



**CANNT|ACITN**  
Canadian Association of Nephrology Nurses and Technologists  
l'Association canadienne des infirmières et infirmiers et des technologues de néphrologie

I would like your approval to attend the CANNT (Canadian Association of Nephrology Nurses and Technologists) Annual Conference, October 25-27, 2018 in Quebec City. I have reviewed the agenda, speakers, as well as the list of exhibiting companies, and feel the return on investment would be a major benefit, as the event aligns directly to the priorities of our department.

It is an extraordinary value for the level of intensive education. In 3 days, I'll have access to:

- Information and ideas that will help demonstrate to our patients our commitment to staying informed and knowledgeable of important issues and procedures.
- 3 days for networking opportunities with industry professionals, including: registered nurses, technologists, doctors, pharmacists and dietitians.
- 50 in-depth sessions on various topics including Clinical outcomes of home hemodialysis, Dying with dignity, The role of the biomedical engineer in dialysis, Transplantation and , and more.
- Presentations in both English and French.
- 23 posters with their authors available to answer professional practice questions.
- 6 hours of plenary sessions led by industry thought leaders addressing best practices on topics including The History of Nephrology and Dialysis, The Longest Surviving Hemodialysis Patient in the World, Interactions with NHPs, and The History of CANNT, Vascular Access Hx, and PD

Upon my return, I will share many of the new ideas and key takeaways with the team to help grow our success.

To support your decision, I've included a couple of documents for your review. There is a features and benefits chart that specifically targets our current needs and how attending this event can help provide answers for our objectives, and a breakdown of approximate costs to attend the conference.

Please accept this proposal to attend as I am confident in the significant return we will receive for the small investment.

Thank you for your consideration.



**FEATURES AND BENEFITS OF ATTENDING CANNT 2018**

The conference agenda at [www.canntconference.com](http://www.canntconference.com) demonstrates the scope of information the CANNT 2018 Annual Conference will address.

I will also be able to build new relationships and share best practices with other attendees working on the same priorities. This conference will have comprehensive and unbiased dialogues and far-reaching discussions among peers from all aspects of the nephrology industry, moderated by industry leaders on topics relevant to our priorities.

You Need:	This Conference Provides:
Efficient and affordable professional development that yields actionable skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50 in-depth sessions</li> <li>• 6 hours of general sessions led by industry thought leaders</li> </ul>
Access to the latest research, data and trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 45 concurrent sessions highlight the latest research and findings in nephrology nursing and technology</li> <li>• 23 posters with their authors available to answer professional practice questions</li> </ul>
Information on the latest technology trends, tools and practices that can advance our objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tradeshow with over 30 booths of the latest medical equipment and expertise</li> <li>• Networking with registered nurses, technologists, doctors and dietitians and other industry professionals</li> <li>• Current ideas and procedures</li> <li>• Effective ways to deal with current issues</li> </ul>



**CONFERENCE EXPENSES**

Conference Expenses	Cost Saving Tips	Costs
Conference Registration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Register, as a member, before August 31 and save \$100</li> </ul>	\$ _____
Lodging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share a room with a colleague</li> <li>• Stay at the Quebec Hilton Hotel – Downtown room block at the group rate</li> </ul>	\$ _____
Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share a cab</li> </ul>	\$ _____
Meals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Save by attending daily food &amp; beverage functions:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 3 breakfasts</li> <li>○ 6 breaks</li> <li>○ 3 lunches</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Opening reception</li> </ul>	\$ _____
	TOTAL:	\$ _____