



## Centre for Prehospital Care

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**To:** Northeast Paramedic Service Chiefs and Deputy Chiefs  
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**From:** Dr. Jason Prpic, Regional Medical Director, Centre for Prehospital Care & Trauma Service  
**Re:** Patellar Reduction in the Prehospital Setting  
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memo

The HSN CPC has received ministry approval to proceed with a prehospital patellar reduction study. Our goal is to have all paramedics in our region able to perform this procedure. Education is planned for this spring rounds. No new equipment or cost would be required from your Service.

This project is being led by Mr. Charles Humphries, an ACP paramedic from the Sudbury Paramedic Services in conjunction with HSN CPC.

Attached you will find the:

1. ACP and PCP Study Medical Directives
2. Study Protocol
3. Training Package
4. Service letter of support template

We would ask that Paramedic Services interested in participating please send back the attached letter of support.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank you,

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