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FREE SYMPOSIUM

Monday MARCH 18, 2019

8:00am – 4:30pm

The Westin Calgary

320 4 Avenue SW | Calgary, AB

Choosing Wisely Alberta Symposium

Beyond Awareness to Implementing Change

Choosing Wisely Alberta and the Physician Learning Program invite you to attend this free symposium to engage in a discussion with clinicians, patients and system leaders about how to prioritize and implement Choosing Wisely recommendations.

Choosing Wisely Alberta is part of a ground-breaking international and national campaign which encourages physicians and patients to engage in a conversation about the appropriateness of tests, investigations and treatments. The goal is to avoid unnecessary and low-value care to decrease the risk of harm to patients.

Choosing Wisely Alberta is a national leader in implementing recommendations through collaborations with primary care and specialty groups.

Choosing Wisely Alberta is expanding its partnership to include the Alberta Medical Association, Alberta Health, Alberta Health Services and the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta.

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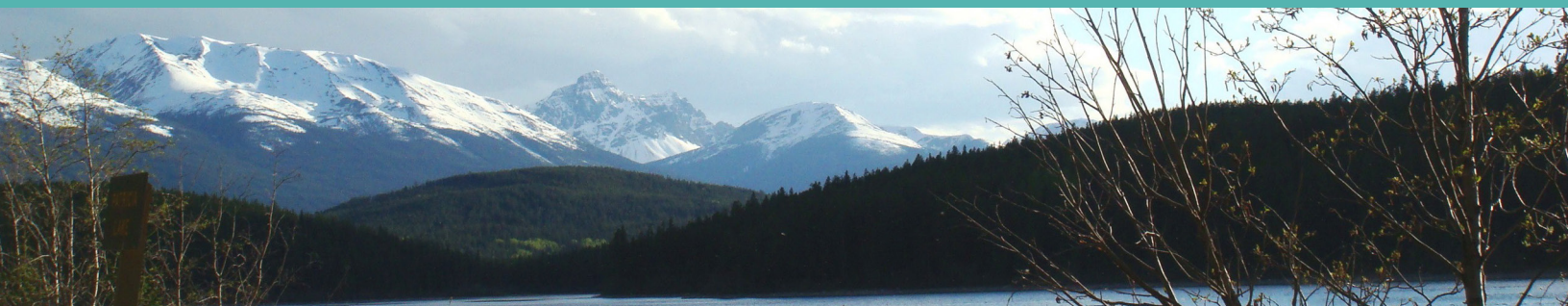
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PROGRAM

PRELIMINARY



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Brian Wong

Brian Wong is a staff physician in the Division of General Internal Medicine and Associate Professor in the Department of Medicine at the University of Toronto. He serves as the Associate Director for the Centre for Quality Improvement and Patient Safety at the University of Toronto. Nationally, he is a Clinician Educator with the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and the Medical Education Lead for Choosing Wisely Canada. His scholarly activities lie at the intersection between medical education, quality improvement and patient safety, and he has been extensively involved in developing curricula to teach patient safety, quality and resource stewardship to health professionals across the learning continuum. He co-chaired the Choosing Wisely working group for the Canadian Society of Internal Medicine and co-led the development of the Students and Trainees Advocating for Resource Stewardship (STARS) student leadership program that advocates for increased resource stewardship content in medical education. STARS has been highly successful and has spread to 7 countries internationally, including the US, the Netherlands and Japan.

SYMPOSIUM OBJECTIVES

At the end of this interactive symposium, learners will be equipped to:

- list Choosing Wisely (CW) related activities and projects taking place in Alberta
- discuss the future direction of Choosing Wisely in Alberta
- recognize how implementation best practices can be used to increase the impact of Choosing Wisely activities

0730-0800	Registration and Breakfast
0800-0815	Opening Remarks and Introductions
0815-0900	KEYNOTE Medical Education and QI in CW Framework – Brian Wong
0900-0915	CWC Future Directions and National Priorities – Wendy Levinson
0915-1000	Abstracts – Oral Presentations
1000-1030	Nutrition Break and Networking
1030-1200	Abstracts – Three Minute Thesis
1200-1300	Lunch and Networking
1300-1400	WORKSHOPS 1-4 (repeat at 1415) 1 Enhancing the Effectiveness of Audit and Feedback – Shawn Dowling 2 Using Human-Centred Design to Enhance Implementation – Denise Campbell-Scherer, Guillermina Noël 3 How to Scale and Spread Your QI Project – Donald A Dick 4 Common Pitfalls in QI Projects – Speaker TBD
1400-1415	Nutrition Break
1415-1515	WORKSHOPS 1-4 (repeat from 1300)
1515-1530	Nutrition Break
1530-1630	CWA 2.0 – Operationalizing and Setting Priorities – Donald A Dick, Scott McLeod, Lyle Mittelsteadt
1630	Adjournment

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