



*Opioid Agonist Therapy 101:
An Introduction to Clinical Practice Workshop*

Now What??

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To review the methadone and buprenorphine/naloxone prescribing/dispensing approval process for physicians, NP's and pharmacists.
- To review current CPSM standards processes around OAT.
- To review available OAT prescriber supports/resources.

Who is doing what in Manitoba?



MOST

Manitoba Opioid Support
and Treatment
Addictions Foundation of
Manitoba 146 Magnus Ave
Winnipeg, Manitoba R2W 2B4
Ph. 204-944-7070
Fax. [204-772-0125](tel:204-772-0125)

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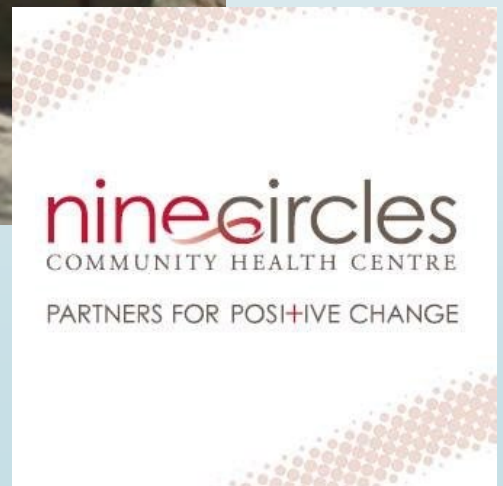


Brandon location:
**MOST West Parkwood
Centre**
510 Frederick St.
Brandon, MB R7A 6Z4
Phone (204) 729-3838
Toll-free 1-866-767-3838

Who is doing what in Manitoba?



705 Broadway Avenue
Phone: General Line: 204-940-6000
Toll Free: 1-888-305-8647



External Referral for Primary Care at Nine Circles Community Health Centre

Date: _____

Demographics:

Client's Name: _____

DOB: _____ Gender: _____

MHSC: _____ PHIN: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Currently we are accepting primary care patients who are 13 years of age or older and live in Winnipeg who meet one or more of the following criteria:

- Belongs to a population disproportionately affected by HIV infection (currently may include men who have sex with men, people who inject drugs, people who have unprotected sex with multiple partners, people from countries where HIV is endemic)
- History of substance use disorder (including patients requiring methadone/buprenorphine substitution)
- Socio-demographic risks for having poor health outcomes (living in poverty, homelessness, limited supports or education, member of a marginalized or minority population), and/or living in the Downtown-Point Douglas area of Winnipeg

Note: Patient must be aware and consent for referral

Please list any immediate health care needs:

Other issues:

Program Referred from: _____

Referring staff member: _____ **Phone:** _____

For Office Use Only:

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|--|---------------------------|
| For Management | |
| MD: _____ | |
| RN _____ | Other: _____ Notes: _____ |
| _____ HCR | |
| date completed and signature: _____ | |



- Remote, asynchronous, secure web-based electronic consultation service
- Email to sign up as primary care provider or specialist

mbeconsult@umanitoba.ca

30 Specialty Services:

- **Addictions**
- Allergy (Adult)
- Allergy (Pediatric)
- Cardiology
- Chronic pain
- Dermatology
- ENT
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology
- Hematology
- **Hepatology**
- **Hepatitis C Treatment**
- **HIV Specialist**
- **HIV Pharmacist**
- **HIV PrEP**
- Infectious Diseases
- Internal Medicine
- Nephrology
- Obstetrics and Gynecology
- Ophthalmology
- Pediatrics
- Psychiatry
- Respiriology
- Transgender Health
- Urology (adult)
- Urology (Pediatric)
- Vascular Surgery
- Thoracic Surgery
- Neurosurgery
- Plastic Surgery



Canadian Foundation for
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**l'amélioration des
services de santé**

Who is doing what in Manitoba?



167 Sherbrook St, Winnipeg,
MB R3C 2B6

Phone: (204) 784-4090
Admin Fax: (204) 722-7998
Medical Fax: (204) 784-4013



Who is doing what in Manitoba?

Health Sciences Centre

- ▶ Addictions Unit
 - 11 beds
 - Complex Inductions
 - Observational/Stabilization admissions
- ▶ CARMA Clinic
 - MD/NP referral (prescriber!)
 - Handout
- ▶ Bridging OAT Clinic
 - Bridge between HSC and Community care
 - Limited Capacity
- ▶ Addiction Ward Consultation Service
 - Monday – Friday, daytime
 - Clinical referrals and Auto consults for all OAT patients admitted to HSC, Women's Hospital and St. Boniface



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CODI program and **RACE** line

HSC

PZ 202 – 771 Bannatyne
Avenue, Winnipeg, MB

Ph: 204 787 7949



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RACE

- ❖ **Rapid Access to Consultative Expertise**
- ❖ The Rapid Access to Consultative Expertise or RACE program is a telephone service that allows Family Physicians, Physician Assistants and Pediatricians to access a psychiatry/addiction consultant for telephone advice by calling one central number.
- ❖ This service is intended for Physicians who have an ongoing relationship with their patients.
- ❖ To contact the **RACE line call: 204-940-2573**
- ❖ Open: Monday to Friday, 9 am – 4pm.
- ❖ The RACE line is not open on weekends or stat holidays.
- ❖ <http://www.wrha.mb.ca/staff/familyphysicians/files/Race.pdf>

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Manitoba RAAM Clinics

Winnipeg – 2 locations

Crisis Response Centre and River Point Centre

Thompson

Brandon

Selkirk

Portage

The screenshot shows the MBAddictionHelp.ca website. The browser address bar displays the URL: mbaddictionhelp.ca/services/rapid-access-to-addictions-medicine-raam/. The navigation menu includes: HOME, CRISIS NUMBERS, QUESTIONNAIRE, SERVICES (with a dropdown arrow), and CONTACT. The hero banner features the text: "We're here when you're ready. Call 1-855-662-6605" and a search bar containing "MBAddictionHelp.ca". Below the banner is a teal button labeled "LEAVE THIS SITE QUICKLY". The main content area is titled "Rapid Access to Addictions Medicine (RAAM)" and includes the heading "What is a RAAM clinic and who is it for?". The text below explains that RAAM clinics are walk-in services for adults (18+) seeking help with high-risk substance use and addiction, including medical assistance for withdrawal and treatment for related health issues like hepatitis and pancreatitis. It emphasizes that no referral is needed. A small URL "http://mbaddictionhelp.ca/" is visible in the bottom left corner of the page.

Who is doing what in Manitoba?

Mount Carmel Clinic

886 Main Street

Winnipeg, MB

Ph: 204 582 2311

Hep C Clinic

Ph: 204 589 9428



The prescribing approval process...

- ▶ Prescribing approval for methadone with buprenorphine/naloxone for **pain/palliation** separate training and approval processes
- ▶ Physicians and Nurse Practitioners in MB are eligible for prescribing approvals for **methadone** and **buprenorphine/naloxone** for **opioid use disorder**
- ▶ for buprenorphine/naloxone only prescribing approval - **physicians only apply via simple template; no proof of training required**
- ▶ Coordinated effort by CPhM, CPSM and CRNM to handle training, mentoring/support and audits of all prescribers and pharmacists in an interdisciplinary fashion; apply same standards to all.

The prescribing approval process...

- ▶ **Prescribers - methadone:** a) Letter/template with references (workshop plus 4 clinics)
- ▶ **Pharmacists:** a) Minimum one pharmacist per pharmacy
b) 2-day workshop
c) Preceptorship optional

2 handouts online..



CPSM standards process

- Both approvals renewed every 3 years (based on active practice activity)
- For cause and routine (SUAP) audits
- CPD requirement (a portion of annual CPD should be focused on OAT or addiction in general)
- Monthly review of all methadone, buprenorphine/naloxone deaths (patients on OAT and deaths secondary to diversion)

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Our Community and Available Support...

- ▶ Informal – just call or e-mail; use those around you
- ▶ Formal support available: phone, e-mail and in person
one question or a clinic with
3-4 challenging cases
urban or rural

Resources

- ▶ Provincial Adult Addictions Information Toll-Free Line **1-855-662-6605**
- ▶ Youth Addictions Centralized Intake Service Toll-Free Line **1-877-710-3999**
- ▶ 24-Hour Problem Gambling Helpline Toll-Free **1-800-463-1554**



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