

Expressions of Interest

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ROLE TITLE: Member, Lung/Thoracic Cancers Disease Site Drug Advisory Committee

REPORTS TO: Director, Provincial Drug Reimbursement Programs

LOCATION: Attendance at monthly meetings (via teleconference or in person, in

downtown Toronto)

ANTICIPATED TIME Meetings will be 1 hour in duration. Review of materials and follow-up work

COMMITMENT: between meetings may be required. Additional involvement in working groups

may be required.

TERM 2 year volunteer term, with option to renew

No. of OPPORTUNITIES: Two (2)

POSTING DATE: February 21st, 2019

CLOSING DATE: March 14th, 2019

POSITION SUMMARY

Cancer Care Ontario is seeking expressions of interest from clinicians or pharmacists with focused practices in the management of lung & thoracic cancers for the volunteer position of Member, Lung/Thoracic Disease Site Drug Advisory Committee.

The Lung/Thoracic Disease Site Drug Advisory Committee will provide timely evidence-based clinical and health system guidance on drug-related issues in support of Cancer Care Ontario's mandate, including the Provincial Drug Reimbursement Programs (PDRP) and the Systemic Treatment Program.

ACCOUNTABILITIES

- Development of drug treatment algorithms for planning, proposal development, and for educational purposes.
- Identification and prioritization of funding gaps that needs to be addressed.
- Contribute to planning and preparation of drug submissions (in-Ontario or pan-Canadian), Evidence Building Program proposals, and other provincial funding applications.
- Provide annual horizon scanning updates on new/emerging treatment options. Highlight issues that are expected to affect existing drug funding pathways.
- Provide clinical and/or health system advice on
 - o national or local drug submission and review processes (e.g., pan-Canadian Oncology Drug Review, Ontario Steering Committee for Cancer Drugs)
 - o drug funding implementation and knowledge transfer activities
 - o activities related to the Systemic Treatment Funding Model
 - o other program initiatives





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Provide case-specific adjudication advice, and more general disease management advice, to CCO
to support the administration of its funding programs (including the New Drug Funding Program,
Evidence Building Program, Case-by-Case Review Program, and Out-of-Country Program).

• Monitor and re-evaluate on an ongoing basis, drugs reimbursed by the publicly funded programs with regard to their continued therapeutic value and cost effectiveness.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Be in active practice and/or engaged in research in either the community, hospital, or academic setting in the following capacity:
 - Medical Oncologist (1)
 - Oncology Pharmacist (1)
- Demonstrated commitment to patient focused care and public accountability.
- Have a commitment to evidence-based medicine and interpretation of quantitative data.
- Not employed by a pharmaceutical or related company

Effort will be made to ensure province-wide geographical representation and representation from

HOW TO APPLY:

Interested parties should forward their expression of interest and curriculum vitae, electronically, to Lyndee Yeung, Clinical Program Manager, Provincial Drug Reimbursement Programs, care of James Keech: james.keech@cancercare.on.ca by Thursday, March 14th, 2019.

Questions regarding the Call for Expressions of Interest can be addressed to Lyndee Yeung at lyndee.yeung@cancercare.on.ca.

More about Cancer Care Ontario:

Cancer Care Ontario (CCO) is an umbrella organization that steers and coordinates Ontario's cancer services and prevention efforts. As the provincial government's chief cancer advisor, Cancer Care Ontario directs over \$700-million in public health care funding for cancer prevention, detection and care. The agency also operates screening and prevention programs; collects, monitors and reports information about cancer and cancer system performance; develops evidence-based standards and guidelines for health care providers; and works with regional providers to plan and improve cancer services.

As an operation service agency of government, we are accountable for engaging regulated health professionals through a process that is conducted in a fair and transparent manner, providing equal treatment to all qualified parties.

Our website is at https://www.cancercareontario.ca

We are guided in most part by the Ontario Cancer Plan at http://www.ontariocancerplan.on.ca

