



New Physician Search function to aid in locating Saskatchewan physicians

SASKATOON, June 23rd, 2015 – In an effort to better serve the public of Saskatchewan, physicians, medical and clinic staff, the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan (“the College”) is pleased to announce today the addition of an enhanced Physician Search function to its website.

The newly developed Physician Search function will allow 24/7 access for Web users to search the College database for physicians actively practicing in the province. In addition to the “Last Name” function, users can now search using new criteria such as “First Name”, “City” and “Specialty”. Search results will also provide suggestions of physicians whose name closely resembles the data that was entered in case users are unsure of the spelling of a physician’s name.

"Whether users are looking for contact information, qualifications or other details on physicians, we are confident this new tool will help them find the information they require more quickly and efficiently," said Dr. Karen Shaw, Registrar for the College.

The new search function can be found in the left-hand column of the College’s website at www.cps.sk.ca.

To satisfy multiple requests from the public, the College is also working to add a new “Language” search field to assist patients and medical professionals in finding physicians who are able to communicate in one or more languages other than English.

*The mission of the **College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan** is to serve the public by regulating the practice of medicine and guiding the profession to achieve the highest standards of care. It currently issues licenses to more than 2,500 physicians and surgeons in the province, as well as over 1,500 corporate permits.*

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