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Dr. Carole A. Estabrooks is Professor, Faculty of Nursing, at the University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. She holds a Canada Research Chair in Knowledge Translation and is a fellow in the *Canadian Academy of Health Sciences*. She leads the Knowledge Utilization Studies Program (KUSP) at the University of Alberta. Dr. Estabrooks' program of research focuses on knowledge translation in the health sciences; she studies the influence of organizations on the research implementation behaviour of health care providers and the effect of knowledge translation on patient/resident, provider and system outcomes.



She holds a number of active research grants, most recently *Quality & Safety in Nursing Homes*, an Alberta – British Columbia study and a five year CIHR funded program of research, *Translating Research in Elder Care* being conducted in long term care facilities in the three Canadian Prairie Provinces. She is a co-investigator on several additional active grants, among these are *Older Person Transitions in Care (OPTIC)* a study examining transition between Nursing Home and Emergency Department settings in Alberta and British Columbia, a five year *CIHR Team Grant in Children's Pain* and a European Union 7th Framework study, *Facilitating the Implementation of Research Evidence (FIRE)*, involving frail older adults living in long term care facilities in five countries.

Dr. Estabrooks is a member of the advisory board for CIHR's Institute of Aging Advisory Board. She is an Adjunct Professor in Nursing, University of Toronto and is affiliated with the Nursing Health Services Research Unit, University of Toronto and a member of two recently funded national teams – the *Canadian Dementia Knowledge Translation Network* and *KT Canada*.

Dr. Estabrooks teaches a doctoral level interdisciplinary course in knowledge translation and supervises several postdoctoral fellows and doctoral, masters, and honours undergraduate students studying in the area.