#### **OUR VISION**

A health care system in BC where specialist physicians can provide the highest standards of care to their patients and their families.

#### **OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

We follow the Institute of Health care Improvement's triple aim as guiding principles for our work.



#### **OUR STRATEGY**

We engage and collaborate with both facility and community based specialists, family physicians and health partners to build capability, plan and implement improvements in BC's health care system.



Specialist Services Committee is one of four joint collaborative committees that represent a partnership of the Government of BC and Doctors of BC and includes regular representation from health authorities.



#### **OUR VALUES**

- Patient & Family Centered Care
- Collaborative Approach
- Continuous Quality Improvement



Specialist Services Committee (SSC) improves patient care by engaging specialist physicians to collaborate, lead quality improvement and deliver quality services with SSC supports and incentives.







# Our work



#### **SURGICAL PATIENT OPTIMIZATION**

works to optimize patient health before major surgery for improved surgical outcomes.



#### **ENHANCING ACCESS**

improves patient access to consult and care by enabling specialist groups to implement a pooled referral model of service delivery.



### **QUALITY & INNOVATION PROJECTS**

enables individual and team projects by specialists across the province to address system and patient health challenges.



#### **SSC FEES**

compensates specialists to provide coordinated and timely care to patients and to consult other clinicians on complex cases.



### **HEALTH SYSTEM REDESIGN**

funds physicians to engage in system-change projects selected by health authorities.



## PHYSICIAN LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

empowers physicians by providing them with leadership training of their choosing as approved by the SSC.



funds and supports facility-based Medical Staff Associations (MSAs) to increase engagement among members and with their health authority, to improve care delivery.



## **COLLABORATIVE COUNCILS**

brings together physicians, health authorities and regional staff to work together on key priorities.



#### NEW

# SUPPORTING COMMUNITY BASED SPECIALISTS

explores how community specialists can be better integrated.



#### NEW

# IMPROVING SPECIALIST JOB SATISFACTION

works to address physician burnout and improve provider experience of care delivery.



# PHYSICIAN QUALITY . IMPROVEMENT

provides quality improvement training to physicians and supports their Learning Action Projects.



Engage

Physicians & Health

**Partners** 

## **UBC SAUDER LEADERSHIP PROGRAM**

SPECIALIST SERVICES

Capability

Develop Physician **Transform** 

Care

Delivery

empowers physicians by providing them with accredited leadership training by the University of British Columbia.