

# Kirsten Johnson, MD, MPH



Dr. Johnson practices Emergency Medicine at McGill University's Health Centres in Montreal, Canada. Dr. Johnson is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Family Medicine at McGill University in Montreal, Canada. She is also an Associate Faculty member of the Institute for Health and Social Policy at McGill University, and an Affiliate Faculty member of the Harvard Humanitarian Initiative at Harvard University. She is Program Director of the McGill Humanitarian Studies Initiative (HSI), Director of the Canadian Consortium for Humanitarian Training (CCHT) and Chief Executive Officer of Humanitarian U.

Dr. Johnson's research has focused on genocide, child combatants, sexual gender-based violence and conflict-related mental health and psychosocial support. She is involved in humanitarian professionalization, working on the development of competencies for training, education and certification of humanitarian responders globally.

In 2010, Dr. Johnson was awarded the Segal Centre's Janusz Korczak award for her work on protecting the rights of children in conflict and the Award of Excellence for her work in global health by the College of Family Physicians of Canada. She was recognized as one of Canada's Top 40 Under 40 in 2011.

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