

# SIECCAN

The Sex Information and Education  
Council of Canada

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sexuelles du Canada

“SIECCAN works with health professionals,  
educators, and community organizations  
to ensure that all Canadians have access to  
high quality sexual health information,  
education, and related health  
and social services.”

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## WHO WE ARE

The Sex Information and Education Council of Canada (SIECCAN) is a national registered charitable organization founded in 1964 to foster professional education and public knowledge about sexuality and sexual health.

SIECCAN members include individuals and organizations across Canada who support the goal of providing all Canadians with access to high quality sexual health information, education, and related health and social services.

SIECCAN is guided by an elected Board of Directors in consultation with a National Professional Advisory Panel.

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## WHAT WE DO

**The Canadian Journal of Human Sexuality (CJHS):** Established in 1992, CJHS is a quarterly, peer-reviewed multidisciplinary journal indexed or abstracted in over 35 social science and medical data bases. The journal prioritizes new and up-to-date research on the sexual health of Canadians conducted by Canadian scholars. The journal also publishes research from other countries. The *SIECCAN Newsletter* is co published with CJHS twice a year and features program descriptions, brief reports, resource reviews, and other content applicable to professional practice.

**Consultation and Research:** SIECCAN has a strong and extensive track record in support and consultation for public health agencies, educators, community service organizations, school boards, academic institutions, and governments. This work includes comprehensive literature review and analysis, consultation on policy development, and collaboration in the design and evaluation of research on sexual health.

**Information Services:** SIECCAN responds to requests for up-to-date and reliable sexual health information. Our expertise and resources serve media, researchers, program planners, clinicians, and students.

**WWW.sieccan.org:** SIECCAN's regularly updated website provides information about SIECCAN, conference announcements, complete abstracts from CJHS from 1997 onwards, links to selected sexual health research and education resources, full text PDFs of articles from CJHS on sexual health in Canada, and PDFs of popular SIECCAN resource documents such as *Sexual Health Education in the Schools: Questions and Answers*.

## YOUR SIECCAN MEMBERSHIP

- Includes annual subscription to *The Canadian Journal of Human Sexuality* and the *SIECCAN Newsletter*;
- Keeps you up-to-date on sexuality and sexual health related research in Canada;
- Links you to a national network of professionals working on sexual health and related issues;
- Supports the diverse aspects of SIECCAN's important work as outlined in the annual SIECCAN Report.

**Become a SIECCAN member** and join us in our mission to ensure that all Canadians have access to high quality sexual health information, education and related health and social services.

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