

REQUIREMENTS FOR REGULATED ASSOCIATE MEMBERS, assessment candidate (family practice) [CPSM General Regulation, s. 3.41]

The assessment candidate family practice class is intended to permit registration for the limited purpose of participating in an assessment, one component of which is clinical care. To be eligible for registration in the assessment class, the candidate must have first met all other requirements for registration in the provisional family practice limited class except:

1. the assessment itself;
2. holding a Minister's certificate (i.e. the certification that practice is in an under-served community);
3. the contract with a practice supervisor; and
4. the contract with a practice mentor.

Assessments are intended for those with job offers in Manitoba. To address these points, the candidate must also:

1. be accepted into a family practice assessment approved by the Council; and
2. establish that he or she has a job offer to provide medical services in a specific geographical area or practice setting approved by the Minister

CONDITION [CPSM General Regulation, s. 3.43]

Each assessment candidate (family practice) member's certificate of registration will be subject to the condition that he or she completes an orientation approved by the Registrar, within the period required by the Registrar, unless the Registrar determines that the applicant should otherwise be exempt from the orientation condition in accordance with Council policies.

TIME AND LOCATION RESTRICTIONS [CPSM General Regulation, s. 3.42]

The registration in the assessment (family practice candidate) class is for a period of not more than three months and is restricted to specific locations. Additional time is allowed for the required orientation.

The Registrar has the authority to extend the time limit if the candidate applies in writing for the extension before his or her time limit expires and the Registrar determines that the candidate requires the extension due to an extended absence from professional practice for a medical condition or due to a statutory or approved leave. The Registrar must give written reasons for decision and the applicant has a right of appeal.

CANCELLATION OF REGISTRATION [CPSM General Regulation, s. 3.91]

In addition to the cancellation requirements in the RHPA, s. 48(1) to 52, an assessment candidate (family practice) registration is cancelled:

1. upon completion of the applicable assessment, the Registrar receiving the results and changing the membership in accordance with the Regulation; or
2. upon expiry of the specified period in which the registration was issued; or
3. if the physician ceases to be enrolled in, fails or fails to complete the applicable assessment.