# REGIONAL NEWS



# **Update from New Brunswick** By Sylvie Ouellette, MD, FRCPC

## The Challenge:

In late April, the New Brunswick Prescription Drug Plan notified prescribers that they had 6 months to switch patients taking Enbrel, Remicade, Humira, and Rituxan to their respective biosimilars.

### The Opportunity:

The Chronic Disease Management Unit at the Department of Health recognizes the importance of continuing access to virtual care in a post-pandemic world.

### The Cherry on Top:

Dr Ellen MacDonald will be joining the Rheumatology Division at The Moncton Hospital in the fall of 2022.



Ballet by the Ocean (Atlantic Ballet of Canada).



View of the Dieppe Marsh during the morning commute.