



# **Northern Ontario Service Deliverers Association**

## **2019 Annual General Meeting: Collaborative Approaches for Stronger Communities**

**June 5-7, 2019**

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<b>Wednesday June 5, 2019</b>	
4:30 pm - 6:30 pm	<b>Registration</b>
6:30 pm - 7:00 pm <b>Algoma Ballroom</b>	<b>Welcome / Opening Remarks: Janet Gawne, NOSDA Chair</b> <b>NOSDA Business</b>  Meeting called to order <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Executive Committee Report</b></li><li>• <b>General Business</b></li><li>• <b>Financial Report</b></li><li>• <b>Committee Appointments</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Nominations Committee</b></li><li>- <b>Resolutions Committee</b></li></ul></li></ul>
7:00 pm - 7:30 pm	<b>Presentation:</b>  <b>Mental Health and Addictions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Dr. Kwame McKenzie, CEO, Wellesley Institute</b></li></ul>
7:30 pm - 10:00 pm	<b>Networking Reception – Sponsored by Gallagher Benefit Services (Canada) Group Inc.</b>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday June 6, 2019</b></p>	
<p>7:30 am - 8:30 am</p>	<p><b>Breakfast – Sponsored by One Human Service Network (OneHSN)</b></p> <p><b>Registration</b></p>
<p>8:30 am - 8:45 am</p> <p><b>Algoma Ballroom</b></p>	<p><b>Opening Ceremonies:</b></p> <p>Drum group</p> <p>Welcome from the region</p>
<p>8:45 am – 9:15 am</p>	<p><b>Presentation:</b> <b>Housing Update from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Janet Hope, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Joe Bradbury, CAO, District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board</b></p>
<p>9:15 am – 10:00 am</p>	<p><b>Presentation:</b> <b>Social Assistance Reforms and Employment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patti Redmond, Director – Social Assistance Service Delivery, Ministry of Children, Community, and Social Services</li> <li>• David Carter-Whitney, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ministry of Colleges, Training and Universities</li> <li>• Jessica Smith, Executive Director, Ontario Native Welfare Administrators' Association</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Brian Marks, CAO, Cochrane District Social Services Administration Board</b></p>
<p>10:00 am -10:15 am</p>	<p><b>Break – Sponsored by Crestline Coach</b></p>
<p>10:15 am -10:45 am</p>	<p><b>Presentation:</b> <b>Appointment and Use of an Integrity Commissioner</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• J. Paul R. Cassan, Associate, Wishart Law Firm LLP</li> <li>• Tim Harmar, Associate, Wishart Law Firm LLP</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Keith Bell, CAO, Algoma District Services Administration Board</b></p>

10:45 am -11:30 pm	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b>  <b>Addressing Mental Health and Addictions in Ontario</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Marlene Spruyt, CEO, Algoma Public Health</li> <li>• Dr. Kwame McKenzie, CEO, Wellesley Institute</li> <li>• Ali Juma, CEO, Algoma Family Services</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Fern Dominelli, CAO, Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board</b></p>
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	<p><b>Presentation:</b>  <b>Proposed NOSDA By-Law Changes – Information Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brian Marks, CAO, District of Cochrane Social Services Administration Board</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Janet Gawne, Chair, NOSDA</b></p>
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm <b>Algoma Ballroom</b>	<b>Lunch – Sponsored by HPC Housing Investment Corporation</b>
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	<p><b>Presentation:</b>  <b>The Unique Person-Centered Opportunity of Social Service Integration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Iain De Jong, President and CEO, OrgCode Consulting Inc.</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Kelly Black, CAO, District of Temiskaming Social Services Administration Board</b></p>
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b>  <b>Approaches to Combating Human Trafficking</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taylar Piazza and Troy Miller, HOPE Alliance</li> <li>• Cora McGuire-Cyrette, Executive Director, Ontario Native Women's Association</li> <li>• Jennifer Richardson, Director, Ontario Provincial Anti-Human Trafficking Coordination Office</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Dan McCormick, CAO, Rainy River District Social Services Administration Board</b></p>
2:30 pm – 2:45 pm	<b>Break - Sponsored by Freelandt, Caldwell, Reilly LLP</b>
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	<p><b>Presentation:</b>  <b>Update from the Ministry of Education</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shannon Fuller, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ministry of Education</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: Mike Nadeau, CAO, District of Sault Ste. Marie Social Services Administration Board</b></p>

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	<p><b>Panel Discussion:</b>  <b>HSC: Achieving More Together</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Howie Wong, CEO, Housing Services Corporation</li> <li>• Judy Lightbound, Managing Director, HSC Business Solutions</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderator: William Bradica, CAO, District of Thunder Bay Social Services Administration Board</b></p>
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm <b>David Thompson Room</b>	<p><b>Board Chairs and CAOs Session:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NOSDA Face to Face Meeting and In-Year Activities Update</b></li> </ul>
5:30 pm – 10:00 pm <b>Brule Room</b>	<p><b>Social and Networking Event – Sponsored by Clark Communications</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5:30 pm – 7 pm: Sampling of local flavours, entertainment</li> <li>• 7 pm – 10 pm: Networking, cash bar</li> </ul>

<b>Friday</b> <b>June 7, 2019</b>	
7:30 am – 8:30 am	<b>Breakfast</b>
8:30 a.m. – 10 a.m. <b>Algoma Ballroom</b>	<b>NOSDA Business</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By-Law Report/Vote</li> <li>• Nominations Report</li> <li>• Elections</li> <li>• Resolutions Report/Vote on Resolutions</li> </ul>
10:00 am - 10:15 am	<b>Break - Sponsored by OMSSA</b>
10:15 am – 11:15 am	<b>Panel Discussion:</b> <b>Innovative Housing with Cultural Supports</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Justin Marchand, Executive Director, Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services</li> <li>• Emma Stromberg, Policy Analyst, Ontario Federation of Indigenous Friendship Centres</li> <li>• Nick Stewart, Executive Director, NOSDA</li> </ul> <b>Moderator: Henry Wall, CAO, District of Kenora Services Board</b>
11:15 am –11:30 am	<b>Wrap Up / Adjournment</b>  <b>Drum Group – Closing Ceremony</b>  <b>Boxed Lunch – Sponsored by Enercare Home &amp; Commercial Services Limited Partnership</b>

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