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OLTCC MEDICAL DIRECTOR COURSE - 2018



April 27, 28, 29, 2018

Novotel Toronto North York Hotel
3 Park Home Avenue, Toronto, Ontario

Register Early!—Space is Limited

[Click Here to Download Registration Brochure](#)

New for our fourth year: the previous 6 day course - given over two weekends - has been reorganized into one three day weekend and a pre-conference day in quality improvement.

If you have completed only part of the course, please contact the office about making up the remainder of the curriculum.

The OLTCC Medical Director Curriculum covers all the non-clinical background necessary for a Medical Director to function effectively in their legislated role. It is designed for both experienced Medical Directors in Long Term Care, and for physicians who may take on the Medical Director role in the future. There is an on-line component delivered prior to the April weekend.

Topics covered in the curriculum:

1. Overview of LTC, the Regulatory Environment (Ontario Specific), Compliance and Inspections
2. Medical Director Role and Medical Staff oversight
3. Residents Rights, Capacity and Consent
4. Documentation and Medical Information Management
5. RAI-MDS, Performance Indicators
6. Safety and Risk Management
7. Program Management

8. Ethics

9. Working in Teams

10. Resident and Family Centred Care

LTC Clinicians' Quality Improvement (IDEAS)

Registration available with the release of the October

2018 Conference Program in the Spring of 2018

October 19, 2018 (First day of the OLTC Annual Conference)

This Workshop is an adaptation specifically for LTC clinicians of the IDEAS Provincial Quality Improvement Training.

PLEASE NOTE: The Medical Director Curriculum and the QI (IDEAS) Workshop may be taken individually in no mandatory order. While it is recommended, it is not required to complete both. You will receive a separate certificate of completion for each one you take.

OLTC ADVOCACY 2018

Link to the Advocacy Report on the OLTC website

The OLTC has developed seven issues for long term care physicians to promote with current politicians and candidates in the upcoming provincial election. They also are the basis for the OLTC's response to the government's recent paper, *Aging with Confidence: Ontario's Action Plan for Seniors*. Our members should be encouraged to advocate for our Vision and LTC physicians. Some individuals may wish to concentrate on a couple of key points.

Please visit the website for the report and 7 key points - click on the link above

LONG TERM CARE INQUIRY

OLTC is included in the seventeen groups or entities permitted participation (standing) in the enquiry. Further information can be obtained from the Inquiry's web site: <http://longtermcareinquiry.ca>. Other organizations representing doctors, nurses, registered practical nurses and other clinicians who work in nursing homes will also be allowed to participate fully. "Although these organizations were not directly involved with Elizabeth Wettlaufer or the events in question, each offers a unique, representative perspective," [Justice Eileen] Gillette wrote. "Each has played, and continues to play, an active role in shaping the policies, procedures and practices." Our organization offer the following to the inquiry:

1. Explain the role of the physician and medical director in LTC homes
2. Provide the physician's perspective on staffing and supervision in LTC.
3. Address issues of nurse-physician communication and documentation
4. Give opinion on how resident safety can be improved.

The Board and membership will be requested to expand on these four statements. The Inquiry begins in June.

MEMBER NEWS

Do you have News you would like to share with other OLTC members? If you do, send the news to <mailto:office@oltc.ca> Each month a "News Report" will be issued, so here is your chance to share information or noteworthy information with others!

START A CONVERSATION!

As a Member you have access to the



Members Only section of the OLTC website. Here you will find documents and information not available to others and there is also a Chat service where you can start a conversation and get other members involved! Can't remember your login for the members only section or Chat Service?

Let us know by contacting the office.

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OLTCC WEBSITE NEW ADDITION!

 UPCOMING EVENTS

Check out our newest addition to the website
- **UPCOMING EVENTS!**

Here you will find a listing of upcoming events and meetings in the industry and OLTC. If you know of an interesting event related to the industry, email the office at *office@oltcc.ca* and let us know!

Upcoming Events on OLTC Website

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