

HEALTH INEQUALITIES IN CANADA:

BETTER DECISIONS FROM EXISTING DATA

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At the World Health Assembly in 2012, Canada endorsed the Rio Political Declaration on the Social Determinants of Health, pledging to strengthen monitoring and reporting on health inequalities. Following this, the Public Health Agency of Canada, Statistics Canada, and the Canadian Institute for Health Information (and others) have collaboratively undertaken the work of the Pan-Canadian Health Inequalities Reporting Initiative by creating a data resource. Over the past 18 months, the Manitoba/Saskatchewan Region of the Public Health Agency of Canada has been conducting a series of information sessions for potential users of the Health Inequalities Data Tool, to raise awareness of the available data, the methodology, and the supporting resources.

Wednesday, September 18, 2019

1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Location (Saskatoon): Prairie Room,

Diefenbaker Building, University of

Saskatchewan

Location (Regina): CB 308, College Avenue

Campus, University of Regina

Registration: Available online

In this presentation, attendees will:

- Strengthen knowledge and action on health inequalities in Canada through improved data infrastructure and reporting.
- Receive a high level overview of the impetus for the development of this initiative, with links to global goals.
- Be introduced to and have the opportunity to use the Data Tool, which will increase their understanding for the scope and capacity of the tool.
- Work through examples of the types of policy research questions or queries that can be answered.
- Attendees are asked to bring a laptop, or other Wi-Fi enabled device to experience hands on the capacity of the Data Tool.

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