

Health System Redesign

Purpose

The Health System Redesign (HSR) initiative was established to facilitate physician engagement and collaboration in the redesign and/or quality improvement of health services provided by the health authorities.

Funding for the Health System Redesign Initiative is provided by the Joint Collaborative Committees, which consist of the Specialist Services Committee, Shared Care Committee, and Family Practice Services Committee.

Physicians invited to participate in Health Authority initiated projects relating to system redesign will be compensated at the current sessional rate for their participation.

What types of Health Authority activities are funded to support physician engagement?

The scope of successful projects and initiatives include projects that identify goals of improving health outcomes for priority patient population with complex needs, seniors, mental health and substance abuse, surgical care, end of life care, improving patient experience of care and projects that reduce waste and improve patient safety, quality, and better outcomes.

Who makes funding decisions for this initiative?

Provision of funding to health authorities is a collaborative decision of the Joint Collaborative Committees. Individual requests for project funding are decided upon by the respective health authority.

How do I participate in an approved project?

Physicians may connect with their respective health authority leaders to learn about the types of projects available for physicians to participate in.

I am a contracted or salaried physician, am I eligible to receive payment for the redesign work I am engaged in?

Yes, where the project work you are involved in is outside the scope of your contract, whether outside of the specified hours or deliverables.

For more information: <https://sscbc.ca/system-improvement/health-system-redesign>