

CHWN News

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CHWN co-leads...
Federal Funding to Transform Primary Care Training in Canada

The Team Primary Care initiative will transform the training of current and future generations of primary care practitioners, enhancing their ability to work in interprofessional teams



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Highlight

The Honourable Jean-Yves Duclos, (former) Minister of health , announced a federal investment of \$45.3 million in funding from Employment and Social Development Canada to the Team Primary Care initiatives co-lead by the College of Family Physicians of Canada and the Canadian Health Workforce Network.

[Click here to find out more.](#)





ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW CO-LEAD ALERT!



Kwame McKenzie

New co-lead for Mental Health and Substance Use Health

As a leader, policy advisor, administrator, clinician, educator and academic with over 260 peer reviewed papers & 6 books, Kwame has worked across a broad spectrum to improve mental health, population health and health services for three decades. Kwame is please to join Mary Bartram as this sector co-lead.

SAVE THE DATE!



December 7-8, 2023

International Health Workforce Collaborative

Hybrid online and in-person,
University of Ottawa, Canada
Hosted by the

Canadian Health Workforce Network

[Click here for more information](#)





Health Workforce Studies Microprogram

Congratulations to the new graduates of the Microprogram!



Talia Bitonti (April, 2023)

Registered Nurse - Ottawa Hospital Intensive
Care Unit; Master of Science in Nursing -
University of Ottawa



Mia McDonald (April, 2023)

Nurse Practitioner; Master of Science in Nursing - University of
Ottawa



Diane-Larissa Sodea-Bouko (April, 2023)

Support Worker - School of Nursing; Master of
Science in Interdisciplinary Health Sciences -
University of Ottawa

Update:

A revised version of an Introduction to Health Workforce Studies is available this fall 2023 taught by Ivy Bourgeault and Stephanie Aboueid (in French).

Introduction to Health Occupations in Canada will be offered in the winter term.

Both courses are available to all Ontario graduate students through uOttawa Faculty of Social Science and community members through the Professional Development Institute of the University of Ottawa

FSS 5151 - Introduction to Health Occupations in Canada

FSS 5152 - Introduction to Health Workforce Studies: Planning, Policy & Management



CHWN Webinars

Latest Webinar

September 7, 2023

Health Workforce Approaches in the United States

Lessons Learned from the Health
Resources and Services Administration
and its Centers of Health Workforce

Watch Here

Upcoming Webinar with TPC

September 27, 2023

Embedding Psychological Health & Safety into Training and the Workplace

These webinars will enable a deeper dive into key topics
supporting the advancement of team based comprehensive
care complementing the Collaborative and Optimization Tables.

Register Here





CIHR Funding Call:

Strengthening the Health Workforce for System Transformation

Reminder: CHWN is pleased to partner as the knowledge mobilisation hub on proposals responding to the CIHR Institute for Health Services and Policy Research funding opportunity: Strengthening the Health Workforce for System Transformation.

October 5th – registration deadline

November 9th – submission deadline

CHWN is also pleased to provide projects with letters of support

CHWN Dialogues

Over 400 attendees!

This past June, 2023 CHWN held two research dialogues to lend support to researchers submitting proposals to the CIHR IHSPR funding call. Stay tuned for a summary report to be coming out soon on our resources page of the CHWN website!

CHWN Library Updates

Reminder: CHWN is updating its library of Canadian health workforce literature on an ongoing basis – please check out the new additions! Are we missing your articles, reports or other sources? Please pass them along to info@hhr-rhs.ca



Explore our research

By Themes

Equity, Diversity & Inclusion
Governance & Regulation
Health Workforce Data
Health Workforce Planning
Healthy Work Environments & Retention
Integrated Care Models Optimizing Scope
Mobility, Migration & Integration

By Sectors

Care Across the Life Course
Maternity Care
Mental Health and
Substance Use Health
Primary Health Care

New Publications Alert!



Economic Evidence for Home and Community Care Investment: The Case for Ontario Personal Support Workers' Wage Parity

Co-lead Katherine Zagrodny led the publication that outlines a strategy to mitigate home & community care personal support worker shortage.

Design, delivery and effectiveness of health practitioner regulation systems: an integrative review

Co-lead Kate Leslie led the publication of a scoping review undertaken in partnership with the WHO published in Human Resources for Health.





498 Members



43 Organizational Partners



Image reference

You can be part of it!



Become a member



Join the mailing list

You can join our network by contacting info@hhr-rhs.ca
Membership and Partnership are free!





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