

## **Regional Group Name**

### **Date/Time**

### **Location**

#### Meeting Highlights/Action Items

(See regional slide deck for detailed data)

On site attendance: (see attendance sheet)

Caroline Morgan  
Graham Roche-Nagle  
Naomi Eisenberg  
Pamela Dawe  
Paul Petrasek  
Robert Turnbull  
Sean Crawford  
Tara Andrinpoulos  
Yaasin Abdulrehman

Remote attendance: (download from ring central)

Alexa Grant-Gorveatt  
Avery Binch  
Cheryl Schoettler  
Emi Sanders (emisanders)  
Georgia Barry  
Jen Correa - SVS PSO (SVS PSO)  
John Harlock  
Marley Lawrence  
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Mary MacDonald  
Matthew Smith  
Megan Maheu  
Nancy Boyce  
Stéphane Elkouri

PSO Representative Attending Meeting: Caroline Morgan

- I. Presentations:  
None
- II. General Discussion and Questions
  - a. The regional report was reviewed with those present
- III. Action Items (including QI projects):
  - a. Smoking cessation: discussion about a regional QI project, looking at provincial options, maybe recruiting medical students from multiple centres.
    - i. More granular data on pre-op smoking status based on indication for surgery (infra/supra/pvi), and further stratified according to claudicants and CLTI
  - b. Start planning early for the Quebec meeting
  - c. Discussion regarding the ACS Vascular verification program (see link) [The American College of Surgeons and the Society for Vascular Surgery Launch National Quality Verification Program for Vascular Care \(newswise.com\)](#)
- IV. Nominations (AQC, VQC, RAC, Medical Director):  
Current positions with 3-year term ending &/or vacant
- V. Next Meeting:  
TENTATIVELY scheduled for Thursday, Sept 7, 2023, 9:30 AM.  
Location: Hybrid within Quebec City Convention Centre