CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University
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OUR MISSION
To impact health outcomes through partnerships that advance learning, develop leadership and stimulate innovation in health care professionals, educators and scientists.

OUR VISION
To be an innovative education hub that inspires life-long learning, promotes scholarship and engages health care professionals.

OUR VALUES
- Life-long learning
- Health promotion
- Accountability
- Sustainability
- Quality

OUR STRATEGIC PRIORITIES
- Collaborative Relationships
- Needs-based Programming
- Technology-Enhanced Systems
- Academic Enterprise
- Scholarship & Innovation

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT
CPD develops and presents professional development programs and opportunities to enhance the knowledge and skills of Schulich Medicine & Dentistry faculty located in London, Windsor Campus and Distributed Academies.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS
Each semester CPD provides workshops covering subject matter consistent with identified education needs in areas such as:
- Teaching Foundations
- Mentorship
- Leadership
- Professionalism
- Career Development

CERTIFICATE IN ADVANCED METHODS OF TEACHING (AMT)
AMT participants explore teaching and learning strategies through critical reflection and the evaluation of evidence-based teaching methodologies. The AMT welcomes faculty in medicine, dentistry and basic medical sciences who teach in academic and clinical settings.

FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS
CPD also funds education awards designed to help clinical and basic medical sciences faculty expand and enhance their knowledge, skills and experiences:
- Faculty Development Mini Fellowships
- Instructional Innovation and Development Funds
CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION
CPD develops and provides accredited programs to meet identified medical education needs throughout Southwestern Ontario and across Canada – through small group face-to-face workshops and online modules.

NATIONAL CME PROGRAMS
Nationally accredited CME programs developed in response to interviews, surveys and disseminated research currently include:
- PRISM: Practical Resources for Strategic Management of Neutropenia
- RAISE: Resources in Adult ITP- Strategies and Expertise
- COPD: Beyond Triple Therapy
- Role of Inhaled Therapies in Stable COPD
- Rheumatoid Arthritis and the Changing Canadian Landscape

IDEAS FOUNDATIONS OF QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM
IDEAS provides health care professionals with the knowledge and tools to participate in and contribute to quality improvement projects within or across health care organizations. Customized for Ontario, IDEAS delivers a common language and approach to quality improvement with the explicit goal of improving patient care, experience and outcomes.

UNDERSTANDING BOUNDARIES
This one-and-a-half day CPSO-recognized course is offered in a small group format and facilitated by expert educators. Participants are assisted in identifying potential boundary issues in the doctor-patient relationship and in developing implementable strategies upon return to practice.

ACCREDITATION SERVICES
As an Accredited Provider, CPD approves applications for continuing education credits for upcoming courses that fulfill College and accreditation requirements, including:
- Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC) Maincert Section 1 credits for group learning activities
- Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC) Maincert Section 3 credits for Assessment or Simulation Activities
- College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC) Mainpro+ credits for group learning activities

To apply for CME course credits for your event, please contact cpd.credits@schulich.uwo.ca.

NEEDS ASSESSMENTS
CPD is able to assess educational needs through its Research Ethics Board approved project, and is available to support the assessment of educational needs on a local, regional or national basis in Canada’s two official languages.