Congratulations to members of the Division of Neurosurgery for their educational contributions at the Canadian Neurological Sciences Federation’s annual meeting in Quebec City in June.

Dr. Sean Barry, Invited Guest Speaker, presented the hot topic of “Ethics / Physician-Assisted Death in Europe” and was a panelist for the Canadian Neurosurgical Society’s Position Statement.

Dr. Gwynedd Pickett, Invited Guest Speaker, presented at the Neurosurgery Residents Course, Vascular Neurosurgery, “Aneurysms, anterior/posterior circulation and the rationale / criteria around clipping vs coiling”.

Dr. David Clarke, Invited Guest Speaker, presented at Innovations in Neurosurgical Education, “What’s New: Bootcamps and Workshops”. He also presented “Recovery of Adrenal Function after Chronic Secondary Adrenal Insufficiency in Patients with Hypopituitarism”.

Dr. Ayoub Dakson, PGY4, and Dr. Sean Christie, presented the following:

1. “The clinical utility of the spinal instability neoplastic score (SINS) and its role in surgical management of patients with spinal metastatic disease.”

2. “Patterns of spinal metastatic disease and mechanical instability: a retrospective correlation with tumor histology.”

3. “The Canadian Neurosurgery Research Collaborative (CNRC): A novel, trainee-led, nationwide multicentre research network”. This abstract was selected as a CNSS Chair’s Select Abstract.