

# CALL FOR CONTENT

**Enhancing Public Safety through Community Research:  
Knowledge Exchange & Connecting Cross Sector Collaborators  
March 22, 2016  
Moncton, New Brunswick**

This event will bring together *community organizations* that deliver programming, *academic researchers, policy makers, and funding bodies* with a goal of developing a research agenda and adoption of best practices to enhance public safety in New Brunswick. The event aims to:

- **Support learning** that will **increase organizational capacity** to enhance public safety and to evaluate programs through effective use of data and academic research;
- **Leverage social enterprise, social policy, and research & evaluation** activities in order to enhance public safety;
- **Support collaboration**, alignment and the sharing of **best-practices** on the subject of public safety, and;
- **Develop relationships** and identify and **promote activities** that will translate knowledge into actions that enhance public safety.

We are seeking abstracts for presentations and posters on projects that have contributed to (or show promise of) increasing organizational capacity, evaluating, and transforming programs and services through the use of data and academic research with the aim of enhancing public safety in New Brunswick. Two types of presentations will be accepted:

- Lightning Talk presentation (5-7 minutes)
- Poster

We welcome abstract submissions (maximum 250 words) outlining your proposed lightning talk presentation, or a poster. Please indicate your selection in the title of your abstract. Proponents of accepted abstracts will be invited to present during the event. Those proposing a presentation will be invited to give a lightning talk (5-7 minutes). Proponents of accepted posters will be asked to prepare their full poster (37" X 41") for the event.

All presenters must register for the event at <http://enhancingpublicsafety.eventbrite.ca>; travel costs are not covered. There is no cost for registration. Notifications will be ongoing during the review process, however, a full agenda will not be decided until after the final deadline for submissions.

## Submission Guidelines

**Deadline : March 5th, 2016**

Please email your submission to [robyn@johnhowardsenb.com](mailto:robyn@johnhowardsenb.com), in the subject line of the email include: Call for Content. Please include:

- Title of your proposed Presentation or Poster
- Abstract of up to 250 words
- Presenting Author Name and Email
- Name and affiliation for all authors (including presenting author).

We will contact you if we require further information.