

3.9.25. Motorized scaffolding: In addition to the standards prescribed in section 3.9.22, every motorized scaffolding manufactured after 13 March 2008 shall:

(1) be designed and manufactured in compliance with ISO Standard 16369 – Mast-Climbing Work Platforms, applicable at the time of the manufacture;

(2) have the sides of the work platform next to a mast protected over a height of at least two metres to prevent access to the mast when the speed of the work platform exceeds 2.5 metres per minute;

(3) be equipped with a device preventing the fall of the work platform in case of malfunction of the hoisting system;

(4) have at least one plate on which the following particulars appear in French:

(a) the name of the manufacturer;

(b) the date of manufacture;

(c) the climbing speed;

(d) the self-bearing height;

(e) the electric power supply; and

(f) the load table;

(5) in addition to the manufacturer's instructions, be inspected in compliance with the following minimum conditions:

(a) before each use, in compliance with section 7.1.2.9 of ISO 16369 – Mast-Climbing Work Platforms Standard, applicable at the time of the manufacture, by a qualified person; and

(b) quarterly by a qualified mechanic;

(6) undergo every year a visual examination of its welds by a welding inspector holding a certificate issued by the Canadian Welding Bureau or a welding supervisor in the employ of a company certified in compliance with the requirements of CSA Standard W47.1 Certification of Companies for Fusion Welding of Steel; and

(7) undergo every five years a non-destructive examination of the bearing parts by an organization certified by the Canadian Welding Bureau in compliance with the requirements of CSA Standard W178.1 Certification of Welding Inspection Organizations.

In addition, a complete instruction manual for every motorized scaffolding, written in French, must be at the disposal of users to ensure the scaffolding is used safely.”.

8. The Regulation respecting occupational health and safety* is amended in the second paragraph of section 2,

(1) by inserting “42,” after “40,”;

(2) by striking out “61,”;

(3) by replacing “121 to 124” by “121 to 124 and 144”.

9. 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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Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 134-2008, 20 February 2008

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

Physician assistant

— Professional activities that may be engaged in by a physician assistant in the Canadian Forces

Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a physician assistant in the Canadian Forces

WHEREAS, under paragraph *h* of section 94 of the Professional Code (R.S.Q., c. C-26), the Bureau of a professional order may, by regulation, determine, among the professional activities that may be engaged in by members of the order, those that may be engaged in by the persons or categories of persons indicated in the regulation and the terms and conditions on which such persons may engage in such activities;

WHEREAS the Bureau of the Collège des médecins du Québec made the Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a physician assistant in the Canadian Forces;

* The Regulation respecting occupational health and safety, approved by Order in Council 885-2001 dated 4 July 2001 (2001, *G.O.* 2, 3888), was last amended by the regulation approved by Order in Council 1120-2006 dated 6 December 2006 (2006, *G.O.* 2, 4047).

WHEREAS, under section 95 of the Professional Code and subject to sections 95.1 and 95.2 of the Code, every regulation made by the Bureau of a professional order under the Code or an Act constituting a professional order shall be transmitted to the Office des professions du Québec for examination and submitted, with the recommendation of the Office, to the Government which may approve it with or without amendment;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (R.S.Q., c. R-18.1), a draft of the Regulation was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 29 November 2006 with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 95 of the Professional Code, the Office has examined the Regulation and made its recommendation;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation with amendments;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions:

THAT the Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a physician assistant in the Canadian Forces, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

GÉRARD BIBEAU,
Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a physician assistant in the Canadian Forces

Professional Code
(R.S.Q., c. C-26, s. 94, par. *h*)

1. The purpose of this Regulation is to determine, amongst the professional activities that may be engaged in by physicians, those which, pursuant to the terms and conditions set out in the Regulation, may be engaged in by a Canadian Forces physician assistant during his or her training or within the framework of maintaining his or her competence.

2. In this Regulation, “physician assistant” means any member of the Canadian Forces who is registered in the “Physician assistant program – training plan” (CF MSS PA Program) of the Canadian Forces Medical Services

School or has completed such a training program and whose designation as physician assistant has been recognized by the Canadian Forces.

3. The physician assistant engages in the professional activities described in sections 4, 5 and 6 in a centre operated in an institution within the meaning of the Act respecting health services and social services (R.S.Q., c. S-4.2) and affiliated with a university that issues a diploma in medicine.

4. The physician assistant, under the supervision of a physician or medical resident, may engage in the following professional activities:

1) participate in the assessment of a person’s state of health;

2) perform a physical examination.

5. The physician assistant may, according to a prescription and in the presence of a physician, another qualified professional or a medical resident, engage in the following professional activities:

1) perform a venous puncture;

2) perform a radial arterial puncture;

3) perform intubation;

4) provide care and treatment for wounds and alterations of the skin;

5) make sutures of cutaneous and subcutaneous wounds;

6) apply plaster casts;

7) insert a short peripheral intravenous catheter;

8) introduce an instrument beyond the pharynx;

9) introduce an instrument beyond the urinary meatus;

10) provide tracheostomy maintenance care;

11) remove a foreign body from beyond the nasal vestibule, the external auditory canal, the skin or the surface of the eye;

12) make an incision and drain a superficial abscess;

13) irrigate an external auditory canal;

14) apply nasal packing.

6. The physician assistant may, according to a prescription of a physician or a medical resident, engage in the following professional activities:

- 1) carry out complementary clinical acts and surgical techniques as part of a surgical procedure;
- 2) make an incision in or strip a vein;
- 3) perform a gynecological examination;
- 4) use a defibrillator.

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

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