

Meeting Name: The Institute of Musculoskeletal Health and Arthritis (IMHA), Science in Motion Workshop – October 30, 2014 Toronto, Ontario

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At the end of October 2014, IMHA brought together all stakeholders, including CAPA President and Vice President, Linda Wilhelm and Dawn Richards for a day long workshop in Toronto.

Presentations were given on IMHA's three strategic priorities:

- Chronic Pain and Fatigue
- Inflammation and Tissue Repair
- Disability, Mobility and Health

These presentations were followed by small group discussions on how all stakeholders can work together to move the priorities forward and ensure that the valuable research findings are translated into improving the lives of those living with MSK conditions and diseases.

During lunch, the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Chief Scientific Officer and Vice President, Research and Knowledge Translation, Jane Aubin gave an overview of the CIHR's Roadmap and IMHA's role.

Following lunch, there was a session on Networking and Partnerships with the day finishing off with a panel discussion on expanding current networks and partnerships as well as how to engage new partners.

Presentations can be found at: http://www.imha2014.ca/en/presentations.asp