

## PARTNERING WITH SHARED CARE

Each month the Shared Care Committee (SCC) reviews Expressions of Interest (EOIs) and Proposals submitted from communities/Divisions of Family Practice and Specialists interested in engaging in Shared Care work. The following are details of approved 'new and ongoing' partnerships from the meeting.

### NEW OR ONGOING PARTNERSHIPS

#### Approved Expressions of Interest (EOIs)

- **Pathology** – Burnaby Division
- **Access to Liver Care** – East Kootenay Division
- **Autism Support** – Ridge Meadows Division

#### Approved Proposals

- **Coordinating Complex Care, Congestive Heart Failure** – Victoria Division

#### Additional Funds Request Approved Proposals

- **Supportive Cardiology** – Victoria Hospice

## UPDATES

### Engagement and Quality Improvement (EQI) Department Update

- An organizational update was shared on structural changes within the EQI department which were implemented January 1, 2021.
- The reorganization of teams and staffing structures aim to better align the work of EQI to improve efficiencies and streamline the interface for physicians.
- Some staff members supporting SCC will be aligned with those supporting the Specialist Services Committee (SSC) as part of the new Quality Impact team lead by Director Adrian Leung.
- Margaret English has stepped into the role of Director, JCC Alignment, to focus on the collaboration and strategic alignment of the JCCs.

- The structure of the JCCs is unaffected, and implementation of JCCs work plans will continue.
- The committee thanked Margaret English for her commitment and impactful contribution to the Shared Care Committee, and wished her well in her new role as Director, JCC Alignment.
- Additional changes to SCC membership include:
  - i) Dr Kathy Lee's term as an SSC member has ended, and an alternative SSC representative will be introduced at the February SCC meeting.
  - ii) Kylie McMullan, Senior Communications Manager at Doctors of BC is temporarily replacing Christine Tam who will be on maternity leave until March 2022.

## SCC SPREAD INITIATIVES & PLANNING

### CBT Skills Implementation Plan

- A proposed phase two of a CBT skills implementation plan was presented and approved for implementation.
- The plan focuses on the spread of successful clinical practice changes at the provincial level, and includes sustainability, partner engagement, physician leadership, achievement of SCC goals and objectives, to support the successful scaling of outcomes.
- CBT plans also focus on spread of physician education, and partnership with UBC-CPD to deliver a virtual group training program.

### Patient Summaries Implementation Plan

- The proposed phase two patient summaries implementation plan was presented and approved for implementation.
- Patient summaries are created in physician Electronic Medical Records (EMRs) and shared with hospital health authorities (HAs) and facilities to ensure relevant patient information is shared from community to acute settings for improved care.
- The implementation plan offers collaboration and partnership with PHSA and Clinical Data Exchange (CDX) where work is currently underway to support the electronic transfer of information.

### FOCUS OF SHARED CARE COMMITTEE

Developing innovative approaches to improving collaboration between GPs, GPs with focused Practice, and specialist physicians, and spreading success through Spread Networks and other strategies.