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News & updates from the Calgary Zone



EMR survey information

In the next few days, physicians can expect to receive an EMR survey from ThinkHQ.

The intent of this survey, produced on behalf of the Physician Leads Executive, is to better understand the EMR landscape in Alberta and the related challenges and opportunities facing PCN physicians in Alberta.

The questions focus on physicians' experiences and thoughts related to the EMR system they currently use in their practice. The Physicians Leads Executive is hoping the feedback will help them identify opportunities where PCNs can better support you and each other when working with EMRs and EMR vendors.

The consolidated information will also support and inform advocacy efforts and priorities as the Alberta Medical Association works with other stakeholders (Alberta Health, Alberta Health Services, EMR vendors) in improving the digital health system in Alberta.

Reminder: AHS lifts continuous masking requirements

AHS has rescinded its continuous masking requirements at all AHS facilities, including continuing care and contracted sites. [More information.](#)

Quick links

Pain rounds

On Tuesday, July 18, from 5:30–6:45 p.m., the next instalment of the PCN Pain Rounds series focuses on *Compassion in Pain Practice*. [Register.](#)

DynaLIFE patient service centres opened

Two new DynaLIFE patient service centres have opened in Calgary, at 4818 Westwinds Dr. NE and in Thorncliffe (5618 4 Street NW). Appointments can be booked by calling 1-877-702-4486 or via the [Q.Me app](#). For more information, visit dynamylife.ca/locations.

PADIS workshop

On Saturday, November 4, from 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m., a Poison and Drug Information Service (PADIS) conference will be held at the University of Calgary. The one-day clinical toxicology course is for anyone who provides care for poisoned patients. [More information.](#)