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## FReSH eNews

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### The Opioid Crisis

The opioid epidemic continues to impact rural America. For more information, visit the following websites from USDA and CDC:

U.S. Department of Agriculture: <https://www.usda.gov/topics/opioids>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: <https://blogs.cdc.gov/publichealthmatters/2017/11/opioids/>.

### Upcoming Events:

#### AgrAbility National Training Workshop

March 19—22, 2018 in Portland, ME. For more information and to register, visit their website at <http://www.agrability.org/agrability-national-training-workshop/>.

#### ISASH Conference

The 2018 ISASH Conference agenda should be posted next month with three tours exploring various agriculture and fishing regions of the province.

Book your hotel reservation at the Halifax Marriott Harbourfront. Click [here](#) to book online or call 1-800-943-6760 (code: ASHASHA) Room rate \$239 CDN (approx. \$188 US)

Book your flight soon because Halifax is a popular summer destination especially around Canada Day, July 1.

#### SAY National Clearinghouse

Ag safety and health curriculum or resources that align with AFNR standards can be promoted through the SAY National Clearinghouse. Contact [Linda Fetzer](#) or visit the [SAY Project](#) homepage to learn more.

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- [Women in Agriculture](#)
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