



SESSION 150

Truth and Reconciliation Calls to Action: How are we Doing as Family Docs in Canada

The Truth and Reconciliation committee examined the lasting and extensive negative impacts of residential schools in Canada. On Dec 15, 2015, they released the '94 calls to action' outlining the steps needed to be taken by all levels of government, religious institutions, civil groups and ALL Canadians, in a variety of programming areas, including health. This talk will examine where we are in Manitoba with regards to government, university and other organizations response to date. We will then explore how to 'act' in our own office practice in a manner aligned with the TRC's calls to action, including how to access resources to strengthen our skills as culturally safe and trauma informed care givers. There will be time for questions and group discussion in this session.

1. Review some projects, initiatives by government, university and institutions in Manitoba around ca calls to action.
2. Review the gaps in meeting the '94 calls to action' at variety of levels in health care system.
3. Review what we can do as health care practitioners in our office day to day to meet the 'calls to action'.