Dangerous Ideas Soapbox

An idea that is not dangerous is unworthy of being called an idea at all. Oscar Wilde

Do you have a dangerous idea about clinical practice that you think could make a difference to family practice? health care delivery? patient health?

The **Dangerous Ideas Soapbox**, a wildly popular new session from last year's Family Medicine Forum, offers a platform for you, as an innovator, to **share an important idea that isn't being heard, but needs to be heard in the family medicine community**.

A dangerous idea could be very controversial, completely novel, blue sky thinking, or something that challenges current thinking. But it must also demonstrate a commitment to moving the idea forward—to making a difference.

Each speaker will be given three minutes to present their idea. Audience members then have the opportunity to challenge the speakers, critique the ideas, and cast their vote to choose the most potent dangerous idea, *which will be published in Canadian Family Physician*.

Submissions will be selected based on:

- I. Creativity (is the idea new?),
- 2. The challenge they offer (is the idea dangerous?) and
- 3. Suitability for dissemination (can the idea make a difference?).

Submissions must

- be in the form of a single paragraph
- be a maximum of 300 words
- describe your idea *and* how it will make a difference to family practice, health care delivery, and to patient health.

Submissions will be accepted until September 5th.

What is your Dangerous Idea?