

MEDIA SPECIFICATIONS

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ADVERTISING SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

Advertising services	Requirements	
CHIMA Connection newsletter sponsorship	Logo	
Digital advertisements: big box, leaderboard	Artwork	
Email blast	HTML file, or send content to media@echima.ca	
Job posting	Website form to fill out	
Blog article or advertorial	 Title (max. 6-8 words) Author Icon logo Feature image Article content 	
Event listing	 Title (max. 6-8 words) Date & time Description of event (max. 50 words) Price Organizer Venue & address Event website URL Feature image 	
Cards: shop, resources, courses	Title (max. 6–8 words)Feature ImageURL to your product	
CHIMA's program directory listing	Inquire at partnerships@echima.ca	
Co-develop content with CHIMA (e.g., courses, resources, or events)	Inquire at partnerships@echima.ca	



MEDIA RELEASE

Copyright

noun [mass noun]

1. the exclusive and assignable legal right, given to the originator for a fixed number of years, to print, publish, perform, film, or record literary, artistic, or musical material.

A signed media release form is required before CHIMA can publish any media provided by a partner; this includes images, writing, audio, video, or other. Please ensure this has been signed before proceeding with submissions.

SUBMISSIONS

Media submissions can be sent to media@echima.ca. CHIMA will acknowledge receipt and will reply back only if adjustments are required.



Logos

File format

Preferred: Vector EPS file (e.g., Adobe Illustrator)

- All fonts converted to outlines
- CHIMA can re-size without compromising the shape or colour

Acceptable: Raster image file (e.g., Adobe Photoshop)

- Logo must be minimum 2" wide or 2" high (whichever is the larger proportion)
- 300 dpi resolution
- psd, tiff, png, or jpg file
- A gif file can be submitted if its use is for web only
- Raster image file will not be accepted for largescale items such as posters, signs, banners, etc.

Colour & black logos

Ideally, three colour varieties should be included in your logo submission:

- 1. CMYK logo (for print)
- 2. RGB colour (for web)
- 3. 100% black (no greyscale)

Icon logo

An icon-only logo is used when text will not be legible. Examples of this are in digital advertisements or on the blog.



Logo use / brand guidelines

Please submit any logo useage guidelines along with your logo. Care will be taken whenever possible to follow applicable guidelines, including colours, clear space, use of taglines, etc.

Our process

All art files are checked by production for suitable file format. If there is any problem with the file, you will be notified as soon as possible that new art is required.

Please note that any delays in sending new files may result in the absence or sub-standard reproduction of your logo. For print applications, you may request a pdf proof of the page on which your logo appears.

Logo sizing

Logos are sized proportionately for the best fit within the design of the page on screen or in print. Legibility and maximum impact are also considered when sizing your logo. When used in a group (such as a list of sponsors), logos are sized to appear as visually equal as possible. Please note that the shape of your logo may restrict its size. Other characteristics such as color and logotype also contribute to its visual weight.

File size (for web)

For web use, the maximum width allowed for a logo is typically 130 pixels. Once formatted to the correct physical size, logos will be saved to screen resolution at a file size less than 5 kb. Any jpeg or gif images received at larger file sizes will be reformatted to meet these requirements.



Digital advertising artwork

Helpful tips

- Avoid white space to ensure your ad stands out in the space purchased
- 2. Use your logo icon; full text may be illegible for readers
- Avoid a lot of text; use a direct call to action to drive clickthroughs to your website

Digital advertising artwork should be submitted as:

- JPG or GIF file format
- RGB colour mode
- 72 ppi resolution

Note: logos will not be accepted as artwork.

Advertising sizes are strict. Please use the dimensions below in the unit of measurement pixels (px).

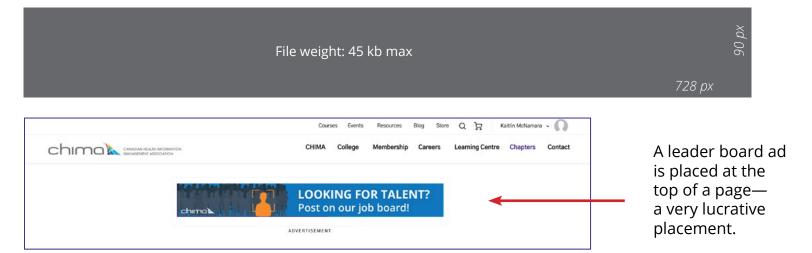
Big box advertisement





This call to action typically is an instruction for viewers to act on.

Leader board advertisement





Images

What is an ALT tag?

- 1. It provides a text alternative to images for search engines
- 2. It allows screen readers and other assistive technologies to describe what is happening in the image (e.g., Mary Smith standing in front of a crowd giving a speech).





Cell phone image

DSLR image

Images from cellular devices will not be accepted for publication.

Digital

All digital images should be submitted using the following format:

- 1400 px width x 900 px height
- IPG file
- · RGB colour mode
- 72 ppi resolution

Note: imagery may be cropped pending placement.

Print

All images used for print production should be submitted using the following format:

- JPG file
- CMYK colour mode
- 300 dpi resolution

File info

Please ensure all image information has been inputted. You can check this by opening your photo in Adobe Photoshop and selecting File > File Info. This includes:

- Title
- Description used for ALT tag (avoid company names as these will get flagged)
- Key words
- Copyright information



Blog, co-developed course banner, blog feature image



Co-developed course feature image



Course, shop, and resource cards



Hyperlinks

All advertising services allow for hyperlinks (URLs) to be included, redirecting viewers to a partner's website. If hyperlinks get broken, it is the responsibility of the partner to notify CHIMA and provide an alternative link.

SPECIFICATIONS ► Audio

Audio

Helpful tips

- 1. If you're recording a live session using on online platform (e.g., Microsoft Team, Zoom) call in direct from a phone. The audio will be more clear. Then mute your computer sound as to not disturb
- 2. An edited script can be helpful



Accepted formats:

- Podcast URL
- .mp3 file

SPECIFICATIONS ► Video

Video

Considerations

- 1. Video submissions should be easily identifiable as belonging to your organization
- 2. Your video's privacy and social sharing settings should be set as per your organization's marketing standards



Accepted formats:

- YouTube URL
- Vimeo URL



Content

Email blasts

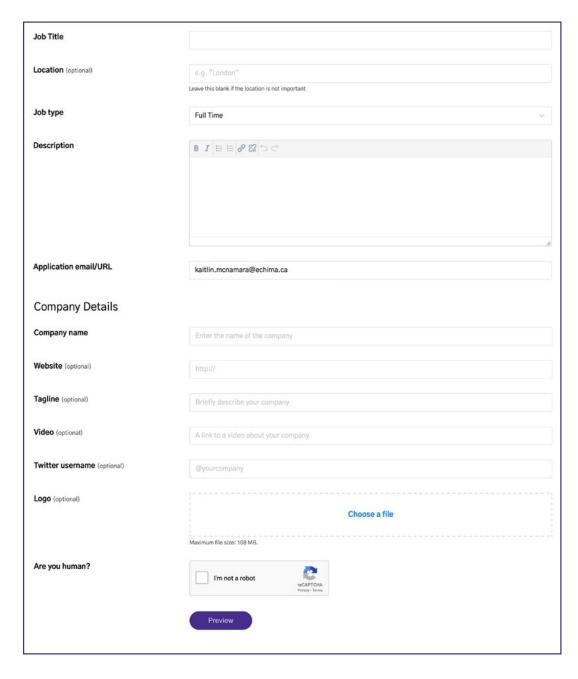
CHIMA is willing to send targeted email blasts to membership, depending on the nature of the content. Many organizations use their own platform (e.g., MailChimp or Zapier) to send out communications. To maintain the integrity of your design, you can submit an **HTML file** for us to send out.

If you'd like to provide content only, we can use one of the **CHIMA templates**. Here is an example template that we use for our CHIMA Connection newsletters:





Job listings



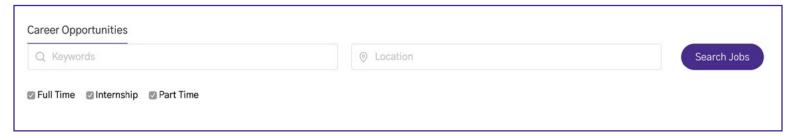
If your job listing mentions either the Association or College, please use the following approved bullets:

Association

 Active professional member with the Canadian Health Information Management Association (CHIMA)

College

- Graduate of a Canadian
 College of Health
 Information Management
 (College) accredited
 health information
 management* program,
 and holds a Certified Health
 Information Management
 (CHIM)** professional
 designation
- * This could be replaced with:
 - terminology standards
 - · classification and coding
 - clinical documentation improvement
- ** This could be replaced with:
 - Certified Terminology Standards Specialist (CTSS)
 - Certified Classification and Coding Specialist (CCCS)
 - Certified Clinical Documentation Specialist (CCDIS)





Blog articles or advertorials



Design matters: sex and gender terminology concepts



This community of technical, administrative, and content experts is working to ensure that terminology standards align with the needs of Canadians, and that safety and quality in health care includes safety and quality of care for people of sexual and gender diversity.



The Sex and Gender Working Group is designed to implement strategies to modernize sex and gender information practices in EHR systems in Canada. They meet on the second Tuesday of every month from 12:00 pm-1:00 pm EST. This group is open and encourages members who are interested in this innovative work to join the community discussions.

The HL7 Gender Harmony Project began as a way to capture the ideas encompassed by 'sex' and 'gender' within health models. The webpage states, "We expect that once completed, the set of use-contexts, currently called sex-gender types, can be used to clarify that certain existing model implementations actually intend users to assume one sex or gender entry actually represents multiple distinct sex-gender types that can in fact have different values that use the same code". Project meetings are held once every two weeks on Monday's at 4:00 pm EST and are open to members who would like to lend their experience, opinions, or just listen in.

Should you have any questions about the terminology standards community, please feel free to contact kelly.davison@echima.ca.

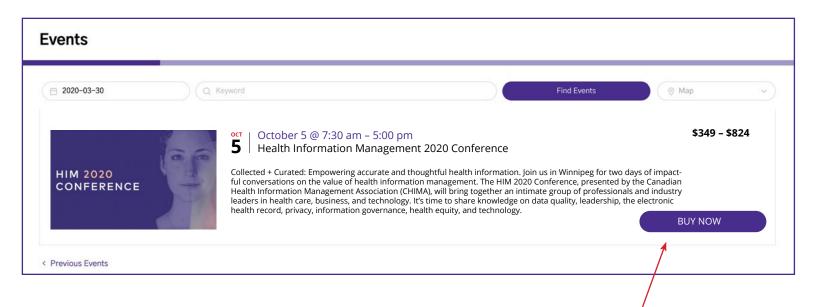
Categories: 2020, Newsletters

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When a blog article is paid for, it is considered an advertorial—an advertisement giving information about a product in the style of an editorial or objective journalistic article. These will be categorized appropriately here.

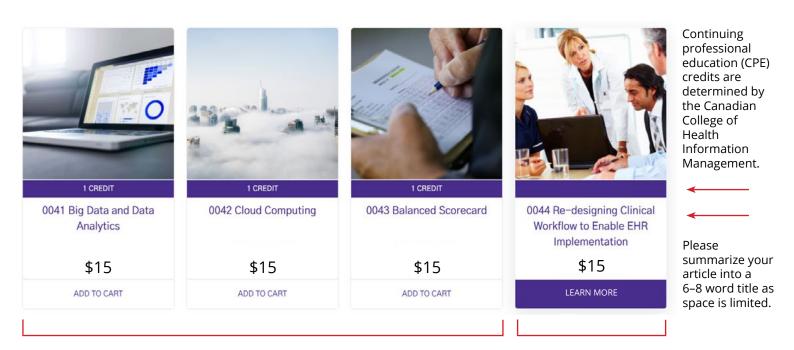


Event listings



CHIMA products lead members to buy directly from echima.ca. Your products will go directly to your organization's website or ticketing platform with the URL you provide.

Cards: shop, resources, courses



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Your products will link directly to your website with the URL you provide.



CHIMA's program directory listings

Health Information Management Program

Centre for Distance Education

222 George St., Suite C Sydney, Nova Scotia. B1P 1J3.

Sandra Cotton, BA, CHIM Program Coordinator

Phone: 1-866-446-5898 ext.505 (Admissions &

Registration)

Email: scotton@cd-ed.com »

View Website »

Health Information Management Program

HealthCareCAN/CHA Learning in partnership with Algonquin College

17 York Street, Suite 100 Ottawa, Ontario. K1N 5S7.

Jessica Schierbeck (Giesbrecht) MPA, BHA, CHIM Director, Stategic Solutions

Tel: 613-241-8005 Ex.212

E-mail: jschierbeck@healthcarecan.ca »

View Program »

Health Information Management Plus Diploma

McMaster University
Centre for Continuing Education

1280 Main Street West Hamilton, Ontario. L8S 4L8.

Nancy McQuigge Program Manager

Tel: 905–525–9140 ext. 24321 E-mail: himgmt@mcmaster.ca »

View Website »

At this time, program listings are being posted to highlight accredited programs with the Canadian College of Health Information Management. CHIMA's Program Directory can be filtered in the following ways:

1. **Program type** Health information management, terminology standards,

clinical documentation improvement, classification and coding

2. **Program level** Accredited

3. **Certification pathway** CHIM, CTSS, CCDIS, CCCS

4. **Content delivery** Online, on-campus, online/on-campus, on-site facilitation

5. **Location** [Province or territory if on-campus is applicable]

6. **Education level** Certificate*, diploma, undergraduate degree

7. **Education partner** [Education institutions]



^{*} Certificate programs require the completion of two semesters (or one year) of study, as approved by the Ministry of Training, Colleges, and Universities.

Co-developing content with CHIMA

CHIMA works with partners to co-develop courses, events, or resources. This process involves meetings, collaboration, and a mutual contract outlining roles and responsibities. Each project will involve the following phases:

DISCOVERY

During this phase, we brainstorm and determine what is needed. What goal are we trying to achieve? There are a variety of ways to produce and share content, so it's best to involve both marketing teams for consultation.

DESIGN

Now that we know what we want, the materials can start being designed. As a fun example, let's pretend we're working with animals. Here's how we would design a course about dog training.

This stage is where we work to build a solid framework or agenda, and content that purposeful and clear.

Course	Lessons	Topics
	Training a puppy	Bringing your puppy home
		Teaching your puppy good eating habits
		Crate training your puppy
How to train dogs	Handling a teenage dog	Behavioural issues in teenage dogs
		Teenage dogs and mental stimulation
		Maintaining proper social skills for teenage dogs
	Caring for a senior dog	Administering medications to senior dogs
		Hip displasia in senior dogs
		Mobility exercises for senior dogs

BUILD

The third phase involves taking the finalized content and building it. This could mean putting a course into a learning management system or designing a resource file in Adobe InDesign.

LAUNCH

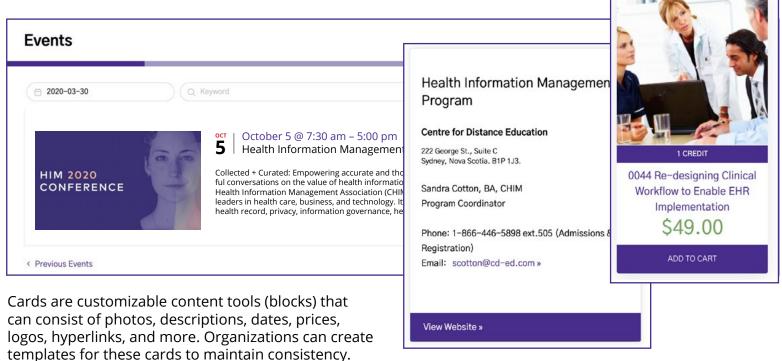
Lastly, we need to launch and promote our amazing co-developed product. Who's going to press the send or publish button?



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Cards vs. tiles vs. toolbars





Tiles

Tiles are navigation tools, usually with a universally identifiable symbol.









Toolbars

A toolbar can be found within the interface of a program/application. They are action-oriented tools (e.g., type, zoom, add line).



Copyright

Please ensure that you have obtained copyright for your submissions so that you have the sole right to produce or reproduce work. If you are not the sole owner, proper attribution may be required (e.g., listing the photographer's name). Should you have any questions about copyright, please reference the Government of Canada website here or seek legal counsel.

In the case of photography, it's always best to take your own photos. Alternatively, royalty-free images can be found on stock photography websites. This license type grants the buyer a determined set of rights to use the image in multiple ways, for a flat, one-time fee.

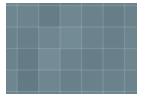
File exporting

Format

Raster vs. vector

Raster graphics are composed of pixels, and are typically used for digital purposes or smaller print jobs. Vector images are composed of paths, and are great for graphic design and larger print jobs (e.g., tradeshow display or billboard).

Raster



Common formats

- BMP
- TIFF
- PNG
- IPEG
- GIF

Vector



Common formats

- Al
- EPS
- PDF
- SVG
- CGM

Colour mode



CMYK

CMYK colour (cyan, magenta, yellow, black) is used for printing media.



RGB

RGB colour (red, green, blue) is used when displaying colour on a monitor or screen, often smaller file sizes.



Size

The size of your document is determined when you set up a page, slides, or an artboard in the program you are working in. Units of measurement can vary (e.g., inches, centimetres, pixels, or picas).

Resolution

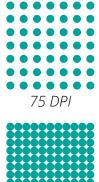


PPI

Pixels per inch (ppi) = the number of square pixels used to make up a high-resolution picture on a screen.

300 PPI

Lower ppi = lower resolution Higher ppi = higher resolution



DPI

Dots per inch (dpi) = the number of dots of ink need to print an image.

Lower dpi = lower resolution Higher dpi = higher resolution



Files may be compressed to reduce their size while preserving the original data. Compression allows us to send a file faster and takes up less space on a storage device.

CONTACT US

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