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RESILIENCE 2026 – Day 2 – Press Overview

RESILIENCE 2026: Advancing Science, Accessibility, and Policy for Healthy Indoor Environments

On May 8, 2026, Day 2 of RESILIENCE 2026 builds on the scientific and clinical foundations established on Day 1, shifting the focus toward implementation, systems change, and community impact.

Bringing together leaders from Canada and around the world, the day highlights how emerging evidence on Multiple Chemical Sensitivity (MCS) is being translated into legal frameworks, public policy, healthcare practices, and community-driven solutions.

Key highlights include:

- Global perspectives on MCS, featuring international leaders sharing progress, challenges, and collaborative efforts across regions
- Legal insights into access to justice, including landmark tribunal decisions and systemic barriers faced by individuals living with MCS
- Research on reducing chemical exposures in indoor environments and practical tools to support safer everyday choices
- Clinical approaches to managing co-occurring conditions and improving quality of life
- National initiatives translating research into action, including the development of plain language tools, policy-informed resources, and opportunities for community participation

The day culminates in a multi-sector Civil Society Panel bringing together leaders in disability, health, and advocacy to advance inclusion, rights, and systemic reform.

RESILIENCE 2026 Day 2 demonstrates that MCS is not only a matter of science, but a test of how systems respond, through policy, practice, and meaningful inclusion.

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