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# XXV W.O. McCormick Academic Day

## *Addictions and Mental Health*

Sponsored by:  
Dalhousie University Department of Psychiatry  
Capital Health Addictions and Mental Health Program

April 25, 2014  
8:00 am – 4:30 pm  
The Lord Nelson Hotel  
1515 South Park Street  
Halifax NS B3J 2L2

### *Preliminary Program*

Invited Keynote Speaker: **Dara A. Charney** MD, FRCPC, CSPQ  
Associate Chair (Education) & Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry, McGill University  
Director, McGill RUIS Addiction Program  
*“Why Can’t They Just Stop?”*

Invited Plenary Speaker: **Ronald Fraser** MD, CSPQ, FRCPC  
Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, McGill University & Dalhousie University  
Consultant Psychiatrist, Addictions Program, CHAMHP  
*“Evidence Based Interventions in Addictions Treatment?”*

Invited Plenary Speaker: **Sherry H. Stewart** Ph.D  
Professor, Departments of Psychiatry & Psychology, Dalhousie University  
*“Action Gamblers and Escape Gamblers: Nature, Assessment and Treatment”*

### *Other Topics and Speakers Include:*

“Overview of Pharmacologic Treatment of Addictions:” **David Gardner** PharmD, MSc  
“Addictions and Youth:” **Selene Etches** MD, FRCPC  
“Assessment and Management of Addictions: The Role of Family Physicians:” **Ramm Hering** MD  
“A Personal Experience of Recovery:” **Peter B.**

*Final Program and online registration will be available in early February*