Handling, Administration Consultation and Dispensing of Controlled Substances

Summary

Background

This policy has been revised and updated into a new Professional Practice Policy to align with the CRTO's Policy Framework. This new category of policies will help provide a strong framework to enhance the understanding of the role that Respiratory Therapists (RTs) hold to ensure public/patient safety in the use of narcotics in the healthcare environment.

This information previously existed as a Position Statement, created July 2014. This document has been converted into a new Professional Practice Policy. Professional Practice Policies set out expectations and responsibilities for Members beyond what is outlined in the Standards of Practice.

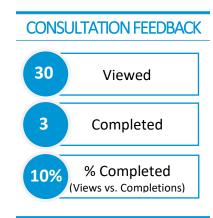
Consultation Feedback Details

The document was posted for public consultation on the CRTO website and a consultation survey for participants to provide feedback was available.

Date consultation opened for feedback: July 26, 2021

Length of time posted for consultation: 30-days

Date consultation closed: August 26, 2021



Outcome

The final policy and the consultation feedback were reviewed by Council at the September 24, 2021 and approved for use.

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