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Canadian Respiratory Conference **2025**

Join us for the leading national, interdisciplinary educational and scientific meeting for the respiratory health community in Canada!

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Preliminary Program

The Canadian Thoracic Society (CTS) is pleased to invite you to attend the 17th Annual Canadian Respiratory Conference (CRC) at the Québec City Convention Centre in beautiful Québec City, from April 3-5, 2025.

This national interdisciplinary meeting has become an annual must-attend educational and scientific event for members of the Canadian Thoracic Society (CTS) and Canadian Respiratory Health Professionals (CRHP) and others working in respiratory health.

The conference is of special interest to those in our clinical and scientific community, including adult and pediatric respirologists, residents, fellows and trainees, family and emergency physicians, respiratory therapists, pulmonary technologists, physical therapists, nurses, dietitians, pharmacists, educators and other professionals working in the respiratory field.

We look forward to seeing you in Québec City!



CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

The scientific program will begin on Thursday, April 3, and continue through to mid-day on Saturday, April 5. Building on the success of past conferences, our program is interdisciplinary and designed to appeal to clinicians, scientists and educators in the respiratory field. It promotes discussion of the most significant developments in clinical practice, research and education and enhances interprofessional interactions.

At the end of the conference, attendees will be better able to:

- Apply updated, evidence-based scientific information to promote lung health in patients with respiratory disease, critical care and sleep disorders;
- Collaborate with other respiratory stakeholders, through communication, information sharing, networking and partnership building; and
- Translate and integrate recent clinical research on the prevention, management and treatment of respiratory diseases.

The scientific program will present cutting-edge concepts and current research from a variety of perspectives. A wide range of topics will be addressed as they relate to adult and pediatric respiratory health, asthma, COPD, pulmonary rehabilitation, ILD, sleep, critical care, lung cancer, pulmonary hypertension, cystic fibrosis and much more!

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CONFERENCE LOCATION

The Canadian Respiratory Conference will be held at the Québec City Convention Centre and The Hilton Québec. One of the oldest cities in Canada—having celebrated its 400th anniversary in 2008—Québec City has a distinct old-world character and charm. Old Québec, a UNESCO World Heritage treasure and the only walled city north of Mexico is an open-air treasure chest that will delight history and culture buffs alike. Its European background and modern North American character are set off by a heady blend of history, traditional and contemporary art, and French-language culture to make Québec City a destination like no other.

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Thursday, April 3
1415 – 1500

Health Journeys: Refugee and Newcomer Health in Canada and the Global Context

Gabriel Fabreau, MD, MPH, FRCPC, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB



Thursday, April 3
1530 – 1615

Data Valorization and Exploitation Center: the Example of SCIENTA

Alexis F. Turgeon, MD, Msc (Epid), FRCPC, Laval University, Québec City, QC



Thursday, April 3
1615 – 1700

History of Respiratory Medicine in Canada

Louis-Phillipe Boulet, MD, FRCPC, Laval University, Québec City, QC



Friday, April 4
0930 – 1030

CTS Distinguished Lecture in Respiratory Sciences: Making the Case for Pulmonary Imaging of Asthma and COPD: Curiosity, Heresy and Hope

Grace Parraga, PhD FCAHS, Western University, London, ON



Saturday, April 5
1125 – 1210

Guidelines - Evolution of a Tool to Change Clinical Practice

Samir Gupta, MD, FRCPC, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON



To access the full scientific program including session descriptions, learning objectives and speaker biographies, as well as the list of poster abstracts and authors, visit the CRC 2025 conference website at cts-sct.ca/crc. Updated information will be posted as it is received.

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 2025

AFFILIATED MEETINGS

0920 – 1600	National Senior Respiratory Fellows Symposium (NSRFS)
0930 – 1800	Pediatric Respiriology Fellows Day
1000 – 1700	Pre-CRC Research Day
1200 – 1700	CLA RENASCENT Trainee Workshop Part 1
1600 – 2000	CTS Board of Directors Meeting
1800 – 1900	Early Career Networking Reception

THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 2025

0730 – 1330	CLA RENASCENT Trainee Workshop Part 2
0800 – 1200	CRHP Leadership Council Meeting
0900 – 1000	CTS Education Committee Meeting
0930 – 1000	CTS Industry Advisory Council Meeting
1100 – 1215	Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S1 – New Horizons in Airways Disease: New Hope and New Promise for Patients
1230 – 1330	CTS Annual General Meeting and Luncheon
1400 – 1415	Welcome & Opening Remarks
1415 – 1500	P1 Opening Plenary: Health Journeys: Refugee and Newcomer Health in Canada and the Global Context <i>Dr. Gabriel Fabreau</i>
1500 – 1530	Refreshment Break
1530 – 1615	P2 Data Valorization and Exploitation Center: the Example of SCIENTA <i>Dr. Alexis F. Turgeon</i>
1615 – 1700	P3 History of Respiratory Medicine in Canada <i>Dr. Louis-Phillipe Boulet</i>
1700 – 1830	Welcome Reception/Sponsor Display/Poster Viewing
1830 – 1945	Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S2 – New Era in COPD Care: Setting Ambitious goals and Realistic Expectations with Biologics
	Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S3 – Adapting to the New Era for People with Cystic Fibrosis
1900 – 2100	CRHP Assembly Networking Session
1900 – 2100	CTS Pediatric Assembly Annual Meeting & Reception

FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 2025

0645 – 0800	CTS Women’s Forum: Inspiring Women in Respiratory Healthcare <i>Dr. M. Patricia Rivera</i>
0730 – 0915	Breakfast/Sponsor Display/Poster Viewing
0815 – 0915	CTS Clinical Assemblies & Working Group Meetings
0930 – 1030	P4 CTS Distinguished Lecture Award: Making the Case for Pulmonary Imaging of Asthma and COPD: Curiosity, Heresy, and Hope <i>Dr. Grace Parraga</i>
1030 – 1100	Refreshment Break/Sponsor Display/Poster Viewing
CONCURRENT SESSIONS	
C1	Severe Asthma with a Focus on Biologics
1100 – 1230	Severe Asthma with a Focus on Biologics <i>Dr. Andréanne Côté & Dr. Dhenuka Radhakrishnan</i>
C2	The Expanding Scope of Pulmonary Rehab in Canada
1100 – 1130	A Dose of Reality: Practical Frontline Strategies to Providing Pulmonary Rehabilitation in Complex Populations <i>Ms. Lauren Singh</i>
1130 – 1200	Enhancing Outcomes: The Role of Prehabilitation in Lung Transplantation <i>Mr. Nicholas Bourgeois</i>
1200 – 1230	Pulmonary Rehabilitation for Critical Illness <i>Mr. Christopher Farley</i>
C3	Advanced Bronchoscopy in Pediatrics and Beyond – Section 3
1100 – 1130	Pediatric Interventional Bronchoscopy – What, Why and How <i>Dr. Kimberley Kaspy</i>
1130 – 1200	Pediatric IP – Fad or Future? Lessons from Adult IP <i>Dr. Marc Fortin</i>
1200 – 1230	Interventional Bronchoscopy in the Wild – EBUS, Valves and NB, Oh My! <i>Dr. Alfin Vicencio</i>
C4	Assessment and Management of Pulmonary Hypertension
1100 – 1130	Assessment and Investigation of Pulmonary Hypertension in Patients with Cardiometabolic Disease <i>Dr. David Langleben</i>
1130 – 1200	Management of Pulmonary Hypertension in 2024/World Symposium Update <i>Dr. Nathan Hambly</i>
1200 – 1230	Prevention and Screening of Patients with PE for CTED/CTEPH <i>Dr. Jason Weatherald</i>
C5	Lung Cancer Screening in Canada
1100 – 1130	Developing Lung Cancer Screening in SK: Balancing Evidence, Equity and Community Values <i>Dr. Erika Penz</i>
1130 – 1200	The Current and Future Role of Artificial Intelligence for Lung Cancer Screening and Early Detection <i>Dr. Matthew Warkentin</i>
1200 – 1230	Beyond Lung Cancer: Unlocking Additional Benefits from Low-Dose CT Chest for Cardiovascular Disease and COPD Identified on Screening <i>Dr. Nicole Ezer</i>
1230 – 1345	LUNCH IN SPONSOR DISPLAY AREA/POSTER VIEWING
	CRHP Research Poster Adjudication

FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 2025

1230 - 1345 **Accredited Co-Developed Symposium**
S4 - Solving the Severe Asthma Puzzle: A Case-based Discussion on Complex Severe Asthma with Comorbidities

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

C6	Assessment and Treatment of Inpatients for Sleep Disordered Breathing
1400 - 1430	Understanding the Utility of Inpatient Sleep Studies for Sleep Disordered Breathing in Adults: Summary of Evidence <i>Dr. Tetyana Kendzerska</i>
1430 - 1500	Disparities in Sleep-disordered Breathing <i>Dr. Marcus Povitz</i>
1500 - 1530	Starting PAP for Inpatient Pediatrics' Patients <i>Dr. Sherri Katz</i>
C7	Critical Care and the Impact of Respiratory Health Professionals
1400 - 1430	ICU Liberation Bundle and the Roles of PT/RT/RN <i>Dr. Karla Horvey</i>
1430 - 1500	Failed Extubation in the Intensive Care Unit: A Team Failure? <i>Dr. Pierre-Alexis Lépine</i>
1500 - 1530	Critical Care Ventilator Settings for Non-RTs <i>Mr. Thomas Piraino</i>
C8	Non-CF Bronchiectasis
1400 - 1430	New Developments in the Clinical Aspects of Pediatric Bronchiectasis <i>Dr. Wallace Wee</i>
1430 - 1500	Radiology of Pediatric Bronchiectasis <i>Dr. Karen Lyons</i>
1500 - 1530	Searching for a Cause - Advances in Diagnosing Etiologies of non-CF Bronchiectasis <i>Dr. Céline Kempeneers</i>
C9	Health Disparities in Respiratory Medicine: A Call to Action - Presidents' Perspectives: CHEST-ERS-ATS Conjoint Session
1400 - 1430	Health Disparities in Lung Cancer Screening and Thoracic Surgery in the United States <i>Dr. John Howington</i>
1430 - 1500	Disparities in Sleep-disordered breathing <i>Dr. Silke Ryan</i>
1500 - 1530	Health Disparities in Tobacco Use and Treatment <i>Dr. M. Patricia Rivera</i>
C10	If You're Not Early, You're Late: Screening for Pulmonary Fibrosis - Section 3
1400 - 1430	Assessment of Patient with Incidental Interstitial Lung Abnormalities Discovered in Lung Cancer Screening <i>Dr. Amanda Grant-Orser</i>
1430 - 1500	Familial Pulmonary Fibrosis: Prevalence and Screening <i>Dr. Kerri Johansson</i>
1500 - 1530	Screening for ILD in Patients with CTD (based on upcoming ACR guidelines) and Management Pearls <i>Dr. Deborah Assayag</i>
1530 - 1600	Refreshment Break/Sponsor Display/Poster Viewing
1600 - 1700	CTS Mastermind Challenge
1700 - 1830	Moderated Poster Session
1830 - 1930	Mix and Mingle Reception/Sponsor Display

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 2025

0700 – 0815	<p>Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S5 – The Need for Phenotyping Severe Asthma Patients: A Pro-Con Debate</p> <hr/> <p>Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S6 – The Alpha 1 Patient – A Case Based Discussion</p>
0730 – 0830	Continental Breakfast
CONCURRENT SESSIONS	
C11	Presentation of the New CF Canada Guidelines for the Standards of Care in the Era of CFTR Modulators – Section 3
0830 – 0900	CF Canada Standards of Care in the CFTR Modulator Era – Adult Perspective <i>Dr. Elizabeth Tullis</i>
0900 – 0930	CF Canada Standards of Care in the CFTR Modulator Era – Pediatric perspective <i>Dr. Mark Chilvers</i>
C12	A Hard Topic to Swallow: Aspiration Diagnosis and Management
0830 – 0900	Aspiration Risk and Dysphagia in COPD: An Overlooked Comorbidity Impacting Outcomes <i>Dr. Renata Mancopes</i>
0900 – 0930	Breathing and Swallowing in COPD: An Interprofessional Approach to Dysphagia Management <i>Dr. Diana Sanchez Ramirez</i>
C13	Fresh from the Fellow’s Clinic: Escape into Some Great Cases!
0830 – 0850	An Unusual Case of Hemoptysis in a Teenage Girl <i>Dr. Marie-Helene Bourassa</i>
0850 – 0910	Desperate Times – The Use of Unconventional Measures to Treat Bronchopleural Fistula <i>Dr. Siyabuela Bovula</i>
0910 – 0930	Tracing the ROHHAD-NET Journey: A Pediatric Patient’s Case with Severe Multisystem Complications <i>Dr. Natalia Escobar</i>
C14	COPD: New and Upcoming Treatment Options for Canadians with Severe COPD
0830 – 0900	The Role of Biologics in COPD: Updates on the Evidence and New Treatments on the Horizon <i>Dr. Don Sin</i>
0900 – 0930	Bronchoscopic Lung Volume Reduction – A Canadian Update <i>Dr. Alex Chee</i>
0930 – 1000	Refreshment Break
CONCURRENT SESSIONS	
C15	New Kids on the Block: Research Highlights from Early Career Investigators
1000 – 1020	Regional Variations in Burden of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease in British Columbia <i>Ms. Jeenat Mehareen</i>
1020 – 1040	Role of B Cells in Mediating Inflammation, Autoimmunity and Clinical Symptoms in Severe Asthma <i>Ms. Nadia Suray Tan</i>
1040 – 1100	Sex-specific Machine Learning Models with CT Imaging for Predicting Progression to COPD and COPD Status <i>Ms. Kalysta Makimoto</i>

SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 2025

C16	Professional Skills Development in Respiratory Health Professionals
1000 - 1030	Health Literacy: A Challenge and Opportunity in an Era of Misinformation <i>Dr. Judy King</i>
1030 - 1100	Breaking Barriers and Strengthening Support: Key Factors in the Adoption of Scholarly Practices Among Respiratory Healthcare Professionals <i>Dr. Shirley Quach</i>
C17	Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia - Considerations in Severe Disease
1000 - 1020	An Update on BPD Management - the Cutting Edge <i>Dr. Dimas Mateo</i>
1020 - 1100	The Ineffable Intervention - a Pro-Con Debate on Trach vs Long-term NIV in BPD <i>Dr. Marie Wright & Dr. David Zielinski</i>
C18	Pulmonary Infections: New Evidence and Opportunities in Treatment and Prevention
1000 - 1030	Necrotizing Pneumonia <i>Dr. George Rakovich</i>
1030 - 1100	Vaccines for Respiratory Viruses <i>Dr. Dawn Bowdish</i>
1100 - 1115	Break
1115 - 1215	P5 Closing Plenary
1115 - 1125	Poster Award Presentations
1125 - 1210	P5 Guidelines - Evolution of a Tool to Change Clinical Practice <i>Dr. Samir Gupta</i>
1210 - 1215	Closing Remarks
1230 - 1345	Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S7 - The Future of ILD Care
	Accredited Co-Developed Symposium S8 - Preventive Interventions in COPD: Novel Concepts
Post-CRC Meetings	
1330 - 1500	CRC 2025 Scientific Planning Committee Debrief
1330 - 1530	Canadian Journal of Respiratory, Critical Care, Sleep Medicine Associate Editors Meeting
1330 - 1630	Non-Invasive Home Mechanical Systems Workshop
	Artificial Intelligence in Respiratory Therapy
	Pediatric Severe Asthma Stakeholders' Forum
1345 - 1645	Pediatric Bronchoscopic Cryotherapy Workshop

SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025

0730 - 1130	Pediatric Severe Asthma Stakeholders' Forum
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This program is preliminary and subject to change. The language of presentation for the scientific program is English.

Visit the CRC 2025 conference website at cts-sct.ca/crc for the full scientific program, including session descriptions, learning objectives and speaker biographies, as well as the list of poster abstracts and authors.

CO-DEVELOPED SYMPOSIA

CTS partners with leading conference sponsors to co-develop symposia at CRC. These sessions are accredited and planned to achieve scientific integrity, objectivity and balance. Full session details, including invited speakers, session descriptions and learning objectives will be posted as confirmed on the CRC 2025 conference website at cts-sct.ca/crc.

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REGISTRATION

Take advantage of the savings and register before the early bird deadline of **February 24, 2025**.

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REGISTRATION CATEGORY	EARLY BIRD: BEFORE/ON FEBRUARY 24, 2025	REGULAR: FROM FEBRUARY 25 TO MARCH 17, 2025	ON/AFTER MARCH 18, 2025
Member – Resident/Fellow/Student	\$255	\$305	\$355
Member – CRHP	\$430	\$540	\$605
Member – MD/PhD	\$550	\$660	\$680
Member – Retired	\$250	\$330	\$340
Respiratory Roundtable Members	\$460	\$560	\$610
Non-Member Resident/Fellow/Student	\$355	\$460	\$560
Non-Member (MD/PhD/Health Professional) or Industry Representative	\$795	\$895	\$925

*Registration fees are listed in Canadian Dollars and are subject to 5% GST and 9.975% QST.
The CRC accepts payment by credit card (Mastercard or Visa).*

For all registration and conference details as well as cancellation and refund policies, visit the conference website at cts-sct.ca/crc.

For inquiries, contact the CTS by email at crc@cts-sct.ca or by phone at 613-235-6650.





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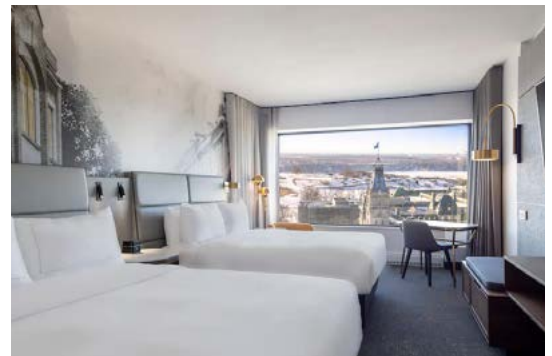
The 2025 Canadian Respiratory Conference (CRC) will be held at the Québec City Convention Centre and Hilton Québec, Québec City.

Staying at the official conference hotel facilitates networking and offers easy access to the conference program and special events. **Most importantly, choosing to stay at the host hotel supports the CTS.**

The CTS has negotiated special guest room rates at the Hilton Québec. Rates start as low as **\$235** plus applicable taxes (single or double occupancy).

Our group rates will only be available until **March 4, 2025, or until our group block is sold out**, whichever comes first. After that point, reservations will be accepted based on availability and subject to prevailing rates.

With the increased demand for travel and the popular destination of Québec City, we encourage you to book early!



TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

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SPECIAL EVENTS AND AFFILIATED MEETINGS

Connecting with peers is easy at CRC 2025! For a full list of meetings and special events, please review the preliminary schedule on our conference website at cts-sct.ca/crc.

National Senior Respiratory Fellows Symposium (NSRFS)

Wednesday, April 2

This annual symposium is a collaborative initiative of Canadian respirology program directors and the CTS to prepare residents from across Canada for the Royal College exam. The Practice OSCE Exam will take place in conjunction with the CRC.



Canadian Pediatric Respirology Fellows Day

Wednesday, April 2

The annual Canadian Pediatric Respirology Fellows Day will be held at the CRC as a joint initiative of the pediatric respirology program directors and CTS Pediatric Assembly.

Early Career Networking Reception

Wednesday, April 2

New in 2025, CTS will host its early career members for a networking reception. A time for adult and pediatric residents, fellows, researchers and respirologists and health professionals within their first 5 years of practice to connect with their peers from coast to coast.

Pre-CRC Research Day

Wednesday, April 2

The Pre CRC Research Day is an event focused on showcasing Canadian research, featuring two major research initiatives, the Canadian Cohort Obstructive Lung Disease (CanCOLD) and the CANadian Consortium of Clinical Trial TRAINING (CANTRAIN). It will bring together scientists and students working in different disciplines from across Canada and will facilitate opportunities for collaboration and exchange between trainees and investigators at different stages of their research careers.

CLA RENASCENT Workshop

Wednesday, April 2 – Thursday, April 3

This annual career readiness workshop for trainees will be held prior to the CRC. It is organized by the Canadian Lung Association in collaboration with the CTS and the Canadian Respiratory Research Network.

CTS Annual General Meeting and Luncheon

Thursday, April 3

All CTS members are invited to take part in the CTS Annual General Meeting and Luncheon from 1230 – 1330. The CTS President and Treasurer will present their annual reports and members will elect the CTS Board of Directors for 2025-2026.



CRHP Assembly Networking Reception

Thursday, April 3

All members of the Canadian Respiratory Healthcare Professionals (CRHP) Assembly are encouraged to attend a networking reception held at 1900 immediately after the CRC Welcome Reception.

CTS Pediatric Assembly Annual Meeting

Thursday, April 3

All members of the CTS Pediatric Assembly are encouraged to attend the Annual Meeting held at 1900 immediately following the CRC Welcome Reception.

CTS Women's Forum: Inspiring Women in Respiratory Healthcare

Friday, April 4

In this inaugural CTS Women's Forum, we will gather to honour and foster community for women in respiratory healthcare. Our guest speaker will share their story and reflect on how they have navigated and overcome challenges throughout their life and career. Everyone is welcome to attend this morning session. Breakfast will be served.

CTS Clinical Assembly and Working Group Meetings

Friday, April 4

CTS Clinical Assemblies on Asthma, COPD, ILD, Sleep Disordered Breathing, HMV as well as the CF Working Group will meet on Friday April 4.



Artificial Intelligence in Respiratory Therapy

Saturday, April 5

Canadian experts will present a variety of topics on the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in respiratory therapy at an accredited symposium from 1330-1630. This session is free for all CRC delegates and \$50+qst for non-CRC participants. Pre-registration required.

Pediatric Bronchoscopic Cryotherapy Workshop

Saturday, April 5

Cryotherapy allows for a broad range of diagnostic and therapeutic bronchoscopic procedures that have started to have a large impact on the pediatric population. This course will be in-person, with 1 hour of didactic lessons and 2 hours of practical hands-on experience. During the hands-on experience attendees will have the opportunity to practice a variety of cryotherapy techniques including clot extraction, foreign body removal, tumor debulking and devitalization. Additionally, attendees will gain exposure to disposable flexible bronchoscopes and to a virtual artificial intelligence bronchoscopy simulator. Space is limited and registration is required.

Non-Invasive Home Mechanical Systems Workshop

Saturday, April 5

The workshop will feature interactive, small group sessions with preceptors demonstrating equipment and guiding participants through practical case scenarios. Space is limited and registration is required.

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