



**A Message from your Primary Care Network, Dr. James Ying**

**Have you registered yet for the 5th Annual Primary Care Clinic Day, hosted by your Primary Care Network & the Mississauga Halton LHIN?**

Date: Wednesday, February 28 from 7:30am to 3pm

This year's conference boasts an exciting lineup of topics and speakers:



- Advanced care planning and health care consent: Getting it right. Why it matters.
- Physician wellness
- #Top5AppsForPrimaryCare
- Making it easy to use technology in your practice
- If you're only going to read five journal articles, it should be these
- Managing patients with complex conditions in the community
- Mindfulness: More than meets the mind

*Limited space available!!!*

Plan to attend this **free**, one-day conference and walk away with concrete, practical tools you can implement into your practice the very next day.

**For more information, and to register, visit: [www.pccd2018tickets.eventbrite.ca](http://www.pccd2018tickets.eventbrite.ca). Only a handful of spots left - be sure to claim your spot no later than February 7.**

**\*\*\*This Group Learning program has been certified by the College of Family Physicians of Canada and the Ontario Chapter for up to 4.5 Mainpro+ credits.**

**What's Happening in Primary Care?**

As part of Ontario's Patients First Act, the province aims to provide better health care through:

1. the creation of care communities to better understand local needs
2. greater collaboration both within the primary care sector, and across the whole care continuum
3. interprofessional primary care team expansion, where necessary

The Mississauga Halton LHIN's Sub-Region Clinical Leads have been connecting with colleagues in their respective areas over the past few months garnering feedback to bring back to the provincial planning tables. The feedback is being used to inform planning of new interprofessional health care hubs and build the optimal model of primary care delivery in Ontario.

Funding announcements have not yet been made by the Ministry, but once they are made, your Primary Care Advisor and Sub-Region Clinical Leads will be sharing this information with you. In the meantime, get involved by providing input and feedback by contacting your [PCN core member](#).

To learn more about interprofessional primary care team expansion, please contact Carie Gall at 905-337-7131 x 230.

**Upcoming Events**

February 7  
On the Road with OntarioMD

February 22  
Medical Psychiatry Collaborative Care Certificate (MP3C module)

For more information & event listings, visit: [www.primarycarenetwork-mh.ca/calendar](http://www.primarycarenetwork-mh.ca/calendar)

**Meet your PCN Core Member**

Have any questions or comments? Is there something you want to hear about at the next spoke event?



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