



**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE
COLLEGE OF PHYSIOTHERAPISTS OF ONTARIO**

February 2, 2022

Meeting time: 12:00 – 1:30 pm

Meeting to be held via Zoom and YouTube

Commitment to the Public Interest

The public interest is the foundation of all decisions made by this Council. Acting in the public interest ensures that decisions consider: Accessibility, Accountability, Equality, Equity, Protection of the public and Quality Care

Conflict of Interest and Bias

Council members are required to declare a conflict of interest or remove themselves from any discussion where they or others may believe that they are unable to consider a matter in a fair, independent and unbiased manner. A declaration in this regard must be made at the start of any discussion item

Time	Item	Topic	Purpose
12:00 pm	*	Welcoming Remarks and Roll Call – Theresa Stevens Land Acknowledgement statement	
	1 Motion	Approval of Agenda- T. Stevens	For Decision
	2 Motion	Consideration for an Emergency Regulation Submission Proposal (Second Provisional Practice Certificate)	For Decision
	3	Registrar's Report	
		ADJOURNMENT	

Next Meeting Dates

- March 23-24, 2022
- June 28-29, 2022



College of Physiotherapists Land Acknowledgement Statement

Before we begin, we would like to acknowledge with respect that the land we are meeting on is the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee, and the Wendat peoples. These lands are now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit, and Métis peoples. We also recognize that the meeting place of Toronto, traditionally known as Tkaronto, is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit and is within the lands of the Dish With One Spoon covenant.

We are honouring these lands as part of a deeper commitment to Ontario's Indigenous communities. As provincial health regulators, we have a large role to play in reconciliation to meet the broader goal of public protection.

We would like to encourage you to reflect on the lands you call home and how you came to inhabit them, and on the Indigenous communities who have a traditional kinship with these lands. Those of us joining virtually outside of Toronto are also encouraged to learn more about the traditional keepers of their territory.

Pronunciation (from City of Toronto guidance):

- Anishnabeg: Awe – Nish – Nah - Beck
- Haudenosaunee: Hoe – De – Nah – Show - Nee
- Chippewa: Chip – A - Wah
- Wendat: When - Dat
- Inuit: Δ (ee) ᐃ (nu) Δ^c (eet)
- Métis: May – Tee
- Tkaronto: Tka – Ron - Toe



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Motion No.: 1.0

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Agenda # 1: Approval of the agenda

It is moved by

and seconded by

that:

the agenda be accepted with the possibility for changes to the order of items to address time constraints.



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Motion No.: 2.0

Motion

**Special Council Meeting
February 2, 2022**

Agenda # 2.0: Emergency Regulation Submission Proposal (Second Provisional Practice Certificate)

It is moved by

and seconded by

that:

Council approve an amendment to the General Regulation for immediate submission to the Ministry of Health on an urgent basis.

Meeting Date:	February 2, 2022
Agenda Item #:	2
Issue:	Emergency Regulation Submission Proposal (Second Provisional Practice Certificate)
Submitted by:	Theresa Stevens, President

Issue

Council is asked to consider a proposed emergency amendment to the College's General Regulation for immediate submission to the Ministry of Health for their urgent consideration. The amendment, if approved, would allow the College to grant a Provisional Practice Certificate to those applicants who have failed the clinical component of the examination on one previous occasion in exceptional circumstances (i.e. exam unavailability).

Background

The College's legislated registration processes are outlined in the [General Regulation \(O. Reg 532/98\)](#) of the *Physiotherapy Act*. These sections prescribe the process and requirements for the College to grant both provisional and independent practice certificates.

In response to the ongoing unavailability of a practical (clinical) examination, the College commenced a regulatory review and proposal process of the General Regulation. At the October 14, 2021 meeting, Council approved proposed changes to the College's General Regulation relating to such registration processes. The changes proposed were drafted by College counsel. They would apply specifically in exceptional circumstances, such as in a public health crisis or when an examination was unavailable to applicants.

In accordance with section 95(1.5) of the [Health Professions Procedural Code](#), the proposal was then circulated to registrants and stakeholders for 60 days. College staff is currently in the process of reviewing the consultation responses and anticipates providing further information at a future Council meeting. Council still needs to consider the full proposal and complete consultation responses, so a full regulation amendment proposal is not possible at this time.

In the interim, the President has received information that the College may be able to submit an emergency amendment to the Regulation for urgent consideration. The Executive Committee then considered what elements of the College's current regulatory proposal could be submitted on an emergency basis. Given the [recent CAPR announcement](#) on the discontinuation of the practical (clinical) component of the PCE, there are a number of applicants who failed the practical (clinical) examination prior to the pandemic who have been unable to practice as a Physiotherapy Residents. Under the current regulation, these individuals are not able to apply for a second Provisional Practice Certificate. A proposed amendment to the regulation would allow the Registration Committee the discretion to grant a Provisional Practice Certificate to those applicants.

The proposed amendment is follows:

23 (4.1) Subsection (4) does not apply to a person who has failed the practical component of the examination only one time, where there are exceptional circumstances, such as the practical component of the examination is not available for an extended period of time, and the person meets such additional requirements and is subject to such terms, conditions and limitations as may be specified by a panel of the Registration Committee.

To note, the amendment would allow these individuals to submit an application to the Registration Committee to apply for a second Provisional Practice Certificate. The application would be considered by the Registration Committee and the Committee could then consider whether any additional requirements or Terms, Conditions and Limitations (TCLs) would be necessary. Council should note that the referrals to the Registration Committee review process takes 4-5 months to complete from beginning to end.

It is anticipated that this scenario applies to approximately 70 individuals. This affected group includes Canadian educated physiotherapists and internationally educated physiotherapists.

It is unclear as to how long it would take for this emergency regulation submission to be considered and possibly passed.

Council is reminded that it approved the development of an alternative entry-to-practice assessment based on a Behavioural Based Interview at its meeting in December 2021 and this work is underway. It is anticipated that this will be available in 2022 and it will be available to current and former Residents.

After their discussions, the Executive Committee recommends that Council approve this proposed amendment to the General Regulation for immediate submission to the Ministry of Health on an urgent basis.

Decision Sought

Council is asked to approve the proposed amendment to the General Regulation (O. Reg 532/98) under the *Physiotherapy Act*, 1991 for immediate submission to the Ministry of Health.

Attachments

Appendix 1: Proposed General Regulation (O. Reg 532/98) under the *Physiotherapy Act*

Appendix 2: Proposed General Regulation (O. Reg 532/98) – Tracked Change Within Existing Regulation

Physiotherapy Act, 1991
Loi de 1991 sur les physiothérapeutes

ONTARIO REGULATION 532/98
GENERAL

Consolidation Period: From November 19, 2012 to the [e-Laws currency date](#).

Last amendment: 378/12.

Legislative History: 611/99, 68/06, 390/11, 378/12.

This Regulation is made in English only.

PART I
QUALITY ASSURANCE

GENERAL

1. In this Part,

“assessor” means a person appointed under section 81 of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“Committee” means the Quality Assurance Committee required by subsection 10 (1) of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“program” means the quality assurance program required by section 80 of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“stratified random sampling” means a sampling where groups of members are,

- (a) removed from the pool of members to be sampled, or
- (b) weighted to increase or decrease the likelihood of their being selected. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

2. (1) The Committee shall administer the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) The program shall include the following components:

- 1. Self-assessments.
- 2. Continuing education or professional development designed to,
 - i. promote continuing competence and continuous quality improvement among the members,
 - ii. promote interprofessional collaboration,
 - iii. address changes in practice environments, and
 - iv. incorporate standards of practice, advances in technology, changes made to entry to practice competencies and other relevant issues in the discretion of the Council.
- 3. Peer and practice assessments, including continuing education programs or remediation, if needed.
- 4. Collection, analysis and dissemination of information.
- 5. A mechanism for the College to monitor members’ participation in, and compliance with, the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) Every member shall comply with the requirements of the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

SELF-ASSESSMENT

3. (1) Every member shall conduct an annual self-assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) Every member shall keep a record of his or her annual self-assessment in the form and manner approved by the Committee and shall retain the record for at least five years following the self-assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) At the request of the Committee, an assessor or a College employee, a member shall provide to the Committee, the assessor or the College employee, within the time period specified in the request or, where no time period is specified, within 30 days after receiving the request,

- (a) complete and accurate information about the member’s annual self-assessments; and
- (b) the member’s annual self-assessment records described in subsection (2). O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

4. (1) Every member shall participate annually in continuing education or professional development to the extent necessary to maintain the knowledge, skill and judgment required to practice the profession. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) Every member shall keep a record of his or her continuing education or professional development in the form and manner approved by the Committee and shall retain the record for at least five years. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) At the request of the Committee, an assessor or a College employee, a member shall provide to the Committee, the assessor or the College employee, within the time period specified in the request or, where no time period is specified, within 30 days after receiving the request,

- (a) complete and accurate information about the member's continuing education or professional development; and
- (b) the member's continuing education and professional development records described in subsection (2). O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

PEER AND PRACTICE ASSESSMENT

5. (1) Each year, the Committee shall select members to undergo a peer and practice assessment in order to assess whether the members' knowledge, skill and judgment are satisfactory. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) A member may be selected to undergo a peer and practice assessment,

- (a) at random, including by stratified random sampling;
- (b) on the basis of criteria specified by the Committee and published on the College's website at least three months before the member is selected on the basis of that criteria; or
- (c) if a request to view the member's records is made under clause 3 (3) (b) or 4 (3) (b) and the Committee or an assessor is of the opinion that the member has not provided sufficient records or that the member's records demonstrate that the member has not engaged in adequate self-assessments, continuing education or professional development. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) A peer and practice assessment may include,

- (a) inspecting the premises where the member practises;
- (b) reviewing the member's records required under subsections 3 (2) and 4 (2);
- (c) reviewing information respecting patient care and the member's records of the care of patients;
- (d) requiring the member to answer, orally or in writing, questions about his or her practice;
- (e) requiring the member to participate in simulations related to his or her practice;
- (f) interviewing or surveying the member and his or her employer, employees, colleagues, peers or patients; and
- (g) requiring the member to interview or survey his or her employer, employees, colleagues, peers or patients. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(4) A peer and practice assessment shall be carried out by an assessor. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(5) The assessor shall prepare a written report on each peer and practice assessment and submit it to the Committee. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(6) If, after considering the assessor's report and any other relevant materials, the Committee is of the opinion that the member's knowledge, skill or judgment is not satisfactory, the Committee may take any of the actions listed in section 80.2 of the Health Professions Procedural Code, if, before doing so, the Committee,

- (a) gives to the member a copy of the assessor's report and any other relevant materials;
- (b) gives to the member notice of the Committee's opinion and intention to take action;
- (c) gives to the member notice of the member's right to make written submissions to the Committee within a specified time period that is not less than 14 days after receipt of the notice; and
- (d) after considering any submissions made by the member, is still of the opinion that the member's knowledge, skill or judgment is not satisfactory. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(7) Even if the Committee does not provide notice to the member under clause (6) (b), the Committee shall advise the member of the results of the peer and practice assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

6.-8. REVOKED: O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

PART II FUNDING FOR THERAPY AND COUNSELLING

9. In this Part,

“member” includes a former member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

10. (1) The alternate requirements that must be satisfied in order for a person to be eligible for funding under clause 85.7 (4) (b) of the Health Professions Procedural Code are prescribed in this section. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(2) A person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling if,

(a) there is a statement, contained in the written reasons of a committee of the College given after a hearing, that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by the member;

(b) a member has been found guilty under the *Criminal Code* (Canada) of sexually assaulting the person while the person was a patient of the member;

(c) there is sufficient evidence presented to the Patient Relations Committee to support the reasonable belief that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by a member and,

(i) the member has died or cannot be located, or

(ii) the member has been found by the Fitness to Practise Committee to be incapacitated and the Fitness to Practise Committee has directed the Registrar to suspend or revoke the member’s certificate of registration;

(d) an allegation that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by the member results in an informal resolution with the member that contemplates funding for therapy or counselling;

(e) there is an admission made by a member in a statement to the College or in an agreement with the College that he or she sexually abused the person while the person was a patient of the member; or

(f) there is a finding made by a panel of the Discipline Committee on or after December 31, 1993, that the person was sexually abused by a member before December 31, 1993, while the person was a patient of the member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(3) Subject to subsection (4), a person who was allegedly sexually abused by a member outside Ontario is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling under subsection (2) only if, at the time the alleged abuse occurred, the person was a patient of the member and the member was practising in Ontario. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(4) Despite subsection (3), a person who was allegedly sexually abused by a member outside Ontario is not eligible for funding under subsection (2) if the person resides outside Ontario and regularly receives services from a member outside Ontario. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(5) Despite subsection (2), a person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling under this Part only if,

(a) the person submits an application for funding to the Patient Relations Committee in the form provided by the College and, in the application, the person names the member who is alleged to have sexually abused the applicant;

(b) the person submits to the Patient Relations Committee along with the application a written undertaking by the applicant to keep confidential all information obtained through the application for funding process, including the fact that funding has been granted and the reasons given by the Committee for granting the funding; and

(c) the person adheres to the procedures followed by the Patient Relations Committee when determining whether the person has satisfied the requirements for eligibility for funding. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(6) A decision by the Patient Relations Committee that a person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling does not constitute a finding against the member and shall not be considered by any other committee of the College dealing with the member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

PART III REGISTRATION

DEFINITIONS

11. In this Part,

“degree in physiotherapy” means,

(a) a minimum of a baccalaureate degree in a physiotherapy education program at a Canadian university approved by a body or bodies designated by the Council, or by the Council itself,

(b) an academic qualification from outside Canada that is considered by a body or bodies designated by the Council, or by the Council itself, to be substantially similar to the qualification in clause (a);

“examination” means an examination set or approved by the Council. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

GENERAL

12. The following are prescribed as classes of certificates of registration:

1. Independent practice.

2. Provisional practice.
3. Courtesy.
- 4., 5. REVOKED: O. Reg. 390/11, s. 1.

O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 1.

13. A person may apply for the issue of a certificate of registration by submitting to the College a completed application for the class of certificate for which application is made together with any applicable fees. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

14. A certificate of registration shall not be dated earlier than the day it was issued. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

15. A member shall not hold more than one certificate of registration. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

16. (1) It is a non-exemptible registration requirement for all classes of certificates of registration that the applicant's past and present conduct affords reasonable grounds for belief that he or she,

- (a) is mentally competent to practise physiotherapy;
- (b) will practise physiotherapy with decency, integrity and honesty and in accordance with the law; and
- (c) can communicate effectively with, and will display an appropriate attitude towards, patients and colleagues. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(2) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration of any class except a courtesy certificate of registration:

1. The applicant must have Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status or an authorization under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) consistent with the class of certificate for which application is made.
2. The applicant must be able to speak and write either French or English with reasonable fluency. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 2 (1).

(3) It is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration of any class that the certificate terminates when the holder no longer has Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status or an authorization under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) consistent with the class of certificate. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) It is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice that the holder must successfully complete the College Jurisprudence Program at the first opportunity provided by the College following either initial registration or reinstatement of registration and thereafter once every five-year cycle of the Program as scheduled by the Registrar. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 2 (2).

(5) For the purpose of subsection (4), the College Jurisprudence Program includes an assessment of the holder's knowledge of and ability to apply jurisprudence concepts relevant to the practice of physiotherapy in Ontario. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

17. It is a non-exemptible registration requirement for all certificates of registration that the applicant demonstrates that he or she holds professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 3.

18. Despite any other provision in this Regulation, an applicant who by commission or omission makes a false or misleading representation or declaration on or in connection with an application shall be deemed not to have, and not to have had, the qualifications for a certificate of any class. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

INDEPENDENT PRACTICE

19. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice:

1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy.
2. The applicant must have successfully completed the examination. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(2) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who was, on December 31, 1993, qualified as a physiotherapist under a statute in a Canadian jurisdiction outside Ontario and is included on a permanent register in that jurisdiction is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(3) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who was, on December 30, 1993, qualified as a physiotherapist in Ontario under the *Drugless Practitioners Act* is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice shall satisfy the Registrar that he or she has practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the five years immediately preceding the application if the applicant,

- (a) is not exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1) and has not successfully completed the examination within the five years immediately preceding the application; or
- (b) is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

20. (1) Where section 22.18 of the Code applies to an applicant, the requirements of subsections 19 (1) and (4) are deemed to have been met by the applicant. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(2) Despite subsection (1) it is a non-exemptible registration requirement that an applicant referred to in subsection (1) provide a certificate, letter or other evidence satisfactory to the Registrar or a panel of the Registration Committee establishing that the applicant is in good standing as a physiotherapist in every jurisdiction where the applicant holds an out-of-province certificate. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(3) Where an applicant referred to in subsection (1) is unable to satisfy the Registrar that the applicant practised the profession to the extent that would be permitted by a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice at any time in the five years immediately before the date of that applicant's application, the applicant must meet any further requirement to undertake, obtain or undergo material additional training, experience, examinations or assessments that may be specified by a panel of the Registration Committee. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(4) An applicant referred to in subsection (1) is deemed to have met the requirements of paragraph 2 of subsection 16 (2) where the requirements for the issuance of the applicant's out-of-province certificate included language proficiency requirements equivalent to those required by that paragraph. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(5) Despite subsection (1), an applicant is not deemed to have met a requirement if that requirement is described in subsection 22.18 (3) of the Code. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

21. (1) Subject to subsections (6), (8) and (9), it is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice that, five years after the date of initial registration, and every year after that, the holder satisfy the Registrar that he or she,

(a) has practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the preceding five years;

(b) has successfully completed the College Review Program within the previous 12 months at the holder's expense; or

(c) has successfully completed the examination within the previous 12 months. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (1).

(2) For the purpose of clause (1) (b), the College Review Program shall consist of an assessment of the holder's current knowledge, skill, judgment and performance and may include an individualized upgrading program based upon the results of the assessment or a reassessment upon the completion of the program. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(3) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice fails to satisfy the condition in subsection (1), his or her certificate of registration is suspended until the condition is satisfied except if the holder concludes a written agreement approved by the Registrar. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (2).

(5) A person who held a certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or an inactive status certificate of registration on December 14, 2011 shall be issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(6) A certificate of registration authorizing independent practice issued under subsection (5) is subject to the same terms, conditions and limitations that applied to the class of the member's previous certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or inactive status certificate of registration, as the case may be, until the member satisfies the Registrar that he or she is in compliance with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1). O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(7) For greater certainty, nothing in subsection (6) affects the expiry of any term, condition or limitation that was imposed on the member's previous certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or inactive status certificate of registration, as the case may be, by the Registrar pursuant to,

(a) an order of Council or Executive Committee or a panel of the Registration Committee, Discipline Committee or Fitness to Practice Committee;

(b) a direction of the Quality Assurance Committee; or

(c) the approval of a panel of the Registration Committee. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(8) A member referred to in subsection (5) who held a certificate of registration authorizing academic practice on December 14, 2011 must comply with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1) within six months of being issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice under subsection (5). O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(9) A member referred to in subsection (5) who held an inactive status certificate of registration on December 14, 2011 must comply with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1) within three years of being issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice under subsection (5), and if he or she does not do so, his or her certificate of registration authorizing independent practice is deemed to have expired on the date that is three years immediately after the date of issuance. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

22. REVOKED: O. Reg. 390/11, s. 6.

PROVISIONAL PRACTICE

23. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice:
1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy.
 2. The applicant must have successfully completed the written component of the examination.
 3. The applicant must have registered to take the practical component of the examination at the next available opportunity after the application. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.
- (2) The following are the terms, conditions and limitations of a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice:
1. The holder may practise physiotherapy only under the terms of a written agreement with a member holding a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who monitors him or her in accordance with the written agreement. For the purposes of this paragraph, both the written agreement and the member must be approved by the Registrar.
 2. The holder shall hold himself or herself out only as a physiotherapy resident.
 3. If the member in paragraph 1 is unable to maintain the terms of the agreement due to resignation, illness or other circumstances, the provisional practice certificate of the holder is suspended until a new written agreement with the same or different member is approved by the Registrar.
 4. The certificate expires on the earlier of the date that the holder receives notification that he or she has failed the practical component of the examination or 12 weeks after the date that the holder is registered to take the practical component of the examination. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.
- (3) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 7.
- (4) A person who has failed the practical component of the examination is not entitled to apply for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.
- (4.1) Subsection (4) does not apply to a person who has failed the practical component of the examination only one time, where there are exceptional circumstances, such as the practical component of the examination is not available for an extended period of time, and the person meets such additional requirements and is subject to such terms, conditions and limitations as may be specified by a panel of the Registration Committee.
- (5) A person who previously obtained a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice is not entitled to apply for another one unless the person did not fail the practical component of the examination but was unable to complete it successfully because of illness or some other reason beyond the control of the person. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.
- (6) A person who previously obtained what was formerly known as a certificate of registration authorizing supervised practice is not entitled to apply for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice unless the person did not fail the practical component of the examination but was unable to complete it successfully because of illness or some other reason beyond the control of the person. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.
- (7) If the Registrar receives concerns relating to the member's knowledge, skills or judgement in the practice of physiotherapy during the period that the member held a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice, the Registrar may refer the member to the Quality Management Committee. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

COURTESY

24. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a courtesy certificate of registration:
1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy, unless the applicant, if applying for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice, would be exempt from meeting the requirement of paragraph 1 of subsection 19 (1) by virtue of subsection 19 (2) or (3).
 2. The applicant must be registered to practise as a physiotherapist by an authority responsible for the regulation of physiotherapists in a jurisdiction outside Ontario that is approved by the Registration Committee as having a scheme for the regulation of physiotherapists that is reasonably equivalent to that in Ontario.
 3. The applicant must have practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the preceding five years.
 4. The applicant must certify that he or she is making the application solely for reason of,
 - i. teaching an educational course,
 - ii. participating in an educational program,
 - iii. participating in research activities, or

iv. participating in a specific event of limited duration. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

(2) The following are the terms, conditions and limitations of a courtesy certificate of registration:

1. The holder may practise physiotherapy only for the purpose that he or she certified under paragraph 4 of subsection (1) as the reason for making the application for the courtesy certificate of registration.
2. The certificate expires 30 days after the date of initial registration, on the date on which the purpose referenced in paragraph 1 is attained or when the member is no longer engaged in attaining that purpose, whichever is the earliest. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

(3) If a holder of a courtesy certificate of registration ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

TRANSITIONAL, TEACHING PRACTICE CERTIFICATE

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**PART I
QUALITY ASSURANCE**

GENERAL

1. In this Part,

“assessor” means a person appointed under section 81 of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“Committee” means the Quality Assurance Committee required by subsection 10 (1) of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“program” means the quality assurance program required by section 80 of the Health Professions Procedural Code;

“stratified random sampling” means a sampling where groups of members are,

- (a) removed from the pool of members to be sampled, or
- (b) weighted to increase or decrease the likelihood of their being selected. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

2. (1) The Committee shall administer the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) The program shall include the following components:

- 1. Self-assessments.
 - 2. Continuing education or professional development designed to,
 - i. promote continuing competence and continuous quality improvement among the members,
 - ii. promote interprofessional collaboration,
 - iii. address changes in practice environments, and
 - iv. incorporate standards of practice, advances in technology, changes made to entry to practice competencies and other relevant issues in the discretion of the Council.
 - 3. Peer and practice assessments, including continuing education programs or remediation, if needed.
 - 4. Collection, analysis and dissemination of information.
 - 5. A mechanism for the College to monitor members’ participation in, and compliance with, the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.
- (3)** Every member shall comply with the requirements of the program. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

SELF-ASSESSMENT

3. (1) Every member shall conduct an annual self-assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) Every member shall keep a record of his or her annual self-assessment in the form and manner approved by the Committee and shall retain the record for at least five years following the self-assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) At the request of the Committee, an assessor or a College employee, a member shall provide to the Committee, the assessor or the College employee, within the time period specified in the request or, where no time period is specified, within 30 days after receiving the request,

- (a) complete and accurate information about the member’s annual self-assessments; and

- (b) the member's annual self-assessment records described in subsection (2). O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

CONTINUING EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

4. (1) Every member shall participate annually in continuing education or professional development to the extent necessary to maintain the knowledge, skill and judgment required to practice the profession. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

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- (a) complete and accurate information about the member's continuing education or professional development; and
- (b) the member's continuing education and professional development records described in subsection (2). O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

PEER AND PRACTICE ASSESSMENT

5. (1) Each year, the Committee shall select members to undergo a peer and practice assessment in order to assess whether the members' knowledge, skill and judgment are satisfactory. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(2) A member may be selected to undergo a peer and practice assessment,

- (a) at random, including by stratified random sampling;
- (b) on the basis of criteria specified by the Committee and published on the College's website at least three months before the member is selected on the basis of that criteria; or
- (c) if a request to view the member's records is made under clause 3 (3) (b) or 4 (3) (b) and the Committee or an assessor is of the opinion that the member has not provided sufficient records or that the member's records demonstrate that the member has not engaged in adequate self-assessments, continuing education or professional development. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(3) A peer and practice assessment may include,

- (a) inspecting the premises where the member practises;
- (b) reviewing the member's records required under subsections 3 (2) and 4 (2);
- (c) reviewing information respecting patient care and the member's records of the care of patients;
- (d) requiring the member to answer, orally or in writing, questions about his or her practice;
- (e) requiring the member to participate in simulations related to his or her practice;
- (f) interviewing or surveying the member and his or her employer, employees, colleagues, peers or patients; and
- (g) requiring the member to interview or survey his or her employer, employees, colleagues, peers or patients. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(4) A peer and practice assessment shall be carried out by an assessor. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(5) The assessor shall prepare a written report on each peer and practice assessment and submit it to the Committee. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(6) If, after considering the assessor's report and any other relevant materials, the Committee is of the opinion that the member's knowledge, skill or judgment is not satisfactory, the Committee may take any of the actions listed in section 80.2 of the Health Professions Procedural Code, if, before doing so, the Committee,

- (a) gives to the member a copy of the assessor's report and any other relevant materials;
- (b) gives to the member notice of the Committee's opinion and intention to take action;
- (c) gives to the member notice of the member's right to make written submissions to the Committee within a specified time period that is not less than 14 days after receipt of the notice; and
- (d) after considering any submissions made by the member, is still of the opinion that the member's knowledge, skill or judgment is not satisfactory. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

(7) Even if the Committee does not provide notice to the member under clause (6) (b), the Committee shall advise the member of the results of the peer and practice assessment. O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

6.-8. REVOKED: O. Reg. 378/12, s. 1.

**PART II
FUNDING FOR THERAPY AND COUNSELLING**

9. In this Part,

“member” includes a former member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

10. (1) The alternate requirements that must be satisfied in order for a person to be eligible for funding under clause 85.7 (4) (b) of the Health Professions Procedural Code are prescribed in this section. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(2) A person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling if,

(a) there is a statement, contained in the written reasons of a committee of the College given after a hearing, that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by the member;

(b) a member has been found guilty under the *Criminal Code* (Canada) of sexually assaulting the person while the person was a patient of the member;

(c) there is sufficient evidence presented to the Patient Relations Committee to support the reasonable belief that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by a member and,

(i) the member has died or cannot be located, or

(ii) the member has been found by the Fitness to Practise Committee to be incapacitated and the Fitness to Practise Committee has directed the Registrar to suspend or revoke the member’s certificate of registration;

(d) an allegation that the person, while a patient, was sexually abused by the member results in an informal resolution with the member that contemplates funding for therapy or counselling;

(e) there is an admission made by a member in a statement to the College or in an agreement with the College that he or she sexually abused the person while the person was a patient of the member; or

(f) there is a finding made by a panel of the Discipline Committee on or after December 31, 1993, that the person was sexually abused by a member before December 31, 1993, while the person was a patient of the member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(3) Subject to subsection (4), a person who was allegedly sexually abused by a member outside Ontario is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling under subsection (2) only if, at the time the alleged abuse occurred, the person was a patient of the member and the member was practising in Ontario. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(4) Despite subsection (3), a person who was allegedly sexually abused by a member outside Ontario is not eligible for funding under subsection (2) if the person resides outside Ontario and regularly receives services from a member outside Ontario. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(5) Despite subsection (2), a person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling under this Part only if,

(a) the person submits an application for funding to the Patient Relations Committee in the form provided by the College and, in the application, the person names the member who is alleged to have sexually abused the applicant;

(b) the person submits to the Patient Relations Committee along with the application a written undertaking by the applicant to keep confidential all information obtained through the application for funding process, including the fact that funding has been granted and the reasons given by the Committee for granting the funding; and

(c) the person adheres to the procedures followed by the Patient Relations Committee when determining whether the person has satisfied the requirements for eligibility for funding. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

(6) A decision by the Patient Relations Committee that a person is eligible for funding for therapy or counselling does not constitute a finding against the member and shall not be considered by any other committee of the College dealing with the member. O. Reg. 611/99, s. 2.

**PART III
REGISTRATION**

DEFINITIONS

11. In this Part,

“degree in physiotherapy” means,

(a) a minimum of a baccalaureate degree in a physiotherapy education program at a Canadian university approved by a body or bodies designated by the Council, or by the Council itself,

(b) an academic qualification from outside Canada that is considered by a body or bodies designated by the Council, or by the Council itself, to be substantially similar to the qualification in clause (a);

“examination” means an examination set or approved by the Council. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

GENERAL

12. The following are prescribed as classes of certificates of registration:

1. Independent practice.
2. Provisional practice.
3. Courtesy.

4., 5. REVOKED: O. Reg. 390/11, s. 1.

O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 1.

13. A person may apply for the issue of a certificate of registration by submitting to the College a completed application for the class of certificate for which application is made together with any applicable fees. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

14. A certificate of registration shall not be dated earlier than the day it was issued. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

15. A member shall not hold more than one certificate of registration. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

16. (1) It is a non-exemptible registration requirement for all classes of certificates of registration that the applicant's past and present conduct affords reasonable grounds for belief that he or she,

- (a) is mentally competent to practise physiotherapy;
- (b) will practise physiotherapy with decency, integrity and honesty and in accordance with the law; and
- (c) can communicate effectively with, and will display an appropriate attitude towards, patients and colleagues. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(2) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration of any class except a courtesy certificate of registration:

1. The applicant must have Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status or an authorization under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) consistent with the class of certificate for which application is made.
2. The applicant must be able to speak and write either French or English with reasonable fluency. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 2 (1).

(3) It is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration of any class that the certificate terminates when the holder no longer has Canadian citizenship, permanent resident status or an authorization under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) consistent with the class of certificate. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) It is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice that the holder must successfully complete the College Jurisprudence Program at the first opportunity provided by the College following either initial registration or reinstatement of registration and thereafter once every five-year cycle of the Program as scheduled by the Registrar. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 2 (2).

(5) For the purpose of subsection (4), the College Jurisprudence Program includes an assessment of the holder's knowledge of and ability to apply jurisprudence concepts relevant to the practice of physiotherapy in Ontario. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

17. It is a non-exemptible registration requirement for all certificates of registration that the applicant demonstrates that he or she holds professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 3.

18. Despite any other provision in this Regulation, an applicant who by commission or omission makes a false or misleading representation or declaration on or in connection with an application shall be deemed not to have, and not to have had, the qualifications for a certificate of any class. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

INDEPENDENT PRACTICE

19. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice:

1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy.
2. The applicant must have successfully completed the examination. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(2) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who was, on December 31, 1993, qualified as a physiotherapist under a statute in a Canadian jurisdiction outside Ontario and is included on a permanent register in that jurisdiction is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(3) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who was, on December 30, 1993, qualified as a physiotherapist in Ontario under the *Drugless Practitioners Act* is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) An applicant for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice shall satisfy the Registrar that he or she has practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the five years immediately preceding the application if the applicant,

- (a) is not exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1) and has not successfully completed the examination within the five years immediately preceding the application; or
- (b) is exempted from the standards and qualifications under subsection (1). O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

20. (1) Where section 22.18 of the Code applies to an applicant, the requirements of subsections 19 (1) and (4) are deemed to have been met by the applicant. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(2) Despite subsection (1) it is a non-exemptible registration requirement that an applicant referred to in subsection (1) provide a certificate, letter or other evidence satisfactory to the Registrar or a panel of the Registration Committee establishing that the applicant is in good standing as a physiotherapist in every jurisdiction where the applicant holds an out-of-province certificate. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(3) Where an applicant referred to in subsection (1) is unable to satisfy the Registrar that the applicant practised the profession to the extent that would be permitted by a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice at any time in the five years immediately before the date of that applicant's application, the applicant must meet any further requirement to undertake, obtain or undergo material additional training, experience, examinations or assessments that may be specified by a panel of the Registration Committee. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(4) An applicant referred to in subsection (1) is deemed to have met the requirements of paragraph 2 of subsection 16 (2) where the requirements for the issuance of the applicant's out-of-province certificate included language proficiency requirements equivalent to those required by that paragraph. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

(5) Despite subsection (1), an applicant is not deemed to have met a requirement if that requirement is described in subsection 22.18 (3) of the Code. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 4.

21. (1) Subject to subsections (6), (8) and (9), it is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice that, five years after the date of initial registration, and every year after that, the holder satisfy the Registrar that he or she,

- (a) has practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the preceding five years;
- (b) has successfully completed the College Review Program within the previous 12 months at the holder's expense; or
- (c) has successfully completed the examination within the previous 12 months. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (1).

(2) For the purpose of clause (1) (b), the College Review Program shall consist of an assessment of the holder's current knowledge, skill, judgment and performance and may include an individualized upgrading program based upon the results of the assessment or a reassessment upon the completion of the program. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(3) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice fails to satisfy the condition in subsection (1), his or her certificate of registration is suspended until the condition is satisfied except if the holder concludes a written agreement approved by the Registrar. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (2).

(5) A person who held a certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or an inactive status certificate of registration on December 14, 2011 shall be issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(6) A certificate of registration authorizing independent practice issued under subsection (5) is subject to the same terms, conditions and limitations that applied to the class of the member's previous certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or inactive status certificate of registration, as the case may be, until the member satisfies the Registrar that he or she is in compliance with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1). O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(7) For greater certainty, nothing in subsection (6) affects the expiry of any term, condition or limitation that was imposed on the member's previous certificate of registration authorizing academic practice or inactive status certificate of registration, as the case may be, by the Registrar pursuant to,

- (a) an order of Council or Executive Committee or a panel of the Registration Committee, Discipline Committee or Fitness to Practice Committee;
- (b) a direction of the Quality Assurance Committee; or
- (c) the approval of a panel of the Registration Committee. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(8) A member referred to in subsection (5) who held a certificate of registration authorizing academic practice on December 14, 2011 must comply with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1) within six months of being issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice under subsection (5). O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

(9) A member referred to in subsection (5) who held an inactive status certificate of registration on December 14, 2011 must comply with the terms, conditions and limitations specified in subsection (1) within three years of being issued a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice under subsection (5), and if he or she does not do so, his or her certificate of registration authorizing independent practice is deemed to have expired on the date that is three years immediately after the date of issuance. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 5 (3).

22. REVOKED: O. Reg. 390/11, s. 6.

PROVISIONAL PRACTICE

23. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice:

1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy.
2. The applicant must have successfully completed the written component of the examination.
3. The applicant must have registered to take the practical component of the examination at the next available opportunity after the application. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(2) The following are the terms, conditions and limitations of a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice:

1. The holder may practise physiotherapy only under the terms of a written agreement with a member holding a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice who monitors him or her in accordance with the written agreement. For the purposes of this paragraph, both the written agreement and the member must be approved by the Registrar.
2. The holder shall hold himself or herself out only as a physiotherapy resident.
3. If the member in paragraph 1 is unable to maintain the terms of the agreement due to resignation, illness or other circumstances, the provisional practice certificate of the holder is suspended until a new written agreement with the same or different member is approved by the Registrar.
4. The certificate expires on the earlier of the date that the holder receives notification that he or she has failed the practical component of the examination or 12 weeks after the date that the holder is registered to take the practical component of the examination. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(3) If a holder of a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1; O. Reg. 390/11, s. 7.

(4) A person who has failed the practical component of the examination is not entitled to apply for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(4.1) Subsection (4) does not apply to a person who has failed the practical component of the examination only one time, where there are exceptional circumstances, such as the practical component of the examination is not available for an extended period of time, and the person meets such additional requirements and is subject to such terms, conditions and limitations as may be specified by a panel of the Registration Committee.

(5) A person who previously obtained a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice is not entitled to apply for another one unless the person did not fail the practical component of the examination but was unable to complete it successfully because of illness or some other reason beyond the control of the person. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(6) A person who previously obtained what was formerly known as a certificate of registration authorizing supervised practice is not entitled to apply for a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice unless the person did not fail the practical component of the examination but was unable to complete it successfully because of illness or some other reason beyond the control of the person. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

(7) If the Registrar receives concerns relating to the member's knowledge, skills or judgement in the practice of physiotherapy during the period that the member held a certificate of registration authorizing provisional practice, the Registrar may refer the member to the Quality Management Committee. O. Reg. 68/06, s. 1.

COURTESY

24. (1) The following are the standards and qualifications for a courtesy certificate of registration:

1. The applicant must have received a degree in physiotherapy, unless the applicant, if applying for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice, would be exempt from meeting the requirement of paragraph 1 of subsection 19 (1) by virtue of subsection 19 (2) or (3).
2. The applicant must be registered to practise as a physiotherapist by an authority responsible for the regulation of physiotherapists in a jurisdiction outside Ontario that is approved by the Registration Committee as having a scheme for the regulation of physiotherapists that is reasonably equivalent to that in Ontario.
3. The applicant must have practised physiotherapy for at least 1,200 hours in the preceding five years.
4. The applicant must certify that he or she is making the application solely for reason of,

- i. teaching an educational course,
- ii. participating in an educational program,
- iii. participating in research activities, or
- iv. participating in a specific event of limited duration. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

(2) The following are the terms, conditions and limitations of a courtesy certificate of registration:

1. The holder may practise physiotherapy only for the purpose that he or she certified under paragraph 4 of subsection (1) as the reason for making the application for the courtesy certificate of registration.
2. The certificate expires 30 days after the date of initial registration, on the date on which the purpose referenced in paragraph 1 is attained or when the member is no longer engaged in attaining that purpose, whichever is the earliest. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

(3) If a holder of a courtesy certificate of registration ceases or fails to hold professional liability insurance in accordance with the College by-laws, his or her certificate of registration is deemed to be suspended until the Registrar is satisfied that he or she has acquired the professional liability insurance. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

TRANSITIONAL, TEACHING PRACTICE CERTIFICATE

25. Where, immediately before December 15, 2011, a member held a certificate of registration authorizing teaching practice, the certificate continues, subject to the same terms, conditions and limitations it was subject to when issued, until it expires in accordance with section 25 of this Regulation as it read before that date. O. Reg. 390/11, s. 8.

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