

D. General Practice Services Committee Initiatives & Specialist Services Committee Initiatives

General Practice Services Committee Initiatives

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The General Practice Services Committee developed the Family Practice Incentive Program to encourage coordinated, longitudinal care in such areas as chronic disease management, maternity care, mental health and care for the frail and elderly. These initiatives include:

- A GP for Me Initiative, also known as the Attachment Initiative
- Chronic Disease Management Incentives:
 - Diabetes
 - Congestive Heart Failure
 - Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
 - Hypertension
- Complex Care Initiative
- Patient Conferencing Fee Initiative
- Maternity Network Initiative
- Mental Health Initiative
- Palliative Care Initiative
- In-Patient Care Initiative

Specialist Services Committee Initiatives

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The Specialist Services Committee implemented initiatives to increase specialists' capacity, improve patient access to specialists' expertise and improve the coordination of patient care. These initiatives include:

- Advance Care Planning
- Discharge Care Plan for Complex Patients Fee
- Group Medical Visits
- Multidisciplinary Conferencing for Complex Patients
- Patient Follow-up Fees
- Specialist Advice Fees
- Specialist Services Committee Labour Market Adjustment Fees

Table 18-1

**General Practice Services Committee (GPSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure
British Columbia, 2013/2014 to 2017/2018**

Fiscal Year	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
2013/2014	4,372	1,535,286	\$162,863,702
2014/2015	4,455	1,718,017	\$172,467,430
2015/2016	4,594	1,776,898	\$172,776,124
2016/2017	4,791	1,868,646	\$180,063,504
2017/2018	4,949	2,034,682	\$183,444,375

Table 18-2

**Specialist Services Committee (SSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure by Specialty
British Columbia, 2017/2018**

Specialty	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
Medical			
00 - General Practice	118	16,082	\$1,893,771
01 - Dermatology	57	9,478	\$272,484
02 - Neurology	135	50,708	\$2,507,391
03 - Psychiatry	513	56,301	\$2,106,104
05 - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	254	54,750	\$5,056,194
06 - Ophthalmology	120	17,089	\$372,385
07 - Otolaryngology	78	10,263	\$331,964
08 - General Surgery	204	32,223	\$1,297,893
09 - Neurosurgery	30	8,072	\$430,538
10 - Orthopaedic Surgery	193	29,555	\$1,620,067
11 - Plastic Surgery	65	13,128	\$642,152
12 - Cardiac Surgery	14	2,985	\$168,008
13 - Urology	90	26,597	\$900,742
14 - Paediatrics	213	16,019	\$534,167
15 - Internal Medicine	301	181,466	\$10,579,311
16 - Radiology	206	9,538	\$508,284
17 - Laboratory Medicine	12	1,441	\$62,668
18 - Anaesthesia	468	44,175	\$3,552,685
19 - Paediatric Cardiology	4	38	\$2,230
20 - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	36	1,553	\$43,054
24 - Geriatric Medicine	38	9,080	\$468,287
26 - Cardiology	157	30,170	\$1,261,160
28 - Emergency Medicine	16	128	\$7,585
29 - Medical Microbiology	3	388	\$8,936
33 - Nuclear Medicine	11	265	\$12,925
44 - Rheumatology	79	70,467	\$10,370,644
45 - Clinical Immunology & Allergy	37	5,985	\$190,259
47 - Vascular Surgery	21	4,508	\$230,808
48 - Thoracic Surgery	6	265	\$15,330
49 - Respiriology	78	20,848	\$1,014,835
51 - Endocrinology	66	40,371	\$1,349,657
53 - Critical Care Medicine	67	15,832	\$546,479
56 - Gastroenterology	91	15,849	\$683,977
59 - Nephrology	77	13,361	\$606,056
67 - Infectious Diseases	60	47,859	\$1,454,627
74 - Hematology Oncology	33	8,022	\$278,709
Total:	3,951	864,859	\$51,382,366

Table 18-3

**Specialist Services Committee (SSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure by Specialty
British Columbia, 2016/2017**

Specialty	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
Medical			
00 - General Practice	129	18,648	\$2,141,546
01 - Dermatology	53	8,439	\$259,518
02 - Neurology	131	52,615	\$2,607,287
03 - Psychiatry	506	68,666	\$2,657,623
05 - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	258	64,836	\$5,607,867
06 - Ophthalmology	111	10,290	\$408,912
07 - Otolaryngology	73	9,952	\$329,444
08 - General Surgery	199	35,662	\$1,492,303
09 - Neurosurgery	28	8,207	\$447,331
10 - Orthopaedic Surgery	184	28,006	\$1,581,386
11 - Plastic Surgery	68	12,765	\$622,984
12 - Cardiac Surgery	15	2,920	\$168,434
13 - Urology	88	27,362	\$937,161
14 - Paediatrics	204	15,824	\$550,184
15 - Internal Medicine	285	196,953	\$15,470,078
16 - Radiology	189	9,114	\$498,722
17 - Laboratory Medicine	10	477	\$26,648
18 - Anaesthesia	470	38,200	\$3,435,481
19 - Paediatric Cardiology	6	48	\$2,241
20 - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	36	2,023	\$59,683
24 - Geriatric Medicine	37	7,348	\$411,965
26 - Cardiology	149	27,456	\$1,213,264
28 - Emergency Medicine	18	171	\$10,198
29 - Medical Microbiology	4	430	\$11,692
33 - Nuclear Medicine	10	424	\$21,841
44 - Rheumatology	75	61,973	\$9,350,388
45 - Clinical Immunology & Allergy	30	5,491	\$190,561
46 - Medical Genetics	1	11	\$540
47 - Vascular Surgery	23	3,538	\$184,788
48 - Thoracic Surgery	6	1,577	\$37,916
49 - Respiriology	74	23,175	\$1,184,651
51 - Endocrinology	67	51,735	\$1,824,648
53 - Critical Care Medicine	66	20,992	\$786,210
56 - Gastroenterology	88	17,388	\$777,681
59 - Nephrology	76	15,698	\$805,637
67 - Infectious Diseases	58	60,895	\$1,908,734
74 - Hematology Oncology	33	7,983	\$339,162
Total:	3,858	917,292	\$58,364,708

Table 18-4

**Specialist Services Committee (SSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure by Specialty
British Columbia, 2015/2016**

Specialty	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
Medical			
00 - General Practice	150	16,312	\$1,914,350
01 - Dermatology	53	6,983	\$203,246
02 - Neurology	128	47,960	\$2,585,682
03 - Psychiatry	457	32,127	\$1,366,207
05 - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	243	55,699	\$4,875,065
06 - Ophthalmology	113	8,458	\$378,587
07 - Otolaryngology	78	8,191	\$253,048
08 - General Surgery	190	25,257	\$936,076
09 - Neurosurgery	27	6,585	\$356,712
10 - Orthopaedic Surgery	178	21,129	\$1,210,313
11 - Plastic Surgery	57	8,989	\$459,350
12 - Cardiac Surgery	12	1,362	\$73,330
13 - Urology	87	24,096	\$806,391
14 - Paediatrics	197	12,614	\$434,467
15 - Internal Medicine	271	168,846	\$15,973,264
16 - Radiology	150	4,972	\$277,005
17 - Laboratory Medicine	9	437	\$24,794
18 - Anaesthesia	468	37,534	\$3,368,115
19 - Paediatric Cardiology	7	125	\$5,921
20 - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	35	1,027	\$29,266
24 - Geriatric Medicine	33	5,823	\$336,876
26 - Cardiology	139	18,787	\$935,208
28 - Emergency Medicine	18	122	\$7,757
29 - Medical Microbiology	4	246	\$8,409
33 - Nuclear Medicine	8	237	\$13,553
44 - Rheumatology	73	46,477	\$7,235,218
45 - Clinical Immunology & Allergy	29	3,618	\$126,467
46 - Medical Genetics	1	22	\$1,189
47 - Vascular Surgery	23	2,716	\$143,344
48 - Thoracic Surgery	6	1,777	\$36,643
49 - Respiriology	73	19,954	\$1,112,968
51 - Endocrinology	62	49,929	\$1,714,952
53 - Critical Care Medicine	62	18,688	\$801,032
56 - Gastroenterology	88	11,972	\$552,186
59 - Nephrology	78	11,898	\$662,650
67 - Infectious Diseases	52	63,088	\$2,177,874
74 - Hematology Oncology	37	6,086	\$252,334
Total:	3,696	750,143	\$51,649,851

Table 18-5

**Specialist Services Committee (SSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure by Specialty
British Columbia, 2014/2015**

Specialty	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
Medical			
00 - General Practice	179	15,654	\$1,838,303
01 - Dermatology	56	5,093	\$147,822
02 - Neurology	122	38,073	\$2,280,203
03 - Psychiatry	387	15,703	\$691,795
05 - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	246	46,536	\$4,240,041
06 - Ophthalmology	96	5,193	\$254,384
07 - Otolaryngology	74	7,073	\$200,179
08 - General Surgery	179	18,645	\$611,250
09 - Neurosurgery	29	5,433	\$293,183
10 - Orthopaedic Surgery	172	16,523	\$936,073
11 - Plastic Surgery	61	6,776	\$347,840
12 - Cardiac Surgery	7	325	\$14,963
13 - Urology	81	21,024	\$685,590
14 - Paediatrics	173	9,125	\$322,902
15 - Internal Medicine	259	141,391	\$13,832,210
16 - Radiology	107	3,721	\$224,644
17 - Laboratory Medicine	8	301	\$17,297
18 - Anaesthesia	451	38,986	\$3,443,704
19 - Paediatric Cardiology	6	59	\$2,964
20 - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	31	891	\$24,198
24 - Geriatric Medicine	31	6,533	\$439,179
26 - Cardiology	130	13,516	\$655,065
28 - Emergency Medicine	5	23	\$1,934
29 - Medical Microbiology	5	191	\$8,457
33 - Nuclear Medicine	8	228	\$12,462
44 - Rheumatology	65	32,246	\$5,020,688
45 - Clinical Immunology & Allergy	22	2,373	\$75,714
46 - Medical Genetics	1	12	\$706
47 - Vascular Surgery	19	2,131	\$106,585
48 - Thoracic Surgery	5	239	\$13,039
49 - Respiriology	69	16,853	\$979,436
51 - Endocrinology	60	45,992	\$1,564,853
53 - Critical Care Medicine	48	13,275	\$606,844
56 - Gastroenterology	81	11,304	\$536,578
59 - Nephrology	71	11,638	\$734,093
67 - Infectious Diseases	42	58,746	\$1,918,906
74 - Hematology Oncology	34	4,638	\$209,252
Total:	3,420	616,463	\$43,293,336

Table 18-6

**Specialist Services Committee (SSC) Initiatives, Services and Expenditure by Specialty
British Columbia, 2013/2014**

Specialty	Practitioners	Services	Expenditure
Medical			
00 - General Practice	167	15,906	\$1,873,134
01 - Dermatology	50	4,747	\$130,809
02 - Neurology	104	31,043	\$1,727,053
03 - Psychiatry	307	12,929	\$526,127
05 - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	228	39,731	\$3,660,793
06 - Ophthalmology	97	2,874	\$136,363
07 - Otolaryngology	65	6,072	\$174,619
08 - General Surgery	167	16,417	\$541,362
09 - Neurosurgery	27	4,557	\$253,460
10 - Orthopaedic Surgery	167	16,036	\$874,539
11 - Plastic Surgery	55	5,497	\$278,751
12 - Cardiac Surgery	7	252	\$11,206
13 - Urology	80	21,635	\$711,263
14 - Paediatrics	173	8,442	\$292,319
15 - Internal Medicine	244	121,415	\$11,974,157
16 - Radiology	103	3,686	\$220,823
17 - Laboratory Medicine	10	282	\$16,167
18 - Anaesthesia	448	32,166	\$3,239,356
19 - Paediatric Cardiology	4	53	\$2,761
20 - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	34	852	\$21,910
24 - Geriatric Medicine	34	6,622	\$490,083
26 - Cardiology	115	8,723	\$353,970
28 - Emergency Medicine	3	46	\$1,100
29 - Medical Microbiology	6	141	\$7,841
33 - Nuclear Medicine	7	231	\$12,743
44 - Rheumatology	58	26,162	\$3,700,802
45 - Clinical Immunology & Allergy	23	1,719	\$56,287
46 - Medical Genetics	1	18	\$1,040
47 - Vascular Surgery	17	1,609	\$72,608
48 - Thoracic Surgery	4	211	\$10,616
49 - Respiriology	71	14,105	\$760,328
51 - Endocrinology	56	38,393	\$1,235,319
53 - Critical Care Medicine	40	10,685	\$517,420
56 - Gastroenterology	76	10,352	\$505,564
59 - Nephrology	70	9,907	\$634,583
67 - Infectious Diseases	42	52,132	\$1,913,576
74 - Hematology Oncology	32	4,297	\$199,714
Total:	3,192	529,945	\$37,140,566