

## Primary Care Nursing Advisory Council

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Item	Discussion	Next Steps
<p><b>Welcome to New Management Members:</b></p> <p><b>Agenda:</b></p> <p><b>Minutes:</b></p> <p><b>1. Business Arising:</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>a. PCN Orientation</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>b. Merging of HC and PHC</b></p> <p><b>2. Standing Items:</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>a. RHPA and Nurse prescriber role</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Additions – Workload staffing report, President tour, Emergency Response; Removed 3b. ITDI nurses</li> <li>• June 13<sup>th</sup> Minutes reviewed and approved</li> <li>• Nurses are to direct any issues/questions to manager and colleagues; collaborative approach is going well</li> <li>• Presentation will be given by directors from new combined PC/HC programs at next Regional Community NAC meeting. Committee members suggested nurses need to work together, communicate, have combined meetings and get to know colleagues (relationships important). All need to understand each other's skill set and identify learnings and opportunities for both. Teams working together are important. A safe culture to ask questions is needed.</li> <li>• The transfer of function and delegated acts are removed. Nurses are grandfathered until 2020. At that time nurses cannot do what they are doing now. This will impact Teen Clinic and regular clinic STI.</li> <li>• 7(16) If, on the day before the coming into force of this</li> </ul>	<p>This item will stay on the agenda and input is welcome</p> <p>The Primary Care program will be asked to review whether costs of course will be covered by WRHA and time to complete Also will nursing be supported</p>

<p><b>3. New Business:</b></p> <p><b>a. Non-nurse managers at NAC</b></p> <p><b>b. Workload staffing reports</b></p> <p><b>c. President tour</b></p> <p><b>d. Emergency Response</b></p>	<p>regulation, an individual registered under the former Act was permitted to initiate a prescription or order for a drug or vaccine relating to travel health, reproductive health, sexually transmitted infections and blood borne pathogens, or diabetes health, that individual may – if he or she is registered as a registered nurse under <i>The Regulated Health Professions Act</i>, holds a valid certificate of practice under that Act and complies with any practice directions relating to the initiating of such prescriptions or orders – prescribe the drug or vaccine until the earlier of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the date that is two years after the day this regulation comes into force; and</li> <li>(b) the date he or she becomes a registered nurse (authorized prescriber) under <i>The Regulated Health Professions Act</i>.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Process can be discussed at program to assist with what future looks like</li> <li>• Can be invited if agenda items support. This can be done on an adhoc basis</li> <li>• Form was shown. Forms have been sent to each president who will share. All nurses need to know where forms are located. The process needs review to ensure union receives it in a timely manner. Scan and email may be an option. Discussions are still underway with eHealth re: electronic documentation.</li> <li>• Darlene Jackson is the new MNU president. She will be coming to a few sites; potentially November 13<sup>th</sup> to 1-2 sites for introduction to site and nurses.</li> <li>• All PC nurses need CPR training and AED. Full training is</li> </ul>	<p>to do the position when completed</p> <p>When deemed appropriate by committee members non-nurse managers can be invited</p> <p>Process on back of document not clear re: forward to local worksite. What does this mean regarding who to send it to? This will be discussed at a regional MNU meeting.</p> <p>More info to follow re: who will</p>
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approximately 6 hours.

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**NEXT MEETING: November 21, 2018, 8:45 – 10:15AM, 975  
Henderson – Room 121**