



Update on CorCare Link Agreement

NL Health Services (NLHS) distributed the revised CorCare Link Access Agreement on June 8, 2026.

This new version of the agreement follows sustained advocacy by the NLMA, informed by direct member feedback, consultation with physician representatives, and external legal advice. Earlier drafts of the agreement were also reviewed by external legal counsel and the CMPA, and that input helped shape the revisions reflected in the current version. Through this, we have been able to secure significant changes requested by members, including resolution of several key risk areas and a streamlined agreement of approximately two pages (the final third page is for signatures). While the timing of the agreement's release is determined by NLHS, we have worked to ensure member concerns were brought forward and addressed thoroughly.

Signing the Link Agreement and using CorCare Link is not mandatory. We recognize that some physicians may still wish to not sign it. For those who do wish to use CorCare Link, it is the NLMA's position that the revised agreement addresses the concerns raised by members, our legal advisors, and the CMPA and external legal counsel through the earlier review process.

The NLMA's advocacy does not end here. We will continue to monitor implementation closely and press for further changes if needed. The Agreement does not address the operational and communications issues raised by physicians this spring. The NLMA and the FPNs meet with NLHS several times a week to discuss these issues, which has already resulted in improved communications to physicians from NLHS.

NLMA has developed an explanation document (included below) to provide additional clarification to members. We have also prepared a set of Q&As to answer common questions physicians have asked about the revised agreement.

Members are encouraged to review the agreement carefully. If you have questions or concerns, please share your feedback with us via corcare@nlma.nl.ca so we can ensure your experience and perspectives inform our ongoing work.