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Felecia Smith, Registrar and CEO  
College of Chiropractors of Ontario  
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Dear Ms. Smith,

On June 28, 2007, the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care directed the Health Professions Regulatory Advisory Council (HPRAC) to "review issues relating to the regulation of chiropractic and podiatry and provide advice as to whether and how there should be changes to existing legislation regarding these related professions". The Minister asked that the Council include "an analysis of the current model of foot care in Ontario, issues regarding restricted titles, and whether the existing limitations on the podiatrist class of members should continue." On May 7, 2013, the Minister asked that HPRAC's work on this project commence no later than January 1, 2014.

HPRAC is now asking your organization to complete the application for a scope of practice review and respond to the additional questions provided relating to the regulation of chiropractic and podiatry in Ontario. This will assist HPRAC in its review of the current model of foot care in Ontario and the issues related to the professions of chiropractic and podiatry. In order to facilitate this process, we are sending you the following items:

1. Application Guide
2. Literature Review on Scopes of Practice and Models of Foot Care in Other Jurisdictions
3. Jurisprudence Review on Chiropractic, Podiatry and the Model of Foot Care in Ontario

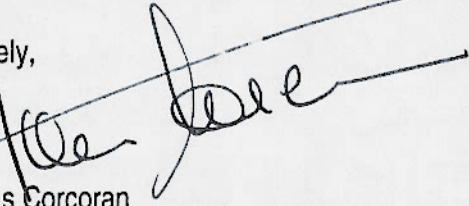
Another research review (Literature Review on Education, Regulation, Collaboration, Safety and Economics of Foot Care in Other Jurisdictions) will be sent to your office upon completion.

Please submit your completed application to HPRAC by 3:00 PM EST on Friday, November 28, 2014. The anticipated timeline for this referral is published on HPRAC's website; please consult the information posted at [www.hprac.org/en/projects/Chiropractic\\_Podiatry.asp](http://www.hprac.org/en/projects/Chiropractic_Podiatry.asp) for details on upcoming milestones.

Should you have any questions, please contact us at [HPRACSubmissions@ontario.ca](mailto:HPRACSubmissions@ontario.ca) or 416-326-1550.

We look forward to working with you on this important review.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tom Corcoran', written over a diagonal line that crosses the page.

Thomas Corcoran  
Chair  
Health Professions Regulatory Advisory Council

c: James Maczko, COCOO Council President