



**Section Newsletter**

**23<sup>rd</sup> April 2018**

**Notice:** The **Annual General Meeting of the DoBC Section of Clinical Faculty** will be held on Tuesday May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2018 from 5.30 to 7.30 pm at:  
**Annual General Meeting, May 22 2018**  
Doctors of BC "Quality" Room  
1665 West Broadway, Vancouver, BC V6J 5A4

Agenda: Approval of Minutes from AGM 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2017  
President's Report  
Financial Statements  
Report from DoBC / UBC working group  
Other Reports – UBC, DoBC  
General Discussion  
Constitution changes (BC Societies Act)  
Election of Directors

hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be available  
Teleconference facilities will be available – please contact Gabrielle Lynch-Staunton, [GLynch@doctorsofbc.ca](mailto:GLynch@doctorsofbc.ca) or [info@ucfa.ca](mailto:info@ucfa.ca) for details.

**Executive Meetings January 25<sup>th</sup> 2018 and April 5<sup>th</sup> 2018**  
The Executive of the Section met on January 25<sup>th</sup> and April 5<sup>th</sup>. Items discussed included presentations at the Representative Assembly on February 2<sup>nd</sup>, the UBC DoBC Clinical Faculty Group, and reorganization of Family Practice with the development of Medical Homes.

**DoBC Representative Assembly**  
David Wensley attended the DoBC Representative Assembly meeting in February this year. The meeting focus was the Physician Master Agreement (PMA) negotiations that commence in 2019. The role of clinical teaching was discussed amongst many other principles.

**Clinical Faculty Working Group**  
David Wensley attended the UBC DoBC Clinical Faculty Working Group recently. Unfortunately UBC was not prepared to commit to increasing the teaching rates for Clinical Faculty, despite no increase for 9 years. There was discussion regarding the benefits available to Clinical Faculty – information is available on the UBC website: <http://www.med.ubc.ca/clinical-faculty/>. A trial mentorship program for Clinical Teachers has been running in 2017. This has been well received and may be expanded this year.

**New members needed on the SCF Executive**  
New family practice models are being developed in many regions but support for teaching within these is unclear. It would be very helpful to have more General Practice executive members to help the SCF understand how teaching can be supported in these models. Please contact us by email at: [info@ucfa.ca](mailto:info@ucfa.ca)

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