

Canadian Association of Nurses in Hemophilia Care (CANHC)  
2009-2010 Annual Report

Executive 2009-2010: President – Dorine Belliveau  
President Elect – Betty Ann Paradis  
Past President – Sue Ann Hawes  
Secretary – Lucie Lacasse

CANHC Regions:

- meet annually to provide time for project work, networking and mentoring for new members.

- Atlantic Region - recently published “All About Me”, a children’s book for children with Hemophilia. Finalized regional camp nurse standards. Working through the challenges of having a NS and NB camp in 2010.
- Quebec Region -In the process of reviewing booklets on different Rare Bleeding Disorder which date back as far as 10 years.
- Ontario Region - Revising instructor’s manual for “All about Hemophilia: A Guide for Families”. Plans to also revise “The Bleed Stops Here”
- Western Region. Developing a teaching guide to go with the Home Infusion Manual.

CANHC national initiative:

- Working on developing Home Infusion standards and guidelines.
- Development of CANHC website in collaboration with CHS  
CANHC member involvement with various national committees and associations .

CANHC International opportunities:

- Participation in the National Hemophilia Foundation AGM and US Nursing Meeting in fall 2009
- A number of CANHC members have submitted abstracts for WHF and several members will be attending this meeting in Buenos Aires, Argentina.
- CANHC participation on advisory boards

CANHC/CHS projects:

- New Team Workshop planned for October 1&2, 2010.
- Working with CHS and AHCDC to plan agenda for Rendez-vous 2011
- CANHC representative on Aging with a Bleeding Disorder
- CANHC member on CHS Programs Committee

CANHC member projects:

- St. Justine clinic – working on building an album of photos of Hemophilia bleeds to assist new parents in detecting bleeds.
- Saskatoon – Clinical survey on needle phobia.

CANHC awards:

- Ann Marie Stain – CHS Award of Appreciation

Respectfully submitted by,  
Dorine Belliveau  
CANHC President on behalf of members