**Ethics Grand Rounds**

***The More Beds, Better Care Act:***

***Ethical and Practical Implications***

**Thursday, September 29, 2022 | 12pm – 1pm | Virtual (Zoom)**

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In this presentation, we explore the *More Beds, Better Care Act, 2022* (MBBCA), the recent amendment to the *Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021* (FLTCA). The presentation has four parts. First, we summarize the MBBCA and the changes it makes to the FLTCA. Second, we highlight some of the public criticism the MBBCA has received since it was first tabled as a bill. Third, and in the light of the criticisms we have highlighted, we analyze how the MBBCA does (and does not) affect existing standards of informed consent related to admission and transfer to long-term care facilities. Finally, as the MBCCA approaches implementation, we consider some strategies for navigating discussions about long-term care with ALC patients and their families.

After this presentation, participants will be able to

1. explain the how *More Beds, Better Care Act* changes the *Fixing Long-Term Care Act*,
2. analyze the ethical and practical implications of the revised legislation, and
3. begin strategizing for the implementation of the FLTCA.

*Physician attendees will be eligible to receive one Section 1* ***Continuing Professional Development (CPD)*** *credit as certified by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada. Links for providing feedback and registering for CPD credit will be available live in the session.*

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