



Science, Health and Research Education Summit

October 26, 2026

Health Innovation Acceleration Centre (HIAC)

[\[Virtual attendance available\]](#)

Student Video Distribution

*Short videos featuring students and their projects will be shown throughout the day.

8:30-8:40 am	Welcome! Dr. Kris Aubrey-Bassler, Principal Investigator, NL SUPPORT, Clinical Lead, Quality of Care NL Welcoming remarks from Dr. Stuart Carney, Dean, Faculty of Medicine
8:40-10:00 am	SESSION 1 A Learning Health and Social System in Action Join Dr. John Lavis for an engaging session on the key elements of a learning health and social system, with practical examples and discussion on how Newfoundland and Labrador can strengthen learning, improvement, and system-wide change.
10:00-10:15 am	Break
10:15 – 11:15 am	SESSION 2 Patient-Oriented Research Quickfire Hear from health professionals and graduate students conducting patient-oriented research with funding provided by NL SUPPORT.
11:15-12:15 pm	SESSION 3 Quality of Care NL Research, Evaluation & Collaboration Quickfire Learn more about Quality of Care NL's latest research and evaluation work relating to the health system and the social determinants of health.
12:15-1:10 pm	Lunch Break Networking

1:10-1:15 pm	Intro to afternoon sessions
1:15-2:15 pm	SESSION 3 Climate Change and Health Join us for a panel discussion exploring how climate change can impact the health of Newfoundlanders and Labradorians. Hear perspectives on building a healthier, more sustainable and climate-resilient future for our province. Audience Q & A.
2:15 – 2:25 pm	Break
2:25 – 2:30 pm	Introduction to Nano-Course
2:30-3:55 pm	Nano-Course: Enabling Learning Health Systems Join Dr. John Lavis for a practical nano course on learning health systems. Explore how evidence, leadership, and partnerships can drive continuous improvement and make learning and innovation the “new normal” in health systems.
3:55 pm	Event concludes Closing Remarks

*Agenda subject to change; see latest at www.qcni.ca/share