

Nov 17th, 2022

Sent on behalf of the Fraser Health Integrated Long-Term Care and Assisted Living Services

***REMINDER * IRRS Report Refresh Initiative: Survey for LTC Affiliate sites- Extended Timeline**

- As part of the planning phase for the Integrated RAI Reporting System (IRRS) Project, The BC Ministry of Health is conducting an impact analysis assessment for the implementation of the updated suite of clinical assessment instruments and IRRS in BC. See attached information briefing for Affiliated Operators.
- The BC Ministry of Health has hired consulting firm Accenture to engage with Health Authorities and conduct the impact analysis assessment. The outcome of this work will be a final report outlining gaps, barriers, estimates, and considerations that will aid in the detailed implementation planning in each Health Authority region.
- Please complete the survey link below by **November 18th, 2022**
- We recognize the transition to the new assessment tools has a large impact to you as a provider, and your response is very valuable for planning. We thank you for your participation.
- **SURVEY LINK:** <https://forms.office.com/r/J9WqGR9fR0>
- If you have any questions please contact Jay Estoque at melecio.estoque@fraserhealth.ca or Samantha Stevens at Samantha.Stevens@fraserhealth.ca.

***NEW* LTC and AL Community of Practice Palliative Approach to Care (PA2C)**

- Clinical leads and those interested in a Palliative Approach to Care (e.g. clinicians, champions) are invited to a virtual quarterly community of practice meeting to share their learning experiences regarding a palliative approach in their care home.
- The group's main focus is to create space for idea exchange and discussion regarding PA2C and any associated experiences.
- Attend the first PA2C Community of Practice meeting:
 - **December 7th 12:00pm – 1:00 pm**
 - An invite will be sent out by Nov 18th from Gita Rafiee, CNS.
- Please see attached KYI for more detail.

***NEW* Get Ready for Winter: Snow and Cold safety for you and your home**

- Although we experience a milder climate in B.C.'s Lower Mainland, it's important to take proper precautions in wet, windy, low-visibility or very cold conditions
- Learn more on how to stay safe, warm, dry and avoid injuries while traveling or engaging in winter activities such as hiking, skiing, or shoveling snow.
- See attached [link](#) for more information and share with your teams