

RESEARCH SEMINAR SERIES

Decolonizing Health Research & Education: Centering Indigenous Knowledges and Voices

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Dr. Linda Diffey is a member of the Peepeekisis Cree Nation in Treaty 4, an Assistant Professor in the College of Community and Global Health, and the Director of Ongomiizwin Research in the Rady Faculty of Health Sciences. Her scholarship has largely focused on the integration of anti-racist and anti-colonial approaches to Indigenous health in medical education and continuing professional development. She is currently serving on the CanMEDS physician competency framework with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, chairs the curriculum committee for the *We Will Take Good Care of the People* online cultural safety training program, and is a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba's restorative practice Indigenous advisory circle. She also leads the Manitoba Network Environment for Indigenous Health Research (MB NEIHR), one of nine NEIHR centres comprising a CIHR-supported national Indigenous health research network. Dr. Diffey's research interests also include the application of Indigenous resurgence within research methodologies and the intersection of Indigeneity and neurodiversity in the context of post-secondary educational environments.