

1° if the physician practices his profession within a joint-stock company:

- a) the complete and updated register of the constitution and by-laws of the company within which he practices his profession;
- b) the complete and updated register of the shares of the company;
- c) the complete and updated register of the directors of the company;
- d) any shareholders agreement and voting agreement, as amended;
- e) the updated company's statement of registration;
- f) the name of the executive officers of that company and their residential address;

2° if the physician practices his profession within a limited liability partnership:

- a) the updated company's statement of registration;
- b) the partnership agreement as amended;
- c) the complete and updated register of the partners of the company;
- d) as the case may be, the complete and updated register of the directors of that company;
- e) the name of the executive officers of that company and their residential address.

16. A physician who practices his profession within a limited liability partnership or a joint-stock company within which only physicians or members of other professional orders, shall be authorized to enter, in the name of the company or after such name, the terms "partnership of professionals governed by the Professional Code" or the acronym "PPGPC".

17. The respondent may, on behalf of physicians practicing within a company, meet the requirements under section 3, when a company within which they practise their profession has more than one physician. The respondent is then directed by these physicians to answer to inquiries made under this Regulation, by the syndic, an assistant syndic, an inspector, an investigator, a member of a Professional inspection Committee or another representative of the Collège and to provide

them, as the case may be, with the documents that the physicians are required to remit. The respondent must ensure that the information provided by the Collège is accurate.

The respondent must be a physician in accordance with section 1 of this Regulation.

18. This Regulation comes into force on the fifteenth day after its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

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Draft Regulation

Professional Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-26)

Physicians — Professional activities that may be engaged in electrophysiology

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), that the Bureau of the Collège des médecins du Québec, at its meeting held on June 6, 2003, adopted the Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in electrophysiology.

The Regulation was sent to the Office des professions du Québec which will examine it pursuant to section 95 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26). It will then be submitted, with the recommendation of the Office, to the Government which, pursuant to that section, may approve it with or without amendment after the expiry of 45 days following this publication.

The purpose of the Regulation is to take into account the new sharing of professional activities in the health sector arising from the coming into force of the Act to amend the Professional Code and other legislative provisions as regards the health sector (2002, c. 33), while ensuring the continuity of care and services for the public.

According to the Collège des médecins du Québec:

(1) this Regulation authorizes an electrophysiology technologist or a student duly registered in a training program leading to the diploma contemplated in this Regulation to perform a stress electrocardiogram;

(2) this Regulation also authorizes any person who, on January 30, 2003, performed the diagnostic tests contemplated in this Regulation to continue doing so;

(3) in the interests of citizens and public protection, this Regulation specifies the terms and conditions, notably the training, under which such activities may be performed;

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Any person having comments to make on the following text is asked to send them, before the expiry of the 45-day period, to the Chairman of the Office des professions du Québec, 800, place D'Youville, 10^e étage, Québec (Québec) G1R 5Z3. Comments will be forwarded by the Office to the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions; they may also be sent to the professional order that has adopted the Regulation, namely the Collège des médecins du Québec, as well as to interested persons, ministries and organizations.

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Regulation respecting professional activities that may be engaged in electrophysiology

Professional Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-26; s. 94 h; 2002, c. 33, s. 5)

1. The purpose of this Regulation is to determine, from among the professional activities that may be engaged in, those that, under the terms and conditions determined therein, may be engaged in by an electrophysiology technologist or other persons.

2. In this Regulation, the following terms mean:

(1) “electrophysiology technologist”: any person who holds a diploma of college studies in medical electrophysiology issued by Collège Ahuntsic;

(2) “individual prescription”: a prescription given to a person by a physician, the subject of which is medication, treatments, examinations or care to be provided to an identified patient;

3. An electrophysiology technologist may perform a stress electrocardiogram, in accordance with an individual prescription.

4. A student duly registered in a training program leading to the diploma contemplated in subparagraph 1° of section 2 may engage in the activity that may be practiced by an electrophysiology technologist, pursuant to section 3, to the extent required for purposes of completing this program.

5. Any person who, on January 30, 2003, engaged in the following activities is authorized to continue doing so, in accordance with an individual prescription:

(1) echocardiography or vascular echography including, if necessary, the administration of substances required for this purpose;

(2) carotid or transcranial Doppler including, if necessary, the administration of substances required for this purpose.

6. Any person who, on January 30, 2003, was registered in a training program in adult and pediatric echography at the adult and continuing education faculty of the Université de Montréal may, as part of his or her training or following the issuance of a certificate attesting to successful completion of this training, engage in the activities stipulated in subparagraph 1° of section 5, in accordance with an individual prescription.

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

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