

# PHYSICIAN QUALITY IMPROVEMENT (PQI) COHORT 7 (2022-23)

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Name	Specialty	Community	Aim Statements
Nicole Baur	Rheumatology	Nanaimo	To increase referrals for osteoporosis management by 50%, for female patients over 65 years old, presenting at Nanaimo Regional General Hospital (NRGH) Cast Clinic with a recent fragility fracture by June 2023
Ava Butler	Emergency Medicine	Duncan	To decrease time to obtain equipment needed for difficult airway management by Nurses, Respiratory Therapists, and Physicians in the Cowichan Emergency Department to less than 90 seconds by May 2023
Kelly Cox	Pediatrics	Nanaimo	To increase percent of individuals at NRGH offered immediate skin-to-skin as defined by the Baby-Friendly Initiative (BFI) global standard at Caesarean section in a low risk delivery by 50% by June 2023
Savannah Forrester	Emergency Medicine	Victoria	To increase completion rate of Confusion Assessment Method assessments documented by nursing staff in the Emergency Department at Victoria General Hospital for patients over the age of 65 to 75% by May 2023
Oona Hayes	Family Practice	Victoria	To increase documented opioid benefit discussions with patients from 0% to 75% for Long Term Opioid Treatment High Complexity Care Team patients by August 2023
Phillippa Houghton	Family Practice	Comox	To improve patient satisfaction with a Virtual Postpartum Preparedness group medical visit series by June 2023
Abhinav Joshi	FP/ Addictions Medicine	Victoria	To increase to 90% the percent of smokers discharged from Victoria Medical Detox who receive comprehensive smoking cessation advice during their stay by June 2023
Jennifer Kask	FP/ Maternity	Campbell River	To increase the identification of individuals with pregnancy related Cardiovascular Diseases risk factors at the Campbell River Maternity Clinic to 100% at discharge from care by June 2023
Kelsey Kozoriz	Family Practice	Duncan	To increase to 100% the number of health care referrals to the Island Health Outpatient COVID Therapeutics Clinic that are confirmed to the referring clinician within 24 hours of receipt, by March 1, 2023
Nimrod Levy	Orthopedic surgeon	Duncan	To increase by 50% the number of Cowichan Valley Orthopaedics patients that are available to fill short notice Cowichan District Hospital operating room cancellations by June 2023
Alyson Osborne	Geriatric Medicine	Victoria	To reduce length of stay in the Royal Jubilee Hospital Emergency Department (ED) for patients admitted to hospital who are referred to the Geriatric Evaluation and Management team from the ED by 30% by May 2023
Zoe Pullan	Family Practice	Duncan	To increase Primary Care Provider satisfaction and Joy in Work for Ingram Family Physicians working at Cowichan District Hospital by 50% by June 2023
Mark Sanders	Family Practice		
Jane Ryan	Psychiatry	Victoria	To increase occupational resiliency in the Nurturing Connections team by 25% using composite team scores on the Mini Z 2.0 Burnout survey overall score by June 2023
Bennet Schwartzenruber	Internal Medicine	Victoria	To increase the number of patients seen in the Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) clinic at Royal Jubilee Hospital by 25% by June 2023
Sylvia Tellier	Family Practice	Victoria	To increase documentation and identification of 6 key social determinants of health ICD-9 codes within our existing patient panels at the Westshore Community Health Centre by 25% by the October 2023
Tania Wall	Family Practice		
Tim Troughton	Family Practice	Victoria	To increase percent of Dr. Troughton's patients who contact Cook St Medical Clinic with an urgent clinical request and receive a response by the team within 24 hours to 100% by June 2023
Christian Turner	Critical Care	Victoria	To reduce Metered Dose Inhaler (MDI) administration in Royal Jubilee Hospital Emergency Department by 25%, as measured by pharmacy dispensations per total patient seen each week, within 8 months
Kristy Williams	Family Practice	Nanaimo	To increase the number of unattached clients with a documented relevant problem list, and "what matters to me" discussion, documented on Cerner at a supportive housing site supported by the PCO team, by May 31, 2023 to 50%