

## **TIPS Joins the TRAIN Learning Network**

TIPS Master Series Program is now accessible to over 3 million health workers

**Hamilton, Ontario** – April 5, 2021 –The Infection Prevention Strategy (TIPS) is pleased to announce that the TIPS Master Series Program will now be accessible via the Public Health Foundation (PHF), TRAIN Learning Network. The TIPS Master Series Program provides free and accessible educational Master Class sessions on global health processes and issues. This new partnership is in keeping with the TIPS mission to advance innovations, ideas, and processes through evidence-based science.

"We are excited to include training from TIPS in the TRAIN Learning Network course catalog. TRAIN offers training providers a no cost way to reach 3+ million health professionals, and the means to track their progress, and test, evaluate, and deliver certificates." – Ilya Plotkin, Director, TRAIN Learning Network

The TRAIN Learning Network includes 27 state health departments, five federal agencies, tribal agencies, nonprofits, academic institutions, and others. Altogether, TRAIN reaches more than 3 million health workers and brings together a community of partners dedicated to building a strong health workforce. TRAIN is free to access and take training for anyone, anywhere.

TIPS has taken the lead during the pandemic to provide free and accessible educational sessions discussing critical topics, including:

- Airflow patterns and Flow Path of Airborne Particulates,
- Addressing Air Quality in Medical and Dental Offices with a Focus on COVID-19
- Protecting Medical Staff and Patients from COVID-19
- Best Practices to Service Facilities for COVID-19
- N95 Respirator Use, Disinfection and Re-use
- How to Measure Clean? Myth and Facts of ATP
- Surface Biofilm: Disinfection Challenges and New Approaches
- C.difficile: New Trends and Prevention Strategies
- Legionnaires' Disease and other Waterborne Pathogens

In response to COVID-19, PHF and TRAIN have supported the release and dissemination of more than 300 new trainings and provided government agencies with contact tracing curricula and COVID-19 vaccine resources and materials.

"TIPS is extremely pleased to align with PHF and the TRAIN Learning Network. This partnership is an important advancement in our ability to communicate critical innovations, ideas, and processes that make a difference in global health." – Michael Diamond, Executive Director TIPS



## **About TIPS:**

The Infection Prevention Strategy (TIPS), launched in 2015, is a not-for-profit organization that exists to advance innovations, ideas, and processes that make a difference in global health. TIPS is the key strategic partner for many notable organizations, initiatives, and events. In the past few years, TIPS has contributed millions of dollars' worth of scientific impact through various programs and initiatives. For more information, visit ic.tips

## **About Public Health Foundation and TRAIN**

The Public Health Foundation (PHF), a private, non-profit, 501(c)3 organization based in Washington, DC, improves public health and population health practice to support healthier communities. Since 1970, PHF has developed effective resources, tools, information, and training for health agencies, organizations, and individuals to help improve performance and community health outcomes. PHF works extensively to convene stakeholders, identify unmet needs, and link academia, public health practice, and healthcare sectors.

Access the TRAIN Learning Network: <a href="https://www.train.org/">https://www.train.org/</a>

The new TIPS Master Series season starts soon.

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