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Good afternoon,

I'm writing to inform Primary Care Alberta's key partners and stakeholders of some important changes taking place as we continue to work with the provincial government and Alberta Health Services (AHS) to refocus the health care system.

As you're aware, the Alberta health care system is being refocused to establish four provincial health agencies, focusing on priority sectors, inside the larger health system. Much has occurred over the past few months to support this work, including the operationalization of Acute Care Alberta (ACA), establishing Assisted Living Alberta (ALA), and staff transfers from AHS into Primary Care Alberta (PCA) and Acute Care Alberta (ACA).

You can learn more about the refocus of healthcare in Alberta here: [Refocusing health care in Alberta | Alberta.ca](#).

Today the process began to transfer approximately 4,275 positions from AHS to PCA, effective July 1, 2025. Positions transferring to PCA will focus on areas of public health, chronic disease management and Indigenous wellness to align with PCA's goals of preventative health and access to primary care services.

I believe that the front-line public health, chronic disease management and Indigenous wellness teams have found the right home in Primary Care Alberta. We share a vision for promoting and protecting the health of individuals, families and communities, and I look forward to working with these dedicated public health professionals; to identifying opportunities to be innovative, and to aligning our work to improve the care provided to Albertans.

Learn more about [Primary Care Alberta](#).

I know there are likely many questions. I would therefore like to invite you to a virtual conversation with PCA's leadership team Monday, June 23rd 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm. Click here to register: <https://albertahealthservices.zoom.us/meeting/register/C67LY9I0Sc257XHUc0n7zg>

I look forward to working with our partners and stakeholders to create a primary healthcare system that puts patients at the centre.

Cheers,

Kim Simmonds



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