Canadian Society of Respiratory Therapists: Strategic Agenda (2018-2023)

### CSRT Vision

Empowering Respiratory Therapists to provide exemplary leadership and care.

### CSRT Mission

The CSRT provides leadership that advances the profession, practice and understanding of respiratory therapy nationally and internationally by supporting environments that foster innovation and knowledge translation, and by promoting excellence in evidence-based care.

### Strategic Priorities

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<td>Provide opportunities for networking, collaboration, and knowledge sharing</td>
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<td>Support enhanced capacity for knowledge translation activities and the sustainable development of knowledge that informs practice</td>
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### Enablers

1. Establish a range of membership benefits and services that are useful and easily accessible
2. Establish a program of robust continuing professional development and professional certification opportunities for members
3. Reform the annual education conference model for sustainability and to meet the profession’s evolving needs
4. Strengthen connections between local communities and national opportunities/initiatives
5. Implement an effective advocacy program that establishes the profession’s voice nationally on issues of importance to CSRT members and stakeholders
6. Create partnerships that support and advocate for the growth of the profession globally
7. Enhance knowledge translation activities and supports for evidence-informed practice
8. Support growth and best practice adoption in emerging and evolving areas of practice

### Structural Supports

Ensure the effectiveness, efficiency, and sustainability of all CSRT operations in the context of a rapidly evolving knowledge economy

9. Upgrade operational infrastructure
10. Strengthen revenue streams (dues and non-dues models)
11. Reorient accreditation services to support the CSRT mandate

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