

THE COLLEGE'S STRATEGIC PLAN

On February 25, 2022, Council voted to unanimously approved a strategic plan for the College. This document was developed by both public and professional members on Council as well as non-Council professional members. The plan outlines the vision, mission, and values of the College. It also defines the College's objectives for the next 3-5 years.

The College is excited that Council endorsed the vision of merging the two professions into one Podiatry Model. This change would bring the profession in Ontario in line with much of Canada and the world. The anticipated changes are set out in the strategic plan document, which is a work in progress that Council has committed to undertake using the Strategic Plan as guide.

Another critical aspect of the strategic plan is sustainability. The College must be financially sustainable, responsive, and agile to various changes, including the aftermath of the pandemic, regulatory modernization, and input from stakeholders, with the focus always being on protecting the public.

The working groups that formed the Strategic Planning Committee developed the document with consideration to the future of foot health delivery in a fast-changing landscape. The strategic plan sets the path to reach the highest professional podiatry standards, while continuing to improve regulatory oversight, to ensure Ontarians have access to foot care by members competent in their scope of practice.

The Strategic Planning Committee is currently working on ensuring the profession has an updated competency-based framework, which will add another layer of public protection. The new competencies will be added to the new Profile of Competency document (approved by the council in 2019), which becomes effective June 2022.

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