

# Bias, Hostile Health Environments and the Indigenous Patient



Indigenous Health Program - Telehealth Learning Series

April 24 2019 | 12 - 1 pm

This telehealth series offers dynamic, thought provoking presentations and discussions about Indigenous health. The target audience includes anyone seeking to broaden their understanding of Indigenous health and cultural safety.



## Bias, Hostile Health Environments and the Indigenous Patient

This presentation will explore how bias influences patient care, and how personal beliefs contribute to the outcome of Indigenous patients.

*Presented by:* Dr. Alika Lafontaine

*Wednesday April 24 2019, from 12:00 - 1:00 pm*

### About The Speaker

*Dr. Alika Lafontaine* is an Anaesthesiologist and medical lead for the North Zone - Indigenous Health Program. Lafontaine's research focuses on issues of bias, racism and discrimination affecting Indigenous patients. Dr. Alika Lafontaine is an Indigenous physician of Cree and Anishinaabe heritage from Southern Saskatchewan/Treaty 4 territory. He is an award-winning physician, speaker, alignment consultant, and the first Indigenous physician listed by the Medical Post as one of Canada's 50 Most Powerful Doctors.

### HOW TO REGISTER FOR THIS SESSION

AHS is using a new application for telehealth sessions called iScheduler. To register, an iScheduler account is needed. **For AHS employees and external participants please refer to the email and attachment for full instructions.**

This session is a *Meeting* and can be found on iScheduler on April 24th with the title, *Indigenous Health Telehealth Learning Series*.

For technical assistance during your session, call 310 - 8822

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