

# **Sherry Grace**

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Studying access to chronic cardiac care, as well as optimizing quantity and quality of life in heart patients.

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## **Biography**

Sherry L. Grace, PhD, FCCS, CRFC holds her primary appointment as Full Professor in the Faculty of Health at York University. She is also appointed at the University Health Network, University of Toronto, as Sr. Scientist with Toronto Rehabilitation Institute's Cardiovascular Rehabilitation & Prevention Program, and is Director of Cardiac Rehabilitation Research with the Peter Munk Cardiac Centre. Prof. Grace's research centers on optimizing post-acute cardiovascular care globally, as well as cardiac psychology. She has published over 225 papers, and authored clinical practice guidelines. She led the development of the pan-Canadian quality indicators for cardiac rehabilitation, as well as national policy positions on systematic referral and utilization interventions. Prof. Grace has earned awards from the American and Canadian Associations of Cardiovascular Rehabilitation, among other societies. Finally, she was instrumental in the development of the International Council on Cardiovascular Prevention and Rehabilitation, serving on the Executive Board since inception.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Education/Learning, Research

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Healthcare, Public Health, Clinical Research, Heart Disease, Behavioural Cardiology

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## **Affiliations**

Senior Scientist, University Health Network, Director of Research, Cardiovascular Rehabilitation & Prevention Program, Peter Munk Cardiac Centre, University Health Network, Member, Kinesiology and Health Science, Faculty of Graduate Studies, York University, Member, Heart & Stroke/Richard Lewar Centre of Excellence, University of Toronto, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto

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## **Education**

**University of Windsor**

Ph.D. Psychology

**University of Waterloo**

B.A. Psychology

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