



## Council Highlights – October 20, 2017

Below is a summary of key decisions taken by Council at its meeting held on October 20, 2017.

### Registration Regulation

Council approved the amended registration regulation allowing sonographers to be regulated as a fifth specialty within the CMRTO. The amended regulation will be submitted to government for approval by cabinet.

### Standards of Practice

Council reviewed proposed amendments to the Standards of Practice and Code of Ethics and approved them for circulation and comment. The proposed amendments will be circulated to MRTs and sonographers for comment in early November.

### Bill 160 – *Strengthening Quality and Accountability for Patients Act, 2017*

Registrar & CEO Linda Gough, presented an update on Bill 160, which is currently having a second reading in the legislature. If passed, schedule 6 of Bill 160 would repeal the *Medical Radiation Technology Act* and replace it with the *Medical Radiation and Imaging Technology Act*. The name of the College would change to the College of Medical Radiation and Imaging Technologists of Ontario (CMRITO).

### MOHLTC Task Force

Council directed the Registrar & CEO to apply to participate on the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care's Task Force for the Development of Standards for X-rays.

### Next Council Meeting

The next Council meeting will take place on Friday, December 8, 2017.