



## Starting the new year by honouring our best *The CFPC Research and Education Foundation's 2006 award recipients*

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**F**amily Medicine Forum once again provided a wonderful opportunity for family physicians from across Canada to recognize the achievements of some of their most outstanding colleagues. The Honours and Awards program continues to identify, support, and reward family doctors who demonstrate their commitment to our discipline through participation in and leadership of important practice, research, and educational initiatives. We know from the applications and nominations that the winners are not alone. They represent and mirror the efforts of hundreds more who also deserve awards. That is why it is so important for all of us to support the College of Family Physicians of Canada's (CFPC) Research and Education Foundation (REF)—the only charitable organization in Canada dedicated to supporting family doctors and the specialty of family medicine. Your donations will enable us to continue to increase the number and value of these awards.

Congratulations to the following students, residents, and family physicians on receiving 2006 REF Honours and Awards.

### CFPC SPECIAL HONOURS

#### W. Victor Johnston Award

**Dr Jacques Frenette**, *Ste-Foy, Que*

This award honours the memory of the late Dr W. Victor Johnston, the CFPC's first Executive Director from 1954 to 1964. The recipient is recognized for leadership in family medicine in Canada or internationally and presents the W. Victor Johnston Oration at the CFPC's annual Convocation.

#### Canada's Family Physicians of the Year: Reg L. Perkin Awards

**Dr Darlene Hammell**, *Victoria, BC*

**Dr Josephine Wilson**, *Calgary, Alta*

**Dr Ross Kerkhoff**, *Moosomin, Sask*

**Dr Kenneth L. Kliewer**, *Altona, Man*

**Dr George M. Burrows**, *Sutton West, Ont*

**Dr Carlo Jean-Louis**, *St-Anne-des-Monts, Que*

**Dr Robert Boulay**, *Chatham, NB*

**Dr Wayne Phillips**, *Wolfville, NS*

**Dr J. Alfred Morais**, *Charlottetown, PEI*

**Dr Carmel Casey**, *Gander, Nfld*

These awards, named in honour of Dr Reg L. Perkin, CFPC Executive Director from 1985 to 1996, recognize outstanding CFPC family physician members who exemplify the best of what being a family doctor is all about: embodying the 4 principles of family medicine by providing exceptional care to their patients and by contributing greatly to the health and well-being of their communities. These awards are supported by Janssen-Ortho Inc.

#### Donald I. Rice Award

**Dr Mohamed Ravalia**, *Twillingate, Nfld*

This award, named in honour of Dr Donald I. Rice, CFPC Executive Director from 1965 to 1985, recognizes an outstanding CFPC family physician member for exceptional contributions to teaching and leadership in our discipline. The recipient of this award is supported to present at meetings of family physicians across Canada over a 2-year period.

#### Jean-Pierre Despins Award

**Dr June Bergman**, *Calgary, Alta*

This award, named in memory of the late Dr Jean-Pierre Despins, CFPC President from 1995 to 1996 and Chair of the Board of the REF from 1999 to 2000, honours a CFPC family physician member identified as an outstanding advocate and public spokesperson for family medicine, family physicians, and their patients.

#### Honorary Membership

**Her Excellency the Right Honourable Michaëlle Jean**,

Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Canada

**Dr Dale Dauphinee**, *Ottawa, Ont*

Retiring Executive Director, Medical Council of Canada  
This honour recognizes people of distinction who are not CFPC members, but who have made an outstanding contribution to the CFPC, the discipline of family medicine, the medical profession, the health care system, or the health and well-being of the population in Canada or abroad.

#### Ian McWhinney

#### Family Medicine Education Award

**Dr Allyn Walsh**, *Hamilton, Ont*

This award, named in honour of Dr Ian McWhinney, the first Professor and Chair of a Canadian University Department of Family Medicine (University of Western Ontario, 1968 to 1987), is presented to an outstanding family medicine teacher deemed by peers to have made a substantial contribution to family medicine education.

#### Family Medicine Researcher of the Year

**Dr William E. Hogg**, *Ottawa, Ont*

This annual award honours a family medicine researcher who has been a pivotal force in, and has made an original contribution to, family medicine research. The contribution may encompass any aspect of family medicine research, from clinical care to health services to educational research.

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### CFPC Family Medicine Resident Leadership Awards

- Dr Richard Currie**,  
*University of British Columbia*
- Dr Jeanette Boyd**, *University of Calgary*
- Dr Rachita Gurtu**, *University of Alberta*
- Dr Vikki Vogt**,  
*University of Saskatchewan*
- Dr Danielle M. Roy**,  
*University of Manitoba*
- Dr Jamie Wickett**,  
*University of Western Ontario*
- Dr Todd Young**, *McMaster University*
- Dr Sheila Wijayasinghe** and  
**Dr Fok-Han Leung**,  
*University of Toronto*
- Dr Julia Miranda Rackal**,  
*Queen's University*
- Dr Jean Warneboldt**,  
*University of Ottawa*
- Dr Marie-Hélène Geoffroy**,  
*Laval University*
- Dr Eric Cadesky**, *McGill University*
- Dr Etienne Durand**,  
*University of Montreal*
- Dr Anick Pelletier**,  
*University of Sherbrooke*
- Dr Elizabeth Haney**,  
*Dalhousie University*
- Dr Rashaad Bhyat**,  
*Memorial University*

These awards recognize the leadership abilities of outstanding senior family medicine residents from each of Canada's family medicine residency programs. These awards are supported by donations from Scotiabank.

### CANADIAN FAMILY PHYSICIAN AWARDS

#### Janssen-Ortho Inc/Canadian Family Physician Best English Educational Article

**Dr Nick Kates**, *Hamilton, Ont*  
Attention deficit disorder in adults: management in primary care. *Can Fam Physician* 2005;51:53-9.  
Presented to the author of the best educational article published in *Canadian Family Physician* during the preceding year. This award is supported by donations from Janssen-Ortho Inc.

#### Canadian Family Physician Best Original Research Article

**Dr Nathalie Champoux**,  
*Ville St-Laurent, Que*, with  
**Dr Johanne Monette**, M<sup>me</sup> Michèle Monette, **Dr Guillaume Galbaud** du

**Fort, Dr Christina Wolfson**, and **Mr Jean-Pierre Le Cruguel**

Use of neuroleptics: study of institutionalized elderly people in Montreal, Que. *Can Fam Physician* 2005;51:696-7. Available at: <http://www.cfpc.ca/cfp/2005/may/vol51-may-research-1.asp>.

This award promotes research and publication by family physicians. Recipients are recognized for original research judged to be the best of its genre published in *Canadian Family Physician* during the preceding year.

### CONTINUING EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AWARDS

#### C. Robert Kemp Palliative Care Scholarships

**Dr Gaétan Lavoie**, *Matane, Que*  
**Dr Giulia-Anna Perri**, *Calgary, Alta*  
These scholarships are presented in the name of Dr C. Robert Kemp, a Past President of the Ontario College of Family Physicians (1967 to 1968), who has committed himself to palliative care initiatives. They support family physicians' participation in educational programs to enhance their knowledge and skills in palliative care. These scholarships are supported by donations from the Kemp Family Stoney Creek Fund of the Hamilton Community Foundation.

#### Hollister King Rural Family Practice Scholarship

**Dr Michael W. Quinlan**,  
*Canmore, Alta*  
This scholarship is named in memory of the late Dr Hollister King, CFPC President from 1977 to 1978 and former Chief of Family Practice at Women's College Hospital in Toronto, Ont. This award provides an opportunity for a practising family physician to attain or enhance special skills in delivery of rural medical care, in keeping with Dr King's lifelong interest in rural family practice.

#### Janus Continuing Professional Development and Continuing Medical Education Scholarships

**Dr Judith L. Bayer**, *Baltimore, Ont*  
**Dr Maria A. Cescon**, *Woodville, Ont*  
**Dr Julie Choquet**, *Montreal, Que*  
**Dr Susan Deering**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Abbas Ghavam-Rassoul**,  
*Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Mary Ann Gorcsi**, *Brantford, Ont*  
**Dr Karen Eva Jones**, *Toronto, Ont*  
**Dr Michael Kam**, *Drayton, Ont*  
**Dr Mark Karanofsky**, *Ottawa, Ont*  
**Dr Bindu Kumar**, *Toronto, Ont*  
**Dr Bryan MacLeod**, *Thunder Bay, Ont*  
**Dr Cleo Mavriplis**, *Ottawa, Ont*  
**Dr Paraisa Rezaiefar**, *Ottawa, Ont*  
**Dr Nicole Riese**, *Winnipeg, Man*  
**Dr John Rizos**, *Mississauga, Ont*  
**Dr David Shulman**, *Thornhill, Ont*  
Through these scholarships, the CFPC's Janus Project supports family doctors to carry out continuing medical education activities related to meeting the changing needs of their patients and communities. These scholarships are supported by donations from Associated Medical Services Inc and Scotiabank.

#### CFPC Scholarships in Women's Health

**Dr Claudette Chase**,  
*Sioux Lookout, Ont*  
**Dr Jeanette Dietrich**, *Sydenham, Ont*  
**Dr Allison Geffen**, *Ottawa, Ont*  
**Dr Dedeshya Holowenko**,  
*Winnipeg, Man*  
**Dr Margarita Lam-Antoniades**,  
*Toronto, Ont*  
**Dr Domenica Tambasco**, *Toronto, Ont*  
**Dr C. Rebecca Verhaeghe**,  
*Thornton, Ont*  
**Dr Tina Wasan**, *Sharon, Ont*  
**Dr Christiana Yao**, *Vancouver, BC*  
These scholarships, awarded to family physicians enhancing their knowledge and skills in women's health, are supported through donations to the CFPC's REF from the Society of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of Canada's Foundation for the Promotion of Reproductive and Sexual Health, whose mission is to promote and support educational initiatives in the field of sexual and reproductive health.

#### Geeta Gupta Equity and Diversity Award

Somerset West Community Health Centre Medical Team, *Ottawa, Ont*  
**Dr Dona Bowers**  
**Dr Elena Charapova**  
**Dr Kay Lee**  
**Dr Laura Muldoon**  
**Dr Cuong Ngo-Minh**  
**Dr Kristine Whitehead**  
This award, named in honour of



Dr Geeta Gupta—a family physician devoted to working with minority and ethnic communities—recognizes the achievements of outstanding family physicians who have shown leadership and awareness in helping foster respect and understanding of diverse patients or populations. This award is supported by a donation from the Ben Topor Family Foundation through the Jewish Community Foundation of Montreal, Que.

### CFPC Environmental Health Award and Nicole Bruinsma Award for Environmental Leadership

**Dr John O'Driscoll**, *Lachine, Que*

This award recognizes a CFPC family physician member who has demonstrated leadership in the area of environmental health. The recipient will also be awarded the Nicole Bruinsma Award for Environmental Leadership presented by the Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment in memory of the late Dr Nicole Bruinsma.

### CFPC RESEARCH AWARDS AND GRANTS

#### Janus Research Grants

**Dr Imaan Bayoumi**, *Hamilton, Ont*

**Dr Martin Fortin**, *Chicoutimi, Que*

**Dr Doug Klein**, *Edmonton, Alta*

**Dr Michel Labrecque**, *Quebec, Que*

**Dr Gordon E. Riddle**, *Bracebridge, Ont*

**Dr Danielle Saucier**, *Quebec, Que*

**Dr Anita Srivastava**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Leah Steele**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Gill N. White**, *Regina, Sask*

These Janus Project grants support family physicians in carrying out research projects that meet the changing needs of their patients and communities. These grants are supported by donations from Associated Medical Services Inc and Scotiabank.

#### D.M. Robb Research Grant

**Dr Richard Gibson**, *Dartmouth, NS*

This award honours the late Dr Douglas Robb, a Past President of the New Brunswick Chapter of the CFPC (1979

to 1980), who recognized the importance of research to the future of family medicine. The award supports the research activities of a community-based family physician.

### CFPC Outstanding Family Medicine Research Article

**Dr June Carroll**, *Toronto, Ont*

with **Dr Anthony J. Reid**, **Dr Anne Biringer**, **Dr Deana Midmer**, **Dr Richard H. Glazier**, **Dr Lynn Wilson**, **Dr Joanne A. Permaul**, **Dr Patricia Pugh**, **Dr Beverly Chalmers**, **Dr Freda Seddon**, and **Dr Donna E. Stewart**  
Effectiveness of the Antenatal Psychosocial Health Assessment (ALPHA) form in detecting psychosocial concerns: a randomized controlled trial. *CMAJ* 2005;173(3):253-9. Erratum in: *CMAJ* 2005;173(4):345.

This award recognizes the best research article published in a national or international journal during the preceding year that was based on family medicine research carried out by a CFPC member.

### LIFE MEMBERS

**Dr John E. Anderson**, *Kingston, Ont*

**Dr Chris Baciowski**, *Scarborough, Ont*

**Dr J. Paul Barschel**, *Regina, Sask*

**Dr Peter E. Bentz**, *Thunder Bay, Ont*

**Dr Nadia Boruch**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Ivan A. Bracalenti**, *Hamilton, Ont*

**Dr Flordicante B. Cabilan**,

*Hamilton, Ont*

**Dr Paul Chabun**, *White Rock, BC*

**Dr Marvin R. Clark**, *Summerside, PEI*

**Dr David L. Cogswell**, *Aylesford, NS*

**Dr Richard E. Comeau**,

*Petit Rocher Nord, NB*

**Dr Edward G. Davies**,

*Mississauga, Ont*

**Dr Terence A. Drolet**, *Wetaskiwin, Alta*

**Dr Bruce F. Ford**, *Sechelt, BC*

**Dr Wilfred R. Gillis**, *Kensington, PEI*

**Dr Donald J. Harterre**, *Peterborough, Ont*

**Dr Michael E. Irwin**, *Windsor, Ont*

**Dr William L. Johnson**, *Rothsay, NB*

**Dr Lalia A. Johnston**, *Halifax, NS*

**Dr Brian D. Jones**, *Swift Current, Sask*

**Dr Mamin S. Lee-Sing**, *Regina, Sask*

**Dr Hung-Fook Ma**, *Saskatoon, Sask*

**Dr Bernard Makhan**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr A. Cleland Marshall**,

*Middle Musquodoboit, NS*

**Dr J. Ross C. McElroy**, *Tavistock, Ont*

**Dr Iain L. McFadzen**, *Lethbridge, Alta*

**Dr Marion C. McIntosh**, *Westmount, NS*

**Dr Henry McPhie**, *Port Moody, BC*

**Dr Ahmed Meer**, *Sedgewick, Alta*

**Dr Alain Messier**, *Bedford, Que*

**Dr Robert A.L. Moulson**,

*Thunder Bay, Ont*

**Dr Logsetty M. Niranjan**, *Waterloo, Ont*

**Dr Ramon Orlando**, *West Vancouver, BC*

**Dr Ilija Popovic**, *High River, Alta*

**Dr Harold B. Shabsove**,

*Scarborough, Ont*

**Dr Robin S. Shearer**, *Saipan, CNMI*,

*Northern Mariana Islands*

**Dr John H. Sheldon**,

*New World Island, Nfld*

**Dr David B. Shires**, *The Woodlands, Tex*

**Dr G. Shochat**, *Toronto, Ont*

**Dr Duncan W. Sinclair**, *Aylmer, Ont*

**Dr Stanley L. Sunshine**, *Vancouver, BC*

**Dr Elizabeth Thakkar**, *Calgary, Alta*

**Dr Christopher C. Wells**, *Lakefield, Ont*

**Dr David M. Westwood**, *Lantzville, BC*

**Dr J. Zadyko**, *Toronto, Ont*

Life membership is awarded to those 70 or older who have been CFPC members in good standing for at least 10 consecutive years immediately before the date of nomination.

### FELLOWSHIP

Fellowship in the College of Family Physicians of Canada (FCFP) is an honour the CFPC confers upon Certificant members who have maintained their membership and Certification for a minimum of 10 consecutive years, demonstrating their ongoing commitment to continuing professional development and lifelong learning. To earn and maintain Fellowship, members are required to maintain Certification, including the submission of 25 Mainpro-C credits in each of their 5-year continuing medical education and continuing professional development cycles. The credentials CCFP and FCFP, granted by the CFPC according to federal government Charter, may be used for as long as the status of Active CFPC Member, Certificant, and Fellow are maintained. The names of CFPC Fellows for the year 2006 can be found on the College's website at [www.cfpc.ca/awards](http://www.cfpc.ca/awards). 🌟

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