Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario C.P.S.O.

Re: Human Rights Code discussions

Dear Sir/Madam,

If Canadians have freedom of speech and freedom of religion, then we need to be free to follow our own beliefs or there is no freedom.

Therefore doctors who have chosen to give their professional lives to help others should also be free to follow their own beliefs.

We, as Canadians, also have the freedom to choose a different physician if we don't share with his/her beliefs.

Similarly a physician should have the same freedom to refuse to treat a patient asking for a procedure that conflicts with his/her moral beliefs.