



FMF 2023 Know Before You Go

The College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC) welcomes you to Family Medicine Forum (FMF).

Here's some key information to help you prepare for the family medicine event of the year!

November 8–11, 2023 – Palais des congrès de Montréal – 1001 Pl. Jean-Paul-Riopelle

Note: All times listed are Eastern Time (ET).

FMF 2023 Daily Schedule at a Glance

7:45 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Registration – Level 2
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Light Breakfast - Exhibit Hall – Level 2
8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Exhibits Open – Level 2
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Sessions & Events – Level 5
9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Coffee Break - Exhibit Hall – Level 2
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Lunch - Exhibit Hall – Level 2
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Snack Break - Exhibit Hall – Level 2
Saturday (only)	Breaks on Level 5 and Meals on Level 7

Packing Essentials: Arrive at FMF prepped and ready!

Comfortable shoes, fully charged phone, earbuds/headphones, and a refillable water bottle.

Download the [FMF 2023 App](#) in Advance: For access to schedules, people, chat, and more

Go to the [App Store](#) or [Google play](#) and search 'FMF 2023' and download.

Important: [Session handouts](#) and [Session evaluations](#) are online and in the App

Download the [Interprefy App](#) in Advance: For access to simultaneous interpretation (SI)

Go to the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#) and download the Interprefy App; use token FMF2023.

See the FMF App for details about sessions with SI availability.

Important: Bring your own headphones or ear buds and a fully charged mobile device.

Print Your Badge at Home

You will receive an email from fmf@microspec.com with a link to easily print your badge at home and bring it with you. Or you can print your badge on site and pick up a badge holder and fun ribbons in front of Registration on Level 2, in Viger Hall, at the Palais des congrès.

Wi-Fi

Complimentary Wi-Fi will be available at FMF. Please note that limited bandwidth restricts access to VPNs and large downloads. It is best to bring anything you need already downloaded in advance to ensure access.

Mainpro+® Credit Information

This Group Learning program has been certified by the CFPC and Quebec Chapter for up to 70 Mainpro+ credits. [View the Certified Program online.](#)

Direct Credit Entry

At FMF you do **not** need to report your credits. Your badge will be scanned at the door of each session you attend, and credits will be automatically uploaded to your Mainpro+ account. If you miss a scan, visit the Session Scanning desk at Registration. See full details on the FMF app or [online](#).

FMF Exhibit Hall: Open Wednesday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The Exhibit Hall, located on Level 2 at the Palais, is where all meals, snacks, and breaks are located. Enjoy exploring the interactive exhibits, discover new products and services, and network with colleagues and friends. [Preview the full Exhibit Hall Guide](#).

FMF Networking and Non-Certified Events

View the full lineup of Non-Certified activities in the FMF App or [online](#).

Here is a quick list of sessions and events available for drop-in; see the FMF app for locations.

Wednesday

- 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Facets of Advancing Family Medicine
- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Teachers and Preceptors Knowledge Café (pick up lunch in Exhibit Hall)
- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Section of Researchers Networking Session (pick up lunch in Exhibit Hall)
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. One Year In: The CFPC's Declaration of Commitment to Cultural Safety and Humility

Thursday

- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Scotiabank and MD Financial Wellness Session (pick up lunch in Exhibit Hall)
- 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Besrour Centre for Global Family Medicine Session
- 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. MAIN Exams Event Reception (Members Are Indispensable & Necessary for Exams)
- 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. NOSM, Alberta House, and Montreal Universities Receptions (Students & Alumni)

Friday

- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Team Primary Care Training for Transformation (pick up lunch in Exhibit Hall)

Saturday

- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Medical Student & Resident Luncheon
- 5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. CFPC Convocation Celebration

FMF On-Demand

It's not too late to [add on-demand to your FMF registration](#). Gain access to the most popular FMF sessions from November 17, 2023 to January 5, 2024 (dates cannot be extended). All credits are automatically uploaded to your Mainpro+ account after the on-demand period ends.

FMF Health and Safety Guidelines

The CFPC encourages attendees to follow public health recommendations from the [Government of Quebec](#). FMF will be subject to the province of Quebec and/or the City of Montreal's public health guidelines and restrictions at the time of FMF.

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YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLhz1gnvWnHcz1mwFjYVqzih-PRjmbfVcs>

Additional Questions

Have a question? [Check out our FAQs page](#). If you can't find answers to your FMF questions there, email us any time until November 3rd at fmfinfo@cfpc.ca. During FMF week the entire FMF Team is at the Palais with limited access to email. Please visit us in person at the Registration desk. Non urgent inquiries during the conference will be answered after FMF.

Thank you for your dedication to family medicine!

