

# Public Figures and Photo Opportunities

## ASI 2015 - Symposium on Child and Youth Mental Health

Full program details at [www.asi-iea.ca](http://www.asi-iea.ca)

August 17, 3:00 - 5:00pm — Amazing Race Charlottetown, Youth Leadership Program  
Orientation in room 214, CAST Building, Holland College.

6:30 – 8:30pm — Opening Remarks and Public Keynote Presentation  
MacKinnon Lecture Theatre, Holland College

**Dr. Rhonda Matters**, Chief Mental Health Officer, PEI  
**Clifford Lee**, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown

*Hot Topics in Child and Youth Mental Health: How many partners does it take to change a lightbulb (or a system)?*

**Dr. Ian Manion**  
Professor, University of Ottawa School of Psychology  
Executive Director, Ontario Centre of Excellence for Child and Youth Mental Health  
Inaugural Chair, National Infant, Child and Youth Mental Health Consortium  
Principal Lead National School-Based Mental Health and Substance Use Consortium

6:30 – 8:30pm — Children's Program Welcome Party  
Holland College – Room TBA

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August 18, 9:00am — Keynote Presentation  
MacKinnon Lecture Theatre, Holland College

*Promoting Well-Being in Schools: Current Status and Future Challenges*

**Dr. Mark Greenberg**  
Edna Peterson Bennett Endowed Chair in Prevention Research, Penn State College of Health and Human Development  
Founding Director, Prevention Research Center for the Promotion of Human Development (1998 -2013)  
Chair, CASEL Research Advisory Group (Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning)  
Co-author, PATHS Curriculum (Promoting Alternative THinking Strategies)

10:30am - 12:00pm — Moderated Panel  
MacKinnon Lecture Theatre, Holland College

*The Landscape of Child and Youth Mental Health in Atlantic Canada - Challenges and Opportunities*

Following a presentation, 5 panelists will speak, including:

- **Christian Whalen**, Deputy Advocate and Senior Legal Counsel, Office of the Child and Youth Advocate for New Brunswick

Reflection on Panel:

- **Hon. Doug Currie**, Minister of Health and Wellness and Minister of Family and Human Services, PEI

## 10:30am - 12:00pm — Atlantic Community Showcase

Cafeteria, Holland College Prince of Wales Campus

16 presentations and exhibits from organizations involved in innovative collaborative practices, policies, and research related to child and youth mental health.

## 6:30 - 8:30pm — Multicultural Dinner

Royal Canadian Legion, Charlottetown

MC: **Joe Byrne**, federal NDP Candidate, Charlottetown

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## August 19, 8:45 – 10:00am — Moderated Panel

MacKinnon Lecture Theatre, Holland College

*Developing policy for collective impact to improve mental health – Expanding the Reach of Proven Programs*

Following a presentation, 4 panelists will speak, including:

- **Peter Bevan-Baker**, Leader of the PEI Green Party and MLA for Kellys Cross – Cumberland

## 10:30am – 12:00pm — Concurrent Workshops

Location TBD – inquire at registration desk

Many concurrent workshops will be held during this time. Inquire at the registration desk for the full list, or view the program online at [www.asi-iea.ca](http://www.asi-iea.ca). The workshop listed below features two distinguished New Brunswick researchers.

*Fostering Supportive School Environments*

### **Dr. Bill Morrison**

Associate Professor, Faculty of Education, University of New Brunswick  
President of the New Brunswick College of Psychologists  
Co-author, New Brunswick provincial wellness strategy

### **Dr. Patricia Peterson**

Associate Professor, Faculty of Education, University of New Brunswick  
Co-Executive Director, UNB Health and Education Research Group  
President, Learning Disabilities Association of New Brunswick

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To schedule an interview, please contact Patsy Beattie-Huggan at 902-894-3399, Kirsten McKnight at [kirsten@thequaich.pe.ca](mailto:kirsten@thequaich.pe.ca), or inquire at the Symposium registration desk (Grafton Street Entrance, Holland College, Prince of Wales Campus).