

## Fourth International Conference on Violence in the

**Health Sector** 



22 - 24 October 2014 Miami - Florida - USA

Towards safety, security and wellbeing for all

SAVE THE DATE

Work related aggression and violence within the health and social services sector is a major problem which diminishes the quality of working life for staff, compromises organizational effectiveness and ultimately impacts negatively on the provision and quality of care. These problems pervade both service settings and all occupational professional groups in the health sector.

Considerable attention and advancements in addressing this problem have been achieved from service and organizational perspectives nationally and internationally. Following three successful conferences in 2008 and 2010 in Amsterdam, and 2012 in Vancouver, the 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Violence in the Health Sector, will take place in Miami, USA, from October 22-24 2014.

In addition to raising awareness the 2014 conference will provide a platform to share international developments,

with a particular emphasis on best practice research and initiatives to effectively respond to the problem.

The call for abstracts will be published in October / November 2013

We thus cordially welcome you in Miami - USA in October, 2014







Prof. Dr. Ian Needham, Chair and Mr. Kevin McKenna, Co-Chair of the Organisation and Scientific Committee & Nico Oud, MNSc, N.Adm, RN, Conference Organiser