



## ***Clinical Teaching Collaborative Update***

November 22, 2011

Dear Clinical Teaching Scholars, Clinical Teachers, and Managers,

Following up on our update from June 7, 2011 we would like to bring you up to date on the Clinical Teaching Collaborative (CTC) project. In the previous update we had written we would provide an update by the end of the Summer. We apologize for not communicating an update sooner. As previously written, the CTC project was funded through a Government grant which will expire at the end of December, 2011. The CTC Evaluation Committee has recently completed the evaluation of the program and our Steering Committee is determining what elements of the program can feasibly continue without Government funds. As soon as a final report is completed, we will share the details with you.

At present we do not have teaching assignments or expressions of interest for Clinical Teaching Scholars or Clinical Teachers planned for 2012. In addition to the Government grant expiring this year, the agreements with the nursing unions will expire before 2012. Once the CTC Executive Committee is able to review the evaluation findings the future plans for the project can be determined.

We are grateful to you for your enthusiasm, support and participation. We will endeavor to inform you of our plans for the future of the CTC project. We are planning a “report to the CTC community” event January 16, 2012 from 3:30-5:30 – so be sure to save the date. Details for the event will be sent out closer to the date.

If you have any questions, please contact Mandy McCabe at **403-519-2499** or [\*\*mandy.mccabe@albertahealthservices.ca\*\*](mailto:mandy.mccabe@albertahealthservices.ca)

Sincere regards,

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