



**A Message from your Primary Care Network Core Member, Dr. Carolyn Malec**

I am very excited to be working towards creating a new project for new family doctors to Milton, similar to a "Welcome Wagon". I hope to include some valuable resources for new family doctors including: important billing tips in Ontario, local resources, links to valuable online resources like docSEARCH, eConsult, the PCN website etc. If you have any other ideas of items that YOU may have wished you had before starting practice, please email me at [carmalec@gmail.com](mailto:carmalec@gmail.com). Furthermore, if you are interested in being a mentor to new family physicians, kindly contact Dr. Kristianna Martiniuk at [klcmartiniuk@gmail.com](mailto:klcmartiniuk@gmail.com).

**Primary Care Network May Meeting Recap**

*Primary Care Advisors: Your trusted health system guide*



This month, we were joined by our team of Primary Care Advisors (PCAs). The PCAs, a team unique to our LHIN, meet one-on-one with primary care physicians to share valuable resources and information and assist with system navigation. The PCAs have recently started distributing a new cycle of information and your PCA, Kristen, would be happy to meet with you. If you'd like to meet with Kristen, please contact her at [kristen.raiskums@mh.ccac-ont.ca](mailto:kristen.raiskums@mh.ccac-ont.ca).

*Halton Healthcare Staff Categories*

As you may recall, last month we shared with you the PCN's goals for the year, one of which focused on connecting primary care providers with the Hospital. The Department of Family Medicine at Halton Healthcare offers affiliate level privileges for \$40 per year. This entitles you to: upcoming CME opportunities, updates on new outpatient services, information on new specialists and networking opportunities. For more information on other Halton Healthcare staff categories, or to inquire about applying for hospital privileges, please contact Paula Wallace at [pwallace@haltonhealthcare.com](mailto:pwallace@haltonhealthcare.com).

**Meet your Core Member**

Send me an email if you have any questions or just want to chat! I would be happy to connect.

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**Upcoming Events**

Halton Healthcare Tuesday CME Sessions (OTMH Site)  
May 30 @ 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
Keynote Speaker: Dr. J. Alberto Neder (PHYSIOLOGY OF COPD - CHF: Implications for Diagnosis and Treatment)

Halton Healthcare Family Medicine CME  
June 1 (OTMH Site, John Oliver Auditorium, Main Floor, NOH)  
CME: 8:30 am - 9:30 am  
Key note speaker: Dr. Aliya Khan "Osteoporosis Management - State of the Art in 2017" (For family doctors who do not have a parking pass, complimentary parking is provided for these meetings) Followed by the Department of Family Medicine Business Meeting - 9:30 am -10am

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

