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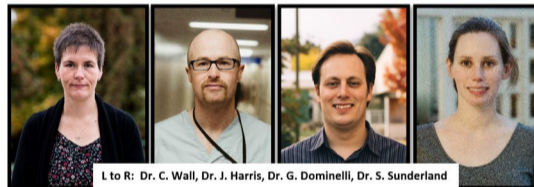


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## Welcome to John Cabral, Health Services Administrator

Since 2012, John has been the Director Health Service for Emergency and Ambulatory Care, at KGH. Most recently, as part of Interior Health Surgical Strategy, he provided leadership over program expansion of Gastroenterology endoscopy services. John's leadership has been instrumental for site compliance initiatives related to the KGH Joint Occupational Health and Safety Committee, COK Infection Control Committee, Site Emergency Response Plans, and Pandemic Influenza Preparedness. In addition to a BSc in Pharmacy and in Psychology, John holds a Diploma in Healthcare Administration, is a certified Lean Specialist, and is pursuing a Master's Degree in Leadership.



John notes, "In the past few years, we have seen a number of great quality improvement projects brought forward and sponsored by the Kelowna Physicians Society, which have made significant improvements in the quality of patient care provided at KGH. I look forward to continuing to collaborate with the Society as we work to further improve discharge processes, communication, and patient access to acute care services."



**Save the Date** for the upcoming Medical Staff Association and KGH Physicians Society Annual General Meetings - Monday, September 23, 2019. Stay tuned for more information on this and nominations for positions on the KGHPS Board of Directors.



## Facility Engagement Project Update: Development of a Physician Wellness Initiative

Thanks to everyone who recently submitted their responses to the Physician Wellness survey, which is assisting the KGH Physicians Society in determining the current state of wellness and potential next steps. At the upcoming AGM in September, we'll hold a draw from all who responded and five lucky recipients will receive a **\$100 gift card** from the Waterfront Cafe. Thanks for your support and feedback!



## Do You Have a Facility Engagement Project You'd Like to Initiate?

The next meeting of the KGH Physicians Society Working Group is taking place **Thursday, September 12th** and we'd welcome your application. Please [click here](#) to access the on-line application form and additional information. Do you have questions or require assistance? Please email us at [KGHPhysiciansSociety@gmail.com](mailto:KGHPhysiciansSociety@gmail.com). We look forward to hearing from you!





### The KGH Physicians Society Is Asking For Your Feedback!

We want to be sure we're providing up to date and pertinent information for our members. Please provide your input into our website content

([www.KelownaPhysiciansSociety.ca](http://www.KelownaPhysiciansSociety.ca)) or our quarterly newsletters. Do you have an article you'd like to highlight? Please email us at

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