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Kootenay Boundary Division Dispatch

WELCOME TO NEW KB DOCS

The Division team would like to offer a warm welcome to Dr. Belinda van der Berg who is accepting patients at Ancron Medical Centre in Nelson.

CLINICAL SUPPORTS

Dementia Roadmaps for Practitioners and Families

These new roadmaps from Dr. Trevor Janz help practitioners and families navigate through the stages of Dementia.

[Click here to download the "Dementia Roadmap for Practitioners"](#)

[Click here to download "A Dementia Roadmap for Families"](#)

("A Dementia Roadmap for Families" is also available in booklet form – order copies from Paul - pedney@divisionsbc.ca)

60+ EMR Forms Now Available for Clinics Using Profile

Over the past month, more Profile EMR forms have been added/updated in Pathways. Clinics can download and import them into their Profile EMR from [this page on Pathways](#).

Please Offer Telehealth to Your Patients

Many specialists offer the telehealth option for your patients. [Click here to download a list of Telehealth specialists](#). Questions? Contact Mona Mattei - mmattei@divisionsbc.ca.

Secure Message NOW with Your GP and SP Colleagues

Over 70% of KB GPs and Specialists are now LIVE on the new MBMD secure messaging system. If you're one of the 30% left and need help setting up your account/logging in, please contact Mona Mattei - mmattei@divisionsbc.ca.

[Click here to download the MBMD Secure Messaging Installation/User Guide](#)

[Click here to download MBMD Secure Messaging FAQs](#)

Maternity Care Resources from Vancouver Division

Pregnancy Vancouver, a website created by the Vancouver Division to support pregnant women and their families, provides [maternity care resources](#) including:

- [Prenatal Care Checklist \(PDF\)](#).
- [Postpartum Care Checklist \(PDF\)](#).
- [Pregnancy FAQ](#).

For questions and more information about these resources, please contact the Vancouver Division (vancouver@divisionsbc.ca)

Top 3 Physician Resources On Pathways in Feb/Mar

- [Acne Management Summary \(U of T\)](#)
- [Depression: PHQ-9](#)
- [Anxiety: GAD-7 Score](#)

If you want to see a specific resource on Pathways or have a short tutorial session on the use of Pathways for your clinic, please contact Paul - pedney@divisionsbc.ca

EMPOWERING PATIENTS

Top 3 Patient Resources On Pathways in Feb/Mar

- [Celiac Disease - Gluten-free Diet Guide](#)
- [Immunization and Vaccination Information \(Canadian Pediatrics Soc.\)](#)
- [Diabetic Sick Day Medication Hold List - SADMANS](#)

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Chronic Pain Services and Resources in Nelson and Lower Columbia

Two new directories of services have been developed to help patients find the support they need for their Chronic Pain.

[Click here to download the Chronic Pain Directory of Services in the Lower Columbia Region](#)

[Click here to download the Chronic Pain Directory of Services in the Nelson Area](#)

A Dementia Roadmap for Families

It deserves a second mention - [Click here to download "A Dementia Roadmap for Families"](#)

PHYSICIAN RESOURCES

2016 tax changes affect some incorporated doctors

Changes to tax rules in 2016 could affect incorporated physicians who work with other physicians in group practices. MD Financial Management has created several information pages to help physicians determine whether these changes will impact their practices:

- [How 2016 tax changes affect some incorporated physicians](#)
- [Federal budget implications for incorporated physicians \(webinar video\)](#)
- [Incorporated physicians: Are you affected by the 2016 federal budget?](#)

DTO update: Increase in ransomware cyberattacks targeting doctors

There has been an increase in reports from doctors about attacks by ransomware, a type of malware that often involves compromised system security, temporary or permanent loss of information, and extortion of money from users. Because antivirus software does not provide sufficient protection from ransomware, doctors are encouraged to seek alternative solutions. For more detailed information about ransomware and suggestions for dealing with an attack, read "[Ransomware – What should I do?](#)", a technical bulletin by Doctors Technology Office. Further resources related to technical issues affecting physicians are available on the [Doctors Technology Office \(DTO\) technical bulletins](#).