



## Council Highlights

### 88<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting

June 23, 2017

#### Election of Executive Committee for 2017-2018

Council elected the following individuals to the Executive Committee:

- Dr. Ivan McFarlane – President
- Mr. Joey Della Marina – Vice President
- Ms. Wangari Muriuki – Public Member at Large
- Mr. Luc Tran – Professional Member at Large
- Mr. Michael Vout Jr. – Professional Member at Large

#### Approval of Committee Slate for 2017-2018

Council considered and approved the slate for [College Committee membership for 2017-2018](#). Council is grateful for the participation of the members of the profession in this aspect of professional self-regulation.

#### Strategic and Financial Planning

Council adopted the [2017-2020 Strategic Plan](#), recognizing the value in having a plan that would help to focus the efforts and resources of the College on specific targets and objectives. In conjunction with this, Council is also undertaking to develop a long-term financial plan for the College that will include an examination of all of the pieces of the College's financial picture.

#### Standards of Practice

Council approved the revised [Standard of Practice: Confidentiality and Privacy](#) for implementation as of **January 1, 2018**.

Council approved the revised [Standard of Practice: Advertising](#) for implementation as of **March 1, 2018**.

The College will be hosting educational webinars to assist members in preparing for the implementation of these Standards. The Guides to the Standard of Practice: [Confidentiality and Privacy](#) and [Advertising](#) are designed to assist Denturists in understanding and applying the elements of the Standards.

Council approved the draft [Standard of Practice: Conflict of Interest](#) for stakeholder consultation. Please take a few minutes to review the draft Standard and accompanying [Guide](#). Once you have reviewed the documentation, you may complete the short survey if you wish to provide comments, feedback or have questions. Standard setting benefits from the input of all stakeholders and the College Council thanks you in advance for your contribution.

Feedback is requested on or before **Friday September 15, 2017**.

[Click HERE to access the survey for the Standard of Practice: Conflict of Interest.](#)

#### Draft Financial Statements

Council considered and approved the 2016-2017 Draft Audited Financial Statements.

#### Bill 87 Update

Council received an update on the new [Patient Safety Act \(Bill 87\)](#) which highlighted some important amendments to the [Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991](#) that came into effect as of May 30, 2017. Details of these amendments may be found [here](#).