



The Academic Research Collaborative

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WHAT IS THE CAPCH ARC?

- An opportunity for researchers to work with peers, and leading community, clinical and corporate leaders in projects that promote a people-centred health system enabled by eHealth

- A novel collaborative strategy to:
 - Improve our ability to access funds for research through large grant applications
 - Leverage donations of hardware, software and services from leading industry partners
 - Gain access to world-class testing facilities and populations



WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- Researchers affiliated with innovation centres or groups at colleges and universities in Canada
- Demonstrated commitment to the development of a people-centred health system enabled by eHealth
- Agreement with the vision and principles of CAPCH
- Willingness and ability to apply their research to eHealth projects supported by the ARC



WHAT COULD WE PURSUE TOGETHER?

- Greater support for independent curiosity-driven research efforts in Canada
- Implementation of innovative approaches to:
 - Improve health outcomes and resource utilization
 - Promote people-centred health
 - Support commercialization efforts that could feed research
- Efficient access to the best and brightest in Canada's clinical, business, community and academic worlds
- Positioning Canada as a global leader in eHealth



INITIAL PRIORITY THEMES FOR THE FORUM

- One patient one record
- System interoperability and technological convergence
- New roles, workflows and processes to promote health, prevent disease and provide clinical services
- Behavioural change and leadership for change management in integrated systems
- Indicators and outcome measures

