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O'Brien Institute for Public Health

O'BULLETIN

The price Calgary kids are paying for fluoride cessation



In 2011, city council voted to cease Calgary's fluoridation program. Three dental specialists and the O'Brien Institute's Dr. Juliet Guichon, SJD, explain the impact that's had. It isn't pretty. [Read more](#)

In The News

Swimmers warned to 'be cautious' in contaminated section of Elbow River
Multiple outlets

Announcements

Nominations are open for 2018 O'Brien Institute Awards



As the weather warms up, Dr. **Jason Cabaj**, MD, reminds Calgarians to avoid a section that's been contaminated with fecal coliforms for two years. [CBC](#), [Global](#), [Calgary Herald](#)



These awards recognize excellence. Nominations are open from now until August 10. [Read more](#)

Cannabis consumption won't spike after legalization *The Star Calgary*



Dr. **Rebecca Haines-Saah**, PhD, talks pot with Brett Wilson in [The Star Calgary](#) and research opportunities in [Vice News](#). Read more about [cannabis at work](#) and [second-hand smoke](#).

UCalgary launches Eyes High Postdoctoral Scholars Competition: Round 4



The university is looking to bolster its ranks with high-quality postdoctoral scholars to promote interdisciplinary research across faculties. [More info](#)

O'Brien members dish on nutrition ahead of major policy forum *Multiple outlets*



CIHR call for submissions: Share your story about research or patient experience



Dr. **Dana Olstad**, PhD, Dr. **Aleem Bharwani**, MD, and Dr. **Norm Campbell**, MD, discuss nutrition and the Institute's policy event of the year. [BT Calgary](#), [CBC](#) and [Global](#)

CIHR is crowd-sourcing a digital storybook of health researchers and patients from across Canada. Care to share your story? Submit it today. [Read more](#)

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Good Reads

How the stress of family separation may permanently damage migrant children
[Rolling Stone Magazine](#)

Jane Philpott: On Canada's own crisis of separating kids from parents [Maclean's](#)

'Remarkable drop' in C. difficile infections found at Canadian hospitals [CBC](#)

Brenda Strafford Centre on Aging teams up with age-positive film festival [UToday](#)

The positive death movement comes to life
[New York Times](#)

Funding Opportunities

Global Alliance for Chronic Diseases (GACD) Intervention scale-up: Hypertension and/or diabetes

Pre-proposal deadline: July 12

Full application deadline: Sept. 10

[More info](#)

UCalgary RGC Partnership Seed Grants

Submission deadline: Sept. 17

[More info](#)

Health Science and Medical Education Research & Innovation Funding Competition

Letter of intent deadline: Sept. 28

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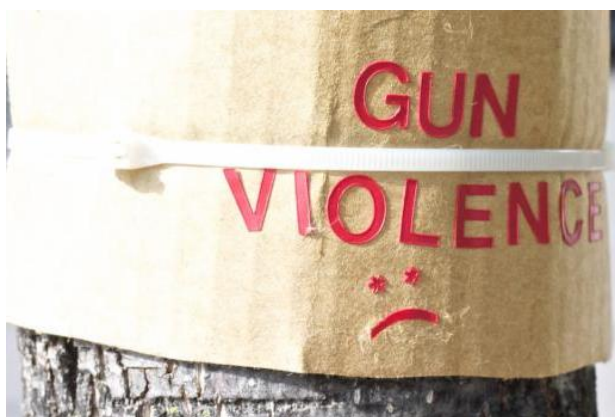
The O'Brien Institute presents ... food!

Regression modelling strategies with Prof. Frank Harrell, Vanderbilt University



What: United Way BBQ
 When: July 17, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
 Where: HRIC Atrium, HSC
[More Info](#)

Gun Violence and Injury Prevention Advocacy: The Surgeon's Perspective



What: EQuIS/O'Brien Institute symposium
 When: August 13
 Where: Theatre 1, HSC
[More info](#)

Lecture, Reception and Regression Modelling Strategies Workshop



Distinguished Visitor:
 Prof. Frank E. Harrell, Jr.
 Vanderbilt University

Thursday August 2, 2018
 10:00 a.m. **Public Lecture** (Theatre 4 and
 will be video-taped)
 11:00 a.m. **Reception** (HRIC)
 12:30 – 4:30 p.m. **Workshop** (Theatre 4,
 not available by webinar)



Friday August 3, 2018
 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. **Workshop** (Theatre 4,
 not available by webinar)

What: UCalgary Biostatistics Centre workshop
 When: Aug. 2-3
 Where: Theatre 4, HSC
[More info](#)

2018 International Population Data Linkage Conference



When: Sept. 11-14
 Where: Banff Centre
[More info](#)

MORE EVENTS

Are you or your research making waves in the news cycle? Have you received an award or nailed down an impressive partnership? Did you clinch a massive grant or get yourself published again? We want to hear from you. Email IPH@ucalgary.ca



The O'Brien Institute for Public Health at the University of Calgary supports excellence in population health and health services research, while realizing the benefits of such research by using that

knowledge to inform community, policy and health practice stakeholders.

The Institute's membership includes more than 480 multidisciplinary researchers from 13 Cumming School of Medicine departments, nine additional University of Calgary faculties, including Nursing, Veterinary Medicine, Kinesiology and Arts; health professionals in Alberta Health Services; and, research users and policy makers from municipal and provincial institutions. As an Institute, we share a vision of "better health and health care," reflecting our two priority research areas of Improved Population Health and Enhanced Health Systems Performance.

The Institute's success in brokering broader external relationships with provincial and national interest groups, policy makers, research agencies, the media, philanthropists, and community stakeholders, further extends the reach and impact of our members' significant research outputs.
