

## *Membership Services Webcast*



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# Opioids and Synthetic Opioids: Protecting the First Responders



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### What Will We Be Discussing?

The use of opioids and synthetic drugs such as fentanyl and carfentanil, have become a problem for a growing number of communities in Canada and is a source of concern for paramedics and other first responders.

This presentation will discuss the risks in various settings; recommend practical steps to minimize exposure; provide guidance for personal protective equipment selection and use, and speak to medical countermeasures in the event of a first responder exposure.

### Who will be Speaking?

Brett Heerspink is the Coordinator of Clinical Quality Improvement for Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region Emergency Medical Services

Tim Hillier is the Director of Education for M.D. Ambulance in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Dr. Marcus Lem, Senior Medical Advisor, Public Health Addiction and Overdose Prevention and Treatment Policy, BC Centre for Disease Control; Director, Public Health and Preventative Medicine Residency Program, University of British Columbia

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## When Will We be Online?

Session date: Wednesday, November 22, 2017

Start time: 10 PST

Duration: 1 hour

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