



July 18, 2023 Edition

Newsletter Updates

We're introducing some minor changes to make the newsletter a more effective communication tool!

- Submissions will run for a period of **one week** unless specified
- Body copy will be edited at the discretion of the editor to optimize communication
- Deadline is Tuesday at noon

Thank you for your cooperation:) If there are any concerns, please email me at : natalie.sun@ahs.ca

Operations

Connect Care Update

1) Mental Health Act e-Forms are now live in Connect Care. It is now possible to complete the electronic version of Form 1 directly in Connect Care. Please see the attached document ([mental-health-act-Forms-tipsheet.pdf](#)) with details on common steps, including how to complete and cancel the form.

2) Total Cardiology Referrals: Total Cardiology no longer requires us to fill in the paper referral form for their clinic. Referrals may be made using the external referral process by filling in the relevant details in the 'Comments' box of the referral order. The main caveat is that you should consider including any copies of EMS ECGs / rhythm strips / other visual media that may not be available to the clinic within Connect Care. See the Outpatient Referral Workflows document for details:
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nY54n2dgWDfZsh0KCD6R5Zvb2Rx2Wm9n/edit?usp=sharing&oid=108419507683669552471&rtpof=true&sd=true>

3) NE Urgent Psychiatry Clinic (PLC ED): After clarifying some conflicting information from the clinic, the NE Urgent Psychiatry Clinic is, in fact, an internal referral within Connect Care, and you no longer need to fill in a referral form. Patients requiring urgent psychiatry follow-up after discharge from the PLC ED can be referred by using **CGY SMG AMH COMM CLINIC** as the destination department name. The clinic has also created a smart phrase that can be used to pre-populate the comments box in the referral order, which will be shared with all PLC ED physicians soon: **.NEUCCREFERRAL** The Outpatient Workflow document has been updated accordingly (link above).

If you have any questions about the above information (or anything else) please don't hesitate to reach out!

Chris

Departmental News

KUDOS CORNER!

Congratulations on this well-deserved recognition. After many years of considerable service to the University of Calgary through teaching, research and engagement, Dr. Grant Innes has been honoured with Emeritus status! Effective July 1, 2023, Dr. Grant Innes is now Professor Emeritus of Emergency Medicine, Family Medicine and Community Health Sciences.

KUDOS CORNER!

Congrats to Aaron Johnston on his paper on Family medicine teaching strategy for managing patients with comorbidity!

<https://www.cfp.ca/content/69/7/507>

ED Gala Oct 19, 2023

The ED Gala has been confirmed for **Oct 19th** after a long three year hiatus and **tickets are now on sale!** This year's event will return to the **Fairmont Palliser downtown**. It's time to ditch the scrubs and pull out those suits/tuxes and fine gala dresses to wine, dine and dance the night away! Please see the link below for more information:

https://secure.campaigner.com/media/77/776142/July_2023/Emergency_Department_Gala.pdf?id=18by3ty?f_type=file&f_name=Emergency_Department_Gala.pdf

Grand Rounds and Journal Club

NOTE: Grand Rounds will resume Sept 7, 2023 @ 09:00

Job Postings

Applications Welcome - Associate Director (Student Wellness and Advocacy Hub)

The Cumming School of Medicine invites applications (Cumming School of Medicine, only) for the position of Associate Director (Student Wellness and Advocacy Hub - SAWH). The complete terms of reference for the position are in the pdf below:

https://secure.campaigner.com/media/77/776142/July_2023/Associate_Director_SAWH.pdf?id=egjmyb7?f_type=file&f_name=Associate_Director_SAWH.pdf

Research

Understanding Epistaxis Practice Patterns Among Canadian Otolaryngology and Emergency Medicine Practitioners

We invite you to participate in the study titled: **Understanding Epistaxis Practice Patterns Among Canadian Otolaryngology and Emergency Medicine Practitioners.**

More information about the survey can be found in the link below:

https://secure.campaigner.com/media/77/776142/July_2023/Understanding_Epistaxis_Practice_Patterns.pdf?id=6d7rx78?f_type=file&f_name=Understanding_Epistaxis_Practice_Patterns.pdf

Karl Phillips, Trauma Director - Alberta Children's Hospital

Teaching Opportunities

Preceptors for Central Venous Access Workshop October 26, 2023 1-5 PM ATSSL

Recruiting preceptors for the annual CVC workshop for the emerg residents. Please email Patty Lee-Nobbee at patriciazlee@gmail.com if interested. Time will be remunerated at PGME hourly rate.

CME and Learning

Opportunities

University of Alberta's Fellowship in Health System Improvement

Dr. Devidas Menon, a Professor in the UofA School of Public Health emailed advising that the University of Alberta Fellowship in Health System Improvement is accepting applications for this fall's cohort of the program. Candidates should have management or leadership experience, typically at a Director or Executive Director level or above, or equivalent for a physician. The program is an approved academic program for those physicians applying to receive the Canadian Certified Physician Executive (CCPE) credential. This coming program will comprise 5 weekend modules, 3 being in-person in Edmonton and Canmore and 2 via Zoom. In addition to certification by the Canadian Society of Physician Leader, there is also an accelerated route to certification as a Certified Health Executive by the Canadian College of Health Leaders for program graduates. For more information, read the pdf below:

https://secure.campaigner.com/media/77776142/July_2023/FHSI-Brochure-2023.pdf?id=834k8we?f_type=file&f_name=FHSI-Brochure-2023.pdf

CAEP Conference 2024

[Call for Track Chair, Vice Chairs & Learner Leads - CAEP Conference](#)

Deadline to Apply: September 29th Apply Here Be part of #CAEP24!

Furnished rental home in Garrison Woods:

Hi everyone: our last family home/rental property is looking for a new family. If you know anyone interested, please ask them to contact me. As mentioned in the RentFaster ad (below) we would offer a preferred rate to a friend. Thanks! Charles

<https://www.rentfaster.ca/ab/calgary/rentals/townhouse/3-bedrooms/altadore/493786>
