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The Alliance for the Prevention Of Preterm and Stillbirth in Ontario - Starting SOON

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Live Q and A Session

Email questions during the event to: John.Kingdom@sinaihealthsystem.ca

Ways to participate

- ☐ Live audience
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Friday, November 10th, 2017 7:45 A.M. - 8:45 A.M. Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, M6 502 (M wing, 6th floor, room 502)







Dr. Jon Barrett

Wendy Katherine

Dr. Nan Okun

The Alliance for the Prevention of Preterm Birth and Stillbirth is a broad coalition of families, health care providers and health system partners focused on implementing and evaluating strategies to reduce preterm birth and stillbirth in Ontario. Using a person-centered approach, the Alliance will use evidence-informed screening, prevention, treatment and knowledge mobilization programs supported by data integration and health informatics solutions to transform attitudes and outcomes in Ontario.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

- Learn about an emerging provincial quality improvement program to reduce preventable preterm birth and stillbirth in Ontario
- 2. Review scientific literature and protocols on cervical length screening, progesterone prophylaxis and low-dose aspirin (ASA) in early pregnancy
- 3. Discuss an evolving vision for prenatal screening in

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BIOGRAPHIES

Dr. Barrett is the Chief of Maternal Fetal Medicine at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre and a Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the University of Toronto. He is a Senior Scientist at the Sunnybrook research Institute and the Program Research Director of the Women and Babies Program. He is the medical co-director of Clinical Trial Services at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre and holds the Waks Family Research Chair of Maternal Fetal Medicine Research. He is a World Health Organization advisor on Maternal Health, Vice Chair of the Board of the Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists and the International Society of Twin Research, and President of the Canadian Society of Maternal Fetal Medicine. He is the Founder and Chair of the Southern Ontario Obstetrical Network (SOON). He has held more than \$20 million in grants, most prominently in the conduct of randomized controlled trials, wherein he has obtained international recognition in the field of multiple pregnancy. More recently his research has been channeled to both improving outcomes and preventing the occurrence of preterm birth via population interventions. His most recent and ongoing initiative has been the formation the Alliance for the prevention of preterm and stillbirth in Ontario, which is enjoying increasing philanthropic and ministry support.

Wendy Katherine is the Co-Lead of an Alliance to prevent preterm birth and stillbirth in Ontario. As Principal Consultant at Phoenix Health Consulting, she is a champion of maternal and child health quality projects including the recent OMama Project. Among Ontario's first registered midwives, Wendy provided reproductive health care before joining the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care to develop health improvement strategies including the Ontario Midwifery Program, the Better Outcomes Registry and Network (BORN), among others. An alumnus of the Rotman School of Management, volunteer Board Director at Health Nexus, she is passionate about evidence-based health care policy and value in publicly funded health systems.

Dr Nan Okun is a Maternal Fetal Medicine specialist at Mount Sinai Hospital in Toronto. She has trained and practiced and several areas across the country with a BSc in Nursing and MD from UBC, Obstetrics and Gynecology training at the University of Alberta, Maternal Fetal Medicine Fellowship training at the University of Ottawa, and a Masters of Health Sciences in Health Administration at the University of Toronto. She has had a longstanding interest in prenatal screening and health policy development in prenatal care. She is the current chair of the SOGC Genetics Committee. Provincially she has chaired the Prenatal Screening Subcommittee, and co-chaired the Maternal Child Screening Committee within the Provincial Council for Maternal Child Health. She is a Professor at the University of Toronto Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and Head of the Maternal Fetal Medicine Division at the University of Toronto. She has recently been selected as co-medical director of the Prenatal Screening Program, within BORN Ontario