NAME/LOCATION OF PROGRAM:
Genetics Education Canada – Knowledge Organization (GEC-KO)
Children’s Hospital of Eastern Ontario (CHEO), Regional Genetics Program
401 Smyth Road, Ottawa, Ontario, K1H 8L1, CANADA

TRAINING AUDIENCE AND GOALS:
Primary Care Providers
GOALS - Primary care providers will:
  o Be aware of and use genetics educational resources.
  o Be aware of and use the GEC-KO website and resources.
  o Rate the GEC-KO website and resources as having high usefulness, utility, functionality and value.
  o Be aware of the relevance and utility of genetics in primary care.
  o Have appropriate genetics knowledge and skills/competencies.
  o Have knowledge of appropriate and evidence-based use of genetic services and genetic testing including benefits, risks and limitations.
  o Be confident in core genetics skills/competencies in genetics in primary care.
  o Have well-informed attitudes toward the appropriate use of genetic tests and genetics services in primary care
  o Demonstrate appropriate behaviour/practice with regards to genetics in primary care.
There will be evidence of:
  o Improved quality of care in genetic medicine.
  o Improved management of diseases with a genetic component.
  o Improved continuum of care from primary care to secondary care to specialist genetics care.

TRAINING MODE/MATERIALS:
www.geneticseducation.ca

# OF TRAINEES AND TRAINING STAFF:
0.8 Genetic Counsellor

EVALUATION PLANS
Have evaluated resources with knowledge, confidence in core genetics skills, and vignette management
  o Carroll JC, Wilson BJ, Allanson J et al., GenetiKit: a randomized controlled trial to enhance delivery of genetics services by family physicians. Fam Pract 2011
  o Carroll JC et al. Efficacy of an educational intervention on family physicians' risk and management of colorectal cancer. J Community Genet 2014

Upcoming:
  o Website evaluation
  o Skills evaluation – in the clinic, following seminars