



Announcement of Consultations

Consultations are an opportunity for the College to collect feedback on important regulatory concepts potentially being considered, on proposed changes to regulations and standards of practice and amendments to our by-laws. Consultations may range from 30 days for policies or standards to 60 days or more for regulations and by-laws.

Three new consultations have been launched by the College:

1. [Framework for the Evaluation of Laboratory Test Submissions](#)

The College is consulting on a draft framework for assessing new or modified laboratory tests in naturopathic practice. The framework explains how submissions are reviewed and how Council decisions are made. Consultation runs until **October 31, 2025**.

2. [By-law Amendments – Election of Council](#)

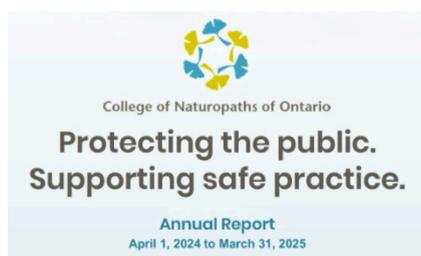
Proposed by-law changes would replace seven electoral districts with one province-wide district. Candidates would apply through a process reviewed by the Governance Committee, based on competencies, diversity gaps, and Council priorities. The consultation runs from September 25 until **November 26, 2025**.

3. [By-law Amendments – Information to be Provided and Fees](#)

We are consulting on by-law amendments regarding registrant information and fees. Proposals include a \$250 registration fee increase to strengthen reserves, and cost recovery for resource-intensive regulatory cases. The consultation runs from September 25 until **November 26, 2025**.

We encourage you to review the supporting materials and provide constructive feedback. Your thoughtful input supports robust discussion.

[View Current Consultations](#)



CoNO Annual Report 2024-2025 has been released!

We're pleased to announce the release of our 2024-25 Annual Report. This year's report shares the progress we've made in delivering on our mandate to protect the public and ensure safe, ethical naturopathic care.

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Currency Requirements

Registrants in the General class must practise a minimum of 750 hours over each rolling three-year period. Learn more about currency, including updated direct patient care requirements that come into effect in 2027, by reviewing our [Currency Fact Sheet](#) and [Registration Policy](#). Have additional questions? Contact us at registration@collegeofnaturopaths.on.ca.



Regulatory Education Program
College of Naturopaths of Ontario

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REP: The Use of Technology in Modern Day Record Keeping

Join us for the next session of the Regulatory Education Program (REP) exploring the evolving role of technology in naturopathic practice. This session will cover legal and professional requirements for electronic documentation, including PHIPA obligations, data security, and patient access. Through scenario-based examples and regulatory guidance, participants will learn best practices to strengthen compliance.



[Read more](#)

Standard of Practice: Record Keeping

The College's Standard of Practice for Record-Keeping outlines expectations for registrants for maintaining consistent, confidential, and concise patient records. As all registrants are required to comply with the Standard, we encourage you to regularly review this information to keep abreast of your professional duties. For any questions, contact us at

regulatoryguidance@collegeofnaturopaths.on.ca.

Important Dates and Upcoming Events

October

19	Ontario Clinical (Practical) Exams sitting
27	Deadline for feedback on The Use of Testimonials in Naturopathic Practice-Preliminary Consultation .

November

11	College is closed for Remembrance Day
24	REP: The Use of Technology In Modern Day Record-Keeping Register

December

10	Council Meeting (9:15 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.) Register
24	College is closed at 1pm for the holidays

[See more dates](#)



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