



# Council Meeting Highlights - June 2016

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Erin Woodbeck RD,  
President  
Alida Finnie RD, Vice  
President  
Suzanne Obiorah RD  
Shelagh Kerr

## COUNCIL MEMBERS

### Elected Councillors

Andrea DiMenna RD  
Alida Finnie RD  
Alexandra Lacarte RD  
Suzanne Obiorah RD  
Nicole Osinga RD  
Roula Tzianetas, RD  
Deion Weir, RD  
Erin Woodbeck RD

### Public Councillors

Shelagh Kerr  
Ruki Kondaj  
Julie McKendry  
Elsie Petch  
Ray Skaff  
Claudine Wilson

## MEMBERS APPOINTED TO COMMITTEES

Khashayar Amirhosseini, RD  
Dianne Gaffney, RD  
Renée Gaudet, RD  
Susan Hui, RD  
Sobia Khan, RD  
Kerri LaBrecque, RD  
Grace Lee, RD  
Marie Traynor, RD  
Cindy Tsai, RD  
Ruchika Wadhward, RD  
Krista Witherspoon, RD

## CLINIC REGULATION WORKING GROUP

Council voted to support the report of the Clinic Regulation Working Group that is being submitted to the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care. In early 2015, the Clinic Regulation Working Group was formed to explore stronger oversight of clinics in Ontario. The report will outline the current gaps in clinic oversight, present the thorough research conducted by the Clinic Regulation Working Group to date, provide analysis of its consultation feedback and recommend that the Ministry explore the matter further in the interest of ensuring quality care in clinics for the people of Ontario. The submission does not include a recommendation for clinic regulation; rather, it sets out the background information and invites the Ministry to decide how to move forward, if at all.

## BY-LAW AMENDMENT REGARDING REGISTRAR PERFORMANCE AND COMPENSATION REVIEW COMMITTEE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE COMPOSITIONS

Council approved revisions to the compositions of the Registrar Performance and Compensation Review (RPCR) Committee and the Audit Committee, so that each committee will now be made up of members of the Executive Committee plus one other Council member who is not on the Executive Committee.

## DEVELOPING STANDARDS & GUIDELINES RECORD KEEPING

Council approved the revising and restructuring of the current *Record Keeping Guidelines* to develop *Standards & Guidelines for Record Keeping*. In 2014, the College revised its *Record Keeping Guidelines for RDs in Ontario (2014)*. The College asked RDs for feedback on the revised guidelines in a survey conducted January/February 2016. As a result of feedback from members, staff recommended that Council develop formal standards that will clearly articulate record keeping requirements for dietetic practice. Watch for updates on this project.

## AGREEMENT TO MOVE AHEAD WITH THE STANDARDS & GUIDELINES FOR CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Council approved for staff to move ahead with the development of *Standards & Guidelines for Conflict of Interest*, to clarify the professional practice expectations surrounding matters related to conflict of interest for RDs in Ontario.

## ELECTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR 2016-2017

The members of the Executive Committee for 2016-2017 were elected as follows:

President: Erin Woodbeck RD  
Vice President: Alida Finnie RD  
Third Member Suzanne Obiorah RD  
Fourth Member: Shelagh Kerr