ADVOCACY WITH IMPACT

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Portland Trail Blazers (NBA)
Director of DEI and Carson family friend

ADVOCACY WITH IMPACT



In this workshop, strong audience participation will enable the delivery of tested strategies for advocacy success. Facilitation by both early and later career SEM physicians will inform you regarding essentials for strong impact resulting from your advocacy efforts. You will be prompted to collaborate with many of your future CASEM best friends. We invite you to dive in!

 Check out our full PowerPoint & list of workshop resources at: <u>sportmednorth.com/casem-advocacy-1</u>

Objectives

Sorry for the hurry / fast pace! OMG 30 minutes!





- To integrate collaboration strategies with an equity, diversity and inclusion lens into your advocacy efforts, aiming for high impact.
- To prompt you to consider the impact of small advocacy actions

 a springboard leading to successful career achievements and milestones within your practice, within your community and (perhaps) with many Canadians as beneficiaries.

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ANK WHICH OF THE 4 IS YOUR OR WOULD HAVE BEEN YOUR GREATEST NEED

Mentimeter

In my early career, in order to create / promote more advocacy with impact, I wish I....

1st Had more skills for persuasive writing / social media / podcasting

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3rd Had more collaboration

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Advocacy creates positive change by pressuring decision-makers through lobbying and campaigning

 The Activism Vs Advocacy Differences You Never Knew <u>https://viableoutreach.com/activism-vs-advocacy-which-one-is-viewed-as-more-effective/#advocacy-meaning</u>

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ADVOCACY CAN

- make the world more...
 - just
 - o peaceful
 - tolerant
 - o and equal
- through acts of
 - charity
 - kindness
 - and political action

Our actions	BYSTANDER	ALLY				
	We don't act because we don't know how to or why.	You assist and support in an ongoing effort, activity or struggle.				
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We don't notice or understand

some social changes being

demanded by other people. We

conversation or we are not

UNAWARE

from

disengaged

interested.

Our awareness journey

You are proactively working for change, supporting those who (underrepresented, need marginalized, etc). You start pushing outside your comfort zone, and you are about to find your voice as your actions become visible and a priority for you.

ACTIVE

ALLY or

ADVOCATE

As an advocate, you aim to

influence with formal support,

acknowledging and utilizing your

controversial situations on behalf

of marginalized people and

groups who can't afford to do so

in order to make social and

engage

privilege to

political change.

We realize there is something

going on, and that we have been

blind in some ways. You begin to

perspectives and demands, and

start connecting your story to

AWARE

other

people's

understand

theirs.

systems, and other social/political issues. You sparkle meaningful, widespread, and scalable lasting change. You have brave public actions that challenge deeply rooted beliefs and practices, and you take calculated personal or professional risk shift behaviors. **ADVOCATE**

ADVOCATE or

ACTIVIST

As an activist, you act on behalf

of solving social and political

issues. It is to be at the forefront

of a movement, oftentimes

compromising your own energy

in order to seek justice and evoke

change, make an intentional action to bring about social or

political change, social change,

iustice, or environmental well

change, economic

political

being.

Your voice is capable of transforming society, biased

(Marilia Honorio)

Key Components of Effective Advocacy

- The rightness of the cause:
- Know the facts:
- Use the facts:
- Be clear and concise:
- Build up and nurture relationships and collaborative networks:
- Use a variety of advocacy tools and tactics:
- Apply different advocacy channels:
- Say thank you:

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http://peersforprogress.org/resource-guide/key-components-of-effective-advocacy/#:~:text=Evidence%20has%20shown%20that%20effective.changes%20to%20peer%20support%20programs.

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If You Score Low On This, You Have No Time For Advocacy

The WHO-5 questionnaire

Instructions:

Please indicate for each of the 5 statements which is closest to how you have been feeling over the past 2 weeks.

Ov	ver the past 2 weeks	All of the time		More than half the time	Less than half the time	Some of the time	N 1000 1000 1000
1	I have felt cheerful and in good spirits	5	4	3	2	1	0
2	I have felt calm and relaxed	5	4	3	2	1	0
3	I have felt active and vigorous	5	4	3	2	1	0
	I woke up feeling fresh and rested	5	4	3	2	1	0
	my daily life has been filled with things that interest me	5	4	3	2	1	0

Scoring principle: The raw score ranging from 0 to 25 is multiplied by 4 to give the final score from 0 representing the worst imaginable well-being to 100 representing the best imaginable well-being.

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NO SMOKING SIGN

- 1983 Started with community advocacy in my own waiting room before I saw my very 1st patient
- My father and my father-in-law warned me that I would be discouraging new patients!



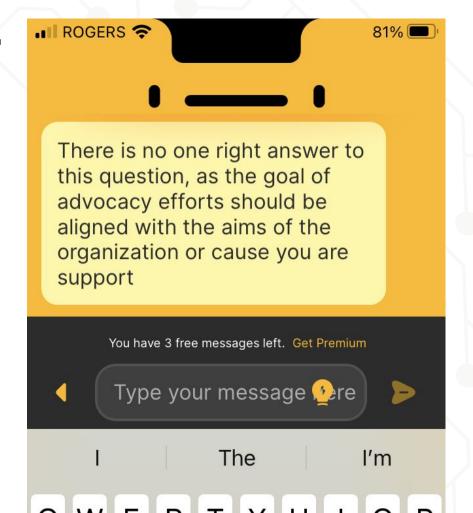
TIME MARCHES ON

Lots of things change in 40 years

 I have been reflecting upon my career and advocacy experiences, and my desire to inspire early and mid career colleagues to move forward on their advocacy journey

2023: ASK CHAT GPT





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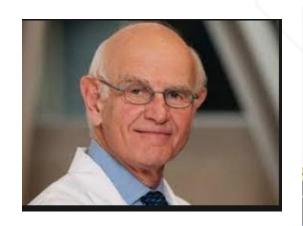
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I Witnessed / Befriended

- Tom Pashby put eye protection on hockey helmets, saving so many blinded eyes
- Charles Tator and Yelverton Tegner stopped hitting from behind in hockey, saving so many spinal cord injuries









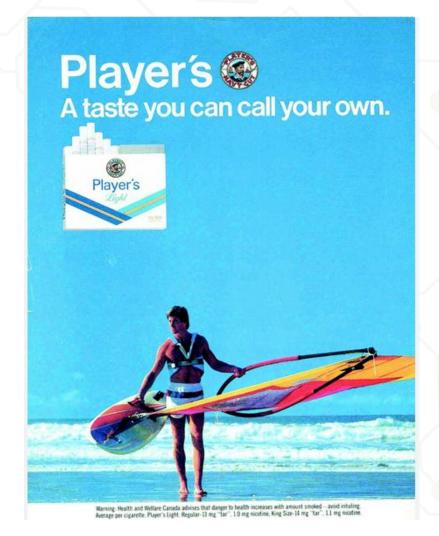
Aim for Advocacy With Impact

Blame Andrew Pipe:

- Last year in Quebec I asked him and he replied:
 "could be a symposium workshop next year in Banff"
- Dr. Pipe did much more than hang a "NO SMOKING" sign in his waiting room. He took on tobacco advertising at sporting events
- Want to learn more... see our resource list









 No need to aim so high, so advocacy is not as daunting as going over Niagara Falls in a barrel!

 Yet, taking on the big tobacco companies and their lawyers is certainly going to smack you hard if you belly flop off the high diving board



WE INVITE YOU TO DIVE IN!

• The (lower) springboard is less daunting, especially if you dive in (or just leap) with others in a collaborative effort.





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"You can plant seeds for trees that will grow, yet you may never enjoy their shade"

Michelle Jalali 2023:

Defining impact can be hard; its selfless, often thankless but most impactful when...



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Holland Bloorview Project - School First



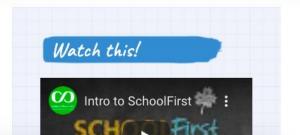
READY TO BECOME A CONCUSSION CHAMPION?

As an educator, it is important for you to be a 'Concussion Champion' and support students with a concussion within a school setting. 1,2 Here's how:



Build Your Knowledge

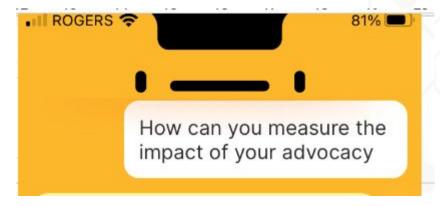
- What is a concussion?
- Concussion recovery and returning to school



KEY COLLABORATORS

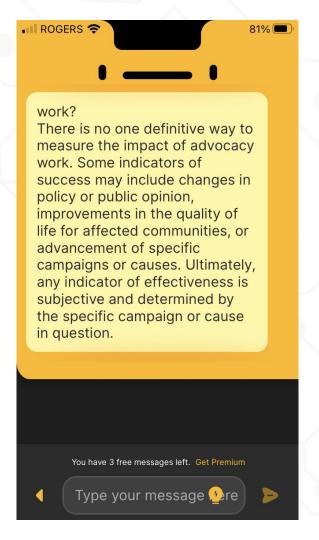
We had stakeholder representation...

- SEM
- Educators
- Occupational Therapists
- Knowledge Translation (KT)
 Specialist



- Even CHAT GPT is now correcting my writing ;-(
- Don't discount INDIRECT impact
 - Students and residents we mentor often achieve greatness





INDIRECT ADVOCACY IMPACT



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Research Article Research

Premature return to play and return to learn after a sport-related concussion

Physician's chart review

James D. Carson, David W. Lawrence, Sari A. Kraft, Alisha Garel, Catherine L. Snow, Ananda Chatterjee, Paula Libfeld, Heather M. MacKenzie, Jane S. Thornton,

Rahim Moineddin and Pierre Frémont

Canadian Family Physician June 2014 60 (6) e310-e315;

https://www.cfp.ca/content/60/6/e310.short

Teaching Medical Learners

- I now consider this a gift to me
- This is a privilege and an opportunity
- Your influence upon your students and residents affords <u>huge impact of your</u> <u>advocacy efforts</u>

Want to start somewhere?

 CBC Sports app reports on Advocacy and sports issues every day

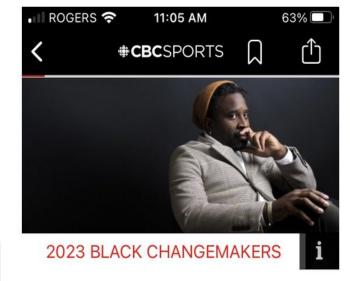
https://www.cbc.ca/sports/podcasts/players-own-voice/pov-podcast-waneek-horn-miller-1.6758213



Player's Own Voice podcast: Waneek Horn-Miller, Canada's ultimate coach | CBC Sports

CBC Sports' Player's Own Voice podcast chats with Waneek Horn-Miller, activist, athlete, advocate for Indigenous sport, and now a coach on the CBC program, Canada's Ultimate Challenge.

www.cbc.ca



His community group draws in kids with basketball. Then the real work begins

Beverley Jacques, who launched DOD Basketball 20 years ago, is a 'real force' for change in Saint-Léonard

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CASEM Organizational Chart 2021

Board of Directors CASEM Representatives Standing Committees Clinical Interest Groups (Advisors to the CASEM Board) Communications **JCMS** Tatiana Jevremovic Margaret Burghardt Credentials Kent Pottle Candian Concussion Collaborative Pierre Frémont Publications Julie Peltz Post Graduate Medical Education Lindsay Bradley Research Kien Trinh CPD Andrew Marshal **Games Application**

COMMUNICATIONS/ MARKETING/ MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE - OPEN to New Members

Chair: Tatiana Jevremovic - tjevremovic@hotmail.com

Richard Goudie

To develop and deliver communications strategies both within CASEM and to target audiences outside of the organization. To market CASEM and its activities to members and key audiences outside of CASEM. To ensure the highest level of membership services and satisfaction with the services. This committee meet in-person during the annual symposium and virtually, if necessary, the rest of the year.

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT - OPEN to New Members

Chair: Andrew Marshall - andy.marshall@me.com

This committee is responsible for the development of the CASEM CPD - Team Physician Course, the CASEM Advanced Skills Course in Sport Medicine as well as programs on specific clinical issues in sport medicine. To date, the Committee has delivered programs on: Osteoarthritis, Running Injuries, Anti-Doping and more recently Endurance Sport Medicine. This committee meet in-person during the annual symposium and virtually, if necessary, the rest of the year.

CREDENTIALS (DIPLOMA) COMMITTEE - CLOSED (by invitation)

Chair: Kent Pottle - kentpottle@hotmail.com

The Credentials Committee is responsible for the ongoing development and the administration of the examination for the Diploma in Sport Medicine. First administered in 1989, the examination is a multistage OSCE (Objective Structured Clinical Evaluation) process. The Diploma in Sport Medicine is awarded to those who successfully complete the exam and serves to identify to the public and the profession those with particular skills and special expertise in the area of Sport Medicine.

POST GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE – CLOSED (only for PGY-3 Program Directors) Formerly the Fellowship Committee

Chair: Lindsay Bradley - lindsaybradley@gmail.com

The Post Graduate Medical Education Committee comprises of Program Directors of sport medicine fellowships/PGY3s from across Canada.

PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE - OPEN to New Members

Chair: Julie Peltz - jpeltz@alumni.stanford.edu

The publications Committee provides a formal platform for CASEM documents to be reviewed and prepared for publication. Documents include: position papers, discussion papers, website publications, etc. The publications committee will also review and categorize existing position papers according to approved criteria. This committee meet in-person during the annual symposium and virtually, if necessary, the rest of the year.

RESEARCH COMMITTEE - OPEN to New Members

Chair: Kien Trinh trinhk@mcmaster.ca

The CASEM Research Committee, established in 1986, includes members from across Canada and of different medical specialties. Its mandate includes the development of a systematic, comprehensive program of sport medicine research and research education in Canada.

GAMES APPLICATION COMMITTEE CLOSED (by invitation)

Formerly the Selections Committee

Chair: Richard Goudie drrgoudie@gmail.com

The Games Application Committee reviews all medical team applications received from the CASEM members, including physician nominations from National Sport Organizations, to represent the CASEM at Major Games. These Games include the Olympics, Paralympics, Commonwealth, Francophone, University and Canada Games. The Committee recommends the best qualified applicants taking into account expertise, commitment to Sport Medicine, the Diploma Exam in Sport Medicine and other needs from the Major Games. Also taken into account are specialities, gender and language representation.

CLINICAL INTEREST GROUPS (CIGS) - OPEN to New Members

CASEM CURRENTLY HAS 8 CIGs- ALL are OPEN to new members: CIGs meet in-person during the annual symposium and virtually, if necessary, the rest of the year.

- Wilderness Medicine Currently Inactive
 For physicians with an interest in wilderness medicine
- Women's Issues in Sport Medicine (WIISM) Jane Thronton jane.s.thornton@gmail.com Advises on topics for the annual symposium and relevant CASEM courses.
- Pediatric Sport & Exercise Medicine Jerome Ouellet jeromeouellet@hotmail.com
 Creates the content for the Pediatric Sport Medicine courses
 Multiple projects in the works
- Team Physician Coordination Steve Keeler <u>Keeleryoung@shaw.ca</u> and Terry DeFreitas <u>tld1@ualberta.ca</u>

Open to all Team Physician's of National Sport teams.

Disseminates the latest developments relevant to team physicians and has a few projects in the works

Adaptive Physical Activity – Lindsay Bradley lindsaybradley@gmail.com
 Creates the content for the Para Adaptive Sport Medicine Courses
 Multiple projects in the works

Endurance SEM – Rich Trenholm <u>rich@triathlonmuskoka.com</u>
 Creates the content for the Endurance Sport Medicine courses

- Thanks to Dawn Haworth for this resource list.
- Check out our full list of workshop resources at: <u>sportmednorth.com/casem-a</u> <u>dvocacy-1</u>

Calling for improved equity, diversity and inclusion in sport and exercise medicine – it starts with us

Jane S Thornton , 1,2 Lee Schofield, 3 Victor Lun⁴

Welcome to the Canadian Academy of Sport and Exercise Medicine (CASEM) issue. As physicians who practise sport and exercise medicine (SEM) in Canada, we have a responsibility to treat each patient that we see with dignity and respect, and consider the whole person in our approach to their care. We have the unique opportunity to work with athletes, and it is key that recognise how unique each individual is as we support them. In this issue, we have made a concerted effort to showcase



CASEM'S ROLE IN EQUITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

One of us (LS) is the chair of the new equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI) committee within CASEM. This committee will have the opportunity to be educated and as best informed as possible so that we can support our fellow physicians in SEM, as well as advocate for the athletes and patients that we treat. We are in the initial stages of developing this committee within CASEM, but the variety of areas that this committee will be able to contribute to is already emerging. It is important for SEM physicians to understand how we can apply the EDI lens to the medical training programmes we come from, the projects that we are undertaking, and representing all groups in our communication and work. We are working to develop our terms of reference for the CASEM EDI committee this coming year, and will survey our membership to help guide what projects we may initially explore.

Amandev's Advocacy Journey

- Leadership roles in training:
 - Class Council
 - Chief Resident
- OMA Sport and Exercise Medicine executive
 - Dr. Taryn Taylor
- Involvement with Canada Soccer and multi-sport games
- WHO-5 in recent years → very low score!

Michelle Jalali's info

Check out our resources list for a more complete view of Michelle's:

- Key Terminology
- A Look at Language
- Reflection
- Resources

Michelle Jalali's info

A Look at Language

Diversity



Healthcare professionals, trainees, educators, researchers, and patients of varied race, ethnicity, gender, disability, social class, socioeconomic status, sexual orientation, gender identity, primary spoken language, and geographic region

Inclusion



Active, intentional, and ongoing engagement with diversity, including intentional policies and practices that promote the full participation and sense of belonging of every group or individual.

Equity



Ending institutional and discriminatory barriers that lead to health inequities such as racism and sexism, as well as factors outside the healthcare system, such as poverty and unequal distribution of resources.

Advocacy



Any action, big or small, that speaks in favor of, recommends, argues for a cause, supports or defends, or pleads on behalf of others.

Diversity, equity, inclusion, and impactful advocacy are critically important if medical research and practice are to deliver on the goal to improve human health.

THINK, PAIR, SHARE

- 2 questions to consider:
- What does EDI mean to you?
 - Personally
 - Professionally
- What were some of the barriers or difficulties that you have faced in previous advocacy efforts?

Barriers to Advocacy

- Time
- Comfort
- Mentors
 - CASEM Mentorship Program
- Financial/Limited Resources
- Implicit bias

Examples of EDI Advocacy

- Canada Games Sport Physiotherapy Leadership Program
 - o Dr. Tracy Blake
- Indigeneity, Diaspora, Equity and Anti-racism in Sport (IDEAS) Research Lab
 - o Dr. Janelle Joseph
- NFL Diversity in Sports Medicine Pipeline Initiative
- #WeThe15

Tools for Incorporating EDI

- Project Implicit website
- BJSM Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion (EDI)
 Guiding Document
- Canadian Women and Sport Tools
 - To help advance gender equity

Michelle Jalali's EDI Resource list

Resources

- Northwestern Feinberg School of Medicine: Anti-racism in Medicine
 Collection: Feinberg Academy of Medical Educators
- Doctors on Values and Advocacy: A Qualitative and Evaluative Study
- <u>Promoting and Assessing Cultural Competence, Professional Identity,</u> and Advocacy in Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) Degree Students
 <u>Within a Community of Practice</u>
- How to Be an Active-ist: A Framework for Advocacy in Sports Medicine

- As Physicians, we all educate and advocate already, many of us 24/7!
- Today we want to inspire you to take your advocacy to the next level or higher
- We want you to imagine your advocacy efforts to produce greater impact

Had more skills for persuasive writing / social media / podcastina Had more tools for implementing DEI /EDI (Equity, Diversity & Inclusion) Had more collaboration Had more mentors / gurus to consult / advise

A Call to ACTION

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Persuasive Writing for Advocacy

May 6, 2022 | DFCM Conference 2022

The Op-Ed

- Make one point (and only one!)
 - Personal active voice
 - Provocative
 - Solution-oriented
- Know your audience
- 800 word maximum
- Short sentences and paragraphs

The Op-Ed: Structure

- 1. Hook
- 2. Set-up
- 3. Nut graph ("nutshell paragraph")
- 4. Diagnosis
- Prescription
- 6. Concession
- 7. Call to Action

Permission to reproduce granted by Hasan Sheikh, M.D. CCFP(EM) MPA

The Op-Ed: Structure (in medical terminology you can relate to)

- 1. Hook (abnormal vitals)
- Set-up (chief complaint)
- 3. Nut graph (one-liner)
- 4. Diagnosis (Dx)
- 5. Prescription (Rx)
- 6. Concession (DDx)
- 7. Call to Action (f/u, disposition)

See Dr Sheikh's references in our resource list ***



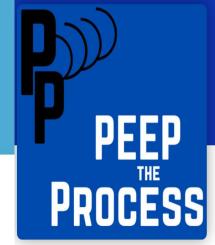
MSK Matters

Dr. Ali Rendely and Guests

A sport and exercise medicine podcast for Canadian medical residents and senior medical students

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Peep the Process Podcast

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The Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine Podcast

A regular discussion of highlighted content in the Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine and hot topics in the world of clinical sports medicine.

SafeSport - What Clinicians can do to Prevent Abuse and Harassment in Sport

Creator: James MacDonald

Duration: 26:24

Clinical Journal of Sport Medicine

Our guest is Margo Mountjoy MD, PhD, CJSM author and internationally recognized expert in the identification, treatment and prevention of abuse and barassment in sport

FINAL THINK, PAIR, SHARE

- How did you find your guru?
- How did you find your media person?
- How did your collaboration succeed?

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YOUR CASEM CELEBRITY ADVOCACY CRUSH





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WHO WOULD YOU WANT TO WORK WITH?

Who is your CASEM Celebrity Advocacy Crush?



We have let you glimpse through our collaborative lens

 Advocacy modeled by 2 SEM colleagues who have the Journey & Process but not all the answers



- We have provided you an opportunity to reflect upon:
 - What you have done
 - Where you want this info to take your career
 - Moving forward with advocacy as a key component to your SEM career
- We acknowledge the challenges and the journey

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Challenge Yourself

 How do you want to measure your own advocacy impact & hold yourself accountable?

Thank you!

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