



Preliminary Educational Program

Wednesday, May 21, 2025: Pre-Conference Workshops

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
0900 - 1200	Continance Workshop (English)	Carly Lindsay, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Nicholas Joachimides, MCISc, MSc, BScN, RN, CHE, IIWCC, NSWOC, CPedN(C)	Continance	Montréal 1
	Basic Ostomy Workshop	Eleanore Howard, MSN, BEd, BN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C) Mary Engel, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C)	Ostomy	Montréal 2
	Wound Product Selection Workshop	Nicole Pitcher, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, NSWOC; Svea Menard, MN, BScN, RN, NSWOC	Wound & Skin	Montréal 3
	Lower Leg Assessment Masterclass	Christine Murphy, PhD, MCISc-WH, BSc(Hons) Tissue Viability, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Maude Paquette, Vascular Resident (Ottawa Hospital)	Wound & Skin	Outremont 1
	Post-Surgical Care for Gender Diverse Patients and Common Complications of Gender Affirming Surgeries	Deanna Clatworthy, MN, BScN, RN, NP(c)	IDEAs	St-Laurent 8
	Advanced Conservative Sharp Wound Debridement Workshop (English)	Rosemary Hill, BSN, RN, CWOCN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Tarik Alam, MCISc(WH), BScN, RN, NSWOC	Wound & Skin	Westmount 6
1200 - 1300	Lunch (on your own)			
1300 - 1700	Negative Pressure Wound Therapy Workshop	Louise Samuel, BScN, RN, ETN Inf, B.Sc., I.S., infirmière stomothérapeute	Wound & Skin	Montréal 1
	“Managing the Bulge”: Parastomal Hernia Prevention, Assessment, and Management Workshop	Mary Hill, MN, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Laureen Sommerey, MN, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Anh Thy Le Quang, M.Sc., Kinésiologue Kinesiologist	Ostomy	Montréal 2
	Types of Compression for the Treatment of Lower Limb Edema Workshop	Bev Smith, BScN, RN, NSWOC; Josée Sénéchal, MScCH-WC, BScN, RN, NSWOC	Wound & Skin	Montréal 3
	Blanket Ceremony	Elder Grandmother Loella Tobias, BSW; Tracy Coates, MES, JD	IDEAs	Outremont 1
	Atelier avancé sur le débridement chirurgical conservateur (français)	Liette St Cyr, Inf., B.Sc., infirmière clinicienne, stomothérapeute; Mélanie Fauteux, Inf., B.Sc., infirmière stomothérapeute	Wound & Skin	Westmount 6
1800 - 2100	Board Meeting			Outremont 4

Thursday, May 22, 2025: NIAC Industry & Science Day

NIAC: NSWOCC Industry Advisory Council

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
0730 - 0830	Power Breakfast Presented by Urgo Medical North America	TBA	Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
0830 - 0900	Opening Ceremonies	Mary Hill, MN, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C) Conference Chair; Corey Heerschap, PhD, MScCH(WPC), BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), IIWCC NSWOCC President		Montréal 5-8
0900 - 0950	Infusing Intentionality and Care: Supporting 2Spirit, Trans, and Non-Binary Individuals After Gender-Affirming Surgery	Géorgie Gagné	IDEAs	Montréal 5-8
1000 - 1050	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session: "Skin Health: Something for every body - the clinical choice" Presented by Premier Ostomy Centre	Moira Evans	Ostomy	Montréal 1
	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session Presented by Urgo Medical North America	TBA	Wound	Montréal 2
	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session: "Addressing the risk of ostomy leakage with evidence-based solutions" Presented by Coloplast	Josh Gohl, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Natalie Kameka, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, NSWOC	TBA	Montréal 3
1100 - 1230	Grand Opening of the Exhibit Hall			St-Laurent 1-4
1230 - 1330	Power Lunch: "Optimizing Convexity in Ostomy Care" Presented by Convatec	Dr. Tod Brindle, PhD, MSN, RN, ET, CWON	Ostomy	Montréal 5-8
1340 - 1430	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session: "Wound Care 101 - It's not so simple!" Presented by Essity	Dr. Perry Mayer, MB, BCh, FFPM RCPS (Glasg); Amanda Loney, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), IIWCC	Wound	Montréal 1
	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session: "Changing the paradigm of wound care through the use of novel modalities: A tribute to Dr. Greg Schultz" <i>« Changer le paradigme des soins de plaies grâce à l'utilisation de nouvelles modalités : Un hommage à Dr Greg Schultz »</i> Presented by Kane Biotech	TBA	Wound	Montréal 2
	NIAC Industry and Science Day Session: "Hands-On Mastery: Unlocking the Potential of a Novel NPWT Peel & Place Dressing for Wound Care Healing" Presented by Solventum	Dot Weir, RN, CWON, CWS	Wound	Montréal 3
1430 - 1530	Exhibit Hall & Poster Library			St-Laurent 1-4
1530 - 1630	A Multidisciplinary Approach to the Diabetic Foot including Surgical Interventions	Dr. E. Ruth Chaytor, MD, B.MedSci, FRCSC; Dr. Mark Karanofsky, MD; Anne-Marie Vézina, Bsc., infirmière clinicienne	Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1700 - 1830	NSWOCC Annual Members Meeting (AMM)			Montréal 5-8
1830 - 2000	Posters & Product Innovation Expo // Expo des Posters et de l'Innovation des Produits Presented by our Honoured Corporate Partners			Montréal 4

Friday, May 23, 2025

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
0800 - 0900	Power Breakfast: “Simplifying Negative Pressure Wound Therapy” (EN and/et FR) Presented by Smith+Nephew	Rosemary Hill, BSN, RN, CWOCN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Louise Samuel, BScN, RN, ETN Inf., B.Sc., I.S., infirmière stomothérapeute	Wound	Montréal 5-8
0900 - 0950	Diverticulitis	Dr. Allison Pang, Colorectal surgeon	Ostomy	Montréal 5-8
1000 - 1100	Exhibit Hall & Poster Library			St-Laurent 1-4
1110 - 1200	Panel: Addressing Healthcare Inequities in the Care of Black and Brown Skin	Lori Zozolotto, BScN, RN, NSWOC; Shelly Philip LaForest, MN, BN, RN, CVAA(c), PhD student; Dania Versailles, MScN, MScMHNP, BScN, RN, CPMHN(C)	IDEAs Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1200 - 1300	Power Lunch: “The Role of Microcirculation in the Wound Healing Process” Presented by Perfuse MedTec Inc	Dr. R. Gary Sibbald, MD., M.Ed., D.SC (Hon), FRCPC (Med)(Derm), FAAD, MAPWCA, JM; Dr. Michael Stacey MBBS, FRACS, Doctor of Surgery	Wound	Montréal 5-8
1310 - 1400	Assessing Pressure Injuries in Different Skin Tones Project	Stephanie Furtado, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Rebecca Dyck, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C)	IDEAs Wound & Skin	Montréal 1
	Oral Abstracts	TBA	Wound, Ostomy and Continence	Montréal 2
	Health Equity in Indigenous Populations	Michelle Buffalo, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Bev Smith, BScN, RN, NSWOC; Jeremy Caul, MCISc-WH, BScN, RN, CDE, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Audray Lafortune, Inf, Bsc Inf, Stomothérapeute, PSCC(C)	IDEAs	Montréal 3
	Assessment and Management of Fungating Tumors	Katlynn Book, BScN, RN, NSWOC	Wound & Skin	Outremont 1
	Canadian Moisture-Associated Skin Damage (CAN-MASD) Tool: A Scale to Measure Severity and Healing of Moisture-related Skin Lesions	Kevin Woo, PhD, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), FAPWCA; Joshua Moralejo, MScCH: WPC, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), IIWCC	Continence Wound & Skin	Westmount 6
1400 - 1500	Exhibit Hall & Poster Library			St-Laurent 1-4
1500 - 1600	Lipedema: How do we Diagnose this Misunderstood Condition?	Dr. Anna Towers, MD CM	Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1600 - 1700	Canadian Best Practice Recommendations for Wounds: A Harm Reduction Approach	Lili Berescu, BScN, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Priyanka (Pri) Jani, BScN, RN, NSWOC Student	IDEAs Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1830 - 2200	Networking Event: Disco Nights!			

Saturday, May 24, 2025

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
0800 - 0900	Power Breakfast: “The Clinician’s Perspective on Convexity: Past Insights, Present Applications, and Future Trends” Presented by Hollister	Ashley Hogan, BN RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Laurie L. McNichol, MSN, RN, CNS, GNP, CWOCN, CWON-AP, WOCNF, FAAN; Louise Samuel, BScN, RN, ETN Inf., B.Sc., I.S., infirmière stomothérapeute	Ostomy	Montréal 5-8
0900 - 1000	International Pressure Injury Prevention Guidelines Presented by Mölnlycke	Rosemary Hill, BSN, RN, CWOCN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Kaylem Boileau, MHSc, RD	Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1000 - 1100	Expert Consensus Recommendations for Provincial and Jurisdictional Pressure Injury Policy and Practices in Canada	Dr. Chester Ho, MD; Sharon Gabison, PhD, MSc, BScPT, BSc, IIWCC	Wound & Skin	Montréal 5-8
1100 - 1200	Exhibit Hall & Poster Library			St-Laurent 1-4
1200 - 1300	Power Lunch: “What’s in Your Toolbox? Insights to Help Clinicians Choose the Best Therapy for Wound Healing” Presented by Solventum	Dot Weir, RN, CWON, CWS; Christine Murphy, PhD, MCISc-WH, BSc(Hons) Tissue Viability, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C);	Wound	Montréal 5-8
1310 - 1400	Knowledge Translation: Adapting for Cultural Sensitivities	Samantha Holloway, MSc, FHEA, Cert Ed (FE), RN	IDEAs	Montréal 1
	Knowledge, attitude, and practice in wound cleansing in Canada	Kevin Woo, PhD, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), FAPWCA; Kimberly LeBlanc, PhD, RN, NSWOC, WOCC(C), FCAN	Wound & Skin	Montréal 2
	Urinary Catheter Use and Selection: Which is right for my patient?	Beverly Cleland, BScN, RN, NCA	Continence	Montréal 3
	Cases Solved	NSWOCC Board of Directors	Wound, Ostomy and Continence	Outremont 1
	Skin Tears in People with Different Skin Tones	Ray Samuriwo, PhD	IDEAs Wound & Skin	Westmount 6
1400 - 1500	Exhibit Hall & Announcing Poster Winners			St-Laurent 1-4
1515 - 1615	An Ostomy Patient Journey	Ostomy patient lived experience	Ostomy	Montréal 5-8
1730 - 2300	NSWOCC National Conference Banquet & WOC Institute Graduation Ceremony: Masquerade Theme			Montréal 5-8

Sunday, May 25, 2025

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0830 - 1200	Advanced Conservative Sharp Wound Debridement Workshop (English) (Repeated)	Rosemary Hill, BSN, RN, CWOCN, NSWOC, WOCC(C); Tarik Alam, MCISc(WH), BScN, RN, NSWOC	Wound & Skin	Outremont 1
	Atelier de continence (français)	Marie-Andrée Masson, BScN, RN, ETN Inf., B.Sc., I.S., infirmière stomothérapeute Louise Forest-Lalande RN, MEd, ET	Continence	Westmount 6
	Nursing Leadership: Developing Strategies to Navigate Organizational Power Relationships	Lisa Ashley, PhD, MEd, RN, CCHN(C) / Ph.D., M.Éd., IA, ICSC(C)	Leadership	Outremont 4
	Journal Club: Live!	Moderated by the NSWOCC Membership Core Program	Wound, Ostomy and Continence	Outremont 5

Dermatology Program (Separate Registration)

Saturday, May 24, 2025

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
1400 - 1730	Dermatology Program for Advanced Healthcare Professionals (Part 1)	Dr. R. Gary Sibbald, MD., M.Ed., D.SC (Hon), FRCPC (Med)(Derm), FAAD, MAPWCA, JM; Dr. Laurie M Parsons, MD, BMedSc, BSc, FRCP(C); Dr. Tad Pierscianowski, MD, FRCPC	Dermatology Program	

Sunday, May 25, 2025

Time	Presentation	Presenters	Stream	Location
0830 - 1200	Dermatology Program for Advanced Healthcare Professionals (Part 2)	Dr. R. Gary Sibbald, MD., M.Ed., D.SC (Hon), FRCPC (Med)(Derm), FAAD, MAPWCA, JM; Dr. Laurie M Parsons, MD, BMedSc, BSc, FRCP(C); Dr. Tad Pierscianowski, MD, FRCPC	Dermatology Program	

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