

North East LHIN



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New CEO Starts March 1



On January 6, the NE LHIN was most pleased to announce that Louise Paquette, former Director General of FedNor, will join the NE LHIN as the new CEO effective March 1st.

Louise Paquette is an experienced results-oriented executive with demonstrated vision and leadership skills. Over the past 30 years, she has led organizations in transition and earned a reputation as a credible, inclusive and strategic leader among Northern Ontario stakeholders. Her key strengths include highly developed interpersonal skills, innovative and strategic thinker, strong communications, human resource

and financial skills.

The NE LHIN Staff and Board welcome Louise and look forward to her leadership.

Terry Tilleczek will remain Interim CEO until March 31, 2010. Interim Chair Peter Vaudry noted that he and the Board directors are extremely grateful for Terry's leadership for the past six months as Interim CEO. "Terry's dedication to the NE LHIN and that of his entire Senior Management Team over the past six months is most commendable", noted Vaudry.

NE LHIN Board of Director Positions Now Posted

The NE LHIN is currently seeking candidates for their Board of Directors in the following planning areas: Cochrane, Manitoulin North Shore and Sudbury.

Deadline for applications is Friday, January 29, 2010. For more information visit www.pas.gov.on.ca

Cambrian College hosts Bioethics Conference

Ethics and the Allocation of Health Care Resources

Wednesday, February 3, 2010
eDome, 1400 Barrydowne Road
Sudbury, ON P3A 3V8

For more information or to register (by January 20th), please contact Micheline Groulx, micheline.groulx@ne.ccac-ont.ca

Speakers will include representatives from:

- Northern Ontario School of Medicine;
- Thunder Bay Regional Hospital;
- The Canadian Health Services Research Group;
- North East Local Health Integration Network (NE LHIN); and
- Paul Williams, PhD, CIHR Community Care Health Human Resources Team.

Call for Abstracts

Ontario Home Care Association (OHCA) 2010 Symposium

The OHCA is calling for abstracts for its 2010 Symposium – Showcasing Our Best! The symposium will be held on Thursday May 13 at the International Centre in Mississauga. This year's event will highlight excellence and innovation in home care.

All abstracts must be submitted by midnight, January 13th, 2010. For more information please visit: www.homecareontario.ca.

Inter-Professional Shared Care – 500 Nurses Initiative

In October 2009, Wave 1 of the **Inter-Professional Shared Care – 500 Nurses Initiative** (stemming from the 2008 Physician Services Agreement) was implemented.

The Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (MOHLTC) is now launching a second wave of funding for this initiative. Wave 2 funding will be available to all Family Health Group (FHG) and Comprehensive Care Model (CCM) physicians in every LHIN across the province.

Through this initiative, physicians will be asked to focus on one of three key priority areas, which include LHIN-funded initiatives such as the Aging at Home Strategy or End-of-Life-Care.

This second wave of applications must be submitted to the MOHLTC on or before Friday, February 5, 2010 at 5:00 pm. Details regarding the application process are included on the website: <http://www.health.gov.on.ca>.

