

If the member dies before the number of years calculated by dividing A by B above has ended, the retirement benefit guarantee formula shall not apply to the spouse, recognized spouse or children until that period has elapsed.

- (b) Where the member referred to in 31.1 has received an amount representing the present value of a portion of the deferred retirement benefit, the retirement benefit guarantee formula shall not apply during the number of years calculated by dividing A by B below:

A the present value of said portion of the deferred retirement benefit

B the annual amount of supplement derived from the retirement benefit guarantee formula

If the member dies before the number of years calculated by dividing A by B above has expired, the guaranteed retirement benefit shall not apply to the spouse, recognized spouse or children until such period has elapsed.

However, the member shall be credited with the total number of years of certified service.

Where the member receives the present value of the total deferred retirement benefit, Section 31.3 shall apply.

- 31.5 In applying the retirement benefit guarantee formula to a member referred to in 31.1, January 1, 1966 as it appears in Section 18 shall be replaced by the date on which the member was placed on the Hydro-Québec payroll.

#### **Section 32 EFFECTIVE DATE**

- 32.1 This By-law shall come into force on the date of its approval by the Government of Québec, but its effective date shall be December 21, 2020.

- 32.2 This By-law shall replace Hydro-Québec By-law no. 749.

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Gouvernement du Québec

### **O.C. 1376-2020, 16 December 2020**

Midwives Act  
(chapter S-0.1)

#### **Drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife**

Regulation respecting the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife

WHEREAS, under the first paragraph of section 9 of the Midwives Act (chapter S-0.1), the Office des professions du Québec, after consultation with the Institut national d'excellence en santé et en services sociaux, the Ordre des sages-femmes du Québec, the Collège des médecins du Québec and the Ordre des pharmaciens du Québec,

establishes, by regulation, a list of the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife pursuant to the first paragraph of section 8 of the Act and determines, if necessary, the conditions according to which the drugs may be prescribed or administered;

WHEREAS, after conducting the required consultations, the Office adopted the Regulation respecting the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife on 24 April 2020;

WHEREAS, in accordance with sections 10 and 11 of the Regulations Act (chapter R-18.1), a draft Regulation respecting the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife was published in Part 2 of the *Gazette officielle du Québec* of 13 May 2020, with a notice that it could be submitted to the Government for approval, with or without amendment, on the expiry of 45 days following that publication;

WHEREAS, under section 13 of the Professional Code (chapter C-26), every regulation adopted by the Office under the Code or under an Act constituting a professional order must be submitted to the Government, which may approve it with or without amendment;

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Regulation without amendment;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of the Minister of Higher Education:

THAT the Regulation respecting the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife, attached to this Order in Council, be approved.

YVES OUELLET,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

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## **Regulation respecting the drugs that may be prescribed or administered by a midwife**

Midwives Act  
(chapter S-0.1, s. 9, 1st par.)

**1.** A midwife may, in the practice of the profession, prescribe or administer the drugs listed in the Schedule.

**2.** Despite section 1, a midwife who has obtained a permit to practise before 1 April 2022 must, to prescribe or administer the drugs listed in the Schedule, have completed the training of not more than 12 hours recognized by the Ordre des sages-femmes du Québec on the prescription and administration of drugs in accordance with this Regulation.

**3.** This Regulation replaces the Regulation respecting drugs that a midwife may prescribe or administer in the practice of midwifery (chapter S-0.1, r. 12).

**4.** This Regulation comes into force on 1 March 2021.

### **SCHEDULE**

(ss. 1 and 2)

#### **DRUGS THAT MAY BE PRESCRIBED OR ADMINISTERED BY A MIDWIFE**

NOTE: The following classification refers to the classification prepared by the American Hospital Formulary Service.

**1.** Every drug belonging to the following classification, subject to the restrictions indicated:

##### *Restrictions:*

AM Only for the purposes of breastfeeding.

CH Only in a hospital centre operated by an institution within the meaning of the Act respecting health services and social services (chapter S-4.2) or the Act respecting health services and social services for Cree Native persons (chapter S-5).

PI Only as part of first-line treatment or if the prescription or administration of the drug as part of second or third-line treatment constitutes a prophylactic measure in accordance with the clinical practices in force.

S May only be prescribed.

T Only while waiting for medical care where transfer of the clinical responsibility of the mother or child to a physician is necessary.

<b>THERAPEUTIC CLASSES</b>	<b>THERAPEUTIC SUBCLASSES</b>	<b>SUB-SUBCLASSES THERAPEUTIC</b>	<b>RESTRICTIONS</b>
<b>Antihistamines</b>	First generation antihistamines	Ethanolamine derivatives	
		Aminoglycosides	PI and T
		Cephalosporins	PI
		Macrolides	PI
		Penicillins	PI
		Sulfonamides	PI
<b>Anti-infective agents</b>	Antibacterial agents	Other antibacterial agents	PI
		Antifungals	Azoles
			Polyenes
		Antivirals	Nucleoside and nucleotide analogs
		Antiprotozoals	Miscellaneous antiprotozoals
		Urinary anti-infective agents	
<b>Autonomic nervous system (A.N.S.) drugs</b>	Sympathomimetics	Alpha and beta adrenergic agonists	T
<b>Blood medication</b>	Antianemics		
<b>Cardiovascular drugs</b>	Vasodilators	Nitrates and nitrites	T
	Beta-adrenergic blockers		T
	Calcium channel blocker	Dihydropyridines	T except for a drug for treating nipple vasospasm
		Non-steroidal anti-inflammatories	
<b>Central nervous system (C.N.S) drugs</b>	Analgesics and antipyretics	Opiate agonists	CH
		Opiate partial agonists	CH
		Miscellaneous analgesics and antipyretics	
	Narcotic antidotes		T and CH
	Anticonvulsants	Miscellaneous anticonvulsants	T
	Anxiolytics, sedatives and hypnotics	Benzodiazepines	
Miscellaneous (C.N.S) drugs		T	
<b>Diagnostic agents</b>	Diabetes mellitus		
	Urine and stool analyses		

THERAPEUTIC CLASSES	THERAPEUTIC SUBCLASSES	SUB-SUBCLASSES THERAPEUTIC	RESTRICTIONS
<b>Electrolytes-diuretics</b>	Replacement agents		
	Caloric agents		
<b>Eye, ear nose and throat (E.E.N.T.) preparations</b>	E.E.N.T. anti-infective agents	Antibiotics	
		Antihistamines Other antiemetics	
<b>Gastrointestinal drugs</b>	Antiulcer agents and antacids	Histamine H2-receptor antagonists	
		Prostaglandins	
		Gastro-duodenal cytoprotective agent	AM
	Proton pump inhibitor		
	Procinetics		AM
<b>Hormones and substitutes</b>	Corticosteroids		T
	Oral contraceptives		S
	Progestogens		
<b>Local anesthetics</b>			
<b>Ocytociacs</b>			
<b>Immunizing agents</b>	Passive immunotherapy agents		
	Active immunotherapy agents		
<b>Skin and mucous membranes</b>	Anti-infective agents	Antibacterial agents	
		Antifungals	
		Other local anti-infective agents	
	Anti-inflammatory		
	Antipruritics and local anesthetics		
<b>Vitamins</b>			

**2.** Any other drug that is not listed in Schedule I of the Regulation respecting the terms and conditions for the sale of medications (chapter P-10, r. 12).

**3.** Any combination of drugs in this Schedule, subject to applicable restrictions.