

College of Occupational Therapists of BC

2011 Annual General Meeting

Saturday, October 29, 2011

9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Coast Coal Harbour Hotel
1180 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, BC V6E 4R5

Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

- I am a COTBC Registrant
 I am a member of the Public

I plan to attend (check all that apply):

- 9:00 am Registration (coffee & light breakfast will be available)
 9:30 am **Pre-AGM Session**
Professional boundaries – is there an “app” for that?
- interactive session (please see back of this form for more information)
 11:30 am Break
 11:45 am **Annual General Meeting**

Meeting adjourned by 1:00 pm

Please return this form no later than October 27, 2011 to:

COTBC
#219 - 645 Fort Street
Victoria, BC V8W 1G2
or
Fax: 250 383-4144



The College of Occupational Therapists of BC
invites you to participate in this year's

Pre-AGM Session

Professional Boundaries – is there an “app” for that?

Keynote Speaker

Elinor Larney, Deputy Registrar,
College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario

Elinor Larney is an occupational therapist with over five years of experience in professional self-regulation and a strong background in health administration. In her role as Deputy Registrar at the College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario (COTO) her responsibilities have included *Registration, Quality Assurance, Patient Relations and Practice*. In the course of her work at COTO Elinor has directed the development and dissemination of a series of practice standards for occupational therapists in Ontario and has overseen the evaluation and redevelopment of the quality assurance processes.

Elinor is a career health executive with 19 years experience in management of health services. She holds a Bachelor of Medical Rehabilitation (OT) from the University of Manitoba and an M.H.Sc. (Health Administration) from the University of Toronto. Elinor has spent much of her career with Grandview Children's Centre in Oshawa as a Clinical Program Manager. In addition, she has had experience with health facility accreditation and was the institutional coordinator of the Canadian Council on Health Accreditation (CCHSA) program at Grandview, to implement continuous quality improvement. She was also the chief staff support for the Professional Services Committee of the Board of Trustees.

COTBC and COTO have a strong history of collaboration and this Pre-AGM session is yet another example of such an endeavour.

Maintaining professional boundaries is critical because setting limits clearly defines a safe therapeutic relationship between occupational therapists and their clients. Crossing these boundaries is a slippery slope that can lead to an uncomfortable situation at best...or in a worst-case scenario to an event that harms the client.

As times change we need to make sure we are cognisant of any new challenges on our horizon. With rapid developments in technology and the prevalence of social media (e.g., Facebook) we may be faced with unfamiliar situations that challenge our professional boundaries.

This interactive session will provide you with information about professional boundaries as well as an opportunity to explore how to apply some strategies for managing these unfamiliar situations.

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(Registration opens at 9:00 am)

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If you wish to attend, please complete the AGM registration form on the reverse.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA**

PROXY FORM



CBO/11.-05.AGM Proxy Form

I, _____ a full registrant in good standing of the College of Occupational Therapists of British Columbia (COTBC) hereby appoint Carol Williams, Chair of the Board of the College of Occupational Therapists or failing her, Diane Graham, Vice-chair of the Board of the COTBC.

OR

_____ a full registrant of the COTBC

Name of Proxy holder

as my proxy to attend, act and vote on my behalf at the Annual General Meeting of the COTBC to be held on October 29, 2011 at 11:45 a.m. at The Coast Coal Harbour Hotel in Vancouver, BC.

I understand that I may revoke this proxy by providing notice in writing to the Registrar and received in the COTBC office no later than October 27, 2011.

NAME: _____ Registration #: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____

In accordance with bylaw s. 33(3) this proxy ceases to be valid following the general meeting specified in the proxy.

Return your Proxy Form by Mail or Fax to:

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Fax: (250) 383 – 4144

**Please ensure delivery of the
completed proxy to COTBC by:**

Thursday, October 27, 2011