





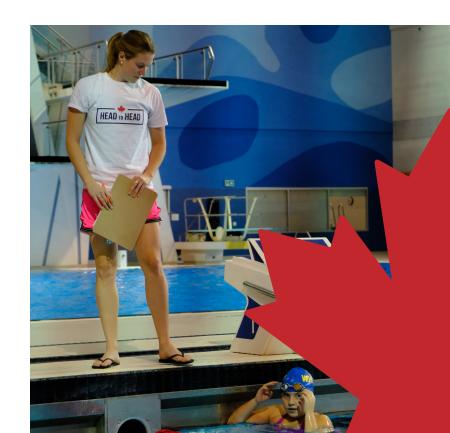
## HEAD TO HEAD PROMOTES YOUTH MENTAL AND PHYSICAL WELLNESS through Olympian-led

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## THE REASON

In Canada, an estimated 1.2 million youth are affected by mental illness, and 70% of young adults living with mental health issues first experienced symptoms in childhood. Mentorship and strong role models have been proven to help youth develop confidence, self-esteem and coping skills during this important time in their lives.

## **MENTORSHIP TOUR - 2018**

In the Spring of 2018, on the heels of Canada's great success at the 2018 PyeongChang Olympic Winter Games, our Mentorship Tour will visit dozens of Canadian communities, connecting more than 15 Olympians (Winter and Summer Games) with thousands of children, from coast to coast.



Head to Head is seeking partners to help support our Olympian-mentors on their important mentorship tours. Funding and in-kind contributions will defray the cost of transportation, accommodation, promotion and modest athlete compensation.

## WHO WE ARE

Head to Head was founded in 2016 by 2-time Olympic Swimmer, Martha McCabe. To date, Head to Head has led mentorship programs in more than 60 cities across Canada, positively impacting more than 5,000 youth. With more than 15 Olympians (and growing) representing the Olympic Games in London (2012), Sochi (2014) and Rio (2016), Head to Head supports these Canadian heroes by providing them with opportunities to grow professionally as they share their experiences with and inspire Canadian youth.

To learn more, please contact Martha McCabe at mmccabe@headtohead.ca