

# AHESG 2022

*Location:* University of Calgary, School of Public Policy  
906 8 Ave SW 5th floor, Calgary, AB T2P 1H9

*Date:* September 9, 2022

*Time:* 8:30 am MT – 3:20 pm MT

*Chair:* Mike Paulden, U of A

*Facilitator:* Eldon Spackman, U of C

## Agenda

8:30 am – 8:45 am	<b>Welcome</b>	Jeff Round, Institute of Health Economics
8:45 am – 10:00 am	<b>Keynote:</b> Economic evaluation in child health: Playing outside of the sandbox	Wendy J. Ungar, M.Sc., Ph.D. Canada Research Chair in Economic Evaluation and Technology Assessment in Child Health; The Hospital for Sick Children Research Institute; Sick Kids (TASK); University of Toronto
10:00 am – 10:15 am	<b>Break</b>	
10:15 am – 11:00 am	<b>Session 1:</b> Effect of clinical evidence and financial incentives on physician practice when initiating dialysis	Author: Amity Quinn Discussant: Negar Razavilar
11:00 am – 11:45 am	<b>Rapid-Fire Poster Presentations</b> (5 mins each)	Authors: See Page 3
11:45 am – 12:45 pm	<b>Lunch &amp; Poster Q&amp;A</b>	
12:45 pm – 1:30 pm	<b>Session 2:</b> Equity, Values, and the Broader Government Payer Perspective: Re-imagining Federal Funding for Holistic Indigenous Health and Wellness	Author: Aidan Neill Discussant: Elena Lopatina

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1:30 pm – 1:45 pm	Break	
1:45 pm – 2:30 pm	Session 3: Health-Related Quality of Life Changes from Before and During COVID-19 for Home Care Clients in Edmonton, Alberta	Author: Julie Flemming Discussant: Sasha van Katwyk
2:30 pm – 3:15 pm	Session 4: The Impact of Geographic Deprivation Levels on Access to Endovascular Thrombectomy After Alteplase for Treatment of Ischemic Stroke in Alberta	Authors: Matt Eagles, Eldon Spackman Discussant: Xiaoxiao Liu
3:15 pm – 3:20 pm	Closing Remarks	Eldon Spackman, U of C

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## Poster Presentations

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*An Assessment of the Cost Effectiveness and Public Health Impact of the RTS,  
S Vaccine.*

Henrietta Iduwe

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*Drug coverage for Albertan seniors: A policy analysis*

Jane Fletcher

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*Uncovering strategies to improve the value of care by advancing the  
application of clinical variation methods*

Amity Quinn; Jason Black

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*Budget impact analysis to assess the affordability of delivering equitable  
access to first-line hip and knee osteoarthritis treatments in Alberta*

Darren Mazzei

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