

Emergency Circumstances Practice

s. 6.2 (1) *The standards and qualifications for a certificate of registration authorizing practice in emergency circumstances are as follows:*

1. *Council determines it is in the public interest that the College issue emergency certificates of registration to address emergency circumstances.*
2. *The applicant must have a degree in medicine.*
3. *The applicant must have completed a year of postgraduate medical education at an accredited medical school.*
4. *A member who is a physician holding a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice must give an undertaking to supervise the applicant and be responsible for providing continuing care for patients attended by the applicant in Ontario.*

(2) *The requirements of paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 of subsection (1) are non-exemptible.*

(3) *It is a term, condition and limitation of a certificate of registration authorizing practice in emergency circumstances that:*

1. *The holder practice under the supervision of a member who is a physician;*
2. *The certificate expires the earlier of:*
 - (a) *one year from the date the certificate was issued or renewed; or*
 - (b) *the ninetieth day after Council declares that the emergency circumstances have ended.*

(4) *The Registrar may renew a certificate of registration authorizing practice in emergency circumstances for one or more periods, each of which is not to exceed one year, provided that Council has not declared that the emergency circumstances have ended.*

Proposed amendment to Independent Practice class

3.2 (1) *An applicant who has held a certificate of registration authorizing practice in emergency circumstances issued by the College in the year immediately preceding his or her application for a certificate of registration authorizing independent practice is exempt from the standards and qualifications required under paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of subsection 3(1) if the applicant satisfies the following standards and qualifications:*

1. *The applicant must have certification by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada or by the College of Family Physicians of Canada.*