



The Long Term Care Medical Directors Association of Canada was established in 2002 and is a not-for-profit association of medical directors in long term care across the country interested in an improved system of care for patients living in residential care.

Vision We will advocate for the improvement in the quality of long term care through the development and integration of the medical director in the management, education, clinical research, and service delivery of comprehensive long term patient care.

Maximize your Director Potential as a Member of the LTCMDAC

Member Benefits

ADVOCACY

The challenges and issues facing Medical Directors today are brought to the forefront in a proactive environment that strives to make a positive difference for all the members. The Association has effectively lobbied provincial governments on the issue of violence in long term care centres and continues to be strong as its membership base increases.

PARTNERSHIPS

The Association is actively engaged with organizations that align with its vision and focus. A strong relationship continues to develop with the American Medical Directors Association to share experiences and learnings in the advancement of new ideas. The Association strategically pursues new partnerships to expand reach and connect with stakeholders and decision-makers.

COMMUNICATIONS USING THE LIST SERVE

Members have access to sending to and receiving emails from other members using the list serve. The list serve enables sharing and discussion of topical information as it relates to medical directors across Canada. Topics range from clinical protocols and guidelines, remuneration, patient capacity, government regulations and the topic is initiated at the will of each member.

IDENTITY—ROLE DESCRIPTION

Have access to the Association's role description document for the medical director. The role of the medical director emerged in the 1970s and has evolved with slight differences depending on the province and region. Given the wide variation in functions and responsibilities and the lack of clarity regarding the role of medical directors in the long term care, the Association embarked on developing the role description.

BE PART OF THE GROWING NETWORK

Established in 2002, the Association has increasing membership each year. Members have an excellent opportunity to be connected with colleagues across the country and stay abreast of current practices and ideas to address the issues and challenges of the day.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Association supports specific training and educational opportunities for medical directors across the country. For more information on program outlines and registration see www.cmda.ca

MEMBER DISCOUNTS

Receive a prorated registration fee for conferences and colloquiums that the Association hosts.

For more information, visit www.cmda.ca