Dear Patient/Client

In BC, the regulatory colleges listed on this page license your health care professionals. As a patient/client of a licensed health care provider you can expect qualified, ethical and safe care. The British Columbia Government recognizes your practitioner as a licensed health professional.

British Columbians can count on these health professionals to deliver safe and responsible care by setting and enforcing standards of practice. With a licensed health professional you can be assured that

• you are being treated safely, ably, and ethically
• you are being treated in accordance with the standards of practice established by the licensing body
• you are receiving responsible care
• the regulatory college plays a role in your safety and responds to complaints from patients, the public and other health care providers
• your treatment is provided in accordance with established standards of practice
• your practitioner has met certain conditions such as
  - graduating from a recognized school
  - successfully completing a rigorous examination process
  - completing a criminal record check
  - providing proof of good character
  - renewing registration each year

Our mandate is to serve and protect the public.

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Ask your health professional if he or she is registered or licensed by a regulatory college. For specific information, to ask a question, or to report a concern, contact the appropriate regulatory college.
List of Regulatory Colleges

- College of Chiropractors of BC  
  www.bcchiro.com

- College of Dental Hygienists of BC  
  www.cdhbc.com

- College of Dental Surgeons of BC  
  www.cdsbc.org

- College of Dental Technicians of BC  
  www.cdt.bc.ca

- College of Denturists of BC  
  www.cd.bc.ca

- College of Dietitians of BC  
  www.collegeofdietitiansbc.org

- College of Licensed Practical Nurses of BC  
  www.clpnbc.org

- College of Massage Therapists of BC  
  www.cmtbc.ca

- College of Midwives of BC  
  www.cmmbc.ca

- College of Naturopathic Physicians of BC  
  www.cnpbc.bc.ca

- College of Occupational Therapists of BC  
  www.cotbc.org

- College of Opticians of BC  
  www.cobc.ca

- College of Optometrists of BC  
  www.optometrybc.com

- College of Pharmacists of BC  
  www.bcpharmacists.org

- College of Physical Therapists of BC  
  www.cptbc.org

- College of Physicians and Surgeons of BC  
  www.cpsbc.ca

- College of Podiatric Surgeons of BC  
  www.cps-bc.ca

- College of Psychologists of BC  
  www.collegeofpsychologists.bc.ca

- College of Registered Nurses of BC  
  www.crnbc.ca

- College of Registered Psychiatric Nurses of BC  
  www.crpnbca.ca

- BC College of Social Workers  
  www.bccollegeofsocialworkers.ca

- College of Speech and Hearing Health Professionals of BC  
  www.cshhpbc.org

- College of Traditional Chinese Medicine Practitioners and Acupuncturists of BC  
  www.ctcma.bc.ca

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