

The College of Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists of Manitoba (the College) regulates two health professions: audiology and speech-language pathology.

The role of Committees of the College is to support the work of Council. Committees perform statutory functions and carry out tasks assigned by Council. Each committee reports to Council and may make recommendations to Council related to the particular mandate of the committee and current projects.

Duties and Responsibilities

Committee members have a duty to carry out their responsibilities in a manner that serves and protects the public interest. Committee members are expected to conduct themselves respectfully, ethically, and professionally. Committee members must adhere to codes of conduct and confidentiality.

Committee members recognize that a conflict of interest, or an appearance of a conflict of interest, must be avoided. An individual who holds a position of decision-making influence with any other organization that has, within its mandate, the promotion of the professions of audiology and/or speech-language pathology presents a conflict of interest. Committee members shall complete a declaration of current and recent affiliations and take necessary steps to cease any affiliations which present a conflict or perceived conflict of interest.

Committee members are expected to prepare for meetings by familiarizing themselves with the meeting package and materials prior to the meeting. Some projects will include additional literature review and comment between meetings.

Education

Committee members receive orientation annually. As well, committee members may be required to participate in educational activities (workshops, webinars, reading assignments) from time-to-time, which prepare and assist them to conduct the work of the committee.

Committee Member Commitment

Registrants who are not Council members are appointed to a committee for a two (2) year term. A registrant may serve on the same committee for three (3) consecutive terms.

Committees meet virtually four to six times annually. Meetings are typically two to four hours in length.

Anyone contemplating a committee appointment should discuss the matter with employers prior to submitting their name for consideration to ensure that the time commitments may be met.

Remuneration and Expense Reimbursement

Committee members are eligible to receive remuneration for time while engaged in committee meetings in accordance with CASLPM By-Law Schedule 1: Remuneration.

Committee members are eligible to be reimbursed by the College for expenses incurred in the course of attending committee meetings according to the Expense Reimbursement Policy.

If you require clarification or have any questions, please contact the Registrar at caslpmregistrar@caslpm.ca.