

## Examples of Teaching Topics based on CanMEDS Roles

### Scholar

Presenting at a conference  
Using Google scholar search engine  
How to do a quality abstract

### Professional

Ethical issues  
What defines professional behavior in medicine?  
CMA Guidelines in recommending patients

### Communicator

Presenting bad news  
Talking to people from other cultures  
Using a translation app

### Collaborator

Valuing the roles of interprofessional teams  
Handling conflict  
How to write a good consult

### Leader

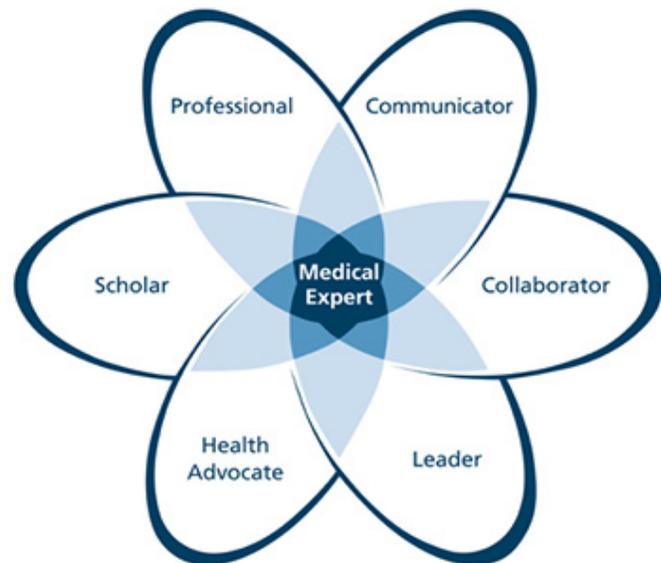
Quality improvement  
Resource management & allocation  
Patient safety

### Health Advocate

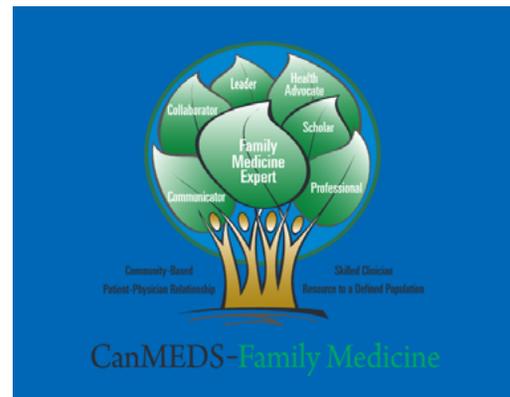
Teaching about determinants of health  
Responding to the needs of the community  
Role of the media

### Medical Expert

My favorite technique  
A medical theory I'm interested in



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## Why Do/Should Residents Teach?

**Medicine has a long tradition of precepting**

### Altruistic

- Senior physicians mentor younger physicians into the profession
- “*Docere*” the Latin origin of doctor means teacher
- Hippocratic oath
- Improves patient safety
- Perpetuate knowledge & skills - give back to others
- CanMEDS scholar/communicator role
- Expectation for teaching patients
- Practice of medicine is more than personal knowledge