# OPENING REMARKS

**Rebecca Pillai Riddell**, Associate Vice-President Research, York University

# KEYNOTE SPEAKER

**Deborah McGregor**, Associate Professor, Canada Research Chair in Indigenous Environmental Justice

*Indigenous women, Gender Based Violence and Decolonization*

# PANEL 1: MATERNAL-CHILD HEALTH PRACTICE

**Shahirose Premji**, Director, School of Nursing, Faculty of Health, York University

*Perinatal Mental Health: Is Context Important?*

**Elsie Amoako**, Mommy Monitor, University of Toronto

*The Perils of The Black Maternal Health Experience in Ontario*

**Pearl Rimer**, Director of Research & CYAC Development, Boost Child & Youth Advocacy Centre

*Child and Youth Advocacy Centres: A Trauma-Informed Multidisciplinary Response to Child Abuse*

**Christine Kurtz Landy**, School of Nursing, Faculty of Health, York University

*Caesarean Section or Vaginal Delivery? Factors Affecting Women's Preferences and Clinicians' Counsel*

**Monica T. Gola**, School of Nursing, Faculty of Health, York University

*Health Information Access in Canadian Immigrant Postpartum Women: A Grounded Theory Mini-Study*

# PANEL 2: GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND TRAUMA-INFORMED APPROACHES: RESEARCH, PRACTICE & ADVOCACY

**A Khan, N Khanlou & LM Vazquez**, Office of Women's Health Research Chair in Mental Health, York University

*Gender-Based Violence Against Refugee Youth and Trauma-Informed Practice: Findings from a Scoping Review*

**Jennifer A Connolly**, Psychology, York University

*Sex Trafficking of Underage Girls: Risk Factors and Intervention*

**Negar Alamdar**, Lillian Meighen Wright Postdoctoral Fellow, York University

*The Social Organization of "Getting Out" of Abusive Relationships*

**Nira Elgueta**, Project Coordinator, Ontario Council of Agencies Serving Immigrants

*Peer Champion Model to Prevent Gender Based Violence among Immigrant and Refugees Communities*

**Vicky Sage**, Program Manager, North York Women's Shelter

*A Trauma-Informed Shelter: From the Ground Up*

# POSTER PRESENTATIONS

**Event details:**

Friday 1 November 2019

9:30pm- 4:30pm

York University

*Seats are limited; please RSVP to owchair@yorku.ca*

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