

June 2024



IHealth Updates

- CPOE is live at Royal Jubilee Hospital (RJH). Supports remain in place to facilitate medical staff 24/7. If you need help, or have a question, please reach out to support staff on your unit; use the “Band-Aid” tool at the top of your Island Health screen; or call IHealth Central Support at [1-855-755-7001](tel:1-855-755-7001) (or 28555).
- RJH *Daily Key Messages* can be accessed on the Medical Staff Website. [CLICK HERE](#) for practice reminders and CPOE-related tips.
- We have posted this week’s progress report in full to the Medical Staff Website—[CLICK HERE](#) to read the latest from the IHealth team at RJH.

Hours Reporting

What

IMIT is aware of a non-delivery issue affecting some medical staff who are submitting hours reporting documents to Physician_Comp@islandhealth.ca

Why

IMIT implements robust firewall and spam filter rules. Non-delivery can occur when employees send emails *to* an Island Health email address *from* an external email provider, like Gmail or Yahoo.

Solutions

- Please use your Island Health email address to send emails and attachments to Physician_Comp@islandhealth.ca
- You will always receive an auto response from Physician_Comp@islandhealth.ca acknowledging receipt of your email. If you do not receive an auto response, the Compensation team did not receive your email
- If you suspect an on-going issue with email delivery to Physician_Comp@islandhealth.ca, you can reach out to Colleen Frame, Financial Assistant, on [250-755-7691](tel:250-755-7691) (x52283) to follow up

Nominations for this year's BC Quality Awards close on June 30th. Presented annually by Health Quality BC, the awards celebrate the people and projects that are improving the quality of care in our province. Submit your nominations [HERE](#). And yes, you CAN nominate yourself and your own team.



Research Grants, Agreements, and Financial Management

Medical staff who plan to submit research grants or engage in research projects must contact the [Research](#) department to ensure Island Health policies are followed. All staff are required to complete a [Notice of Intent](#) prior to submitting a research grant application. This helps us connect you with the right people and departments, develop your budget, and request letters of support on your behalf. All agreements and special purpose funds (SPFs) are administered by Research.

Research is grateful for your cooperation and is keen to support you in establishing the best process for your research agreements and funding. For more information, please reach out to [Dawn Waterhouse](#), Research Business Manager.

Welcome NEW Medical Leaders



Dr. Harold Hunt

Medical Director,
Quality/Accreditation,
and Clinical
Governance



Dr. Ali Yakhshi Tafti

Medical Director,
Patient Safety, Patient
Care Quality Office, and
Risk



Dr. Anna Kalenchuk

Part-time Medical Lead,
Adolescent Psychiatry
VGH

Also welcoming...

Dr. Kelly Cox

Site Medical Director, NRGH

Dr. Laura MacKinnon

Part-time Medical Lead, Addiction Medicine, Cowichan Valley

Dr. Anne Ridler

Medical Lead, Medical Imaging CDH



Call Out for New Medical Leadership Role

Medical Director, Postgraduate Medical Education

We are pleased to announce that we are looking for a Medical Director, Postgraduate Medical Education to ensure the quality of training experience at Island Health's respective sites. This new position will report to the Executive Medical Director, Medical & Academic Affairs and work closely with the Director of Partnerships & Communication. For more information about this exciting 0.2FTE position, [CLICK HERE](#).

Position Available for New PQI Physician Faculty Member 2024/2025

Island Health's Physician Quality Improvement (PQI) team is looking for a physician to support the 2024/2025 Cohort 9 program. If you are interested, please submit a CV and a short description of your suitability (max. 200 words) to pqi@islandhealth.ca by 9am on July 19th, 2024.



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