



College of Homeopaths of Ontario Registration Policies

Title: Grandparented Class Expiration Date

Category: Class Specific Requirement

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Note to Readers: In the event of any inconsistency between this document and the legislation that affects homeopathy practice, the legislation governs. The College has the power and authority to implement the applicable acts and regulations under the Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991. Decisions may be made on a case by case basis, although precedence may factor into the outcome. If you have a question on how this policy affects your individual situation please contact the College directly.

It is important to note that College publications may be used by the College or other bodies in determining the interpretation of the provisions within the Homeopathy Act, 2007, its regulations and the College's Bylaws.

Applicable Categories of Registration (unless otherwise noted):

1. Applicant or Registrant Grandparented Certificate of Registration
2. Registrant Inactive Certificate of Registration (previously holders of Grandparented Certificate of Registration)

Type of Requirement: Non-Exemptible

Applicable CHO Registration Regulation: 10. (1) 2, 13.1, 14

Policy

Applicants have one year from the date of proclamation to submit their completed application for registration in the Grandparented Class. The last date to submit a completed application form to the College for a Grandparented Certificate of Registration is March 31, 2016.

Grandparented Class is a temporary or transitional class which will expire on March 31, 2020. All Grandparented Certificates of Registration will expire on March 31, 2020.

A holder of an Inactive Certificate of Registration may only move back to the Class held immediately prior to becoming an Inactive Class Registrant. The Certificate of Registration of an Inactive Registrant who held a Grandparented Certificate of Registration immediately prior to entering the Inactive Class will expire on March 31, 2020.

Purpose and Principles(s)

Proclamation date for the College of Homeopaths of Ontario is April 1, 2015.

The Grandparented Class is time-limited for application and completion. There is a period of one (1) year following proclamation, for interested applicants to submit their completed application for registration in the Grandparented Class. The last date to submit a completed application form to the College for the Grandparented Class is March 31, 2016. (See policy REG GR 04 Explanation of a Completed Application).

The Grandparented Certificate of Registration is available for a limited time; that is, five years from the date of proclamation or on March 31, 2020. At any time within the five years, a Grandparented Class Registrant can apply to become a Full Class Registrant upon meeting all Full Class requirements.

The purpose of the Grandparented Class is to recognize individuals who have practised the profession before regulation came into effect and prior to when a standard for entry to the profession was established. Since Grandparented registration is transitional, Registrants in this class need to, at all times, be actively engaged in pursuing completion of the Full Class individual assessment. (See policy REG CS 06 Grandparented Class Actively Pursuing Full Class). The Certificate of Registration of a Grandparented Registrant, who has not achieved a Full Certificate of Registration within five years from proclamation, will expire on March 31, 2020.

A holder of an Inactive Certificate of Registration may only move back to the Class held immediately prior to becoming an Inactive Class Registrant. The Certificate of Registration of an Inactive Registrant who held a Grandparented Certificate of Registration immediately prior to entering the Inactive Class will expire on March 31, 2020.

Related Policies, Standards, Guidelines and Regulations

CHO Registration Policy REG GR 04 Explanation of Completed Application

CHO Registration Policy REG CS 06 Grandparented Class Actively Pursuing Full Class

Homeopathy Act, 2007, Ontario Regulation 18/14 Registration

Terms, etc., Grandparented class

10. (1) Subject to subsection (2), the following are terms, conditions and limitations on every Grandparented certificate of registration:

2. The member's certificate of registration expires on the earlier of the following:
 - i. The issuance to the member of a Full certificate of registration.
 - ii. The fifth anniversary of the day this paragraph came into force.

Terms, etc., Inactive class

13. The following are terms, conditions and limitations on every Inactive certificate of registration:

1. Where the member held a Grandparented certificate of registration at the time he or she applied for the Inactive certificate of registration, the Inactive certificate of registration expires on the fifth anniversary of the day this paragraph came into force.

Reinstatement

14. The Registrar may issue to a member who is the holder of an Inactive certificate of registration the Full or Grandparented certificate of registration that he or she previously held if the member,

- (a) applies in writing to the Registrar for reinstatement;
- (b) pays any fee, penalty or other amount owed to the College;
- (c) provides the College with any information that it has required of the member;
- (d) satisfies a panel of the Registration Committee that he or she possesses the current knowledge, skill and judgment relating to the practice of the profession that would be expected of a member holding a certificate of registration of the same class as the one for which he or she is applying to be reinstated;
- (e) has professional liability insurance coverage in the amount and in the form as required under the by-laws; and
- (f) is in compliance with any outstanding requirements of the College's Quality Assurance Committee and Inquiries, Complaints and Reports Committee or any outstanding orders of the Council, Executive Committee, Discipline Committee and Fitness to Practise Committee.