





March 20th, 2020

Re: ATA - HPEC & CSC Conference 2020 - Lethbridge, Alberta

Dear HPEC Nation and CSC Friends.

On March 12, 2020, Alberta's Chief Medical Officer of Health recommended that "all large gatherings of more than 250 people, or international events in the province are to be cancelled." This recommendation was in effect effective March 12, 2020.

Due to the escalation of CoVID-19, the Health and Physical Education Council (HPEC) and the Council of School Counsellors (CSC) Conference scheduled for April 30th - May 2nd, 2020 in Lethbridge, Alberta has been postponed until **April-May 2021**; **exact dates TBD.** Details of which will be found shortly on our website at www.hpec.ab.ca.

Please note that currently the event is postponed, and not cancelled. All current registrations for delegates, sponsors and exhibitors will be rolled over to next year's conference. We look forward to you attending the event once global circumstances related to COVID-19 are resolved. For those delegates, sponsors, exhibitors who might wish to cancel their registration and receive a full refund, please contact our treasurer@hpec.ab.ca by June 1, 2020.

If you received a promo code for registration for 2020, your registration will be honoured for 2021 and no further action is required. If you have registered but not paid for your 2020 conference registration, you will be individually contacted regarding your registration for 2021 in the next few weeks to resolve this.

We would like to thank our membership, delegates, partners, sponsors and suppliers for their patience while we worked through this unprecedented and complex situation which may take some time to navigate. We would also like to thank our dedicated HPEC, CSC Executives and our Conference Team who have been working hard to sort out the logistics of this situation.

We apologize for any inconvenience this has caused. We look forward to seeing you all again once the situation improves.

Be well,

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