

CAC2 Innovation Council Opportunity: Rehabilitation Practices in Pediatric Oncology

DESCRIPTION: The following opportunity was requested by SIOP in partnership with the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières (UQTR) concerning rehabilitation practices in pediatric oncology.

Overview of the Opportunity: The requestor invites children and adolescents affected by cancer, survivors of childhood cancer, and family members of children affected by cancer who are 16 years old and older to participate in a research project by completing an online questionnaire. The goal is to better understand their current or past rehabilitation needs related to cancer or treatments.

The Requester: Catherine Demers, Assistant Professor at University of Quebec in Trois-Rivières

The Type of Request: Request for Participation:

The Ask: Please consider disseminating this opportunity among your members and network by sharing the information below and/or the attached poster that asks them to complete a research questionnaire.

👉 Access the questionnaire here: www.uqtr.ca/shapingthefuture

🕒 Deadline to participate: March 15th, 2026

Supporting Documentation:

This research project, conducted by the International Society of Pediatric Oncology (SIOP) in partnership with the Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières (UQTR), focuses on the experiences of children affected by cancer, survivors of pediatric cancer, and their families with respect to rehabilitation and physical medicine services during and after treatment.

The overall goal is to improve rehabilitation practices in pediatric oncology by incorporating the perspectives of those directly affected, to better identify needs, priorities, and strategies to enhance access to and quality of services.

The study includes an online questionnaire (15–20 minutes), followed by an optional online interview.

The questionnaire is available in English, French, Spanish, Italian, and Dutch. As a thank-you for participants time, each will receive a CAD\$20 (Canadian dollars) gift card. If interested, each can also participate in a follow-up online interview. Responses will help improve access to and the quality of rehabilitation services for children affected by cancer and survivors.

Shareable Poster (English): https://drive.google.com/file/d/12mhlvTjcFC9-io7OxR4_7tXtgfwv3RR7/view?usp=share_link

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https://drive.google.com/file/d/1tYU4cDmt_crAWYd7RhCSsOXF4rRZvBx6/view?usp=share_link

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