



Manitoba Association of Health Information Providers

STRATEGIC PLAN 2016-2019

VISION

To support access to information which enriches quality of health care and health research in Manitoba and to be a leader in the provision of virtual communications and continuing education both provincially and nationally.

MISSION

To improve and promote the provision of high quality health information services and resources throughout Manitoba.

STRATEGIC DIRECTION

MAHIP's strategic direction is driven by the pursuit to fulfil its vision and resulting mission and goals developed during a MAHIP Executive Board SWOT exercise completed in November 2015, membership discussion during MAHIP Annual General Meeting in 2015/6 and 2016/7, and in reference to the Strategic Plan 2014-2018 of the Canadian Health Libraries Association/Association des bibliothèques de la santé du Canada (CHLA/ABSC), MAHIP's national affiliate. Our strategies stem from aforementioned consultative exercises.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Strengthen capacity of health information providers

Goal: MAHIP will encourage and assist those working in the health information industry to advance their skills and explore trends related to, or which contribute to delivery of health information services.

Objectives

1. Continue providing high-quality Continuing Education sessions
2. Facilitate CHLA/ABSC-accredited journal club
3. Support library-related events
 - a. CHLA/ABSC Conference
 - b. Manitoba Libraries Conference

Provide leadership opportunities to health information providers

Goal: MAHIP will foster leadership skills of health information providers by providing environments and opportunities through involvement in its overall operations and individual events.



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Objectives

1. Recruit information providers new to the health sector to MAHIP executive board
2. Encourage members to participate in coordination of MAHIP events

Develop our strengths in the area of virtual meetings and communications

Goal: Recognizing our strength in coordinating virtual meeting and continuing education sessions, MAHIP will be a leader of virtual meetings, webinars and communications among Canadian health information and/or library associations.

Objectives

1. Be the first chapter to offer a pan-Canadian virtual continuing education session
2. Organize virtual journal club meetings at least once year
3. Conduct MAHIP Executive Board meetings virtually (twice a year minimum)
4. Evaluate effectiveness of available virtual meeting and communication software for MAHIP's purposes.