Interim Transformational Roadmap Summary 2022-2023

OUR VISION:
Healthy Albertans.
Healthy Communities.
Together.

OUR MISSION: To improve surgical care provided to Albertans.





STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 1

We will improve access to surgical consultation and the provision of surgical care by:

- Building, through co-design with Primary Care, a provincial central access system for all surgical consultation in Alberta, inclusive of referral wait-time measurement
- Working with our partners to develop specialist advice systems, surgical treatment pathways and to improve transitions of care
- Further refining the use of the Alberta Coding Access Targets System
- Supporting the Alberta Surgical Initiative and COVID-19 recovery, including evaluation, workforce planning, and surgical innovation



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 2

We will develop and integrated approach to provide safe, high-quality surgical care in Alberta by:

- Integrating existing quality initiatives into a single provincial surgical quality improvement program with clear provincial targets, timelines and accountability
- Ensuring that all major hospital sites develop a single multidisciplinary team responsible for surgical quality improvement and supporting all surgical sites to improve quality.
- Developing organizational policies that support the delivery of safe, high-quality surgical care
- Working to advance more effective methods of audit and feedback for all clinicians providing surgical care



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 3

We will continue to strengthen Alberta's surgical community by:

- Committing to the principles and practices of equity, diversity, inclusion and accessibility
- Continuing to engage the community through site visits, learning collaboratives, The Alberta Surgery Forum and meetings of our Core Committee
- Helping to develop a strong, resilient surgical culture with the skills required to innovate in the post-pandemic environment.
- Working closely with a strong coalition of Patient Advisors and our partners in the Provincial Surgery Operations Committee, Primary Care, Path to Care, the Alberta Medical Association, Alberta Health, academic partners and others



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 4

We will develop new ideas to improve the future of surgical care in Alberta by:

- Building strong partnerships to support research and innovation
- Incentiviizing research and innovation that is of the highest value to Albertans
- Transferring and translating scientific knowledge to achieve operational excellence
- Supporting innovation through the Evidence Decision Support Program and the Provincial Advisory Committee on Surgical Innovation

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