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## Health Promotion Clearinghouse

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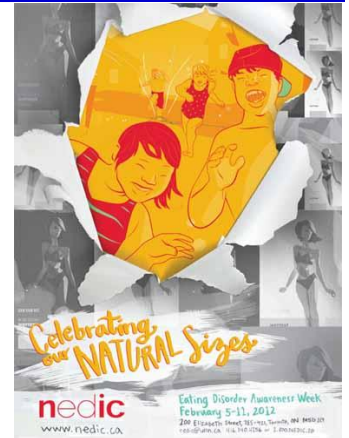


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### Welcome!

Welcome to the February 1st issue of the HPC E-Bulletin. The coming month includes a number of important events to health promoters in Nova Scotia and nationally. For instance, February 5th marks the beginning of Eating Disorders Awareness Week. It is an annual international effort to educate the public on the relationship between dieting, body dissatisfaction and eating disorders. For more information, [click here](#).



If you haven't already done so, please check out HPC's redesigned state-of-the art [website](#). Launched last week, it was designed to be a one-stop online hub for health promotion information. It features new content, excellent search capabilities, and thousands of links to health promotion resources and opportunities. The new site has also improved its online presence and networking abilities by integrating with the latest trends in social media.

As usual, the purpose of this publication is to give you a twice-monthly summary of the activities and events going on in Nova Scotia's vibrant health promotion community. More information on events in February can be found on [Health Canada's Calendar of Health Promotion Days](#). If you have comments about our E-Bulletin or any suggestions for improvement, please let us know by sending an email to [hpc@dal.ca](mailto:hpc@dal.ca).

### Events in Atlantic Canada (Mainly NS)

**Format: Location - Host – Title**

#### February 2012

- Tatamagouche Centre - [Create a Strong Board for Your Organization](#)
- Halifax - ACLE - [Setting the Record Straight on Charitable Fundraising](#)
- Halifax - EDAG - [The Eating Disorders Action Group Community Forum](#)
- Province-wide - FarmWorks - [Information Sessions - Share in Our Future](#)
- Tatamagouche - Tatamagouche Centre - [Become an Effective Leader](#)
- Halifax - Connections Halifax - [Walking the Walk Workshop](#)



## **March 2012 and Beyond**

- Dartmouth - Self Help Connection - [Starting and Facilitating a Self-Help Group Workshop \(Mar/12\)](#)
- Halifax - HANS - [Knowledge in Healthcare: Creating Accessing Implementing \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Halifax - TAPHE - [A Harbour of Hope: Health and Physical Literacy \(May/12\)](#)
- St. John's - SPARK - [Upcoming Fellowship Addressing Mental Health and Addiction \(July/12\)](#)
- Halifax - [Recent Advances in the Prevention and Management of Childhood and Adolescent Obesity \(Oct/12\)](#)
- Moncton - ACIP - [2012 Injury Prevention Conference \(Oct/12\)](#)
- Cornerbrook - CCPH - [Community-University Expo \(June/13\)](#)

## **Events Beyond Atlantic Canada**

### **February 2012**

- WWW - CAURA - [Free Webinar Knowledge Mobilization](#)
- WWW - CHNET-Works - [Upcoming Fireside Chats](#)
- WWW - CHNET-Works - [Fireside Chat with Senator Art Eggleton](#)
- WWW - CHNET-Works - [Spotlight on Knowledge Translation Methods and Tools](#)
- Ottawa - Dignity for All - [Join a National Conversation](#)
- Ottawa - CDPAC - [4th Pan-Cdn Conf on Chronic Disease Prevention](#)
- Montreal - CHSRF - [CEO Forum 2012](#)
- Vancouver - UBC - [The Early Years Conference 2012](#)
- Toronto - [Best Start Resource Centre - Annual Conference](#)

### **March 2012 and Beyond**

- Nationwide - [Healthy Schools Day \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Vancouver - IPCE - [Adolescents & Adults with FASD \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Ethiopia - WFPHA - [2012 World Congress on Public Health \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Saskatoon - SAHO - [Inspire: Health Care Quality Summit 2012 \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Connecticut - [Global Health & Innovation Conference 2012 \(Apr/12\)](#)
- Toronto - U of T - [2012 National Health Law Conference \(May/12\)](#)
- London - PARC - [2012 Physical Activity Symposium \(May/12\)](#)
- Montreal - ARCC - [Applied Research in Cancer Control Conference \(May/12\)](#)
- Montreal - CAHSPR - [Innovations for Health System Improvement \(May/12\)](#)
- Kelowna - NCCPH - [2012 Summer Institute \(May/12\)](#)
- Winnipeg - Cochrane Canada - [Health Evidence for All \(May/12\)](#)
- Edmonton - CPHA - [2012 Annual Conference \(June/12\)](#)
- Ottawa - [Knowledge Mobilization Works \(June/12\)](#)
- Richmond BC - [Canada and Refugee Resettlement \(June/12\)](#)
- Banff - CARSP - [Canadian Multidisciplinary Road Safety Conference \(June/12\)](#)
- Australia - AGPN - [World Health Care Networks Conference 2012 \(July/12\)](#)
- Norway - NTNU - [Health Promotion Conference Summer 2012 \(Aug/12\)](#)
- New Zealand - [World Conference on Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion \(Oct/12\)](#)
- Vancouver - CAG - [Aging in a Changing World Conference \(Oct/12\)](#)

## Job/Funding/Volunteer Opportunities

### Job Opportunities

- [Part Time Research Assistant \(Deadline: Feb 13/12\)](#)
- [Faith and Spirituality Program Coordinator \(Deadline: Mar 5/12\)](#)



### Funding Opportunities

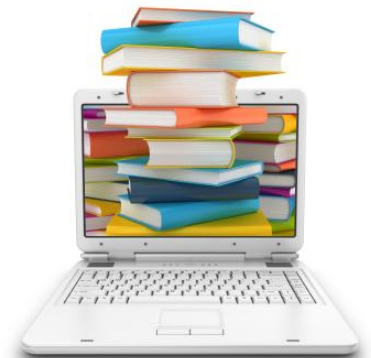
- [Community Wellness Funds Available - Digby & Area Community Health Board \(Deadline: Mar 31/12\)](#)
- [RBC After School Grants Project accepting applications for funding \(Deadline: Mar 12/12\)](#)
- [HRM Community Grants \(Deadline: March 31/12\)](#)
- [2012-13 Research Programs Funding Opportunities \(Registration Deadline: Feb 14/12\)](#)
- [Western Active Kids Healthy Kids Grant \(Deadline: Feb 17/12\)](#)
- [Kaiser Foundation - National Awards for Excellence Program \(Deadline: Feb 28/12\)](#)
- [Blue Water Leadership Grants \(Deadline: Feb 3/12\)](#)
- [Eastern Kings County Active Kids Healthy Kids Grant \(Deadline: Feb 17/12\)](#)

### Volunteer Opportunities

- [Call for Volunteer Leaders! - Chronic Disease Self-Management Program](#)
- [Call for Volunteers - Credit Union Atlantic Lung Run 5km](#)
- [Atlantic Path - Become a Community Champion](#)
- [Canadian Diabetes Presentations](#)
- [The Arthritis Society](#)
- [Join Your Community Health Board](#)
- [Opportunities at Nova Scotia Environmental Network](#)
- [The Lung Association of Nova Scotia](#)
- [Canadian Cancer Society, NS Division](#)
- [Ecology Action Centre](#)
- [Heart and Stroke Foundation of Nova Scotia](#)

## New to Our Library (last 30 days)

- [Child Safety Connect January 25, 2012](#)
- [Frontline Health: Beyond Health Care](#)
- [Civilized to Death - Aboriginal Peoples and Social Determinants of Health](#)
- [Best Practice Guidelines for Mental Health Promotion Programs: Older Adults](#)
- [New Book on Poverty, Health and Law](#)
- [Divided We Stand: Why Inequality Keeps Rising](#)
- [Community Action on Homelessness E-news](#)
- [Volunteer Canada News Flash - Jan 23 2012](#)
- [Online Business Case Creator \(OBCC\)](#)
- [Recreation Nova Scotia Weekly Update](#)
- [NEWS RELEASE: Health Centres Applaud Provinces' Commitment to Innovation](#)
- [Study Finds that Treatment of Depression can Increase Work Productivity](#)
- [NSHRF January E-News](#)
- [Curious About Your Gambling?](#)



- [Community Links Jan 18 Ebulletin](#)
- [.CA Impact Awards](#)
- [Health Status and Health Services Use of Female and Male Prisoners in Provincial Jail](#)
- [RNS Weekly Update Jan 13/12](#)
- [Effect of Comm Engagement in Research on Perceived Outcomes of Partnered Mental Health Services Projects](#)
- [The Cuts Behind the Curtain: How Federal Cutbacks will Slash Services and Increase Unemployment](#)
- [Break It Off - Digital Campaign to Assist Young Adults to Break Up With Smoking](#)
- [Population Health, In Brief - January 11, 2012](#)
- [National Volunteer Website Launch](#)
- [Are We Doing Enough? A Status Rpt on Cdn Public Policy & Child & Youth Health](#)
- [Environmental Justice - Free Issue](#)
- [Release of the Social Determinants of Injury Report](#)
- [Active Kids Healthy Kids BULLETIN - January 2012](#)
- [Brigit's Notes January 2012](#)
- [RNS Weekly Update - Jan 6, 2012](#)
- [Health Research Systems: Promoting Health Equity or Economic Competitiveness?](#)

### Call for Papers/ Abstracts/ Nominations/ Members

- [Call for Abstracts: Aging in a Changing World \(Deadline: Apr 2/12\)](#)
- [Call for Abstracts: Canadian Obesity Student Meeting \(Deadline: Mar 5/12\)](#)
- [Call for Abstracts - Priorities 2012 \(Deadline: Mar 26/12\)](#)
- [Call for Abstracts - Childhood and Adolescent Obesity \(Deadline: Mar 23/12\)](#)
- [Call for Applications: Ntl Training Program in Children's Environmental Health](#)
- [Call for Applications - ACHIEVE Post Doctoral Fellowship \(Deadline: Feb 13/12\)](#)
- [Call for Input - Knowledge Exchange on SDoH & Health Equity in Online Environ.](#)
- [Call for Nomination Mental Health Comm. of Canada Ntl Mental Health Awards](#)
- [Call for Papers: PH Rpts Supplement on Applying SDoH to PH Practice](#)
- [Call for Peer Reviewers - NSHRF](#)



### Profile of the Month

**February's Profile** is the [Therapeutic Recreation Association of Atlantic Canada \(TRAAC\)](#). TRAAC's mission is to promote excellence in Therapeutic Recreation through advocacy for our profession and members, the development of resources to further our field and to provide our members with continuing education opportunities. [See Profile](#).



**January Profile** - [Digby & Area Community Health Board](#)

**December Profile** - [Heart & Stroke Foundation of Canada, Nova Scotia Health Directory](#)

**November Profile** - [Registry of Methods and Tools](#)

## Becoming a Member of the HPC

Receiving the E-Bulletin does not necessarily mean that you are a member. If you support our mission, please consider joining our growing community. Becoming a member is free and takes only a few minutes. Membership means that:

- You agree with the HPC's mandate, goals and objectives.
- You are interested in some aspect of health promotion in Nova Scotia.
- You become part of an extensive pool of collective knowledge and skills.
- You receive health promotion information on a regular basis.
- You can bring issues forward for discussion at HPC meetings.
- You have access to the latest documents, reports and info on health promotion in Nova Scotia.

To join, please complete the [membership form](#), and return it by email to the HPC.

## HPC Network



Join Us Online and Take Advantage of our Free Webspaces & Tools. The HPC Network is our on-line communications tool that helps you connect with other health promoters. We provide free web pages, blogs, discussion forums, download areas and training. See [www.hpcclearinghouse.net](http://www.hpcclearinghouse.net)

Do you have any comments or suggestions for improving our E-Bulletin? We would really appreciate your feedback on our newest communication tool.

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