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Podiatry Act
(R.S.Q., c. P-12)

Podiatrists — Medications — Amendments

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the medications that a podiatrist may use in the practice of his profession or administer or prescribe to his patients was adopted by the Office des professions du Québec.

The Regulation, the text of which appears below, may be submitted to the Government, which pursuant to section 13 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), may approve it, with or without amendment, upon the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The purpose of the Regulation is to update the list of medications that podiatrists may use in the practice of their profession or administer or prescribe to their patients and determine the conditions according to which they may administer and prescribe such medications.

In order to be appropriately advised when updating the list, the Office formed a panel of experts consisting of four members, including a representative of the Office acting as coordinator and three experts including a podiatrist, a physician and a pharmacist, designated by the Office after consulting the Ordre des podiatres du Québec, the Collège des médecins du Québec and the Ordre des pharmaciens du Québec.

The Conseil consultatif de pharmacologie, the Ordre des podiatres du Québec, the Collège des médecins du Québec and the Ordre des pharmaciens du Québec have also been duly consulted by the Office with respect to the update.

The Regulation, which is an update of the Regulation currently in force, will have no impact on businesses, small and medium-sized businesses or other.

Further information on the proposed regulation may be obtained by contacting Lucie Boissonneault, research officer, or France Lesage, advocate, Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10^e étage, Québec

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Any interested person having comments to make is asked to send them in writing, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Chairman of the Office, at the abovementioned address. Those comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions; they may also be forwarded to the professional orders involved and to the interested persons, departments and agencies.

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Regulation to amend the Regulation respecting the medications that a podiatrist may use in the practice of his profession or administer or prescribe to his patients*

Podiatry Act
(R.S.Q., c. P-12, s. 12)

1. Section 1 of the Regulation respecting the medications that a podiatrist may use in the practice of his profession or administer or prescribe to his patients is amended

(1) by adding the words “or in Schedule II subject to the conditions prescribed in this Regulation” at the end;

(2) by adding the following paragraphs at the end:

* The Regulation respecting the medications that a podiatrist may use in the practice of his profession or administer or prescribe to his patients, approved by Order in Council 1057-91 dated 24 July 1991 (1991, *G.O.* 2, 3231) has not been amended since.

“A podiatrist, who administers or prescribes to his patients the medications described in Schedule II that are not medications described in Schedule I, shall hold a certificate issued by the Ordre des podiatres du Québec acknowledging that he received university training in podiatric medicine in the last five years, comprising a minimum of 1145 hours apportioned as follows :

- (1) 540 hours in anatomy-physiology ;
- (2) 90 hours in biochemistry ;
- (3) 105 hours in microbiology ;
- (4) 275 hours in general pathologies ;
- (5) 90 hours in basic pharmacology ;
- (6) 45 hours in clinical pharmacology.

Before he may administer or prescribe to his patients the medications described in Schedule II that are not medications described in Schedule I, a podiatrist whose training referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 6 of the second paragraph was received more than five years ago shall successfully complete the continuing education activities determined by the Ordre des podiatres du Québec pursuant to paragraph *o* of section 94 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26; 2000, c. 13, s. 20) and hold a certificate issued by the Order acknowledging that the activities were successfully completed.”.

2. Section 2 is revoked.

3. The following Schedules are substituted for Schedule I:

“SCHEDULE I

Note: medications without specification are intended for topical application.

Substances	Specification
Acetaminophen	Pharmaceutical forms intended for oral and rectal administration
Acetic, glacial acid	
Acetylsalicylic, acid	Pharmaceutical forms intended for oral administration
Almond, sweet oil	
Aluminium and its salts	

Substances	Specification
Amcinonide	Quantity limited for 30 days
Amino acids	
Anthralin (dithranol)	
Bacitracin and its salts	
Beclomethasone and its salts	
Benzalkonium	
Benzocaine	
Betamethasone benzoate	
Betamethasone dipropionate	Quantity limited for 30 days
Betamethasone valerate	
Bupivacaine and its salts	Pharmaceutical forms intended for administration by injection for local use only
Calcipotriol	
Calcium acetate	
Camphor	
Cantharin	
Capsaicin	
Cetirizine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration
Cetrimide	
Chlorhexidine and its salts	
Chlorphenesin	
Chlorprocaine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only
Ciclopirox olamine	
Cinchocaine	
Clioquinol (iodochlorhydroxyquin)	

Substances	Specification	Substances	Specification
Clobetasol propionate	Quantity limited for 30 days	Gentamicin sulfate	
Clobetasone butyrate		Gentian, violet	
Clotrimazole		Gramicidin	
Collagenase		Halcinodide	Quantity limited for 30 days
Colloidal oatmeal		Hexachlorophene	
Dakin's solution		Hydrocortisone and its salts	
Deoxyribonuclease		Hydroxyzine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration
Desonide		Iodine tincture	
Desoximetasone	Quantity limited for 30 days	Isopropyl myristate	
Dichloroacetic acid		Ketoconazole	
Diethylamine salicylate		Lactic acid	
Diflucortolone valerate	Quantity limited for 30 days	Lanolin	
Diphenhydramine	Pharmaceutical forms intended for oral and topical administration	Lidocaine and its salts	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration by injection for local use only
Econazole nitrate		Loratadine	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration
Epinephrine (adrenaline)	Pharmaceutical forms for the emergency treatment of anaphylactic reactions in the form of self-injector or ampoule Pharmaceutical form associated with local anaesthetics	Mafenide and its salts	
Erythromycin		Magnesium salicylate	
Ethyl chloride		Menthol	
Fibrinolysin		Mepivacaine	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only
Flumetasone pivalate		Methyl salicylate	
Fluocinide	Quantity limited for 30 days	Methylpolysiloxanes	
Fluocinolone acetonide	Quantity limited for 30 days	Methylprednisolone acetate	
Formalin		Miconazole nitrate	
Framycetin sulfate		Mineral and vegetal tar	
Fusidic acid		Mineral oil	

Substances	Specifications	Substances	Specifications
Betamethasone benzoate		Clobetasone butyrate	
Betamethasone dipropionate	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration per intradermal or intramuscular injection Quantity limited for 30 days	Clotrimazole	
Betamethasone valerate		Collagenase	
Bleomycin sulfate	Pharmaceutical form injectable in the plantar lesion without exceeding 0.8 unit up to a maximum of 5 units per treatment	Colloidal oatmeal	
Bupivacaine and its salts	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only	Dakin's solution	
Calcipotriol		Deoxyribonuclease	
Calcium acetate		Desonide	
Camphor		Desoximetasone	Quantity limited for 30 days
Cantharin		Dichloroacetic acid	
Capsaicin		Diclofenac, potassic and sodic	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration Quantity limited for 30 days
Celecoxib	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration Quantity limited for 30 days	Diethylamine salicylate	
Cetirizine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration	Diflucortolone valerate	Quantity limited for 30 days
Cetrimid		Dyphenhydramine	Pharmaceutical forms intended for oral administration and administration per intramuscular, subcutaneous or intradermal injection
Chlorhexidine and its salts		Econazole nitrate	
Chlorphenesin		Epinephrine (adrenaline)	Pharmaceutical forms for the emergency treatment of anaphylactic reactions in the form of auto-injector or vial
Chlorprocaine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only	Erythromycin	
Ciclopirox olamine		Ethyl chloride	
Cinchocaine		Fibrinolysin	
Clioquinor (iodochlorhydroxyquin)		5-fluorouracil	0.1% pharmaceutical form intended for topical application in the case of plantar warts resisting to first-line treatments
Clobetasol propionate	Quantity limited for 30 days	Flumetasone pivalate	
		Fluocinonide	Quantity limited for 30 days

Substances	Specifications	Substances	Specifications
Fluocinolone acetonide	Quantity limited for 30 days	Methyl salicylate	
Formaline		Methylpolysiloxanes	
Framycetin sulfate		Methylprednisolone acetate	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration by injection for local use only
Fusidic acid		Miconazole nitrate	
Gentamicin sulfate		Mineral and vegetal tar	
Gentian, violet		Mineral oil	
Gramicidin		Mometasone furorate	
Halcinodide	Quantity limited for 30 days	Mupirocin	
Hexachlorophene		Naproxen	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration Quantity limited for 30 days
Hydrocortisone and its salts		Neomycin sulfate	
Hydroxyzine hydrochloride	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration	Nystatin	
Ibuprofen	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration Quantity limited for 30 days	Oxiconazole	
Iodine tincture		Phenol	
Isopropyl myristate		Podophyllin	
Ketoconazole		Polymyxin B sulfate	
Lactic acid		Povidone iodine	
Lanolin		Pramoxine	
Lidocaine and its salts	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration by injection for local use only	Prilocaine	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration by injection for local use only
Loratadine	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration	Procaine	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only
Mafenide and its salts		Resorcinol and its salts	
Magnesium salicylate		Rofecoxib	Pharmaceutical form intended for oral administration Quantity limited for 30 days
Menthol			
Mepivacaine	Pharmaceutical form intended for administration by injection for local use only		

Substances	Specifications
Salicylic acid	
Silicone	
Silver nitrate	
Silver sulfadiazine	
Sodium thiosulfate	
Sulphur, colloidal, precipitate or sublimate	
Synthetic sebum	
Tazarotene	
Terbinafine	
Tetracaine and its salts	Pharmaceutical forms intended for topical application and administration by injection for local use only
Tioconazole	
Tolnaftate	
Triamcinolone acetonide	Quantity limited for 30 days
Triamcinolone hexacetonide	Pharmaceutical forms intended for administration by intramuscular or intradermal injection Quantity limited for 30 days
Trichloroacetic acid	
Triethanolamine salicylate	
Urea	Pharmaceutical form intended for topical application, with a concentration of 30% or less
White petroleum jelly	
Zinc oxide".	

4. This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day following the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.