

2012 INDEX CANADIAN NURSE

VOL. 108, NOS. 1–9, 2012

canadian-nurse.com

LEGEND

Ja—January

Fe—February

Mr—March

Al—April

Ma—May

Ju—June

S—September

Oc—October

N—November

ABORIGINAL PEOPLES

Budget promising, but not enough, CNA says, 13 Ma
“A dream job”, 34 Fe

ACCREDITATION CANADA

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

ADOLESCENT

Convention preview: Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju
Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe

AGED

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

AGE FACTORS

Mid-career surgeons provide best results, 6 Mr
A new approach to retaining older workers, 18 Ju
November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N
Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju

AGGRESSION

Assessment tool predicts which patients will become violent, 7 Ja
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma

AIKEN, ALICE

Recognition of the wider health effects of military service, 40 N

ALBERTA

Convention preview: Red Deer Primary Care Network, 6 Al
Pathways to housing: A response to homelessness in Calgary (Holloway), 18 Mr
Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S
The return of whooping cough, 8 S

ALLINGHAM, JANET

Rethinking the meaning of literacy, 42 S

ANALGESIA, EPIDURAL

Shifts in practices seen in maternity units, 6 Fe

ANDRUSHKO, KELLY

A new approach to retaining older workers (Dziadekwich, Klassen), 20

ANEMIA

March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr

ANTIPSYCHOTIC AGENTS

Prescribing antipsychotics for insomnia a dangerous choice, 6 Mr

ANTIVIRAL AGENTS

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S

ARCTIC REGIONS

So *that's* what kept them going, 6 N

ASSOCIATION OF REGISTERED NURSES OF ALBERTA (CARNA)

SNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

ASSOCIATION OF REGISTERED NURSES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA (ARNBC)

B.C.'s professional association: Reinvented and renewed, 12 N

NP awareness campaign goes west, 18 N

ASSOCIATION OF REGISTERED NURSES OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR (ARNNL)

NP campaign goes to St. John's, 14 Ma

ASTHMA

World Asthma Day: May 1, 9 Ma

ATTITUDE OF HEALTH PERSONNEL

The birthday party (Perry), 30 N

AVITAMINOSIS

March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr

AWARDS AND PRIZES

Canadian Nurses Foundation: Fabulous at 50 (Cavanaugh), 26 N
Diamond Jubilee medals for RNs, 16 Oc
Hospice takes top certification prize, 17 Ju
RNAs awarded for excellence, 23 S

BABY-FRIENDLY INITIATIVE

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green, Jones), 14 S

BACTERIA

Exposure to bacteria may prevent allergies, 7 Ja

BANDAGES

Unravelling a sticky mystery, 10 Oc

BARD, RACHEL

CNA's global health future, 15 Fe
Communicating well, 12 Ma
Embracing social media, 12 Ja
Healthy nation leads to strong economy, 16 Oc

Movement on mental health issues, 16 N

A nursing call to action, 20 S

Steadfast determination, 12 Mr

A welcome way of working, 14 Ju

Your workplace, your health, 14 Al

BEDBUGS

Better room sterilization with gas, 6 Fe

BEDS

Bed sharing and SIDS: Understanding the risks (Benzie), 10 Ja

BEHAVIOUR

Recovering from mergers, uprooting resistance (Fry), 33 Ja
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma

BEHAVIOUR THERAPY

Life's turning points shape a career—or two, 34 Ja

BENEDICT, EARDLEY

The constant flame, 18 Ma

BENZIES, KAREN

Bed sharing and SIDS: Understanding the risks, 10 Ja

BERTONE, MARY

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

BESWICK, SUSAN

The care utilizing evidence initiative (Martin, Jeffs), 20 Oc

BICYCLING

June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju

BLOGGING

Blogging the nursing life (Silversides), 22 Ja

BLOOD COAGULATION DISORDERS

Linked by blood, 32 Al

BLOOD GLUCOSE SELF-MONITORING

New glucose test uses tears, 6 Fe

BONE DENSITY

November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N

BOTSWANA

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

BOTT, MICHELLE

Guelph General Hospital's HHRQT (Suk-Patrick), 20 Al

BOURGEAULT, IVY LYNN

If the answer is “more nurses,” what is the question?, 44 Fe

BRAIN INJURIES

Head traumas more deadly on weekends, 10 Oc
June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju
MTBI discharge teaching, 10 N

BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS MONTH

June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju

BRAZEAU, LISA

Good health, one determinant at a time (editorial), 2 Mr
Happy new year! (editorial), 2 Ja

Is your workplace working for you? (editorial), 2 Al
New president, new horizons in nursing (editorial), 2 S
A nurse's guide to the galaxy (editorial), 2 Fe
A province rich in RN resources (editorial), 2 Ju
Talking points (editorial), 2 Ma
This issue has attitude (editorial), 2 Oc

BREASTFEEDING COMMITTEE OF CANADA

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green, Jones), 14 S

BRITISH COLUMBIA

B.C.'s professional association: Reinvented and renewed, 12 N
B.C.'s research brokers (Fortier), 38 S
British Columbia RNs share perspectives, 16 Fe
New flu shot policy raises concerns, 6 Oc
NPs: Gains and hurdles, 7 Ja
The return of whooping cough, 8 S

BRITISH COLUMBIA NURSE PRACTITIONER ASSOCIATION

NP awareness campaign goes west, 18 N

BULLYING

Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe
The ripple effect of bullying, 8 S

BURNETTE, N. L.

Of historical interest, 19 Ma

BURNOUT, PROFESSIONAL

More time for care (Fortier), 22 Oc
Nurse burnout linked to increase in infections, 6 N

CAESAREAN SECTION

Caesareans by request (Davies), 12 S

CAMPBELL, AMY

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Knutsen), 20 N

CAMPBELL, VICKI

From where I stand (Fortier), 26 Fe

CANADA HEALTH INFOWAY

Clinical champions wanted, 6 N

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSES IN ONCOLOGY (CANO)

Oncology nurses launch new website, 8 Ma

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF NURSING (CASN)

Bridging the gaps, 5 Fe

CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY

Shining a spotlight on chronic diseases, 17 Oc

CANADIAN COLLABORATIVE FOR EXCELLENCE IN HEALTHCARE QUALITY

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

CANADIAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION

Shining a spotlight on chronic diseases, 17 Oc

CANADIAN FAMILY PRACTICE NURSES ASSOCIATION (CFPNA)

Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc

CANADIAN HEALTH OUTCOMES FOR BETTER INFORMATION (C-HOBIC)

Mapping the outcomes, 15 Ja

CANADIAN HEALTH SERVICES RESEARCH FOUNDATION

EXTRA program revamped for 2012, 6 Ja
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

CANADIAN HUMAN RIGHTS TRIBUNAL

Agreement reached with feds, 6 S

CANADIAN INSTITUTE FOR MILITARY AND VETERAN HEALTH RESEARCH

Recognition of the wider health effects of military service (Aiken), 40 N

CANADIAN INSTITUTES OF HEALTH RESEARCH

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

CNA, CMA head into primary health care summit on upbeat news, 13 Mr
Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
Premiers urged to adopt CNA-CMA principles, 16 Mr
Providers discuss continuum of care, 16 Ju
RNs and doctors encouraged by talks, 17 Fe
RNs join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju
A welcome way of working (Bard), 14 Ju

CANADIAN NETWORK FOR MATERNAL, NEWBORN AND CHILD HEALTH (CAN-MNCH)

Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe

CANADIAN NETWORK OF NURSING SPECIALTIES

Meaningful membership (Milford), 3 N
New name, new knowledge, more engagement! (McNamee), 24 S

CANADIAN NURSES ASSOCIATION

awards and prizes

Diamond Jubilee medals for RNs, 16 Oc
Hospice takes top certification prize, 17 Ju
RNs awarded for excellence, 23 S

board of directors

CNA's board of directors, 13 Ja

Canadian Registered Nurse Examination

Canadian Registered Nurse Examination: 2011 highlights, 15 Ju
Grassroots groundswell (Shamian), 3 Mr
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja
RN entry exam must be Canadian made and owned, 18 Fe

certification

Certifications have hit the 17,000 mark, but we're still aiming higher, 18 Oc
Hospice takes top certification prize, 17 Ju

Comité de travail de la francophonie de l'AIIC

Engaging with francophone members, 17 Fe

congresses

Annual meeting provides forum for ideas and debates, 21 S
Biennial convention will be interactive, engage delegates, 12 Ma
CNA convention draws high-profile speakers, 12 Mr
Convention preview:
Cancer Care Ontario, 6 Ma
Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju
Red Deer Primary Care Network, 6 Al
RNs talk innovation and change at Vancouver convention, 22 S

Cross-Country Tour

British Columbia RNs share perspectives, 16 Fe
Listening from province to province, 12 Ja
New blood, bright future (Shamian), 3 Fe
Ontario RNs talk leadership and education, 15 Al
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
Specialty nursing is alive and well (McNamee), 14 Ma
This issue has attitude; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Oc

government relations

Budget promising, but not enough, CNA says, 13 Ma
Building strength and engagement, 16 S
CNA commission creates blueprint, 20 S
Healthy nation leads to strong economy (Bard), 16 Oc
Listening from province to province, 12 Ja
Meaningful membership (Milford), 3 N
New president, new horizons in nursing; editorial (Brazeau), 2 S

A nursing call to action (Bard), 20 S
Steadfast determination (Bard), 12 Mr
Taking solutions directly to MPs and senators, 14 Ja

history

CNA unearths one time capsule and buries another, 17 N

international comparisons

OECD findings prompt reflection (Villeneuve), 17 Fe

international cooperation

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe
SNNNAP loses funding, 18 Fe
SNNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

interprofessional cooperation

CNA, CMA head into primary health care summit on upbeat news, 13 Mr
Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
Premiers urged to adopt CNA-CMA principles, 16 Mr
Providers discuss continuum of care, 16 Ju
RNs and doctors encouraged by talks, 17 Fe
RNs join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju
A welcome way of working (Bard), 14 Ju

president

Building strength and engagement, 16 S
Change in flight plan (Shamian), 3 Al
Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Grassroots groundswell (Shamian), 3 Mr
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja
Meaningful membership (Milford), 3 N
A national voice rings loud (Mildon), 3 Oc
New blood, bright future (Shamian), 3 Fe
New president, new horizons in nursing; editorial (Brazeau), 2 S
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
The power of our profession (Shamian), 3 Ma

president-elect

CNA's president-elect, 21 S

CANADIAN NURSES FOUNDATION

Canadian Nurses Foundation: Fabulous at 50 (Cavanaugh), 26 N
More money for nursing research, 8 S

CANADIAN PATIENT SAFETY INSTITUTE

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju
What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc

CANADIAN PATIENT SAFETY WEEK

What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc

CANADIAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

SNNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

CANADIAN REGISTERED NURSE EXAMINATION

Canadian Registered Nurse Examination: 2011 highlights, 15 Ju
Grassroots groundswell (Shamian), 3 Mr
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja
RN entry exam must be Canadian made and owned, 18 Fe

CAREER CHOICE

Community connections, 34 Al
Fighting the good fight (McDonald), 36 Oc

CAREER MOBILITY

Using social media to market yourself (Donner, Wheeler), 33 Ma

CAREGIVERS

Daily meditation alleviates depression in caregivers, 8 Ma
Shared responsibility? Family caregivers and home care nurses (Funk), 52 Ju

CASHIN, ERIN

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma

CASHIN, RICHARD

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma

CATARACT

October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

CAVANAUGH, SUE

Canadian Nurses Foundation: Fabulous at 50, 26 N
A path well chosen, 32 N

CHECHNYA

Life changers, 23 Fe

CHICKENPOX VACCINE

Chickenpox vaccine harmful during pregnancy, 8 Ma

CHILD

Convention preview: Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju
Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe
Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress (Letourneau), 48 Mr

CHILD HEALTH SERVICES

Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe

CHILD PSYCHIATRY

Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe

CHILE

Life changers, 23 Fe

CHRONIC DISEASE

Convention preview: Red Deer Primary Care Network, 6 Al
Healthy nation leads to healthy economy, MPs told, 17 N
Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju
Shining a spotlight on chronic diseases, 17 Oc

CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTION ALLIANCE OF CANADA

Shining a spotlight on chronic diseases, 17 Oc

CLAPP, JAN

Small-town nurses think big (Renaud, Johnson), 38 Ju

CLOTHING

Nova Scotians want to see nurses in uniform, survey says, 7 Ma

COLEGRAVE, CELINA

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Cashin, Luscombe), 22 Ma

COLLEGE OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS OF CANADA

Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc

COLONOSCOPY

Convention preview: Cancer Care Ontario, 6 Ma

COLORECTAL NEOPLASMS

Convention preview: Cancer Care Ontario, 6 Ma

COMMUNICATION

Blogging the nursing life (Silversides), 22 Ja
Broadband access equals better connections (Smith), 44 Ja
Cancer and sex: Out in the open, 38 Mr
Clinical champions wanted, 6 N
Communicating well (Bard), 12 Ma
Info in your pocket (Eggertson), 18 Ja
On the same team? Nurse-physician communication (Eggertson), 28 Ma
Rethinking the meaning of literacy (Allingham), 42 S
SNNAP partners build communication skills,

15 Ja

Talking points; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ma
Using social media to market yourself (Donner, Wheeler), 33 Ma

Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Gilchrist, Momtahan), 16 Ma

COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING

NP numbers up, but employment trends concerning, 5 Mr

A path well chosen (Cavanaugh), 32 N

COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Change in flight plan (Shamian), 3 Al
Nursing your community garden (Martin), 10 Mr
Public health issues should trump politics, advocates of safe injection sites urge, 8 Ju

COMORBIDITY

Change in flight plan (Shamian), 3 Al

COMPLEMENTARY THERAPIES

Energy at work (Jaimet), 32 S
Exploring music's healing powers, 5 Fe

COMPUTERS, HANDHELD

Handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Quinn, Kerry, Grant Brown), 28 Ja

CONFERENCE BOARD OF CANADA

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

CONFIDENCE INTERVALS

Confidence intervals:
Part 1 (El-Masri), 8 Fe
Part 2 (El-Masri), 10 Ma

CONFIDENTIALITY

Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja

CONGRESSES

Annual meeting provides forum for ideas and debates, 21 S
Biennial convention will be interactive, engage delegates, 12 Ma
CNA convention draws high-profile speakers, 12 Mr
Conference to debut nursing leadership stream, 16 Oc
Conference tackles wait times, 15 Ma
Convention preview:
Cancer Care Ontario, 6 Ma
Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju
Red Deer Primary Care Network, 6 Al
ICN forum takes on current nursing workforce issues, 16 N
RN's talk innovation and change at Vancouver convention, 22 S
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

CONTINUITY OF PATIENT CARE

Providers discuss continuum of care, 16 Ju

COST OF ILLNESS

Healthy nation leads to healthy economy, MPs told, 17 N
Mental illness in the workplace costs billions, 6 Oc
November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N

COUNCIL OF THE FEDERATION

Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Premiers urged to adopt CNA-CMA principles, 16 Mr
RN's and doctors encouraged by talks, 17 Fe
RN's join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S
A welcome way of working (Bard), 14 Ju

CRANE, FIANN

Protecting the health of travellers (Sabourin), 9 Fe

CRANIOCEREBRAL TRAUMA

Head traumas more deadly on weekends, 10 Oc
MTBI discharge teaching, 10 N

CROSS INFECTION

Nurse burnout linked to increase in infections, 6 N

CUMMINGS, LYNN

Get on board with the research ethics review process, 28 Oc

CYSTIC FIBROSIS

Advances in cystic fibrosis research, 8 Ma

DAVIES, BARBARA

Caesareans by request, 12 S

DEEP BRAIN STIMULATION

Deep brain stimulation eases Parkinson's symptoms, 6 Mr

DELIVERY, OBSTETRIC

Shifts in practices seen in maternity units, 6 Fe

DENCH, JANET

Recognizing refugees as human beings, 44 Oc

DENTAL CARE

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

DEPRESSION

Daily meditation alleviates depression in caregivers, 8 Ma

DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr
Good health, one determinant at a time; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Mr
In health, the basics are the foundation (Villeneuve), 17 Mr
Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress (Letourneau), 48 Mr
Steadfast determination (Bard), 12 Mr

DEVELOPING COUNTRIES

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
SNNAP loses funding, 18 Fe

DIET

Dieting? Change your plate colour, 8 S

DISEASE ERADICATION

Global measles death rate drops, 9 Ju

DISEASE OUTBREAKS

Legionnaires' disease in Quebec, 10 Oc

DISEASE TRANSMISSION, INFECTIOUS

Closing schools may ease pandemics, 7 Al

DIXON, WENDY

Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks, 34 Ma

DONNER, GAIL

Using social media to market yourself (Wheeler), 33 Ma

DOUGLAS, JOYCE

Advocacy inside the maze, 22 Mr

DOWSETT, KATHY

A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Wooten), 20 Fe

DRUG ADMINISTRATION SCHEDULE

Expanding the care team to improve drug adherence, 9 Mr

DRUG PRESCRIPTIONS

Extent of off-label prescribing in Quebec revealed, 9 Ju

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S

DRUG STORAGE

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma

DYCK, DARYL

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Bertone, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

DYKEMAN, MARG

Primary health care leads to better health, 52 S

DZIADEKWICH, ROSE

A new approach to retaining older workers

(Andrushko, Klassen), 20

EDUCATION, NURSING

Bridging the gaps, 5 Fe
Canadian Nurses Foundation: Fabulous at 50 (Cavanaugh), 26 N
Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju
Quebec nurses vote for higher educational standards, 7 Ja
Staying true to self, 42 Ju

EDUCATION, NURSING, CONTINUING

MTBI discharge teaching, 10 N

EGGERTSON, LAURA

Hospital noise, 28 Al
Info in your pocket, 18 Ja
On the same team? Nurse–physician communication, 28 Ma
Optimistic about new directions in mental health, 44 S

ELDER ABUSE

RNs focus on elder abuse, 15 Al

EL-MASRI, MAHER M.

Confidence intervals:
Part 1, 8 Fe
Part 2, 10 Ma
Cumulative incidence and incidence rate, 14 Oc

EL SALVADOR

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe

EMPLOYMENT

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr

EPISIOTOMY

Shifts in practices seen in maternity units, 6 Fe

ETHICS COMMITTEES, RESEARCH

Get on board with the research ethics review process (Cummings), 28 Oc

ETHIOPIA

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe
SNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

ETHNIC GROUPS

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr

EVIDENCE-BASED NURSING

The care utilizing evidence initiative (Beswick, Martin, Jeffs), 20 Oc
Convention preview: Red Deer Primary Care Network, 6 Al
Happy new year!; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ja
Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc

EXECUTIVE TRAINING FOR RESEARCH APPLICATION (EXTRA)

EXTRA program revamped for 2012, 6 Ja

EYE HEALTH MONTH

October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

EYE INJURIES

October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

FAMILY

Shared responsibility? Family caregivers and home care nurses (Funk), 52 Ju

FAMILY NURSING

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green, Jones), 14 S
A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Wooten, Dowsett), 20 Fe

FATIGUE

Hospital exercise programs proposed for cancer-related fatigue, 7 Al

FINANCING, GOVERNMENT

Budget promising, but not enough, CNA says, 13 Ma
CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
Recognizing refugees as human beings

(Dench), 44 Oc
SNNAP loses funding, 18 Fe
A welcome way of working (Bard), 14 Ju

FOOD SUPPLY

March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr
Nursing your community garden (Martin), 10 Mr

FOREIGN PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

Bridging the gaps, 5 Fe
If the answer is "more nurses," what is the question? (Bourgeault), 44 Fe

FORTIER, JULIE

Adding insult to injury, 22 Al
B.C.'s research brokers, 38 S
From where I stand (Campbell), 26 Fe
More time for care, 22 Oc

FRY, BARB

Recovering from mergers, uprooting resistance, 33 Ja

FUNK, LAURA M.

Shared responsibility? Family caregivers and home care nurses, 52 Ju

GARDENING

Nursing your community garden (Martin), 10 Mr

GASTROENTEROLOGY

Scope for a stimulating career, 34 Ju

GENDER FACTORS

Agreement reached with feds, 6 S
November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N
September is Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Month, 10 S
Taking a stance against gender violence, 19 Oc

GENITAL NEOPLASMS, FEMALE

Radiation treatment time for gynecological cancers reduced, 9 Ju

GILCHRIST, ANNE T.

Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Momtahan), 16 Ma

GLAUCOMA

October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

GOVERNMENTAL POLICIES

New flu shot policy raises concerns, 6 Oc

GRANT BROWN, KATHERINE

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Quinn, Kerry), 28 Ja

GREEN, MARINA

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Jones), 14 S

GUYANA

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

HAITI

Life changers, 23 Fe

HARM REDUCTION

Public health issues should trump politics, advocates of safe injection sites urge, 8 Ju

HEAD PROTECTIVE DEVICES

June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju

HEALTH ACTION LOBBY (HEAL)

Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Providers discuss continuum of care, 16 Ju
RNs join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S

HEALTH CANADA

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

HEALTH CARE EVALUATION MECHANISMS

The care utilizing evidence initiative (Beswick, Martin, Jeffs), 20 Oc

HEALTH CARE REFORM

Budget promising, but not enough, CNA says, 13 Ma
Closing in on our recommendations (Villeneuve), 16 Al

CNA commission creates blueprint, 20 S
The Commission's final report is here (Villeneuve), 16 Ju

Commission's final report set for June (Villeneuve), 13 Ma

Healthy nation leads to healthy economy, MPs told, 17 N

If the answer is "more nurses," what is the question? (Bourgeault), 44 Fe

New blood, bright future (Shamian), 3 Fe
NP awareness campaign goes west, 18 N

NP campaign gains steam, 15 Ja
A nursing call to action (Bard), 20 S

Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju

The power of our profession (Shamian), 3 Ma
RNs and doctors encouraged by talks, 17 Fe

RNs join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S

RNs talk innovation and change at Vancouver convention, 22 S

Taking solutions directly to MPs and senators, 14 Ja
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

A welcome way of working (Bard), 14 Ju

HEALTH COUNCIL OF CANADA

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

HEALTH FACILITY MERGER

Recovering from mergers, uprooting resistance (Fry), 33 Ja

HEALTH HUMAN RESOURCES

Getting the right staff mix—together, 14 Al
Guelph General Hospital's HHHRT (Bott, Suk-Patrick), 20 Al

ICN forum takes on current nursing workforce issues, 16 N

If the answer is "more nurses," what is the question? (Bourgeault), 44 Fe

A nurse's guide to the galaxy; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Fe

HEALTH LITERACY

Rethinking the meaning of literacy (Allingham), 42 S

HEALTH PROMOTION

Unreported incidents, wellness program strategies (Morrison), 34 Oc

HEMOPHILIA

Linked by blood, 32 Al

HEPACIVIRUS

Expanding the care team to improve drug adherence, 9 Mr

HILL HOUSE HOSPICE

Hospice takes top certification prize, 17 Ju

HIP FRACTURES

November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N

HISTORY OF NURSING

Canadian Nurses Foundation: Fabulous at 50 (Cavanaugh), 26 N

CNA unearths one time capsule and buries another, 17 N

The constant flame (Benedict), 18 Ma

Day of remembrance, 14 Ja

Of historical interest (Burnette), 19 Ma

Talking points; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ma

A useful memorial (Jones), 20 Ma

HOBBIES

Community connections, 34 Al

Fighting the good fight (McDonald), 36 Oc

Grounded energy, 36 Ma

HOCKEY

June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju

HOLISTIC NURSING

Energy at work (Jaimet), 32 S

Exploring music's healing powers, 5 Fe
Grounded energy, 36 Ma

HOLLOWAY, DIANE

Pathways to housing: A response to homelessness in Calgary, 18 Mr

HOME CARE SERVICES

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Quinn, Kerry, Grant Brown), 28 Ja
A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Wooten, Dowsett), 20 Fe
Shared responsibility? Family caregivers and home care nurses (Funk), 52 Ju

HOMELESS PERSONS

June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju
Pathways to housing: A response to homelessness in Calgary (Holloway), 18 Mr

HOSPITALS

Hospital noise (Eggertson), 28 Al
Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma

HOUSING

Pathways to housing: A response to homelessness in Calgary (Holloway), 18 Mr

HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS

HPV vaccine: Group wants equitable funding, 7 Al

HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES

Shining a spotlight on health care under fire, 6 S
Taking a stance against gender violence, 19 Oc

HYPERSENSITIVITY

Exposure to bacteria may prevent allergies, 7 Ja

IMMUNITY, CELLULAR

Discovery could mean more effective vaccines, 7 Al

INCIDENCE

Cumulative incidence and incidence rate (El-Masri), 14 Oc

INCOME

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr

INDIA

Life changers, 23 Fe

INDONESIA

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe

INFANT

Bed sharing and SIDS: Understanding the risks (Benzies), 10 Ja
Exposure to bacteria may prevent allergies, 7 Ja

INFANT, NEWBORN

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green, Jones), 14 S
Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe

INFLUENZA, HUMAN

Closing schools may ease pandemics, 7 Al
Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S

INFLUENZA VACCINES

New flu shot policy raises concerns, 6 Oc

INSTITUTE FOR SAFE MEDICATION

PRACTICES CANADA

What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc

INSURANCE, NURSING SERVICES

NPs: Gains and hurdles, 7 Ja

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
Life changers, 23 Fe
Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe
SNNAP loses funding, 18 Fe
SNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF NURSES (ICN)

CNA's global health future (Bard), 15 Fe
ICN forum takes on current nursing workforce issues, 16 N

Mapping the outcomes, 15 Ja

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF TRAVEL MEDICINE

Protecting the health of travellers (Sabourin, Crane), 9 Fe

INTERNET

Broadband access equals better connections (Smith), 44 Ja

IRELAND

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

JAIMET, KATE

Energy at work, 32 S
Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change, 28 Ju

JAPAN

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

JEFFS, LIANNE

The care utilizing evidence initiative (Beswick, Martin), 20 Oc

JENSEN, LYNN

Focusing your care: Working with clients with vision loss, 28 Mr

JOHNSON, LINDA

Small-town nurses think big (Clapp, Renaud), 38 Ju

JONES, FRANCES

Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green), 14 S

JONES, OLIVE CAMPBELL

A useful memorial, 20 Ma

KATHOL, BARB

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Langlois), 26 S

KENYA

Life changers, 23 Fe

KERRY, JUNE

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Quinn, Grant Brown), 28 Ja

KIDNEY FOUNDATION OF CANADA

Shining a spotlight on chronic diseases, 17 Oc

KLASSEN, KRISTEN

A new approach to retaining older workers (Dziadekwich, Andruszko), 20

KNUTSON, KIM

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Campbell), 20 N

LANGOIS, TERI

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol), 26 S

LANGUAGE

Info in your pocket (Eggertson), 18 Ja

LEADERSHIP

Conference to debut nursing leadership stream, 16 Oc
A national voice rings loud (Mildon), 3 Oc
Using social media to market yourself (Donner, Wheeler), 33 Ma

LEGIONNAIRES' DISEASE

Legionnaires' disease in Quebec, 10 Oc

LETOURNEAU, NICOLE

Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress, 48 Mr

LIBERIA

Life changers, 23 Fe

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES

NP numbers up, but employment trends concerning, 5 Mr

LICENSURE

Bridging the gaps, 5 Fe
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja
RN entry exam must be Canadian made and owned, 18 Fe

LIFE EXPECTANCY

National Non-Smoking Week, Jan. 16–22, 8 Ja
Overweight people don't die prematurely, 7 Ja

LITERACY

Rethinking the meaning of literacy (Allingham), 42 S

LONG-TERM CARE

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

LOWE, GRAHAM

How work environment metrics can improve health-care performance, 44 Al

LUNG NEOPLASMS

National Non-Smoking Week, Jan. 16–22, 8 Ja

LUSCOMBE, MABEL

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Cashin, Colegrave), 22 Ma

MAGEAU, ALEXIS

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S

MALARIA

Birth control for malaria mosquitoes, 10 Oc

MANITOBA

Listening from province to province, 12 Ja

MARKETING

Using social media to market yourself (Donner, Wheeler), 33 Ma

MARTIN, KIRSTEN

The care utilizing evidence initiative (Beswick, Jeffs), 20 Oc

MARTIN, WANDA

Nursing your community garden, 10 Mr

MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES

Network promotes maternal, newborn and child health, 15 Fe
A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Wooten, Dowsett), 20 Fe
Shifts in practices seen in maternity units, 6 Fe

McDONALD, DAVID

Fighting the good fight, 36 Oc
Who is the clinical nurse specialist?, 22 Ju

McLARNEY, ROSALEEN

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (Cashin, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma

McNAMEE, MARGOT

New name, new knowledge, more engagement!, 24 S
Nurses: A mighty force for change!, 18 N
Specialty nursing is alive and well, 14 Ma
The whys and hows of specialty nursing associations, 19 Fe

MEASLES

Global measles death rate drops, 9 Ju

MÉDECINS SANS FRONTIÈRES

Life changers, 23 Fe

MEDICAL ERRORS

Better tracking for surgical items, 6 N

MEDICAL INFORMATICS APPLICATIONS

Checking your vitals? There's an app for that, 6 Ja
Fast answers with new device, 6 Mr
Info in your pocket (Eggertson), 18 Ja

MEDICAL MISSIONS

Life changers, 23 Fe
The ripple effect, 10 Fe

MEDICATION ERRORS

Unauthorized medication collections on inpatient units (McLarney, Cashin, Cashin, Colegrave, Luscombe), 22 Ma
What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc

MEDITATION

Daily meditation alleviates depression in caregivers, 8 Ma

MENTAL HEALTH

Better mental health in the workplace, 9 Ju
Catalyst for action on mental health, 7 Al
Mental illness in the workplace costs billions, 6 Oc
Movement on mental health, 15 Ju
Movement on mental health issues (Bard), 16 N
Optimistic about new directions in mental health (Eggertson), 44 S

MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION OF CANADA (MHCC)

Better mental health in the workplace, 9 Ju
Movement on mental health, 15 Ju

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Mindful matters, 34 Mr
Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress (Letourneau), 48 Mr

MEXICO

The ripple effect, 10 Fe

MILDON, BARB

Collective efforts yield results, 3 S
Meaningful membership, 3 N
A national voice rings loud, 3 Oc

MILITARY MEDICINE

Recognition of the wider health effects of military service (Aiken), 40 N

MILITARY PERSONNEL

Recognition of the wider health effects of military service (Aiken), 40 N

MITRAL VALVE

Another option for treating mitral valve failure, 6 Fe

MOMTAHAN, KATHY

Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Gilchrist), 16 Ma

MORRISON, JANET

Unreported incidents, wellness program strategies, 34 Oc

MOSQUITO CONTROL

Birth control for malaria mosquitoes, 10 Oc

MOUTH

Improving oral care practice in long-term care (Dyck, Bertone, Knutsen, Campbell), 20 N

MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY

September is Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Month, 10 S

MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY AWARENESS MONTH

September is Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Month, 10 S

MUSIC THERAPY

Exploring music's healing powers, 5 Fe

MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION

Is it a heart attack or something else?, 10 Oc

MYOTONIC DYSTROPHY

September is Muscular Dystrophy Awareness Month, 10 S

NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON IMMUNIZATION

HPV vaccine: Group wants equitable funding, 7 Al

NATIONAL DAY OF MOURNING

April 28 is the National Day of Mourning, 8 Al

NATIONAL EXPERT COMMISSION

CNA commission creates blueprint, 20 S
The Commission's final report is here (Villeneuve), 16 Ju
Commission's final report set for June (Villeneuve), 13 Ma

Nurses: A mighty force for change! (McNamee), 18 N

A nursing call to action (Bard), 20 S
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju

NATIONAL LABORATORY FOR PARTICLE AND NUCLEAR PHYSICS

New source for key medical isotope production, 7 Al

NATIONAL NON-SMOKING WEEK

Happy new year!; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ja
National Non-Smoking Week, Jan. 16–22, 8 Ja

NATIONAL NURSING QUALITY REPORT

Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju

NATIONAL NURSING WEEK

Celebrating nursing, 14 Ma
The power of our profession (Shamian), 3 Ma
Talking points; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ma

NATIONAL NUTRITION MONTH

March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr

NEOPLASMS

Cancer and sex: Out in the open, 38 Mr
Fast answers with new device, 6 Mr
Hospital exercise programs proposed for cancer-related fatigue, 7 Al
Untreated cancer pain a global problem, 6 N

NEW BRUNSWICK

Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju
A province rich in RN resources; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ju
The return of whooping cough, 8 S

NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR

NP campaign goes to St. John's, 14 Ma

NICARAGUA

Nicaraguan nurses study workplace violence, 16 Al

NIGERIA

Life changers, 23 Fe

NIGHTINGALE, FLORENCE

The constant flame (Benedict), 18 Ma
Of historical interest (Burnette), 19 Ma
A useful memorial (Jones), 20 Ma

NIJSSSEN-JORDON, CHERI

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S

NOISE

Hospital noise (Eggertson), 28 Al
Is your workplace working for you?; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Al

NOVA SCOTIA

Listening from province to province, 12 Ja
Nova Scotians want to see nurses in uniform, survey says, 7 Ma

NOVA SCOTIA NURSES' UNION

Nova Scotians want to see nurses in uniform, survey says, 7 Ma

NUNAVUT

Bringing the community together to beat TB in Nunavut, 6 Ju

NURSE CLINICIANS

Who is the clinical nurse specialist? (McDonald), 22 Ju

NURSE-PATIENT RELATIONS

The birthday party (Perry), 30 N
Focusing your care: Working with clients with vision loss (Jensen), 28 Mr
Mindful matters, 34 Mr
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma

NurseONE

Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc

NURSE PRACTITIONERS

Community connections, 34 Al
Grounded energy, 36 Ma
NP awareness campaign goes west, 18 N
NP campaign gains steam, 15 Ja
NP campaign goes to St. John's, 14 Ma
NP numbers up, but employment trends concerning, 5 Mr
NPs: Gains and hurdles, 7 Ja
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
Survey: Longer waits for treatment, 6 Fe

NURSES ASSOCIATION OF NEW BRUNSWICK

Nursing in New Brunswick: On the cusp of change (Jaimet), 28 Ju

NURSES, MALE

Canadian Registered Nurse Examination: 2011 highlights, 15 Ju
Surge in numbers of male nursing students, 7 Ja

NURSE'S PRACTICE PATTERNS

Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Gilchrist, Momtahan), 16 Ma

NURSE'S ROLE

"I want her to be a nurse", 8 Ma
New president, new horizons in nursing; editorial (Brazeau), 2 S
NP awareness campaign goes west, 18 N
NP campaign gains steam, 15 Ja
NP campaign goes to St. John's, 14 Ma
NPs: Gains and hurdles, 7 Ja
Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Redfern, Kathol, Langlois), 26 S
RNs talk innovation and change at Vancouver convention, 22 S
Survey: Longer waits for treatment, 6 Fe
Taking solutions directly to MPs and senators, 14 Ja
Who is the clinical nurse specialist? (McDonald), 22 Ju

NURSE TO KNOW

Budden, Florence: Optimistic about new directions in mental health (Eggertson), 44 S
Clerici, Connie: A path well chosen (Cavanaugh), 32 N
Ferguson-Paré, Mary: Ferguson-Paré appointed to Order of Canada, 5 Mr
Katz, Anne: Cancer and sex: Out in the open, 38 Mr
LePage-LeClair, Linda: Staying true to self, 42 Ju
MacDonald, Georgann: Community connections, 34 Al
Martin, Marie: "A dream job", 34 Fe
Poirier, Cathy: Life's turning points shape a career—or two, 34 Ja
Preston, Elayne: A commitment to improving employee health, 10 Al
Ragush, Don: Grounded energy, 36 Ma
Stead, Lizzie: Fighting the good fight (McDonald), 36 Oc

NURSING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Conference to debut nursing leadership stream, 16 Oc

NURSING RESEARCH *see also* RESEARCH

B.C.'s research brokers (Fortier), 38 S
EXTRA program revamped for 2012, 6 Ja

More money for nursing research, 8 S
NURSING SISTERS' MEMORIAL
Day of remembrance, 14 Ja
NURSING STAFF
Getting the right staff mix—together, 14 Al
NUTRITION
March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr
NUTRITION THERAPY
Life's turning points shape a career—or two, 34 Ja
OBESITY
Overweight people don't die prematurely, 7 Ja
OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH
Adding insult to injury (Fortier), 22 Al
April 28 is the National Day of Mourning, 8 Al
Better mental health in the workplace, 9 Ju
A commitment to improving employee health, 10 Al
Guelph General Hospital's HHRQT (Bott, Suk-Patrick), 20 Al
Hospital noise (Eggertson), 28 Al
Is your workplace working for you?; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Al
Mental illness in the workplace costs billions, 6 Oc
Nicaraguan nurses study workplace violence, 16 Al
The ripple effect of bullying, 8 S
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma
Unreported incidents, wellness program strategies (Morrison), 34 Oc
World Asthma Day: May 1, 9 Ma
Your workplace, your health (Bard), 14 Al
OFF-LABEL USE
Extent of off-label prescribing in Quebec revealed, 9 Ju
ONTARIO
Convention preview: Cancer Care Ontario, 6 Ma
NPs: Gains and hurdles, 7 Ja
Ontario RNs talk leadership and education, 15 Al
Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc
The return of whooping cough, 8 S
RNAO calls for alternatives to using patient restraints, 6 Ma
RNs focus on elder abuse, 15 Al
Small-town nurses think big (Clapp, Renaud, Johnson), 38 Ju
ORACHESKI, LINDA
Taking control of your financial future, 37 Mr
ORDER OF CANADA
Ferguson-Paré appointed to Order of Canada, 5 Mr
ORDRE DES INFIRMIÈRES ET INFIRMIERS DU QUÉBEC
Quebec nurses vote for higher educational standards, 7 Ja
ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD)
OECD findings prompt reflection (Villeneuve), 17 Fe
OSTEOPOROSIS
November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N
OSTEOPOROSIS MONTH
November is Osteoporosis Month, 8 N
OUTCOME ASSESSMENT, HEALTH CARE
Mapping the outcomes, 15 Ja
OVERWEIGHT
Overweight people don't die prematurely, 7 Ja
PAEDIATRIC NURSING
A path well chosen (Cavanaugh), 32 N
PAIN
Untreated cancer pain a global problem, 6 N
PANDEMICS
Closing schools may ease pandemics, 7 Al

PAPILLOMAVIRUS VACCINES
HPV vaccine: Group wants equitable funding, 7 Al
PARKINSON DISEASE
Deep brain stimulation eases Parkinson's symptoms, 6 Mr
PARTNERS FOR MENTAL HEALTH
Catalyst for action on mental health, 7 Al
Movement on mental health, 15 Ju
PATIENT ACCEPTANCE OF HEALTH CARE
Tapping into the power of perception, 6 Al
PATIENT ADVOCACY
Movement on mental health issues (Bard), 16 N
A national voice rings loud (Mildon), 3 Oc
Nurses: A mighty force for change! (McNamee), 18 N
PATIENT CARE TEAM
Communicating well (Bard), 12 Ma
Expanding the care team to improve drug adherence, 9 Mr
On the same team? Nurse-physician communication (Eggertson), 28 Ma
Recovering from mergers, uprooting resistance (Fry), 33 Ja
Who is the clinical nurse specialist? (McDonald), 22 Ju
Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Gilchrist, Momtahan), 16 Ma
PATIENT EDUCATION AS TOPIC
Tapping into the power of perception, 6 Al
PATIENTS
Assessment tool predicts which patients will become violent, 7 Ja
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma
PATIENT SAFETY
What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc
Your workplace, your health (Bard), 14 Al
PATIENT SATISFACTION
Scripted rounding, 12 Ju
Time to reinstate the basics; editorial (Peate), 2 N
PEATE, IAN
Time to reinstate the basics (editorial), 2 N
PENSIONS
Taking control of your financial future (Oracheski), 37 Mr
PERCEPTION
Tapping into the power of perception, 6 Al
PERRY, SHEELAGH
The birthday party, 30 N
PERSONNEL LOYALTY
A new approach to retaining older workers, 18 Ju
PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT
Getting the right staff mix—together, 14 Al
A new approach to retaining older workers, 18 Ju
PHARMACISTS
Pharmacists' advice popular in Canada, 8 Ma
PHILIPPINES
If the answer is "more nurses," what is the question? (Bourgeault), 44 Fe
PHYSICIAN-NURSE RELATIONS
On the same team? Nurse-physician communication (Eggertson), 28 Ma
PINK SHIRT DAY
Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe
POSTPARTUM PERIOD
Baby-Friendly designation: Honouring a commitment to best practice (Green, Jones), 14 S
A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Wooten, Dowsett), 20 Fe
PREGNANCY
Chickenpox vaccine harmful during pregnancy, 8 Ma
Excessive gestational weight gain can be risky, 9 Ju

PREJUDICE
Agreement reached with feds, 6 S
PREVENTION OF ELDER ABUSE CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE
RNs focus on elder abuse, 15 Al
PRIMARY HEALTH CARE
CNA, CMA head into primary health care summit on upbeat news, 13 Mr
Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc
Primary health care leads to better health (Dykeman), 52 S
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
Listening from province to province, 12 Ja
PROTEASE INHIBITORS
Expanding the care team to improve drug adherence, 9 Mr
PUBLIC HEALTH
Public health issues should trump politics, advocates of safe injection sites urge, 8 Ju
PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY OF CANADA
Travel Health, Protecting the health of travellers (Sabourin, Crane), 9 Fe
PUBLIC OPINION
Catalyst for action on mental health, 7 Al
"I want her to be a nurse", 8 Ma
Pharmacists' advice popular in Canada, 8 Ma
Time to reinstate the basics; editorial (Peate), 2 N
PUBLIC POLICY
Building strength and engagement, 16 S
CNA commission creates blueprint, 20 S
Collective efforts yield results (Mildon), 3 S
Grassroots groundswell (Shamian), 3 Mr
Healthy nation leads to strong economy (Bard), 16 Oc
Meaningful membership (Milford), 3 N
New flu shot policy raises concerns, 6 Oc
A nursing call to action (Bard), 20 S
Passing on the torch (Shamian), 3 Ju
The power of our profession (Shamian), 3 Ma
RNs join premiers to drive health-care transformation, 20 S
Steadfast determination (Bard), 12 Mr
QATAR
From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe
QUALITY INDICATORS, HEALTH CARE
How work environment metrics can improve health-care performance (Graham), 44 Al
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju
QUALITY OF HEALTH CARE
The care utilizing evidence initiative (Beswick, Martin, Jeffs), 20 Oc
Focusing your care: Working with clients with vision loss (Jensen), 28 Mr
How work environment metrics can improve health-care performance (Graham), 44 Al
More time for care (Fortier), 22 Oc
Primary health care leads to better health (Dykeman), 52 S
Scripted rounding, 12 Ju
Towards indicators, targets and outcomes, 14 Ju
What's new in patient safety, 8 Oc
QUALITY OF LIFE
Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr
Good health, one determinant at a time; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Mr
In health, the basics are the foundation (Villeneuve), 17 Mr
Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress (Letourneau), 48 Mr
Steadfast determination (Bard), 12 Mr

QUEBEC

Extent of off-label prescribing in Quebec revealed, 9 Ju

Legionnaires' disease in Quebec, 10 Oc
Quebec nurses vote for higher educational standards, 7 Ja

QUINN, HOLLY

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Kerry, Grant Brown), 28 Ja

RADIOISOTOPES

New source for key medical isotope production, 7 Al

RADIOTHERAPY

Radiation treatment time for gynecological cancers reduced, 9 Ju

RAPE

Taking a stance against gender violence, 19 Oc

RECYCLING

The next generation of sanitation, 10 Oc

RED CROSS

Life changers, 23 Fe
Shining a spotlight on health care under fire, 6 S

REDFERN, LYNN

Prescribing in Alberta's influenza assessment centres (Mageau, Nijssen-Jordan, Kathol, Langois), 26 S

REFUGEES

Recognizing refugees as human beings (Dench), 44 Oc

REGISTERED NURSES

NP numbers up, but employment trends concerning, 5 Mr

REGISTERED NURSES ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

B.C.'s professional association: Reinvented and renewed, 12 N

REGISTERED NURSES' ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO

Primary Care Toolkit fresh and current, 17 Oc
RNAO calls for alternatives to using patient restraints, 6 Ma

REGISTERED PSYCHIATRIC NURSES

NP numbers up, but employment trends concerning, 5 Mr

RENAUD, MICHELLE

Small-town nurses think big (Clapp, Johnson), 38 Ju

RESEARCH *see also* NURSING RESEARCH

Confidence intervals:
Part 1 (El-Masri), 8 Fe
Part 2 (El-Masri), 10 Ma
Cumulative incidence and incidence rate (El-Masri), 14 Oc
Get on board with the research ethics review process (Cummings), 28 Oc
Recognition of the wider health effects of military service (Aiken), 40 N

RESTRAINTS, PHYSICAL

RNAO calls for alternatives to using patient restraints, 6 Ma

RETIREMENT

A new approach to retaining older workers, 18 Ju
Taking control of your financial future (Oracheski), 37 Mr

RICKETS

March is National Nutrition Month, 8 Mr

RURAL HEALTH SERVICES

Broadband access equals better connections (Smith), 44 Ja
Small-town nurses think big (Clapp, Renaud, Johnson), 38 Ju

SABOURIN, MICHÈLE

Protecting the health of travellers (Crane), 9 Fe

SANITATION

The next generation of sanitation, 10 Oc

SCHIZOPHRENIA SOCIETY OF CANADA

Optimistic about new directions in mental health (Eggertson), 44 S

SCHOOLS

Closing schools may ease pandemics, 7 Al
Convention preview: Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju

SENSORY ART THERAPIES

Energy at work (Jaimet), 32 S

SEQUENCE ANALYSIS, DNA

Faster genome sequencing, 6 Mr

SEXISM

Gender and TB: Illness narratives, 9 Al

SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR

Cancer and sex: Out in the open, 38 Mr

SHACKLETON, ERNEST

So *that's* what kept them going, 6 N

SHAMIAN, JUDITH

Change in flight plan, 3 Al
Grassroots groundswell, 3 Mr
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks!, 3 Ja
New blood, bright future, 3 Fe
Passing on the torch, 3 Ju

The power of our profession, 3 Ma

SIGMA THETA TAU INTERNATIONAL

More money for nursing research, 8 S

SILVERSIDES, ANN

Blogging the nursing life, 22 Ja

SLEEP INITIATION AND MAINTENANCE DISORDERS

Prescribing antipsychotics for insomnia a dangerous choice, 6 Mr

SMITH, RICHARD

Broadband access equals better connections, 44 Ja

SMOKING

National Non-Smoking Week, Jan. 16–22, 8 Ja

SMOKING CESSATION

Another look at smoking cessation and weight gain, 8 S

SOCIAL ALIENATION

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr

SOCIAL CONTROL POLICIES

New flu shot policy raises concerns, 6 Oc

SOCIAL MEDIA

Blogging the nursing life (Siversides), 22 Ja
Embracing social media (Bard), 12 Ja
Powerful combination: Technology and health care (Villeneuve), 16 Ja
Using social media to market yourself (Donner, Wheeler), 33 Ma

SOCIOECONOMIC FACTORS

Advocacy inside the maze (Douglas), 22 Mr

SOPER, MEG

When life dares you to complain ..., 44 Ma

SPECIALTIES, NURSING

Certifications have hit the 17,000 mark, but we're still aiming higher, 18 Oc
Meaningful membership (Milford), 3 N
New name, new knowledge, more engagement! (McNamee), 24 S
Nurses: A mighty force for change! (McNamee), 18 N
Oncology nurses launch new website, 8 Ma
A province rich in RN resources; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ju
Scope for a stimulating career, 34 Ju
Specialty nursing is alive and well (McNamee), 14 Ma

The whys and hows of specialty nursing associations (McNamee), 19 Fe

SPORTS

Convention preview: Promoting community through Kids in Sport, 6 Ju
June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju

SRI LANKA

Shining a spotlight on health care under fire, 6 S

STEREOTYPING

Movement on mental health issues (Bard), 16 N

STERILIZATION

Better room sterilization with gas, 6 Fe

STRENGTHENING NURSES, NURSING NETWORKS AND ASSOCIATIONS PROGRAM (SNNAP)

CNA's global health future (Bard) Fe
SNNAP loses funding, 18 Fe
SNNAP partners build communication skills, 15 Ja

STRESS, PSYCHOLOGICAL

Relationships are the antidote to toxic stress (Letourneau), 48 Mr

STUDENTS, NURSING

Blogging the nursing life (Siversides), 22 Ja
New blood, bright future (Shamian), 3 Fe
Nursing your community garden (Martin), 10 Mr
Surge in numbers of male nursing students, 7 Ja

SUBSTANCE ABUSE, INTRAVENOUS

Public health issues should trump politics, advocates of safe injection sites urge, 8 Ju

SUBSTANCE-RELATED DISORDERS

Public health issues should trump politics, advocates of safe injection sites urge, 8 Ju

SUDDEN INFANT DEATH

Bed sharing and SIDS: Understanding the risks (Benzies), 10 Ja

SUICIDE

Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe

SUK-PATRICK, KAREN

Guelph General Hospital's HHRQT (Bott), 20 Al

SURGERY

risk factors, Mid-career surgeons provide best results, 6 Mr

SURGICAL SPONGES

Better tracking for surgical items, 6 N

SWEDEN

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

SYRIA

Shining a spotlight on health care under fire, 6 S

TAPPER, LLOYD

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Quinn, Kerry, Grant Brown), 28 Ja

TAXES

Taking control of your financial future (Oracheski), 37 Mr

TEACHING ROUNDS

Scripted rounding, 12 Ju

TECHNETIUM

New source for key medical isotope production, 7 Al

TECHNOLOGY

Blogging the nursing life (Siversides), 22 Ja
Broadband access equals better connections (Smith), 44 Ja
Checking your vitals? There's an app for that, 6 Ja
Clinical champions wanted, 6 N
Embracing social media (Bard), 12 Ja
Fast answers with new device, 6 Mr
Faster genome sequencing, 6 Mr
Happy new year!; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Ja
Info in your pocket (Eggertson), 18 Ja

Introducing handheld computers into home care (Tapper, Quinn, Kerry, Grant Brown), 28 Ja
Linked by blood, 32 Al
Powerful combination: Technology and health care (Villeneuve), 16 Ja
Scope for a stimulating career, 34 Ju
Wiki where you work: Supporting professional practice activities (Gilchrist, Momtahan), 16 Ma

TERMINAL CARE

Small-town nurses think big (Clapp, Renaud, Johnson), 38 Ju

TIME FACTORS

Head traumas more deadly on weekends, 10 Oc
More time for care (Fortier), 22 Oc

TOBACCO PRODUCTS

National Non-Smoking Week, Jan. 16–22, 8 Ja

TOBACCO SMOKE POLLUTION

Bed sharing and SIDS: Understanding the risks (Benzies), 10 Ja

TOILET FACILITIES

The next generation of sanitation, 10 Oc

TRAVEL

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe
Life changers, 23 Fe
A nurse's guide to the galaxy; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Fe
Protecting the health of travellers (Sabourin, Crane), 9 Fe
The ripple effect, 10 Fe

TRAVEL MEDICINE

Protecting the health of travellers (Sabourin, Crane), 9 Fe

TROPONIN

Is it a heart attack or something else?, 10 Oc

TUBERCULOSIS

Bringing the community together to beat TB in Nunavut, 6 Ju
Fast answers with new device, 6 Mr
Gender and TB: Illness narratives, 9 Al

UNITED KINGDOM

Time to reinstate the basics; editorial (Peate), 2 N

UNITED STATES

Grassroots groundswell (Shamian), 3 Mr
Made in the U.S.A.? No thanks! (Shamian), 3 Ja
RN entry exam must be Canadian made and owned, 18 Fe

VACCINES

Chickenpox vaccine harmful during pregnancy, 8 Ma
Discovery could mean more effective vaccines, 7 Al

VETERANS

Recognition of the wider health effects of military service (Aiken), 40 N

VILLENEUVE, MICHAEL J.

Closing in on our recommendations, 16 Al
The Commission's final report is here, 16 Ju
Commission's final report set for June, 13 Ma
In health, the basics are the foundation, 17 Mr
OECD findings prompt reflection, 17 Fe
Powerful combination: Technology and health care, 16 Ja

VIOLENCE

Adding insult to injury (Fortier), 22 Al
Assessment tool predicts which patients will become violent, 7 Ja
Nicaraguan nurses study workplace violence, 16 Al
Pink Shirt Day, Feb. 29, 7 Fe
Stopping verbally abusive patients in their tracks (Dixon), 34 Ma

Taking a stance against gender violence, 19 Oc

VISION DISORDERS

Focusing your care: Working with clients with vision loss (Jensen), 28 Mr
October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

VISION, OCULAR

October is Eye Health Month, 12 Oc

VITAL SIGNS

Checking your vitals? There's an app for that, 6 Ja

WAITING LISTS

Conference tackles wait times, 15 Ma
Survey: Longer waits for treatment, 6 Fe

WAR

Shining a spotlight on health care under fire, 6 S

WEIGHT GAIN

Another look at smoking cessation and weight gain, 8 S
Excessive gestational weight gain can be risky, 9 Ju

WHEELER, GAIL

Using social media to market yourself (Donner), 33 Ma

WHOOPING COUGH

The return of whooping cough, 8 S

WINE

Red wine health benefits questioned, 6 Mr

WIT AND HUMOUR AS TOPIC

When life dares you to complain ... (Soper), 44 Ma

WOOTEN, BONNIE

A new model of care for low-risk postpartum families (Dowsett), 20 Fe

WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Adding insult to injury (Fortier), 22 Al

WORKPLACE

Adding insult to injury (Fortier), 22 Al
Better mental health in the workplace, 9 Ju
How work environment metrics can improve health-care performance (Graham), 44 Al
Is your workplace working for you?; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Al
Nicaraguan nurses study workplace violence, 16 Al
The ripple effect of bullying, 8 S
Unreported incidents, wellness program strategies (Morrison), 34 Oc
Your workplace, your health (Bard), 14 Al

WORLD ASTHMA DAY

World Asthma Day: May 1, 9 Ma

WORLD HEALTH

From where I stand (Fortier, Campbell), 26 Fe

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Global Code of Practice on the International Recruitment of Health Personnel, If the answer is "more nurses," what is the question? (Bourgeault), 44 Fe

WOUNDS AND INJURIES

Adding insult to injury (Fortier), 22 Al
April 28 is the National Day of Mourning, 8 Al
Is your workplace working for you?; editorial (Brazeau), 2 Al
June is Brain Injury Awareness Month, 10 Ju
MTBI discharge teaching, 10 N

Indexed in: International Nursing Index, Cumulative Index to Nursing and Allied Health Literature, Abstracts of Health Care Management Studies, Hospital Abstracts, Nursing Abstracts, Index Medicus, Canadian Periodical Index, Canadian Magazine Index. *Canadian Nurse* is available in microform from International University Microfilms, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106 USA, and online in Medline, Canadian Business and Current Affairs Data Base.

ISSN 0008-4581

Index by Heather Ebbs, Editor's Ink, Carleton Place, Ontario