

## Draft Bylaws Overview

## Board

Under the new bylaws related to the Board:

- The Board's structure is 8 to 12 members who are all appointed by the Ministry of Health, with an equal number of public members and licensees.
- There is no election of Board Members (HPOA requirement).
- The Board may recommend the appointment of Board Members to the Ministry of Health based on education, training, experience and other qualifications.
- The Board continues to have a chair and a vice-chair.
- The Board is required to adhere to conflict-of-interest policies.
- The Board establishes a consensus decision policy\* and records how decisions were achieved in the minutes.
- The Board is required to seek advice from appointed professional standards advisors when drafting or amending bylaws related to eligibility standards, ethics standards and practice standards.
- Remuneration and reimbursement of Board Members must be in the bylaws.
- \* The consensus decision policy will outline clear pathways for the Board to seek and build consensus on issues to be considered by resolution, before a vote is held.

The full part of the draft bylaws is available here: <a href="https://chcpbc.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/2025-05-11-draft-bylaws-part-2-consultation.pdf">https://chcpbc.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/2025-05-11-draft-bylaws-part-2-consultation.pdf</a>