

# Seeking Sentinel Physicians

## Are you...

Interested in monitoring the healthcare impact of influenza?

Seeking access to enhanced diagnostics?

Interested in how well influenza vaccine protects each year?

Willing to give on average 10 minutes of your time per week?

## If so...

Consider joining the:

## **BC Sentinel Physician Network**

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*BC Centre for Disease Control, Influenza & Emerging Respiratory Pathogens Team acknowledges the generous contribution of sentinel physicians across the province.*

## About the network

In 1977, Dr. Peter Hoogewerf, a visionary family physician in British Columbia, established Canada's first sentinel influenza surveillance network.

Since then, dedicated physicians across BC have contributed each year to help monitor the arrival, spread and health care impact of influenza.

In recent years, BC physicians have also become world leaders by introducing a unique approach to monitor vaccine protection each year through their sentinel surveillance network.



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