

Events Guide



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CSSEA2025

Registration Times

Wednesday, October 8	11:00 am to 4:00 pm
Thursday, October 9	7:00 am to 4:00 pm
Friday, October 10	7:00 am to 9:00 am

Check out our Exhibitors in the Grand Foyer

Wednesday, October 8	1:00 pm to 6:00 pm
Thursday, October 9	7:00 am to 6:00 pm
Friday, October 10	7:00 am to 12:00 pm

AGM & BREAKOUT SESSIONS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

1:00-2:00 pm	<div><div>DIVISIONAL SESSIONS</div><div><div>• Indigenous Services</div><div>• Community Living Services</div><div>• General Services</div></div><div><div>MONASHEE</div><div>SHUSWAP</div><div>SKAHA</div></div></div>
1:00-4:00 pm	<div><div>AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS</div><div><div>• Making Difficult Conversations Manageable</div><div>• From Complaint to Conclusion: Managing the Investigation Process</div></div><div><div>VASEAUX KOOTENAY</div><div>PENNASK SKEENA</div></div></div>
2:00-2:30 pm	<div><div>Coffee Break</div><div><div>SPONSORED BY</div><div>Healthcare Benefit Trust</div></div><div>GRAND FOYER</div></div>
2:30-4:00 pm	<div><div>Annual General Meeting Call to Order</div><div><div>GENERAL SESSION</div><div><div>• Credentials’ Report</div><div>• Approval of Agenda/Adoption of Rules of Order</div><div>• Adoption of the Minutes from the 2024 AGM</div><div>• Report from the Chair of the Board of Directors</div><div>• Treasurer’s Report</div><div>• Report from the Chief Executive Officer</div><div>• Report from Divisional Session Chairs</div><div>• Presentation of Divisional Resolutions (if any)</div><div>• Adjournment</div></div></div></div>
4:00 –6:00 pm	<div><div>Sunset Happy Hour</div></div>

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9		
8:00-8:45 am	Breakfast	OKANAGAN
8:45-9:00 am	Opening prayer & Land Acknowledgement	OKANAGAN
9:00-10:00 am	KEYNOTE: Walking the Path of Truth and Leadership	OKANAGAN
10:00 am to Noon	BREAKOUT SESSIONS • Two-Eyed Seeing	VASEAUX KOOTENAY
	• Everything You Need to Know About CSSEA's JJE	SHUSWAP
	• Workplace Psychological Health	PENNASK SKEENA
	• Indigenous Learning and Sharing Circle	SKAHA
11:00-11:15 am	Coffee Break	GRAND FOYER
Noon to 2:30pm	Awards of Excellence Luncheon SPONSORED BY Telus	OKANAGAN
2:30-4:30 pm	BREAKOUT SESSIONS • Human-Centred AI	VASEAUX KOOTENAY
	• Managing with EQ	SHUSWAP
	• Organizational Performance Through the Lens of Safety and Wellness	PENNASK SKEENA
	• Indigenous Learning and Sharing Circle	SKAHA
3:30-3:45 pm	Coffee Break SPONSORED BY Federation Association Benefit Plan	GRAND FOYER
4:30-6:30 pm	CSBT Reception DRINKS & APPETIZERS GENEROUSLY HOSTED BY CSBT	GRAND FOYER

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10		
8:00-9:00 am	Breakfast	OKANAGAN
9:00-10:30 am	PLENARY A 2025 Legal Year in Review	OKANAGAN
10:30-11:00 am	Coffee Break	GRAND FOYER
11:00 am-Noon	PLENARY A 2025 Legal Year in Review, (cont)	OKANAGAN
Noon-1:30 pm	Thanksgiving Lunch	OKANAGAN

THANK YOU

Many Thanks to our Member
AGM Planning Committee for Their
Advice and Guidance!

- Ginna Berg - Fraser River Indigenous Society
- Ryan Cucheron - Vernon & District Association for Community Living
- Karen Hansen - Shuswap Association for Community Living
- Valerie Janz - Interior Community Services
- Anita Sihota - Kyndred Community Living Society
- Judy Valsonis - Touchstone Family Association

AGM RULES OF ORDER

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) will follow standard meeting procedures according to the current edition of Bourinot's Rules of Order.

- 1 Voting delegates are those individuals designated to represent a member agency or organization.
- 2 Ballots and voting cards will be issued to voting delegates who must sign for receipt of their voting cards and ballots. Voting cards and ballots cannot be reissued if lost or misplaced.
- 3 Motions presented during a general session will be decided by a show of voting cards. On a show of voting cards, every delegate will have one vote.
- 4 Only voting delegates are entitled to speak to a motion. When speaking, voting delegates are to use the floor microphones. Once recognized by the Chair, the delegate is to say their own name, the name of the agency/organization they represent and their membership division.
- 5 Anyone introducing a motion may speak for three minutes. In all other cases, there is a two-minute time limit. No delegate shall speak more than once on any one motion except for the delegate who introduced the motion, who may close the debate.
- 6 After sufficient debate has taken place, the Chair will call the question. If the majority votes that the question is to be put to a vote, then debate will be concluded and voting delegates will be asked to vote by show of voting card. If the motion to put the question to a vote is defeated, discussion will continue.
- 7 The Chair shall not vote on any question called. In the event of a tie, the Chair shall cast the deciding vote.
- 8 A delegate shall not interrupt another, except on a point of order or point of privilege. If a delegate is called on a point of order, the floor shall be yielded until the question of order has been decided.
- 9 The election of panel members will be conducted by secret ballot during the divisional sessions. Voting delegates will vote by writing the names of the candidates of choice on the ballot(s), then placing the ballot(s) in the ballot box.

EXHIBITORS

Don't Forget to Visit Our Wonderful Exhibitors in the Grand Foyer!

- Community Services Benefits Trust
- Community Social Services Health and Safety Association
- ComVida Workforce Management System
- EQ Development Group
- Federation Association Benefit Plan
- Healthcare Benefit Trust
- Inclusion System
- Nanaimo Association for Community Living and Charvar Networks
- WorkSafeBC

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