

Dec.31, 2019 North Peace Division of Family Practice 10504 100<sup>th</sup> Ave Fort St. John, BC V1J 1Z2

## **OBJECT: POLICY FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF PRRD FUNDS TO RESIDENT DOCTORS**

Aim: To improve the number of resident doctors recruited into the Peace Region (Dawson Creek, Chetwynd, Tumbler Ridge, Hudson's Hope and Fort St. John).

The PRRD funds will be distributed to resident doctors currently residing in the NE and resident doctors that wish to come to the NE to do their rural and elective rotations.

## **Resident Doctors residing in the NE**

- Resident doctors are broken down into two categories R1 (first year residents) and R2 (second year residents)
- Both R1 and R2's Each resident doctor residing in the NE will receive a monthly housing stipend (maximum of 8 resident doctors per year)
- Both R1 and R2's Each resident doctor residing in the NE can apply for additional funds (flat rate up to \$1000 to subsidize housing costs) for their rural rotations (in Chetwynd, Tumbler Ridge, Hudson's Hope or Dawson Creek) up to \$5000 in budget
- Both R1 and R2's Each resident doctor residing in the NE can apply for additional funds for their mandatory rotations (flat rate up to \$500 to subsidize housing costs) up to \$8500 in budget
- R2's residing in the NE will receive additional funds for exam costs (maximum of 4 resident doctors per year)
- NE R2's that decide to stay in the NE, full scope family practice, for a minimum of one year, and gain either full or provisional licensure will receive an additional \$10,000.

## **Visiting Resident Doctors**

• Resident doctors that wish to do their rural or elective rotations in the NE (Chetwynd, Tumbler Ridge, Hudson's Hope or Dawson Creek) can apply for funding (flat rate up to \$500 to subsidize housing costs)

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