

## Council Meeting Highlights September 23, 2023 & November 1, 2023

*The College of Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists of Manitoba protects and serves the public by regulating and ensuring competent, safe, ethical practice of audiologists and speech-language pathologists in Manitoba.*

### Items of Note to Registrants as of September 23, 2023

#### Practice Direction on Informed Consent

- The revised Informed Consent Practice Direction and FAQ were approved by the Council and are available on the CASLPM website.

#### Practice Direction on Medically Assisted in Dying (“MAiD”)

- A Practice Direction on MAiD has been created and is available on the CASLPM website.

#### Continuing Competency Committee Audit Process

- The Continuing Competency Committee has completed their review of the test competency review. Competency audits will begin in spring 2024 with the group that has completed their three-year cycle of 2021-2022-2023.
- Registrants will be provided with “tips” for completing their Self-Assessment Form (“SAF”), Continuing Competency Form (“CCF”).

#### International Application Process

- International applications will be received, assessed, and reviewed by the CASLPM office and delegates. Changes have been made to the application portal for clarity on which category to apply to.
- The Application Review Committee (“ARC”) composition and draft Terms of Reference were reviewed by Council. Recruitment of audiologists and speech-language pathologists will be undertaken for the committee.

### Items of Note to Registrants as of November 1, 2023

#### Executive Elections

The Executive Committee of Council was elected as follows:

- Gillian Barnes, SLP – President/Chair
- Kelly Tye Vallis, SLP, Vice-President/Chair
- Margaret Klassen, Public Representative, Member