



DISSEMINATION PLAN

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1.0 BACKGROUND

Patient Centered Interprofessional Team Experiences (P-CITE) is a Health Canada funded initiative in interprofessional education for collaborative patient-centered practice. P-CITE focuses on the interprofessional education of health professional students in Saskatchewan prior to qualification. Interprofessional education occurs when two or more professions learn with, from and about each other to improve collaboration and the quality of care.

P-CITE has three overarching aims: collaborative practice, patient-centered care and interprofessional education (IPE). Over three years, P-CITE funded 47 innovative IPE projects in academic institutions and community settings. P-CITE provided 4,145 interprofessional, patient-centered student classroom experiences, 1421 interprofessional problem-based learning student experiences, and 569 interprofessional clinical student experiences for health professional students in Saskatchewan. P-CITE provided 706 educators, 731 health care providers and 271 external stakeholders with faculty/preceptor/clinical/ practitioner experiences in IPE.

In conjunction with evaluation work for Health Canada, P-CITE created a dissemination plan to share P-CITE products, tools, resources, templates and lessons learned in IPE.

2.0 DEVELOPMENT OF P-CITE DISSEMINATION PLAN

The P-CITE consultation findings, the Canadian Interprofessional Health Collaborative Dissemination Strategy, and the Management Committee guided the development of this dissemination plan.

2.1. P-CITE Consultation Project

The P-CITE consultation project identified strategies to disseminate P-CITE results broadly with provincial stakeholders while P-CITE continued to operate. In May/June 2007, key informant telephone interviews were conducted with a purposive sample of 41 IPE stakeholders who represented twelve professions, primarily in the health sciences. A grounded theory approach to qualitative data analysis was used by the external consultant, Colleen Zubkow.

The majority of respondents were from Saskatoon, university-based, educators/ educational leaders, involved in P-CITE as project leads/team members and/or as members of P-CITE committees. While representatives were contacted from all primary organizations involved in P-CITE, some did not volunteer to participate. Therefore, suggestions from stakeholders at the University of Regina, SIAST and the First Nations University of Canada are limited or missing from the dissemination plan. The full evaluation report on sustainability and dissemination provided the information for this document.

2.2. Canadian Interprofessional Health Collaborative Dissemination Strategy

The Canadian Interprofessional Health Collaborative (CIHC) Dissemination Strategy provided relevant support and direction (templates) for effective ways to develop materials and key messages to share P-CITE findings and products.

3.0. The P-CITE Dissemination Plan

P-CITE findings and related documents will be disseminated to: reach a range of target groups (education sector, health sector, government) in Saskatchewan; raise awareness and stimulate interest in IPE; and provide information for IPE stakeholders to use to plan further actions on IPE in Saskatchewan.

Dissemination Target Group: P-CITE Stakeholders

Level One (n=33)

- P-CITE Management Committee
- P-CITE Steering Committee
- P-CITE Faculty Development Working Group
- P-CITE Evaluation Working Group

Level Two (n=128)

- P-CITE Advisory Committee
- P-CITE Project Leads
- Saskatchewan Primary Health Care Directors
- South Saskatchewan Interprofessional Education Network Members
- Saskatchewan Academic Health Sciences Network Advisory Board Members

- University of Saskatchewan, Health Science Deans Council (HSDC)
- University of Saskatchewan, Interprofessional Health Education Committees (IHEC)
- University of Saskatchewan, Interprofessional Continuing Education for Collaborative Client Centred Care (ICEC4)
- University of Saskatchewan, Associate Vice President of Research

- University of Regina (Deans of Human Service Programs)
- Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology (Wascana and Kelsey campus Health Programs)

- Health Quality Council
- Saskatchewan Health Research Foundation
- Health Professional Associations

Level Three (n =26)

- Premier of Saskatchewan
- Minister of Health
- Minister of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour
- U of S Provost
- U of S President
- U of R President
- FNUC President
- SIASST President
- Saskatchewan Council of Health Region CEO's

3.1. P-CITE Dissemination Products

The following documents/products will be disseminated to the three levels of key IPE stakeholders listed above. Level One and Two stakeholders will receive a memory stick with electronic copies of the documents as indicated in Table 1. Level Three stakeholders will receive a print version of the P-CITE Summary document (3.1.12.).

P-CITE Dissemination Products

3.1.1. Original P-CITE Documents

P-CITE Proposal for Health Canada (Dec. 2004, 32p).

3.1.2. Diagrams/Figures

P-CITE Organizational Structure.

3.1.3. Lists

- a) P-CITE Committees: Advisory, Management, Steering, Faculty Development Working Group, Evaluation Working Group.
- b) 47 P-CITE Funded Projects by Funding Round.

3.1.4. Fact Sheets

CICH IPE: P-CITE in Action sheet.

3.1.5. P-CITE Multi-Purpose Tools, Templates, Resources

P-CITE Evaluation Template for Projects (8p).

3.1.6. P-CITE Presentation Documents

- a) P-CITE Power point.
- b) Evaluation Power point (January 2008).

3.1.7. Health Canada P-CITE Evaluation

- a) Health Canada Final Report (electronic copy and print copy).
- b) Health Canada executive summary.

3.1.8. Intellectual Property Guidelines

CIHC Appendix E on *Authorship, Intellectual Property and Copyright* (9 p).
N.B. Included in the entire CIHC dissemination document.

3.1.9. Journal Publications

FDWG publication: *Addressing Faculty Development Needs in a Large Scale Interprofessional Project*.

3.1.10. Interprofessional Health RefWorks Database

Presentation handout and information on the RefWorks Database related to its development, access and use (Kelly McIvor, U of S, Health Sciences Library).

3.1.11. Short documents

- a) P-CITE Sustainability Strategy, February 2008 (12p).
- b) P-CITE Dissemination Plan, March 2008 (6p).

3.1.12. P-CITE Summary Document (print version)

A one page, double-sided summary document will be created as an overview or summary snapshot of P-CITE.

3.1.13. Dissemination Distribution List

A list of all stakeholders receiving the P-CITE dissemination documents/products will be included on the memory stick.

Table 1: P-CITE Documents for Dissemination by Target Group Level

Document	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
1. P-CITE proposal	X	X	
2. P-CITE structure	X	X	
3a. P-CITE committee lists	X	X	
b. 47 P-CITE Funded Projects by Funding Round	X	X	
4. P-CITE IPE in Action	X	X	
5. Evaluation template	X		
6a. P-CITE power point	X		
b. Evaluation power point (January 2008)	X		
7a. Health Canada Final report	X		
b. Health Canada: Key messages & exec. summary		X	
8. CIHC Dissemination Strategy/IP Guidelines	X		
9. FDWG paper/publication.	X	X	
10. Interprofessional Health RefWorks information	X		
11a. P-CITE Sustainability Strategy (February 2008)	X		
b. P-CITE Dissemination Plan (March 2008)	X		
12. P-CITE Summary Document (print format)	X	X	X
13. Dissemination Distribution List	X	X	

4.0. P-CITE Dissemination in Progress

4.1. Video

In development by the Interprofessional Health Sciences Office at the University of Saskatchewan: *Dissemination Strategy for Building IPE Sustainability* project. Video will summarize the role of P-CITE (projects, events and goals) as a catalyst for IPE over the past three years. The goal is to increase awareness and move people to seek out further information on IPE in Saskatchewan.

4.2. Website Strategy

In development by the Interprofessional Health Sciences Office at the University of Saskatchewan: *Dissemination Strategy for Building IPE Sustainability* project. This website will collate and collect information in one central location on the work of P-CITE and IPE in general. The focus of the website is on: P-CITE history, lessons learned, curriculum inventory and resources. The website will include a searchable database of IPE related activities. It will also focus on IPE electronic newsletters, events, and announcements. The current P-CITE website at www.pcite.ca will remain active until this new website is up and running.

4.3. Interprofessional Health RefWorks Database

The RefWorks Database was created for P-CITE by/in partnership with the University of Saskatchewan Health Sciences Library. It was modeled on a similar database created for the Interprofessional Network of BC (an IECPCP project). RefWorks provides a single location for a comprehensive list of citations pertaining to interprofessional health relations. Books, journals, conference proceedings and websites are also included.

5.0. Key Stakeholder Suggestions and the Dissemination Plan

The goal of this document was to create a dissemination plan that was consistent with and reflected recommendations/feedback provided by key IPE stakeholders to:

- Use a combination of ways to share evaluation findings for wide dissemination to educators, funders, regional health authorities, government, students and others involved in IPE.
- Provide evaluation findings in plain language, focused on Saskatchewan-based experiences in IPE through a variety of mediums, for example, print-based, power point, video and websites.
- Involve existing IPE champions and community organizations in sharing P-CITE evaluation findings and exchanging information on what is happening in IPE.
- Provide written reports, documents and summaries; create a book, a summary of all the projects, their descriptions, key learnings and outcomes.
- Share evaluation findings at conferences, workshops, seminars with a collaborative, interprofessional approach.
- Disseminate P-CITE evaluation findings through professional and national associations, journals and newsletters and the CIHC.
- Involve the Interprofessional Health Science Office at the University of Saskatchewan to support, organize and coordinate dissemination of P-CITE products and findings.
- Share P-CITE evaluation findings through the Canadian Interprofessional Health Collaborative network, through existing P-CITE members connected to the CIHC.