

Mark Your Calendar

The Aphasia Institute is pleased to announce an upcoming Conference

Living Successfully with Aphasia: Intervention, Evaluation and Evidence **September 19 and 20, 2007 – Toronto, Ontario**

Conference Format: Poster Sessions and Interactive Activities

Conference Objectives:

- To facilitate dialogue and knowledge exchange;
- To provide a forum for interaction with local, national and international participants;
- To showcase “best practices” and innovations; and
- To discuss the importance of collecting good evidence.

The *Living Successfully with Aphasia: Intervention, Evaluation and Evidence Conference* follows a two-day Think Tank where a group of international researchers will discuss issues relating to evidence for social approaches to aphasia. Think Tank participants will be taking active part in the Conference and include:

Australia

Beth Armstrong (Sydney)
Linda Worrall (Brisbane)

Canada

Linda Garcia (Ottawa, ON)
Aura Kagan (Toronto, ON)
Guylaine LeDorze (Montreal, PQ)

South Africa

Claire Penn (Johannesburg)

UK

Sally Byng (London)
Madeline Cruice (London)

USA

Leora Cherney (Chicago, IL)
Joe Duffy (Rochester, MN)
Roberta J. Elman (Oakland, CA)
Audrey Holland (Tucson, AZ)
Barbara Shadden (Fayetteville, AR)
Nina Simmons-Mackie (Hammond, LA)
Martha Taylor Sarno (New York)

Watch for our Call for Abstracts by the end of February. Preference will be given to submissions that address or highlight intervention, evaluation and evidence in relation to living with aphasia at all stages of the continuum and in varied contexts.

To receive the Call for Abstracts and to be included in our mailing list, please contact Michelle Christian at 416-226-3636 ext. 20, or by email at mchristian@aphasia.ca.

Conference details coming soon...

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