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### ***Re: MSK Image Guided Injections and Intervention Clinic***

Dear doctors,

I am pleased to announce after lengthy preparations, CPSO has approved London X-Ray Associates to provide image guided MSK injections and other MSK interventions at London X-ray Associates 450 Central clinic. We are commencing operations July 2021.

We will be starting with injections of the lumbar facet joints and sacroiliac joints as well as the full spectrum of MSK interventions in the shoulder and hip. We plan to gradually broaden the procedures we provide. The clinic will be staffed by the 4 radiologists (2 MSK specialists, 1 interventional radiologist, 1 with both qualifications) who provide these services at St. Joseph's Health Care London, - David Wang, Vishal Kalia, Joanne Howey, and Greg Garvin.

We aim to differentiate ourselves from other providers of image guided injections in two main ways:

1. We will work more closely with referring practitioners to tailor the injection to the specific needs of the patient making sure that the patient gets the intervention best suited to their needs. We will do this by acquiring more patient information than you are likely used to and by providing the option of an advanced physiotherapy consultation if you are unsure about next steps in the management of the patient.
2. Our long-term plan is to develop a program where radiologists work side by side with physiotherapists and orthopedic surgeons in the same clinic to provide a broad array of services under one roof where each service gets to know the intricacies of the other. We will use a variety of different media for our requisitions including hardcopy, PDF, and online. In practice we have found that the close collaboration we are looking for is best facilitated by an online requisition. We have been working with the Ocean interface linked to a variety of Electronic Medical Records (EMRs) to provide this service.

**At present we are looking for a few interested clinicians who use Ocean to take part in a pilot project to optimize the experience. Please contact myself [greg.garvin@sjhc.london.on.ca](mailto:greg.garvin@sjhc.london.on.ca) or Darrell Pilon [dpilon@lxa.on.ca](mailto:dpilon@lxa.on.ca) if you are interested.**

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We are looking forward to working with you to give patients the best injection experience in the region.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Greg Garvin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "G".

Dr. Greg Garvin

MSK and interventional radiologist