

Dear Colleagues:

The **ONLINE REGISTRATION** for the for the ACHD Symposium in Toronto 2008 is **OPEN**  
(<http://www.uhn.ca/ACHDConference2008.asp>)

**Early Registration (until April 30, 2008):**

- Physicians \$ 700.00 CDN
- Trainees, Nurse Practitioners \$ 500.00 CDN

Registration fee will be \$800.00 and 600.00 after April 30, 2008.

You will find useful **information for accommodations and traveling** to Toronto at  
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**Abstract Submission - Deadline March 3, 2008 (6 EST)**

I cordially invite you, your co-workers and trainees to submit **Abstracts for the ACHD Symposium**

Abstracts will be considered for all aspects of care for adults with congenital heart disease (ACHD), including cardiac issues in the inpatient and outpatient areas, ACHD nursing, surgical, anesthesia and perfusion research, interventional procedures, and diagnostic testing.

**Work that has been previously presented at local, national or international meetings will be considered for presentation** at the 18th International Symposium on Adult Congenital Heart Disease in 2008; however material that has been already published as a manuscript in a peer-reviewed journal will not be considered.

The top three abstracts will be presented as oral presentations on June 5 (**Winner #3 and #2**) and on June 6, 2008 (**Winner #1**). Winner #1 will get the Investigator Award and free access to the 19th International Symposium at Skamania Lodge, Stevenson, WA (USA) in 2010.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Toronto.

My best regards,

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