



The College of
Physicians and Surgeons
of Newfoundland and Labrador

Physician Peer Review (PPR-NL) Pilot Project – Assessor Recruitment Call

Notice to College Members

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Background

As part of its mandate to regulate the practice of medicine in the public interest, the College administers a program of physician peer assessment. As we have been communicating, the College has withdrawn from the Atlantic Provinces Medical Peer Review program (APMPR) and is in the process of developing its own physician peer review program, known as *Physician Peer Review Newfoundland and Labrador (PPR-NL)*.

PPR-NL Pilot Project

PPR-NL will be piloted by a small group of family physicians beginning in January 2020, extending through April/May 2020. The pilot will consist of an orientation session for participants followed by a coordinated testing of the program's tools and workflows. Feedback obtained from the pilot will help ensure that new tools and processes work as intended prior to broader deployment.

Expressions of Interest

At this time, the College is seeking family physicians to volunteer to (1) participate in the PPR-NL pilot and (2) act on behalf of the College as peer reviewers for the PPR-NL program when launched.

To volunteer or to obtain additional information regarding this opportunity, please contact Brian Bennett, Director of Quality, by email at bbennett@cpsnl.ca or by telephone at (709) 726-8546.

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