

Thank you for agreeing to participate in the **CHOLESTerol lowering in type 2 diABETES Quality Enhancement Research Initiative (CHOLESTABETES QuERI)** Program. The CHOLESTABETES QuERI is coordinated by the Canadian Heart Research Centre ("CHRC"), and supported through an Investigator initiated grant from Valeant Canada Inc. ("Sponsor").

Please review the following information and make yourself familiar with the CHOLESTABETES QuERI program as well as your expected role as a program participant and the CHRC as the coordinating centre.

CHOLESTABETES QuERI:

The CHOLESTABETES QuERI is an observational quality enhancement research initiative which provides guideline-based management strategies and feedback to physicians caring for patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus (T2DM) who have not yet achieved guideline-recommended LDL-C and A1C targets. The decision to follow recommendations and all treatment decisions are left to the participating physician's discretion.

Participating physicians will have the following responsibilities:

- ✓ Read and understand this MOU and the CHOLESTABETES QuERI program materials, timelines and ensure that all person(s) in your practice who may be associated with the CHOLESTABETES QuERI program also understand these materials;
- ✓ Maintain chart notes that were used for the CHOLESTABETES QuERI submitted data until you are notified by the CHRC that the program is completed;
- ✓ Complete the e-CRFs and feedback forms on patients that meet the program eligibility criteria in adherence with the program timelines;
- ✓ Obtain and retain a copy of an Informed Consent Form for each eligible patient included in the program;
- ✓ To provide a copy of a current curriculum vitae and medical license if requested from the CHRC;
- ✓ Exercise reasonable and diligent efforts and professional expertise in the conduct and completion of the program documents in an efficient and timely manner and in compliance with the program instructions:

Program Components:

- Needs Assessment Survey
 - Visit 1 (Baseline Visit)
 - Visit 2 (14±6 weeks)
 - Visit 3 (24±6 weeks)
- ✓ Be available to answer data queries.

The CHRC will have the following responsibilities:

- ✓ Provide all the necessary program materials to the participating physician;
- ✓ Be available to answer questions in relation to the CHOLESTABETES program documents, instructions and/or the completion of the e-CRF/Feedback Forms;
- ✓ Provide physicians with remuneration for properly completed forms as following:
 - Visit 1 (Baseline Visit) - \$125.00 per interactive e-CRF (up to \$625.00 for 5 interactive e-CRFs)
 - Visit 2 (14±6 weeks) - \$ 75.00 per interactive e-CRF (up to \$375.00 for 5 interactive e-CRFs)
 - Visit 3 (24±6 weeks) - \$ 50.00 per interactive e-CRF (up to \$250.00 for 5 interactive e-CRFs)

General:

- ✓ By participating in the CHOLESTABETES QuERI the relationship of the physician to the CHRC is that of an independent contractor. Physician shall have no authority to make agreements with third parties that are binding on the CHRC.

Agree to Terms:

☐ I have read and agree to the terms of the **Memorandum of Understanding** and certify that I hold a valid license to practice medicine in Canada.