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The CATIE Exchange

The CATIE Exchange, the twice-monthly electronic newsletter published by CATIE, Canada's source for HIV and hepatitis C information, is a forum for HIV and HCV knowledge exchange.

Our editorial focus is on providing information about innovative programs and services, including news about events that promote knowledge exchange, as presented by not only CATIE but other organizations.

We encourage submissions. They should be a maximum of 50 words, in English or French, accompanied by contact information for follow-up, if necessary, by CATIE. Images and a hyperlink to a website for more information are welcomed.

If you have questions or would like to contribute to *The CATIE Exchange*, please contact our editor, Ali Murphy: amurphy@catie.ca.

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***Bright Ideas!* Submission Criteria**

The *Bright Ideas!* section of The CATIE Exchange seeks to highlight innovative programs, projects and campaigns run by community-based organizations and healthcare professionals across Canada. If you'd like your organization's initiative to be considered for an installment of *Bright Ideas!*, which runs monthly, simply [e-mail us](#) a short description of your program or project and we will follow up with you. Submissions should be no longer than 100 words. Throughout the year, we will endeavour to profile diverse organizations working in the HIV/ HCV/ STBBI sector and located in various parts of the country.

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