



Elder Abuse Ontario
Stop Abuse - Restore Respect

Province-Wide Conference

Elder Abuse in Ethnic Communities: Aging in a New Country

Hear from experienced professionals working directly with immigrant seniors and their families. Learn about a multitude of issues faced by seniors, immigrant seniors in particular.

Friday, March 9, 2018 • 8:15 am - 4:15 pm

Featured Topics and Speakers:

“Capacity, Powers of Attorney, and Other Legal Issues Affecting Seniors”

Nye Thomas
Executive Director,
Law Commission of Ontario

“Elder Abuse in Immigrant Communities”

Dr. Sepali Guruge
Professor, Daphne Cockwell
School of Nursing Research
Chair in Urban Health,
Ryerson University

“Equitable Access to Home and Community Care”

Nazeefah Laher
Junior Fellow,
Wellesley Institute

Panel Discussion:

“Case Management for Abused Immigrant Seniors and Holocaust Survivors”

Register today!

Cost: \$40 includes conference materials, breakfast, lunch and nutrition breaks, \$10 for students.

Please e-mail your completed registration form to conference2018@betelcentre.org by Friday, February 23, 2018.

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AGENDA

- 8:15 am - 9:10 am** Registration and breakfast
- 9:10 am - 9:30 am** Greetings:
Gail Gould, Executive Director, Bernard Betel Centre
TBA
- 9:30 am - 10:30 am** *Keynote Speaker: Dr. Sepali Guruge, Professor; Daphne Cockwell School of Nursing Research Chair in Urban Health, Ryerson University*
“Diverse Perspectives and Inclusive Solutions: Addressing Elder Abuse in Immigrant Communities in Canada”
- 10:30 am - 10:45 am** Break
- 10:45 am - 11:45 am** *Speaker: Nye Thomas, Executive Director, Law Commission of Ontario*
“Capacity, Powers of Attorney, and Other Legal Issues Affecting Seniors: The Law Commission of Ontario Report”
- 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm** Lunch and performance by Bernard Betel Centre’s International Choir
- 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm** *Speaker: Nazeefah Laher, Junior Fellow, Wellesley Institute*
“Equitable Access to Home and Community Care”
- 1:45 pm - 2:00 pm** Break
- 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm** *Panel Discussion: “Case Management for Abused Immigrant Seniors and Holocaust Survivors”*
Moderator: Monita Persaud, Elder Abuse Ontario
Panelists: Parvathy Kanthasamy, Tamil Seniors Wellness Centre; Irine Dubinski, Bernard Betel Centre
- 4:00 pm - 4:15 pm** Closing remarks

* Workshop titles and presenters are subject to change without prior notice.



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Name of Participant: _____

Agency/Organization: _____

Position/Title: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

At present, I/my organization works with immigrant seniors: Yes No If yes, in what capacity?

Registration Fee: \$40.00

Students: \$10.00

- Registration fee includes conference materials, breakfast, buffet lunch and nutrition breaks.
- All meals are kosher. Vegetarian options will be available.

Payment Method

Cash or Cheques*

*If paying by cheque, please make it payable to: *Bernard Betel Centre* (Please DO NOT mail your cheque, payment will be accepted at the door ONLY). Receipts will be issued at the conference.

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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Julia Migounova at 416-225-2112, ext. 133 or juliam@betelcentre.org.