



**The College of Registered Nurses of PEI is celebrating 100 years this year 1922 to 2022**

## **CRNPEI Connect**

**eNewsletter of the College of Registered Nurses of PEI**

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The office is open to the public while following Public Health Guidelines. We are continuing to provide the usual services by telephone or email and **in-person meetings by appointment**. The office is open **8:30 am to 4:00 pm** Monday to Friday, closed for lunch 12 to 1 pm.

### **The Role of College of Registered Nurses of PEI**

CRNPEI is the regulatory body for registered nurses and nurse practitioners in PEI whose purpose is to regulate nursing practice to ensure protection of the public by:

- Setting standards for practice
- Approving education programs (entrance to practice)
- Developing, maintaining and monitoring continuing education for its members
- Establishing and maintaining registration processes

Nursing in PEI is a self-regulating profession in which Government has granted nursing the privilege and responsibility. Due to the specialized body of knowledge, nursing is the best position to regulate its own registrants. Regulators must avoid conflict between the public interest and professional self-interest.

### **Continuing Competence Program Audit**

An audit of the 2021-2022 Continuing Competence Program is underway. Those randomly selected to participate in the audit have been notified. For those selected, feedback emails will arrive in the coming days. The feedback is person specific and is geared towards your existing learning plan or to provide “pointers” for future learning plans. College staff are happy to provide assistance.

This audit is separate of the 2022-2023 CCP that must be completed by all registrants during renewal.

### **The Register**

Registered Nurses 1978

Nurse Practitioners 94

Graduate Nurse 9

Total 2081

### **CRNPEI Website**

The CRNPEI website contains resources and information to support your practice. Policies, practice directives, and other resource documents can be found under the Professional Practice tab. Resources are developed based on practice questions from our registrants. If you have a practice question and need further assistance, please contact the College.