

PROGRAM AND LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Establish a community of Women in Allergy and Immunology
 - Support women in various career stages in Allergy and Immunology
 1. *Welcome and Introduction 11:00 AM – 11:15 AM – Dr. Anne Ellis*
 - Recognize the strength, power and potential within the women's Allergist and Clinical Immunologist community and network
 2. *Career and Career Transitioning Panel Discussion 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM*
Dr. Victoria Cook, Dr. Gina Lacuesta, Dr. Susan Waserman
 - Delineate the different stages of a career in medical practice in Allergy and Immunology
 - Discuss how to manage career transitions effectively
 3. *Practice Maternity Leave Planning 12:00 PM – 12:30 PM*
Dr. Natasha Tardio, Dr. Kyla Hildebrand, Dr. Samira Jeimy,
 - Discuss success factors to plan for a maternity leave during residency/fellowship/practice
 - Identify what factors play into maternity leaves at different stages of practice
 - 4. *Financial Management of Practice 12:35 PM - 12:55 PM Dr. Zainab Abdurrahman*
 - Discuss financial management pearls to successfully operate a practice
 - Explain current best practices in financial management
- BREAK 13:00 – 13:15**
5. *Gender Gaps in Allergy and Immunology 13:15 PM – 13:45 PM Dr. Kimberly Blumenthal*
 - Summarize data on gender gap in Clinical Immunology and Allergy
 - Discuss ways to support female physicians in Clinical Immunology and Allergy
 6. *Allergy & Immunology Hot Topics: 3 Quick Snappers (20-minute presentations)*
 - a) *Reproductive Immunology 13:50 PM - 14:10 PM Dr. Genevieve Genest*
 - Define the field of reproductive immunology
 - Develop a basic approach to reproductive immunology
 - b) *Contact and Atopic Dermatitis 14:15 PM - 14:35 PM Dr. Yuka Asai*
 - Identify common contact allergens via history and patch testing
 - Discuss principles of management of contact and atopic dermatitis
 - c) *Building a research record 14:40 PM - 15:00 PM Dr. Meghan Azad*
 - Develop a strategy for building a research record
 - Implement a research record
6. *Keynote Address – We Are All Perfectly Fine - 15:00 PM – 15:45 PM Dr. Jillian Horton*
 - Identify mechanisms that enhance and support optimal physician wellness
 - Define key elements required to lead, build resilience and support peers

The Women in Allergy and Immunology Conference is an accredited group learning activity (Section 1) as defined by the Maintenance of Certification Program of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

The total Credit hours for this conference are: 4.5