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Dr. Silvius is a Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Medicine, Division of Geriatric Medicine, University of Calgary.

He has held numerous leadership positions over his career including Division Head, Geriatric Medicine, University of Calgary; Medical Director, Pharmacy Services at Alberta Health Services; and most recently a combined role of Provincial Medical Director, Seniors Health and Senior Medical Director, Seniors Health Strategic Clinical Network.

External to AHS he is the current Vice-Chair of the Canadian Drug Expert Committee, CADTH.

Other interests include being a co-founder of the Canadian Deprescribing Network (CaDEN), participation in TREC and the DementiaNet, and distance health care delivery.

He has led the development of medical assistance in dying as a service on behalf of AHS. He maintains a clinical practice in geriatrics at Rockyview General Hospital.