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## **Revitalizing Connections**

May 13-14, 2014 Thunder Bay, Ontario

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## **Revitalizing Connections**

5 Tinal Nutrition No. Good nutrition is crucial in determining the health and well-being of Aboriginal people in Canada. In 2011, the Aboriginal Nutrition Network held its inaugural national Gathering in Toronto. The Gathering was successful in stimulating discussion around key topics and creating relationships between academia, government, nutrition professionals and community members. Knowledge translation is facilitated by Dietitians. Dietitians working with Aboriginal communities across Canada are making strides in revitalizing connections and traditional food ways. An estimated 150 dietitians, health professionals, community health workers and students are expected to attend the 2014 Aboriginal Nutrition Network (ANN) conference in Thunder Bay, Ontario from May 13-14 at Fort William Historical Park. The Gathering will provide a forum for Dietitians, Health Professionals and others working in Aboriginal Communities to discuss "hot" topics such as food security, traditional food ways, chronic disease and cultural safety in nutrition programming. The Conference is also focused on enhancing professional knowledge and practice as well as promoting nutrition careers in First Nations, Metis, and Inuit

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## Making a Difference... For 13 Years

Who Is the Aboriginal Nutrition Network and What We Do

The Aboriginal Nutrition Network is a professional practice group of the Dietitians of Canada. It provides a forum for its 146 members comprised of Dietitians, Nutritionists, and students working in Aboriginal communities or those with a general interest in Aboriginal nutrition issues.

Established in 2001 to:

- Network and share resources with communities
- Be informed and participate in continuing education opportunities
- Further develop dietetic training opportunities with a focus on Aboriginal nutrition
- Be identified as a resource group for governing bodies, communities and others
- Raise awareness of Aboriginal nutrition needs

## We are...

#### Keeping Nutrition on the Agenda

Feeding Mind, Body and Spirit role paper, 2011 National Gathering, Canada's Food Guide for First Nations, Inuit and Metis

### Meeting the Needs of Communities

First Nations Longitudinal regional Health Survey, Health Career Fair Promotion

## Building Bridges, Strengthening Partnerships

FNIHB, Universities, National and P/T Aboriginal organizations, Centres of Excellence

#### **Supporting Members in Practice**

ANN Newsletter, Website, Business Meetings, Mentoring Initiatives



## **Revitalizing Connections**

A Gathering of Dietitians, Community Health Workers and Nutrition Professionals working with Aboriginal Communities in Canada

#### The Gathering

Revitalizing Connections is the Aboriginal Nutrition Network of Dietitians of Canada's second national Gathering, this year it will be held at Fort William Historical Park. The Gathering is a two-day event offering a comprehensive program that includes two plenary sessions, an expert panel and breakout sessions. Sessions feature practitioners, researchers and community organizations that are leading the way in food security, traditional food ways, cultural safety in nutrition programing and innovative practices in Aboriginal community nutrition.

#### Who Will Attend

- Health Professionals
- Health Organizations
- Government
- Researchers
- Clinicians
- University Faculty
- Community Health Educators
- Students with an interest in nutrition
- Industry
- Media

## Why Become a Sponsor?

- Demonstrate commitment to Aboriginal health
- Help expand the Aboriginal health workforce for the future
- Network and promotion of products and services to key stakeholders in Aboriginal health
- Enhance your relationship with government, academia and communities around Aboriginal health

## Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

#### Eagle (\$5000)

- Acknowledgement of sponsor with name or logo on event program or event promotional material on initial internal and external communications
- Three complimentary registrations or sponsorship of three student registrations to event
- Plenary session and lunch sponsor
- Inclusion of organization material produced by sponsor in delegate packages
- Opportunity to mail to event delegate list at cost of sponsor (opt-out available)
- Sponsor logo on Gathering welcome banner
- Verbal acknowledgment/thanks for support at the opening/closing of the event

#### Bear (\$2500)

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- Two complimentary registrations or sponsorship of two student registrations to event
- Plenary session and Nutrition Breaks sponsor
- Inclusion of organization material produced by sponsor in delegate packages
- Opportunity to mail to event delegate list at cost of sponsor (opt-out available)
- Verbal acknowledgement/thanks for support for support at the opening/closing of the event

#### Turtle (\$700)

- Acknowledgement of sponsor with name or logo on event program or event promotional material
- One complimentary registration or sponsorship of one student registration to event
- Verbal acknowledgement/thanks for support at the opening/closing of the event

For more information on sponsorship opportunities, please contact Elisa Levi (elisa\_levi@hotmail.com) or Emily Murray (emily.murray.ca@gmail.com).

# Revitalizing Connections Sponsorship Application Form

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