## WINTER 2024 – EPI SEMINAR SERIES

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WINTER 202	WINTER 2024							
Jan 15, 2024 In- Person (Click on title) - JOINT EBOH/CORE	Timothy Evans (McGill)	Global Perspectives on Financing Universal Health Coverage	1. Understand the definition of Universal Health Coverage; 2. Identify core principles of financing health care;	Recording				
			3. Consider challenges and opportunities for financing of Universal Health Coverage.					
Jan 22, 2024 <b>In-</b> <b>Person</b>	Arthur Chatton (UofM)	Personalized dynamic prediction in dialysis using a novel super learning framework	1. Have a better understanding of the super learning framework;					
			2. Become acquainted with dynamic prediction;	Recording				
			3. Understand the challenges of validating personalized prediction models.					
Jan 29, 2024 In- Person (Click on title) - JOINT EBOH/CORE	Nisha Almeida (McGill)	From Data to Decisions: The role of Health Technology Assessment in Innovative Healthcare	1. Define health technology assessment (HTA);					
			2. Describe a hospital-based HTA unit's role in healthcare decision-making;	Recording				
			3. Describe the role of cost data in decision-making at the hospital level.					
Feb 5, 2024 - Virtual	Soren Harnois-	Leveraging data for obesity and type 2 diabetes prevention in children: new insights from pediatric cohorts	Become acquainted with methods for	Recording				

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	Leblanc (Harvard)		representing developmental trajectories in cardiometabolic health;	
			2. Have a better understanding of potential factors associated with the development of pediatric obesity and type 2 diabetes;	
			3. Learn about new methods for strengthening evidence in observational studies.	
			1. Have an overview of the life course approach in chronic disease epidemiology;	
Feb 19, 2024 In- Person	Sreenath Madathil (McGill)	A Bayesian Approach to Investigate Life Course Hypotheses	2. Become familiar with a set of modelling approaches to investigate life course hypotheses;	<u>Recording</u>
			3. Understand the shortcomings and challenges in investigating the effects of protracted exposures across an individual's life course.	
Feb 26, 2024 In- Person (Click on title) - JOINT EBOH/CORE	Mathieu Maheu- Giroux (McGill)	Informing disease control and elimination using transmission dynamics models – An introduction	1. Define what is a transmission dynamic model; 2. Review their applications in	N/A

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			infectious disease epidemiology;  3. Understand their strengths and limitations.	
Mar 4, 2024	NO SEMI	NAR - READING WEEK	iiiiitations.	
Mar 18, 2024 In- Person	Sahar Saeed (Queens)	Breaking Barriers: Expanding Syphilis Point-of-Care Testing and Immediate Treatment to Meet the Needs of Underserved Communities	1. Understand the epidemiological trends of syphilis in Canada;	
			2. Appreciate the utility of point-of-care testing to mitigate the transmission of infectious syphilis;	<u>Recording</u>
			3. Recognize the critical role of public health partnerships and community-based engagement in implementation science research.	
Mar 25, 2024 <b>In-</b> <b>Person</b>		Wearable Devices for Epidemiologic Research: Current Trends, Methods, and Future Directions	1. Understand the pros and cons of different types of wearable devices for research and personal health monitoring;  2. Apply knowledge of exposure assessment to global positioning system data;	Recording
			3. Analyze challenges for epidemiologic research when commercial wearable devices are used.	