

# NOVEMBER 5, 2020

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## MESSAGE FROM THE STAFF OF THE COLLEGE OF PARAMEDICS OF MANITOBA

November 3, 2020 will be a memorable day for paramedics in Manitoba. On this day the Government of Manitoba announced that amendments will be made to several paramedic regulations to allow the College to come into force on December 1, 2020.

The College is proud to serve the role of protecting the public interest while gaining the trust of the public through effective regulation and supporting Paramedics to practice to the highest standard possible. The credit for the announcement yesterday must go to Manitoba Paramedics and in particular the staff and Board of the Paramedics Association of Manitoba.

Paramedics believed they were an integral part of a changing and evolving health delivery system, they recognized the acceleration of education and scope of practice in paramedicine, and they understood the importance that the public must trust that Paramedics are thoughtful, knowledgeable and caring professionals.

It was a long journey from application for self-regulation to the announcement that was issued on November 3, 2020. There were endless hours spent to get to this point in time. Your accomplishments are admired by other Paramedics in other jurisdictions in Canada and Internationally. Congratulations from all of us at the College of Paramedics of Manitoba!

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## Important Next Steps

The College will be responsible for all facets of regulation effective December 1, 2020.

**We are now authorized to commence the registration process for the initial Transition Application and Registration Renewal effective November 18, 2020.**

As a result, the following actions will occur:

1. **The Applicant Portal on the College website will be activated on November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020**
2. The *Instruction Guide for Registration* will be posted on the College website on November 16, 2020. This guide provides step by step instructions for log in, password reset, and software navigation.
3. An email will be sent to each Paramedic who is currently licensed with MHSAL, Emergency Medical Services on Monday November 16, 2020 providing instructions for Application and Renewal
4. Paramedics who renew their 3-year license or submit their MCCPP to MHSAL in November of 2020 **MUST** complete that requirement as that is the current regulation in effect and this step must be completed to be considered in Good Standing with the current regulator. Paramedics that renew in November with MHSAL will also be required to complete the Transition Application and Renewal with the College.
5. Paramedics who would have renewed their 3-year license or submit their MCCPP to MHSAL in December of 2020 will **NOT** be required to do this. Please follow the Transition Application and Registration Renewal Instructions.
6. Please review the *Registration Check List* document and FAQ document at <https://collegeparamb.ca/2020/10/licensing-registration-changes/>
7. If you have questions: a) please email us at [info@collegeparamb.ca](mailto:info@collegeparamb.ca) b) phone us at 204-793-3592 c) join us Tuesdays at 11:30 am for **Ask us Anything?** <https://collegeparamb.ca/2020/10/announcing-ask-us-anything/>