

Patient-focused Self-management of CKD

Project Newsletter

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Strategy for Patient-Oriented Research

SPOR

Putting Patients First 

Project Aim:

To develop a self-management strategy that can be individualized to a patient's unique situation, needs, priorities and preferences to improve their outcomes and enhance their quality of life.

Accomplishments: Dec. 2016-Feb. 2017

- Can-SOLVE CKD Network Foundations in Patient-Oriented Research (POR) Training Workshop (Module 1, 2) January 16, 17th in Calgary. Local members attended (Brenda Hemmelgarn, Mo Donald, Claire Large, Chantel Large, Matt James).
 - Opportunity to meet with team members and work together to gain an understanding of POR and how we can be partners in moving our research agenda forward.
 - Heather Beanlands attended the session in Toronto
- Scoping review of the literature and environmental scan (Canadian CKD clinic surveys) completed.
- Abstracts accepted for poster presentations from the scoping review and environmental scan at CSN Annual General Meeting in Montreal (May 2017).
- The Can-SOLVE Knowledge Translation (KT) Committee met in person in Calgary on Feb. 17th to review all project KT plans. Feed back to follow shortly.

Next Steps: Spring 2017

We are currently writing the protocol /plan for Phase 2. This phase will included focus groups with patients and their family members, to discuss their experiece and needs for self-management.

We will be seeking your advice about this plan.

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Did you know?

Can-SOLVE CKD/CANA will be hosting a joint Symposium on May 5th 10:30 am – 12:00 pm.

www.csnsn.ca/agm/registration

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