



DRAFT PROGRAMME

7th International GNPHN Conference

Building Resilience and Innovative Solutions:
Amplifying Impact and Advancing Positive Global
Public Health Change

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Monday 28 July 2025

08:00 Registration | Breakfast | Exhibition

09:00 Welcome | Opening ceremonies

10:00 **Keynote: "Nursing Power to Change the World"**
Howard Catton MA BSc RN
CEO International Council of Nurses

10:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

11:00 Concurrent session #1

12:00 Lunch | Exhibition

13:00 Posters

13:00 Deep Dive: OKAKI | Mission possible: Closing the immunization gap with First Nations in Alberta, 2008-2025

13:00 Think Tank:
Symposium: Core Competencies of PHNs – Commonalities and Differences in Countries

13:45 Concurrent Sessions #2
Think Tank: cont.
World Café: Understanding and developing concepts of family resilience

14:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

15:00 Networking event

Note: Draft programme only - subject to change



Tuesday 29 July 2025

08:00 Breakfast | Exhibition

09:00 **Keynote: "Nursing Retention Toolkit"**
Leigh Chapman, PhD RN
Chief Nursing Officer, Health Canada

10:00 Concurrent session #3

10:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

11:00 Concurrent session #4

12:00 Lunch | Exhibition | Sponsor presentation

13:00 Posters

13:00 Deep Dive: To be confirmed

13:45 Concurrent session #5
Think Tank: Climate Change
World Café: Fostering a strong virtual culture for remote workers

14:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

15:00 GNPHN Annual General Meeting

17:00 Indigenous Experience/Activity



Wednesday 30 July 2025

DAY THREE

08:00 Breakfast | Exhibition

09:00 **Keynote: "From Awareness to Action: A Decade of Igniting Global Movement for Congenital Anomalies (2014-2024)"**
Salimah R Walani, PhD MPH MSN RN
Dean, Aga Khan University, School of Nursing and Midwifery, Pakistan

10:00 Concurrent session #6

10:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

11:00 Concurrent session #7

12:00 Lunch | Exhibition

13:00 Posters

13:00 Deep Dive: To be confirmed

13:45 Concurrent session #5
Think Tank: AI and Tech
World Café: Let's talk about what will be required of public health nurses to achieve universal health coverage!

14:45 Refreshment Break | Exhibition

15:00 Closing ceremonies
