Towards Adaptability in General Practice: Defining the Capabilities and Competencies of High-performing Family Physicians- Phase II

We Are Seeking Participants for Focus Groups or Interviews

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Study Purpose: This study aims to identify the competencies and capabilities of high-performing family physicians and explore how learning, teaching, and assessment can be enhanced to improve family physician residency programs in Canada.

Who Is Eligible to Participate in Focus Groups or Interviews?

We will be conducting a 1.5-hour virtual focus group or 1-hour interview in English. Participants include: 1) Family Medicine Educators, 2) Professional Associations (Canadian Medical Protective Association), 3) Regulators (College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario), 4) College (College of Family Physicians of Canada), and 5) practicing family physicians.

Focus Groups/Interviews Procedure: In the focus group or interview, we will present the findings of the online surveys with high-performing early-career family physicians. Then, you will be invited to provide feedback on the findings and suggest strategies to enhance the design, assessment, and evaluation of family physician residency programs in Canada.

Number of Required Participants: 6-8 per each group, in total about 30-40 participants.

Compensation: Participants who leave work commitments (clinical practice) will be compensated with a gift card or cash transfer valued at \$100 for participating in a focus group and \$50 for interviews.

If you are interested in participating or would like more information, please contact Dr. Monica Aggarwal at monica.aggarwal@utoronto.ca