



## What's happening in primary care?

1. **Primary Care Clinic Day 2019** – We are exploring a different format this year and we need your help in shaping the agenda for this one-day conference so that it meets your needs and interests. Please [click here](#) to complete our two-minute topic survey.
2. **Mississauga Halton LHIN Primary Care Advisors (PCA)** – Your PCAs, Kristen Raiskums and Jennifer Tran, bring you information on new community resources that are available for your patients (many of which are free), upcoming CMEs, so you can earn Mainpro+ credits, and changes to current referral processes. This cycle, Kristen and Jennifer will be sharing information on:
  1. **MSK Central Intake:** Learn about the new process to make a referral for hip and knee arthritis and low back pain
  2. **Assess and Restore:** Get informed about rehabilitative programming available for frail seniors to restore recent functional loss
  3. **eVisit:** Sign up for secure online visits with your patients for non-emergency health requests through secure messaging, secure audio and secure video calls
  4. **Centre for Effective Practice:** Earn MainPro+ credits by participating in academic detailing on Opioids & Alternatives for Chronic Non-Cancer Pain in the convenience of your office
  5. **MICC Needs Assessment Survey:** Have your voice heard! Contribute to the planning of team-based care delivery with a focus on clinical and social determinants of health by [completing an online survey](#).

If you would like more information or to set up an appointment with either Jennifer or Kristen, please contact Jennifer or [Kristen Raiskums](#).

### 3. Current opportunities

- **Palliative Care Network Caregiver Voice Working Group** – Seeking individuals to provide recommendations to the Mississauga Halton Palliative Care Network that will help to inform a coordinated and collaborative approach to care in the region that will lead to a better patient and family experience. [Click here](#) to express your interest in joining.
- **The Primary Care Network** is recruiting representatives from North West Mississauga (1), East Mississauga (2) and South West Mississauga (1). In addition, we have a new leadership opportunity to fill our Co-Chair vacancy. If you are interested in applying, or know of a colleague who would be a great fit, please fill out this [expression of interest form](#). To view our membership, [click here](#).
- **Mississauga Integrated Care Centre (MICC) Primary Care Focus Group** – You are invited to participate in this session to support the MICC's design and implementation.
  - When: Wed., October 17; 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. or Tues., October 23; 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.
  - Where: 2655 North Sheridan Way; Suite 140, Rooms 1 & 2, Mississauga, ON
  - Register: I'd like to [attend October 17](#) | I'd like to [attend October 23](#)

4. **Connect with the PCN** – The Primary Care Network is a resource that helps keep you connected, informed and most importantly, empowered as a leader in our health care system. To connect with the PCN, please contact [info@primarycarenetwork-mh.ca](mailto:info@primarycarenetwork-mh.ca).

## Upcoming Events

Oct. 2

[iMPAct Conference 2018](#)

Oct. 17

[Maximize Your Health Training](#)

Oct 19

[14th Annual Everyday Gynaecology](#)

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

## Pulse on

**Primary Care**  
Mississauga Halton LHIN offers Total Contact Casting (TCC) at **no cost** for your diabetic foot ulcer patients. [Click here](#) to learn how to refer your patients.

