

Terms of Reference

Category	Description
Purpose	To enhance and foster excellence in the delivery of Peritoneal Dialysis (home or facility based) as an achievable form of independent dialysis through educational processes and supportive networking.
Responsibilities	<p>Develop provincial educational tools, processes and procedures that address identified issues/barriers that prevent the enhancement of peritoneal dialysis (home or facility based).</p> <p>Provide expertise and experience to inform development of standardized practice procedures and/or processes in peritoneal dialysis.</p> <p>Provide a provincial forum for the exchange of unique regional initiatives as they pertain to peritoneal dialysis (home or facility based).</p> <p>Provide a provincial forum to address practice questions related to providing peritoneal dialysis education and support to patients in BC.</p>
Accountabilities	<p>Implementation with ongoing review and revisions of a standardized approach to provincial patient selection and maintenance.</p> <p>Development of a standardized approach to PD practice procedures in BC in alignment with best practice provincially, nationally and internationally.</p> <p>Development of provincial standards and guidelines which support the ongoing educational needs of the PD patient population.</p> <p>Contribute to the development of educational supports for new PD nurses working in PD programs</p> <p>Sharing of PD practices and initiatives at the local PD program level for the benefit of learning and expertise development of the group</p>
Composition	<p>Provincial PD nurses group chair</p> <p>All Nursing leads or designated PD nurse representative(s) of BC PD programs</p> <p>BCPRA PD Project Manager</p> <p>BCPRA Strategy Lead: Home Therapies & Palliative Care</p> <p>BCPRA Administrative support</p>

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Reporting Relationships	Reports to and is accountable to the BCPRA Peritoneal Dialysis Committee. Reporting occurs at PD committee meetings.
Meetings	Monthly Teleconferences on the second Thursday of each month. Adhoc email communications in between meetings Once a year face to face meeting scheduled with PD committee face to face meeting.