

# Enhanced Supports – Suboxone Treatment of Addiction

## Atlantic Mentorship Network

The [AMN-NL](#) is part of a national initiative that aims to build mentorship networks in NL, PEI, NB, and BC and is essentially a practice support network that provides healthcare providers with an opportunity to enhance their capacity to manage those in practice living with chronic pain, substance use, and/or mental illness through mentorship. Members of the AMN-NL can choose which form(s) of mentorship they wish to receive based on their own learning needs and the time they can commit to the Network.

Did you know – Addictions Medicine is on eConsult! Please feel free visit the [website](#) for more information.

## Supports for Physicians Prescribing Opioid Agonist Treatment (OAT)

Six regional opioid dependence treatment (ODT) specialty clinics (“hubs”) provide rapid access to OAT, including Suboxone and methadone, as well as counselling and other supports. Prescribers and other members of the multidisciplinary hub teams are available to consult with and support community-based physicians with questions related to diagnosing, treating, and managing patients with opioid use disorder:

St. John’s (752-4478)	Gander (256-1356)	Grand Falls-Windsor (489-8178)
Corner Brook (634-4506)	Stephenville (643-8740)	Happy Valley-Goose Bay (897-2125)

The **Newfoundland and Labrador Centre on Substance Use (NLCSU)** is a provincial program embedded within NL Health Services that is committed to excellence in harm reduction and substance use disorder treatment. The NLCSU supports health care providers, including physicians, through knowledge exchange and other capacity-building initiatives. Physicians who would like to receive information about education opportunities and evidence-based practice resources regarding substance use disorder treatment are encouraged to contact Kate Lambert to be added to the NLCSU’s email distribution list: [Kate.Lambert@easternhealth.ca](mailto:Kate.Lambert@easternhealth.ca).