

Interprofessional mental health simulation

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Learning Objectives:

- Understand how simulation can enhance the effectiveness of interprofessional care.
- Describe key instructional design considerations for interprofessional mental health simulation.

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Community Centre Building - Training Room A



Dr. Laura Naismith is a Project Scientist in Simulation and Teaching Excellence at CAMH Education. Her research focuses on theory-based instructional design and evaluation of simulation-based learning. Prior to joining CAMH, she was a postdoctoral fellow at the Wilson Centre and the Ho Ping Kong Centre (University Health Network, Toronto). She holds a PhD in Educational Psychology from McGill University.



Dr. Kowalski is currently in post as the MPA simulation research fellow. He is also working as a clinical fellow in the Child Youth and Emerging Adult Program. He comes to Canada from the UK where he is training as a child psychiatrist at the Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust in London. Whilst here, he is working on exploring the use of interprofessional simulation in mental health with a particular focus on child and youth.