Alberta Health Services

# AHS MD NEWS DIGEST

June 27, 2023

# **Provincial News**

Minister of Health sworn in June 9, 2023

Dr. John Cowell will continue his work to reform Alberta Health Services and improve patient care in Alberta as official administrator of AHS.

- Government of Alberta

2023 Patient Experience Award recipients support Albertans through different life stages and health challenges - Health Quality Council of Alberta, June 27, 2023

<u>CPSA, AHS & AMA launch micro-aggression training for physicians & Micro-aggression training for physicians launches - A step toward anti-racism and anti-discrimination</u>

<u>Alberta Medical Association - Handle with Care</u> <u>How will we fix what's ailing our health care system?</u>

<u>Contact with the new government - AMA President's Letter</u> June 13, 2023

Join the AMA Committee on Achievement Awards Access to link is for AMA members only.

<u>Federation of Medical Women of Canada</u> 2023 Educational conference and AGM September 23 & 24, Calgary, AB

## **National and International News**

<u>CMA announces the beginning of an apology process for harms to Indigenous</u> <u>Peoples in health care, part of its commitment to walking the path to</u> <u>reconciliation</u> <u>Countries set out way forward for continued negotiations on global agreement on</u> <u>pandemic prevention, preparedness, and response</u>

Health Canada Announces the End of Cosmetic Animal Testing in Canada

CMA makes strides on vital investment portfolio climate targets

CMA: Commentary: The (in)accessibility of the health care system

CMA Health Summit August 17-18, 2023

WONCA Global Family Doctor

New report examines new drugs in the pipeline that may significantly impact future drug spending in Canada

Legislation to further protect the health of firefighters receives Royal Assent

### **Alberta Health Services**

#### CMO Update June 16, 2023

This Issue: Micro-aggression training for physicians; Continuous masking update; Career Opportunities; Resources and Supports for Physicians; News from the AHS Update and more.

MD Culture Shift June, 2023

Focus group participants sought for cancer study

New family physician now practising in Athabasca

New family physician now practising in Barrhead

Public asked to use Wainwright Health Centre Emergency Department for emergencies only

AHS improves access to Indigenous spiritual ceremonies

AHS now offering translation services in many Indigenous languages

AHS Facilities: Temporary Service Disruptions & ICU Updates

Estimated Emergency Department Wait Times

Together4Health

Wainwright community rallies for CT scanner

Outpatient services & community programs resume in Edson

'Walk a mile' in a volunteer's shoes

Screening for colorectal cancer has never been easier

Learn how to support others during and after disaster

Indigenous 'healing gardens' to sprout across South Zone

<u>COVID-19 Information for Albertans - AHS</u> <u>Effective June 30: All public health orders are lifted.</u>

& more information - Government of Alberta

Wildfire Resources - Information for Albertans

Health Advisories

News & Events, Medical Staff, AHS

Doctor Jobs - Alberta

Laboratory Bulletins - Healthcare providers

Patient Concerns & Feedback

Medical Staff resources and news

# Alberta Health Services (AHS) - For authorized AHS users only

<u>Message from AHS President & CEO Mauro Chies</u> <u>Accommodating Indigenous Spiritual Ceremony at all AHS sites</u> - June 21, 2023

<u>Message from CEO Mauro Chies AHS Update: June 16, 2023</u> Wildfire response ongoing, continuous masking directive ends Monday, celebrate Pride and National Indigenous Peoples Month

<u>Message from AHS President & CEO Mauro Chies</u> <u>Continuous masking update</u> - June 15, 2023 Interchange - June 22, 2023

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Connect Care gives 'voice' to brain-injury patients

Community comes together to raise tipi after wildfire

Past Inside Stories

Awards and Recognition Wall

Healthy Chef Cooking Contest - Winners announced

<u>Staying Hydrated</u> Monthly wellness theme for June

Work Safe Blog: Let's build a better society

# **Clinical, Research and Education News**

U of A Indigenous researchers lead process to create new guidelines for including Indigenous people in Canadian clinical trials

AI researchers harness data to drive health-care innovation

Two recently named Canada CIFAR AI Chairs are honing AI models and systems to benefit everything from delivery of care to patient outcomes and quality of life.

<u>International research panel updates consensus on treating concussion in sport</u> UCalgary faculty, staff and trainees play major role in international recommendations for concussion management

<u>Combining cancer-targeting virus therapy with radiation to fight brain cancer</u> works better than either treatment on its own: study

<u>The last word on sepsis: IV fluids help ... except when they don't</u> Leading researchers write treatment advice for doctors worldwide, plan to lead clinical trials at U of A and ultimately develop a new test to better predict outcomes.

Cardiac Neuromuscular Clinic fills care gap

Research study 'feels like hope' for Calgary family

UCalgary researchers use new approach in precision medicine to screen antiseizure drugs for child Friendship that spanned a lifetime leads to multimillion-dollar legacy gift to Hotchkiss Brain Institute

<u>UCalgary medical undergrads put locks on the line for childhood cancer</u> Class of 2025 raises more than \$25K in support of Kids Cancer Care

Nursing undergrad brings nursing perspective to Indigenous Health Program at Foothills campus

UCalgary research helps young adults with diabetes transition into adult care

<u>New award supports the next big stars in concussion research</u> Accelerating Research in Concussion (ARC) Award supports up-and-coming researchers ready to make the next big discovery.

Calgary Awards honour remarkable community members

Snyder Institute member Dr. Kristina Rinker is one of seven UCalgary award recipients celebrated during the ceremony on June 14

Podcast: Dr. Laura Sycuro speaks to European Medical Journal about the microbiome and how it affects mother and child

Nursing researcher moves cancer survivorship research from slightly stagnant to sustainable

Class of 2023 - U of A Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry

U of A - Indigenous Initiatives

## Family Medicine & Rural Medicine

RhPAP sponsors advanced care course for rural health professionals

Digital Advocacy - College of Family Physicians of Canada;

<u>CanMEDS–Family Medicine</u> <u>Indigenous Health Case Study Compendium</u>

REAL program helps physiotherapist offer patients advanced care close to home

Doctor trades hammer for stethoscope with help from RESIDE program

The Alberta College of Family Physicians

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