



Two New Physician Members Elected to CPSS Council

SASKATOON, January 22, 2019 – The Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan is announcing the election of **Dr. Yusuf Kasim** of Yorkton to the position of Physician Member, South-East Area, and the election by acclamation of **Dr. Yagan Pillay** of Prince Albert to the position of Physician Member, North-East Area. Both members attended their first Council meeting on January 18, 2019.

Dr. Kasim is a specialist obstetrician and gynecologist who has been working in independent practice in the Yorkton area for nearly four years and has been licensed in Saskatchewan since 2011. “I want to thank my colleagues in the South-East area of Saskatchewan for electing me to the Council of the CPSS. It was an enormous honour and privilege to attend my first Council meeting,” said Dr. Kasim.



*Dr. Yusuf Kasim and Dr. Yagan Pillay
New Physician Members, CPSS Council*

“I am happy to be a member of the Council and hope to make a meaningful contribution during my time on Council,” stated Dr. Pillay, a general surgeon who has been practicing in the Prince Albert area since 2008. Dr. Pillay is also an assistant professor of surgery at the University of Saskatchewan.

“On behalf of Council, I would like to congratulate Dr. Kasim and Dr. Pillay on their election and welcome them to their new role. I am certain that both physicians will work hard to deliver their mandate to protect the public at all times, share their valuable knowledge and serve the profession honorably.”, added Dr. Brian Brownbridge, president of the Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan.

The current list of Council members is available on the College website at www.cps.sk.ca.

Council would like to thank Dr. Edward Tsoi and Dr. James (Jim) Carter for their longtime service as Council members.

Members of the College and the public are reminded that Council meetings are open to the public and are held in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan’s upstairs boardroom at 2174 Airport Drive, Saskatoon, SK.

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