## Waterloo-Wellington Diabetes Regional Coordination Centre



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## Call for Applications

In support of the Ontario Diabetes Strategy, eHealth Ontario is currently seeking to procure the expertise of practicing clinicians for its Diabetes Clinical Advisory Group. The Advisory Group will provide advice and recommendations to support the implementation and adoption of an electronic Diabetes Registry and related initiatives. The members will be comprised of four family physicians, an endocrinologist, nurse practitioner, registered nurse and registered dietician and will spend 4-6 hours a month reviewing and providing input and advice related to the implementation and adoption materials and processes for the Diabetes Registry.

If you are a practicing clinician and interested in this opportunity, please go to <u>www.merx.com</u> and search under "Private Tenders" for "eHealth Ontario" as the Buying Organization. Please note the posting is by clinician and the Request For Quotations can be downloaded for a one-time fee of \$25+tax.

## People on the Move

- Blair Philippi, Program Lead, Health System Transformation, is leaving the WWLHIN to take a position as Director of Operations for Chartwell Seniors REIT. Congratulations and Best Wishes to Blair in his new position. January 21<sup>st</sup> will be Blair's last day. Blair's interim replacement in the RCC steering committee will be Gloria Whitson-Shea.
- Dr. Joshua Tepper, Assistant Deputy Minister, Executive Sponsor, Ontario Diabetes Strategy with the MOHLTC has accepted a position as Vice President of Education at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre. Congratulations and Best Wishes

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EVENT	DATE	LOCATION
2011 Best Practices in Wound Care Institute: Minding the Gap <u>www.rnao.org/events</u>	Feb 27-Mar 4, 2011	Sheraton Fallsview Hotel, Niagara Falls
Diabetes Update http://www.facmed.utoronto.ca/Page3278.aspx	April 1st., 2011	Toronto, ON
Options for Diabetes	April 7-9th, 2011	Kingston, ON
<b>WWLHIN Educators Meeting</b> - Delving deeper into the complications of diabetes and discovering new tools for screening and education	May 11th, 2011	Bingeman's Kitchener, ON
American Diabetes Association http://professional.diabetes.org/ Congress Display.aspx?TYP=9&CID=82452	June 24-28th, 2011	San Diego, California
American Association of Diabetes Educators http://www.diabeteseducator.org/ annualmeeting/2011/index.html	August 3-6, 2011	Las Vegas, Nevada
European Association for the Study of Diabetes Annual Meeting <u>http://www.easd.org/easdwebfiles/</u> annualmeeting/47thmeeting/47th-first-info.html	September 12-16, 2011	Lisbon, Portugal
Canadian Diabetes Association http://www.diabetes.ca/for-professionals/ conference/program-updates/	October 26-29th, 2011	Toronto, ON

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