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**Subject:** Request to distribute a Needs Assessment Survey

**Study Title:** What Ambulatory Women's Health Procedures Academic Family Physicians perform

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providing these procedures.

Dear Colleague,

The ambulatory women's health procedures core competency requirement for graduating Family Physicians was updated in May 2021 by the College of Family Physicians of Canada (https://www.cfpc.ca/CFPC/media/Resources/Education/Residency-Training-Profile-ENG.pdf).

As academic family physicians, you have the greatest influence on the practice pattern of current and future family physicians. Therefore, a better understanding of your skills and practice pattern is crucial for establishing future educational strategies for postgraduate and continuing professional development programs.

We invite you to complete an online survey to help understand the types of ambulatory women's health procedures academic family physicians perform and the barriers, including the recent COVID-19 pandemic they encounter when providing these procedures.

Your participation involves completing the survey below which should take 10 minutes. Everyone who completes the survey can opt in to enter a draw to win 3 of \$300 gift cards to Amazon. To opt into the prize draw, please write to the e-mail address of our research assistant inserted at the end of the survey with a subject/body noting: Ambulatory Women's Health Procedures Prize Draw.

If you are interested in participating, you may click the link below which will take you to the anonymous survey.

Survey Link: https://www.surveymonkey.ca/r/QS2S25V

If you have further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Principal Investigator, Dr. Rezaiefar at prezaief@uottawa.ca or 613-562-6262 ext. 2914.