Canadian Physician Health Institute: Call for funding proposals

The Canadian Physician Health Institute is a national program promoting physician mental health and wellness. Created by the Canadian Medical Association and the Canadian Medical Foundation, the institute works with and through partners to share information and build knowledge about the issues related to physician mental health.

Do you have an idea for a project or campaign to promote physician mental health? If so, consider applying to the Canadian Physician Health Institute Special Project Fund. There is $145,000 available to be awarded, and the fund supports the promotion of physician health and wellness at the national level. Successfully funded initiatives will address one of the following themes:

- Education and training in physician health at undergraduate and post-graduate medical education level
- Elimination of stigma associated with physician illness, impairment, or disability
- Professionalism and disruptive behaviour
- All other themes related to primary prevention

Funds are awarded through a semi-annual peer-review process. Proposals for this review period are due June 9th, 2014.

For more information about the Canadian Physician Health Institute and on how to apply for special project funding, please contact CPHI@cma.ca or visit www.cphi-icsm.ca