
Includes: \$100.00 (2 survivor admissions)
Recognized as a survivor sponsor at the Conference throughout the day.

Please feel free to bring a complimentary door prize for your booth.

Sponsorship Payment: Send your completed Sponsorship/Exhibitor Form & Cheque payable to: Brain Injury Association Sarnia Lambton, 1705 London Line, Unit 1048, Sarnia, ON N7W 1B2. **Please email a copy of your company logo (pdf format) to:** cscollard@dmarehab.com

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