



Ontario Society of Nutrition Professionals in Public Health

Annual Report 2014-2015

Fuelling Public Health Nutrition

OSNPPH Vision, Mission, Values

Our Vision

We envision a health system that recognizes and values OSNPPH members as leaders in public health nutrition.

Our Mission

We advocate and respond in order to advance the public health nutrition agenda. OSNPPH facilitates connections and provides supports among members in order to enhance their individual and collective effectiveness.

Our Values

OSNPPH values its members' input and strives to ensure all members have an opportunity to participate.

OSNPPH recognizes the value of working with other health and community groups.

OSNPPH believes it has a unique role to play in linking the public health sector with the profession of dietetics.

OSNPPH operates in a fiscally prudent and responsible manner.

Message from the Executive

OSNPPH has enjoyed another very busy and productive year. Our dedicated working groups expertly prepared and presented position statements, reports, and research locally, regionally, and provincially. As our mission states, OSNPPH advocates and responds with the goal of advancing the public health nutrition agenda.

We cannot succeed collectively without the support and dedication of our members. OSNPPH encourages members to fully engage in their public health nutrition practice.

We support all members to provide input in relevant issues and participate actively within your capacity. Your OSNPPH Executive is able to function effectively only when given the support from membership.

We are optimistic for ongoing promotion of public health nutrition with our key stakeholders across the province.

Together, let's fuel public health nutrition.

2014-2015 Highlights

- Strategic Plan, Direction, and Priorities completed
- Complete OSNPPH website redesign and launch
- Active participation in providing amendments to Bill 45: Making Healthy Choices Act
- Presentation at the Standing Committee for General Government for Bill 45
- Endorsement of the 'Ottawa Principles' - a series of principles that outline the scope and regulatory measures needed to curb children's exposure to persuasive marketing of food and beverages
- Hungry for Action: How Municipal Government Can Reduce Poverty - a collaborative initiative led by Ontario Society of Nutrition Professionals in Public Health Food Security Workgroup
- OSNPPH provided comments and suggestions to the Preschool Speech and Language Program regarding the resource: "Can Your Baby Hear?"
- Annual Nutrition Exchange Planning Committee in full swing



OSNPPH Working Groups

OSNPPH's workgroups bring together Registered Dietitians from across the province to collaborate, advocate for and create resources that support meaningful change in public health nutrition. These workgroups also work toward improving Ontarians' food literacy, nutrition knowledge, and access to healthy food.

Please see the appendix to this annual report that highlights specific work accomplished by the OSNPPH working groups.

- Advocacy Committee
- Family Health Nutrition Advisory Group
- Food Security Workgroup
- Food Literacy Workgroup
- Healthy Eating in the Recreation Setting Workgroup
- Menu Labelling Workgroup
- School Nutrition Workgroup
- Workplace Nutrition Advisory Group

For more information about these workgroups and how to become involved, visit www.osnpvh.on.ca.

2013-2014 Peer Recognition Award

We are thrilled to announce that **Ellen Gregg** is the recipient of the 2014-2015 OSNPPH Peer Recognition Award.

Ellen's dedication to and passion for public health nutrition made her an obvious choice for the Executive.

It was very difficult to choose among our peers, especially when so many are well qualified for this prestigious award.

We congratulate Ellen whole-heartedly and thank her for her commitment to OSNPPH and her colleagues across the province!

Interim Financial Statements

Revenue:

Membership	17,956	96 %
Interest	13	0.1 %
Sip Smart contributions	750	4 %
TOTAL	\$18,719	100%

Expenses:

Website	325	2 %
Telecommunications	3857	24 %
Meeting and Travel	4444	27 %
Office and Program	828	5 %
Consultants	6723	42 %
TOTAL	\$16,177	100%

About OSNPPH

The Ontario Society of Nutrition Professionals in Public Health is the independent and official voice of Registered Dietitians working in public health agencies in Ontario.

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