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The Cardiovascular Health Awareness Program (CHAP) Journey

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À l'invitation du professeur Lyne Lalonde

This presentation will highlight some of the challenges and successes in our journey to develop, implement, evaluate and scale-up the Cardiovascular Health Awareness Program (CHAP) as an ongoing initiative available to all Canadians to significantly improve community and population-based prevention and management of cardiovascular disease. Work to develop CHAP began in 2000 in an effort to address the persistent problem of how to better prevent and manage cardiovascular risk at the population level – a challenge at the intersection of public health and primary health care. The core group of program developers included a sociologist, an epidemiologist, a pharmacist, a family physician, a biostatistician, and a public health nurse. The basis of the program is collaboration with local stakeholders, including organizations and agencies involved in social and health services, family physicians, pharmacists, community nurses, volunteers and local policymakers.

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