Appendix 1. Survey of residency coordinators of accredited Canadian pharmacy residency programs to determine preceptor development strategies

1. Province:

- a. Alberta
- b. British Columbia
- c. Manitoba
- d. New Brunswick
- e. Nova Scotia
- f. Ontario
- a. Ouebec
- h. Saskatchewan

2. Type of organization in which the residency takes place:

- a. Multi-centre
- b. Single-centre
- c. Other

3. Is your residency program accredited?

- a. Yes
- b. No, but accreditation application is submitted
- c. No
- d. Other

4. Is your program?

- a. General practice residency
- b. General practice with a focus
- c. Specialty
- d. Other, please specify

5. Number of preceptors in your program:

- a. Less than 10
- b. 10 20
- c. Greater than 20

6. Number of residents per year:

7. Education available for new preceptors includes (select all that apply):

- a. Live preceptor orientation (e.g., Group orientation session, one-on-one orientation with Residency Coordinator)
- b. Online preceptor course or education module
- c. Preceptor orientation manual
- d. None
- e. Other, please specify

8. Are new preceptors required to be a co-preceptor or conditional preceptor prior to becoming a primary preceptor?

- a. Yes
- b. No

Method(s) of preceptor development used in your program include (select all that apply):

- a. Live education seminars provided by internal residency program members
- b. Live education seminars provided by external consultants
- c. Preceptor journal club
- d. Preceptor newsletter
- e. Online preceptor education (excluding education provided by Canadian Pharmacy Residency Board)
- f. One-on-one preceptor assessment and feedback provided by residency coordinator or preceptor coach
- g. Other, please specify

10. Does your site perform a preceptor needs assessment?

- a. Yes, yearly or more frequent
- b. Yes, at intervals greater than 1 year
- c. No
- d. Other, please specify

11. Does your site have defined preceptor competencies?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Other, please specify

11a. If yes, which of the following describe your preceptor competencies?

- a. Provision of pharmaceutical care
- b. Communication skills
- c. Leadership or management skills
- d. Interest/enthusiasm for teaching
- e. Support and respect for learner
- f. Feedback and evaluation provided
- g. Other, please specify

12. Are preceptors required to be certified to precept in your program?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Other, please specify

12a. If yes, certification entails:

- a. Minimum number of years of practice (please specify)
- b. Minimum number of yearly continuing education credits
- c. Demonstration of preceptorship skills
- d. Other, please specify

13. How are preceptors evaluated?

- a. Self-evaluation
- b. Evaluation by resident
- c. Evaluation by residency coordinator or director
- d. Other, please specify

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