



Seminar Outline - August 2014

DSECT/DSEN Monthly Seminar Series

“Getting Inside DSEN: Connecting researchers and decision-makers”

Thursday, Aug 28, 2014 at 3:00-4:00pm EDT

Online webinar (GoToWebinar)

RSVP: www4.gotomeeting.com/register/765852175

Presented by **Robert Peterson, MD, PhD, MPH**

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As the first in a series of presentations by DSEN affiliated researchers, Dr. Peterson will provide further insights on the important role DSEN plays in providing needed evidence of value to decision makers working in Pharmaceuticals management across the Canadian health care system. Following a brief re-orientation to DSEN, Dr. Peterson will elaborate on the program’s principles and practices using examples from actual Queries to highlight the program’s strengths, while highlighting challenges and next steps.

Learning Objectives:

- 1) At the end of the session participants will be prepared for engagement with the DSEN Collaborating Research Teams who will present an in-depth view on their respective methodological contribution to the DSEN program in following DSECT/DSEN seminar series webinars.
- 2) Participants will also have developed an understanding of:
 - the organizational cultures of academics versus decision makers
 - how DSEN acts to address a gap in knowledge needed for federal/ provincial/territorial decision making with respect to prescription pharmaceuticals

Resources:

<http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/40269.html> (English)

<http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/f/40269.html> (French)

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