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# Medical Leader hired for privileging dictionary refresh

BC MQI is pleased to welcome Dr. Becky Temple (Medical Director Northeast, Northern Health Authority) as the new Medical Leader, Privileging Dictionary Review and Refresh.

In this role, Dr. Temple will provide strategic leadership and oversight to the upcoming refresh of 62 provincial privileging dictionaries, as well as the development of any new dictionaries. She brings extensive experience as a medical leader, dictionary panel co-chair and chair of the 2015-16 task group responsible for developing

processes to sustain the privileging dictionaries.

The refresh of the privileging dictionaries is planned in four "waves" over a three-year cycle, set to commence this November. As her role with BC MQI is only a partial secondment, Dr. Temple will also continue concurrently in her work with Northern Health Authority.

See the full three-year schedule for the dictionary refresh at bcmqi.ca/privilegingdictionaries/review-and-refresh-cycle-1.

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#### Provincial privileging dictionary reviews to begin in Wave 1

### Wave 1 November 2016 - March 2017

- **Anatomical Pathology**
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## QI project to engage multi-professional teams

What makes a team effective? How do teams build and sustain a high level of performance? These are some of the questions at the core of an investigation by the multi-professional quality improvement (QI) working group of BC MQI. An appreciative inquiry into effective teams has been developed by the working group's multi-professional practitioners and patient voice representatives, under the leadership of co-chairs Wendy Bowles, NP and Dr. Bob Woollard. The group plans to engage team members from a range of effective teams working across the province, to reflect on how and why they work so well.

The multi-professional QI working group will hold focus groups over the next several months and plans to connect with six teams overall in the pilot phase. The ultimate aim of the work is to support the spread of high-quality teams in BC, through an "infectious model of enthusiasm" and development of support tools for provincial teams.

Practitioners are encouraged to direct questions or concerns about AppCentral or the provincial privileging dictionaries to their medical leaders or local medical administration office.

The BC Medical Quality Initiative (BC MQI) brings health care partners together to develop ways to improve the quality of medical care for people living in BC.