

# Animal Welfare in Practice Symposium

## ANIMAL ABUSE AND NEGLECT

March 4 and 6, 2021

### THURSDAY, MARCH 4

Zoom Webinar

Register here:

[upei.ca/sjdawc/march4webinar](https://upei.ca/sjdawc/march4webinar)

7:00–8:00 pm

(Open to the public—Free)

#### THE VIOLENCE LINK: THE LINK BETWEEN ANIMAL CRUELTY AND HUMAN VIOLENCE

Inspector Leslie Hadfield, Social Sciences Learning Manager, Atlantic Police Academy, Holland College

### SATURDAY, MARCH 6

Zoom Webinar

Register here: [upei.ca/sjdawc/march6symposium](https://upei.ca/sjdawc/march6symposium)

- Students, no charge; everyone else, \$40 (HST included)
- CE certificates will be provided to paid registrants.
- Registrations will be accepted until Thursday, March 4, by 5:00 pm.

11:00 am  
INTRODUCTION

11:10 am  
RECENT ADVANCEMENTS IN CRUELTY INVESTIGATIONS AND ASSESSING ANIMAL SUFFERING IN CANADA

Dr. Rebecca Ledger, Animal Behaviour and Welfare Scientist, Animal Behaviour and Welfare Consulting, Langara College

12:10 pm  
VETERINARY RESPONSE TO SUSPECTED ANIMAL ABUSE AND NEGLECT

Dr. Carolyn Sanford, Assistant Deputy Minister, Agriculture and Land, Prince Edward Island

Dr. Alice Crook, Adjunct Professor, Atlantic Veterinary College

12:40 pm  
PANEL DISCUSSION

1:00–1:20 pm  
BREAK

1:20 pm  
EXOTIC ANIMAL CASE  
Dr. Lara Cusack, Assistant Professor, Atlantic Veterinary College

COMPANION ANIMAL CASE  
Mike Gilberton, Animal Protection Officer, Prince Edward Island Humane Society

EQUINE CASE  
Dr. Kathleen MacMillan, Assistant Professor, Atlantic Veterinary College

2:30 pm  
PANEL DISCUSSION

2:50–3:00 pm  
CONCLUSION



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