

## Lyceum Health launches its Clinical Assessment Program in Dermatology

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A web-based platform that improves data availability and reduces administration for dermatologists treating patients with specialty medicines.

Toronto, ON, Feb. 15, 2022 - **Lyceum Health announces the launch of its Clinical Assessment Program (CAP) in dermatology to help pharmaceutical manufacturers address persistent challenges facing dermatologists who treat patients with specialty medications.**

**Lyceum's C.A.P. requires no downloads and there are never any updates to install, simply login to the secure website and start using the application. C.A.P. is provided at no cost to clinics and is supported by a clinic set-up team that will help ensure that every clinic gets the most out of the technology without administrative burden.**

**To develop Lyceum's CAP for dermatology, Lyceum consulted with a set of nearly two dozen Canadian expert advisors including Dr. Charles Lynde, MD FRCPC, Dr. Ronald Vender, MD FRCPC and Dr. Irina Turchin, MD FRCPC.**

Lyceum's CAP is a first-in-class Software as Service (SaaS) digital health technology. The pharmaceutical industry can activate CAP modules to assist clinics related to identification, readiness, and eligibility for specialty therapies. CAP aims to improve patient care by connecting clinics and patients virtually, combining information and summarizing data into reports for expedited reimbursement. Physicians have access to summaries that support their prescribing decisions and improve communication with patient programs and payers, while increasing patients' feelings of being connected to their care.

In a recent poll, 75% of dermatologists stated that they find it burdensome to retrieve data from patient charts and may see each patient only once every 6 months to a year. \* Further, in a 2019 report 48% of dermatologists reported that they spend 10-19 hours per week on paperwork while 28% are saddled with more than 20 hours per week\*\*. This administrative burden is driven by patient chart data searches, a lack of up-to-date information from patients themselves and changes in drug reimbursement requirements.

Through the CAP technology, key patient-reported information is summarized with chart data, enhancing the treatment decision-making process by making it easier for dermatologists to get information about patients that are ready and eligible for therapy while creating a halo effect of improved efficiency when interacting with Patient Support Programs. Additionally, the aggregate data collected in the CAP accurately reflects the practice allowing for meaningful discussions between physicians and their industry partners.

"Lyceum Health recognizes the opportunity to introduce an innovative technology for pharmaceutical manufacturers who are in need of effective, secure and compliant ways to help specialists find ready and eligible patients for therapy. And as prescribers face ever-increasing demands when treating patients with specialty therapies, Lyceum's CAP can help by providing a new channel to reach specialists," says George Thompson, President of Lyceum Health. "By leveraging Lyceum's CAP system, pharmaceutical companies provide better support for their prescribers as they treat patients with multiple specialized complex therapies."

