

Join the Toronto Stroke Networks for an in-person workshop

Pre-Driving Screening Post-Stroke: Best Practices and Clinical Decision-Making

Objectives

By the end of this session, participants will:

1. Understand the clinician role, stroke best practice recommendations and Ministry of Transportation guidelines related to pre-driving screening post-stroke
2. Apply a standardized approach to conducting pre-driving screening
3. Apply clinical reasoning when making recommendations about return to driving for patients following stroke

Target Audience

Stroke care providers in Toronto who complete pre-driving screening.

Date and Location

Date: Wednesday, November 26th 2025

Time: 8:30 AM- 4:00 PM

Location: West Park Healthcare Centre, Auditorium (WP-2A-137)



Featured Speakers



Nellemarie Hyde OT Reg. (Ont.), CDR is an Occupational Therapist and Program Manager at Saint Elizabeth (SE) Health's Driver Assessment & Training. With a certification from the Association of Driver Rehabilitation Specialists (ADED), she provides driver rehabilitation services and collaborates with the MTO and COTO on policy, regulations, and best practices in Ontario. In 2019, she received the ADED Achievement Award for her outstanding contributions to the field of driver evaluation.



Brenda Vrkljan, PhD, O.T. Reg. (Ont.) is a professor in the School of Rehabilitation Science at McMaster University. Her research focuses on aging and medical fitness to drive; including recent work examining the use of technology to address stroke-related impairments that can affect behind-the-wheel behaviour. She is the Editor-in-Chief of the Canadian Journal of Occupational Therapy.

Seats are limited- Sign-up now!

Time	Topic
8:15 - 8:30 AM	Registration
8:30 - 9:15 AM	Clinician roles in pre-driving screening for patients post-stroke
9:15 - 10:00 AM	Review of domains and related screening assessments
10:00 - 10:30 AM	Cross-continuum considerations
10:30 - 10:45 AM	Break
10:45 - 11:15 AM	Navigating assessment results
11:15 - 11:45	Communicating screening results and recommendations with patients
11:45- 12:30 PM	Lunch
12:30 - 1:30 PM	Panel Discussion
1:30 - 2:30 PM	Case Studies
2:30 - 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 - 3:15 PM	Documentation, consent and reporting standards
3:15 - 3:45 PM	Next Steps: Resources and referrals
3:45 - 4:00 PM	Wrap-up and evaluation

Note: Agenda is subject to change without notice