

Candidate Presentation: Manitoba Research Chair in Health System Innovation at the University of Manitoba

“GETTING TO THE SOURCE OF THE PATIENT FLOW PROBLEM”

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Patient flow – ensuring that patients receive the care they need, when and where they need it – is one of the greatest challenges facing healthcare today. Why do efforts to improve flow often fall short of expectations? Evidence suggests a need to examine not merely specific flow initiatives but deeper issues concerning system design, organizational decision-making processes, and social context. A multi-jurisdictional, mixed-methods research program, building on theory and the findings of decision-maker-partnered Manitoba studies, will integrate these four levels of analysis.



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