

# **“TRAVEL MEDICINE: AN INTRODUCTION TO COMMON DISEASES AND EMERGING PATHOGENS”**

Canadians are increasingly travelling abroad for vacation, work, and medical tourism. At the same time, rapid international travel is causing the emergence and spread of new health threats for the traveller. This presentation will provide an introduction to the most common medical illnesses for international travellers. This will include: a review of their epidemiology, diagnosis and treatment. In addition, pre-travel preventative strategies will also reviewed.