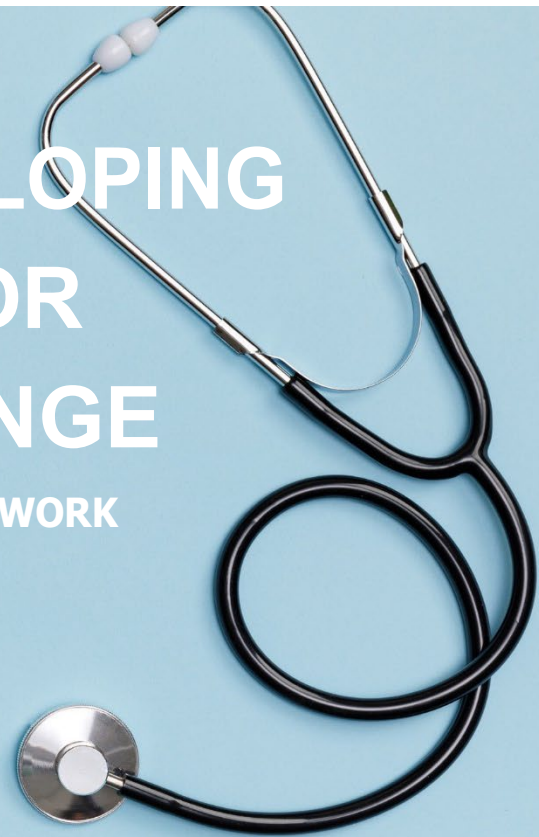


SUPPORTING AND DEVELOPING PHYSICIAN LEADERS FOR ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGE

THE PROVINCIAL AMA PHYSICIAN CHAMPION NETWORK



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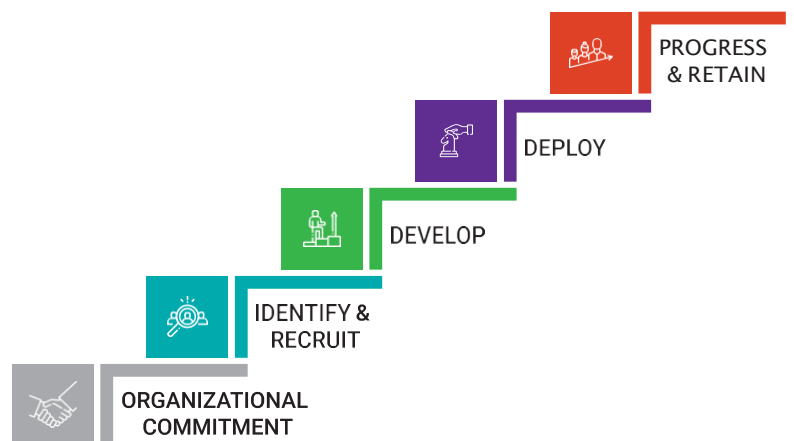
The future vision for primary care in Alberta includes the development and transformation to the Patient's Medical Home model. The success in transforming to this model is dependant on several factors including the identification, recruitment, development and deployment of physician champions.



PURPOSE

A physician champion is a change leader who serves as a relatable and trusted source of evidence for how changes have improved their own practice. Champions are influential and persuasive in engaging peers with new ideas and are essential for the spread and scale of improvements.

AMA CHANGE AGENT BLUEPRINT



The AMA has developed supports for PCNs to facilitate the development of change agents (physician champions and practice facilitators) through each phase of the blueprint.

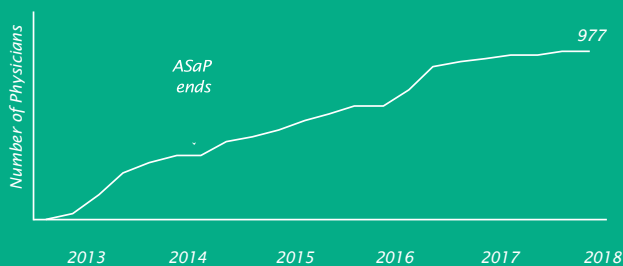
2022-2023 SCHEDULE

Date	Topic
Sept 21st	Team Building: Practical Tips for Engaging your team
Nov 2nd	Some is Not a Number; Soon is Not a Time: Practical Measurement in the PMH
Jan 11th	'STAC'ing Up for Quality Improvement
Feb 22nd	Innovate to Orchestrate: How Family Practice can Transform the System
Apr 5th	Panels, Encounters & Consults, Oh My!: CII/CPAR Practice Tips
May 17th	Dr. No: Holding Firm (but Friendly) Boundaries as a Physician and Leader
Jun 28th	Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Primary Care Governance, and More!
Sept 13th	Mastering the Art of *Effective* Feedback
Oct 25	When Demand is High and Supply is Low: Options for Providing Timely Access in a Challenging Climate
Dec 6	Calming the Waters: Techniques to De-escalate Conflict

Physician champions support primary care transformation and PCN operations by:

- Sharing their knowledge and expertise
- Building capacity in others for improvement work
- Leading changes like improving; screening rates, care for complex patients, clinic access and efficiency, panel and continuity, and effective transitions of care.

Physician Champions have been shown to be a key driver for peer-engagement and ongoing participation in past Alberta initiatives such as ASaP where successful sustainment and spread was largely driven through engaged physician champions and leaders.



The Provincial AMA Physician Champion Network:

- Following the AMA Change Agent Blueprint, the network aims to foster the development of the next cohort of PCN physician leaders to drive Patient's Medical Home (PMH) Implementation
- 60 min interactive sessions with physician peers
- Physicians can join all or some session based on interest
- Topics include PMH implementation and leadership development based on the Canadian College of Health Leaders LEADS framework, lead by a certified executive coach
- Includes zonal breakouts to collaborate and network with local physician peers



GET INVOLVED

Interested physicians can [register here](#) to sign-up for the provincial champion network.

For more information about how the network can benefit you and your practice, please contact Networks@albertadoctors.org.

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