# Canadian Nursing Informatics Association

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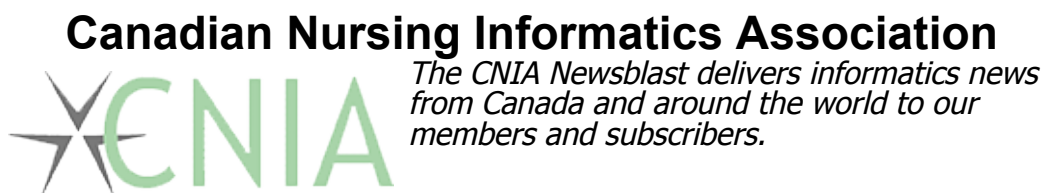
## From the Desk of the Education Co-Directors!

Fall has arrived and it's time for us to welcome you back to another season of CNIA hosted webinars. We are already working on the line-up and have this to share with you now:

Our first fall webinar:
**Date/Time: September 29, 2022**
**9:00am Pacific Daylight Time**
**10:00am Mountain Daylight Time and Central Standard Time**
**11:00am Central Daylight Time**
**12:00 noon Eastern Daylight Time**
**1:00pm Atlantic Daylight Time**

**Speaker: Abdul-Fatawa Abdulai, Assistant Professor, UBC School of Nursing**

**Title: Development and application of destigmatizing design guidelines in sexual health-related technologies.**

Technologies are increasingly used as complementary tools in managing sexual health-related conditions, yet many technologies designed to reduce stigma actually increase or perpetuate sexual health-related stigma. Despite stigma being a major issue in sexual health, how this concept is understood and addressed in the context of digital health technologies remains unknown. In this

presentation, I will discuss my recent research on the development and application of destigmatizing design guidelines based on a trauma-informed care framework. These guidelines are meant to serve as a guiding framework to support software designers to create destigmatizing technologies. This presentation will conclude with a call for a trauma-informed user-centred design, where trauma-informed, stigma-specific emotional and content-related design guidelines should be prioritized during sexual health technology design.

CNIA webinars are free for members and $10.00 for non members.

[Register here](#)

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**Upcoming Webinars and Networking activities:**
<u>October</u>
Ute Beffert and Laura Winer (McGill Group)
Healthcare AI Competency Framework

<u>November</u>
Raluca Radu (UBC)
Digital Health and Climate Change

<u>December</u>
Members Meet and Greet

As always, we welcome input from our members on what types of webinars you would like CNIA to host - send us your ideas at [communications@cnia.ca](mailto:communications@cnia.ca)

See you at the webinars!
**Shauna Davies**
**Ryan Chan**
**Education Co-Directors**

We are pleased to announce that this conference will follow a hybrid approach - the conference will be held in-person in Calgary June 14 to 16, 2023, with many session being offered virtually.

The conference theme is: **Accelerating Digital Care Capacity in Nursing**

Watch for more details in the near future, including the call for abstracts and registration information.

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## Getting to know our members

In past CNIA Newsblasts we have profiled Board members so that our membership can learn a little about us and our experiences in both nursing and informatics. And at the virtual CNIA conference held this past June we learned that our members are very interested in networking and learning what their fellow members are up to.

We'd like to help make that happen.

1. Tell us about your <u>role in informatics</u> - simply send an email to communications@cnia.ca with the following information:

- Name
- Credentials
- Tell us a bit about your nursing journey (Not a nurse? No worries - tell us about your professional journey)
- What was your first role in informatics?
- What is your current role in informatics?
- What would you tell others who are thinking of a career in informatics?
- Please include a picture of yourself, it is so good to put a face to a name.

2. Are you leading or involved in an <u>informatics initiative</u>? We'd love to hear about this as well. Again, simply send an email to communications@cnia.ca with the following information:

- Name
- Credentials
- Brief Bio
- Title of initiative/project
- Description of the initiative/project (limit of 300 words)
- Please include a picture of yourself

**All submissions will be published in upcoming CNIA Newsblasts. We look forward to hearing from you and getting to know our members better.**

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## Honoring the Legacy of Virginia Saba Through Charting a Path Forward for *Standardized Nursing Terminologies in Practice and Research*

# Nursing Terminologies in Practice and Research

*Due to the generosity of our sponsors, registration is complimentary*

**Join us for this Virtual Workshop, organized by the Friends of the National Library of Medicine, to be held online October 20 – 21, 2022**

The purpose of this event is to honor Dr. Virginia Saba's contribution to Nursing Terminology, to honor the National Library of Medicine for their role in Terminology Harmonization, to look at the impact of Nursing Terminology on the Quality and Outcomes of Care in Acute Care and Population Health, and to consider the future needs of continued monitoring of terminology to track innovations in Disruptive Healthcare Environments of the Future.

This workshop will appeal to a broad audience of professional healthcare and nurses who practice, teach, conduct research, or study in the specialty of nursing informatics, nursing terminology, EHR in acute care and community settings: CNOs, CNIOs, professional organizations, government and private organizations as well as individuals engaged in HIE, IHE, HL7, FHIR, TEFCA, and/or USCDI. The audience is both national and international in scope.

**Click here to register**

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The CASN Digital Health Forum is being being held Tuesday, November 1, 2022. See the CASN Forum website for more details on this virtual conference.

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Digital Health CANADA | Connect Inspire Empower

The e-Health 2023 Call for Abstracts is now open and all are invited to participate. All submissions are assessed by a committee of experienced Canadian digital health leaders, and presenters with the best stories to tell will be invited to speak at e-Health 2023, taking place in Toronto May 28 - 30th.

Visit the e-Health website for more details.

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