



37<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference  
CALL FOR PRESENTERS

Over the past two years First Nation Counsellors have worked tirelessly to pivot and adapt programs and services so that the needs of students continue to be met

ONECA will be hosting our 37<sup>th</sup> Annual conference at the Water Tower Inn in Sault Ste. Marie in person and we are seeking a variety of presentations that will inspire and support the counsellors have endured and overcome so many challenges through this pandemic. It is important to ONECA that our counsellors remain healthy and receive the tools and training that they need to remain balanced so that they can continue to provide students with the guidance and support that they need to navigate and transition through all levels of education.

**The theme for this year's conference is: " Embracing our Teachings in times of Change"**

We welcome presentations that demonstrate best practices in First Nation Education Counselling and should be 90 minutes in length or 3 hours in length.

- Topics could include:
- First Nations Language and Culture
- Self-Care
- Using Technology
- Student-Engagement and Support
- Mental Health and Wellness
- Data Collection
- Transition Supports
- Dealing with Trauma and Grief
- Indigenous Knowledge
- Indigenous Counselling
- Policy Development

Conference Dates: May 30,31, June 1 at the Water Tower Inn Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario- Submission Deadline March 14, 2022.

Please complete the attached presenter form and email to: [oneca@oneca.com](mailto:oneca@oneca.com)

You will be notified if your presentation is selected and our office will contact you to make the necessary arrangements and to discuss the details.

## Presenter Application Form

Please include a copy of your presentation along with this presenter submission, if available; otherwise, a copy of the presentation will need to be submitted 1 week prior to the event. Please note that you will be notified if your presentation is chosen for the Forum.

### Presenter Information

Name:

Position/Title:

Organization/First Nation

Email:

Phone #

Address:

### Presentation Description

Presentation Length: Each presentation will be 90 minutes or 3 hours including Q&A Session.

Presentation Title (limit to ten words):

Presentation Outline (include area of best practices and target audience, limit 30 words)

Presentation Overview: (limit to under 100 words):

Topics covered (limit to under 50 words):

Area of Best Practice:

Target Audience (limit 50 words):

Presenter Biography (limit to under 75 words)

Equipment Required:

- Projector and Screen
- Computer
- Flip Chart and Markers
- Speakers
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Room Set-up

- Circle of Chairs
- Theatre
- Board Room
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SEND A HIGHRESOLUTION PICTURE WITH YOUR PRESENTATION**

Email the completed form to Roxane Manitowabi: [oneca@oneca.com](mailto:oneca@oneca.com) by March 14, 2022