



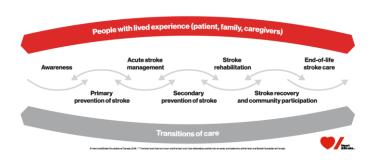


Stroke Distinction: Did You Know?

Stroke Navigation

Stroke Navigators provide holistic case management support and guidance to people with stroke and their loved ones. They provide guidance throughout the stroke recovery experience to help improve the quality of life through education and improved access to, and/or coordination of, healthcare services as well as other needed resources.

(Canadian Stroke Best Practice Recommendations: Transitions and Community Participation Following Stroke, 6th Edition - 2019 UPDATED; Toronto, Ontario Canada: Heart and Stroke Foundation)



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The Stroke Navigator serves as a link between the stroke survivor, their families, health care professionals, and community partners providing a *single point of contact for coordination and integration of services* across the stroke recovery continuum.

Duties and activities of this position include:

- assistance with stroke program development to improve patient experience, facilitate transitions and support life after stroke
- case management
- education
- liaison advocacy



Stroke Navigator Reports can now be found in CIS, under Provincial Stroke Documentation

For more information:

- www.healthpei.ca/stroke
- <u>"Life gets flipped upside down. Sometimes people just need guidance." | Government of Prince Edward Island</u>

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Stroke Distinction Program – Accreditation Canada July 2022

Questions Accreditation Canada Surveyors May Ask Staff:

- How would you describe the role of the Stroke Navigator?
- 2. How do you refer patients to Stroke Navigation?

Enhance client experience and improve outcomes

Mitigate risk and increase efficiency

Improve teamwork and communication