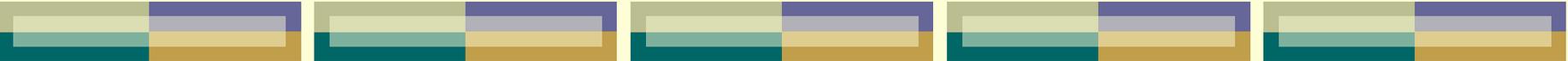


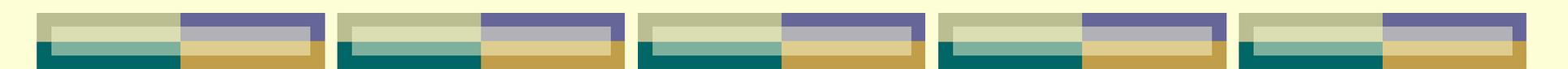
Legislation and Regulations
October 8th, 2015
College of Pharmacists of Manitoba

Glenda Marsh, President
Ronald Guse, Registrar



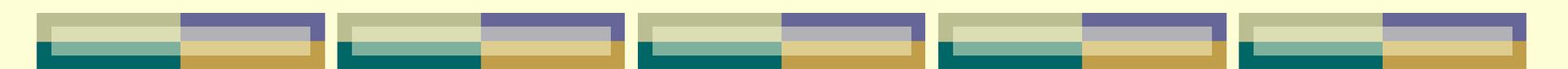
Agenda

- 1. Convene - President Glenda Marsh
- 2. Presentation – R. Guse, Registrar
 - A brief overview of possible changes
 - i. Central fill prescription record
 - ii. Schedule 3 Conditions
 - ii. Exempted Codeine Preparations
 - iv. EPPH prescriptions can be administered by a pharmacist
- 3. Open Forum – G. Marsh, President
- 4. Adjourn



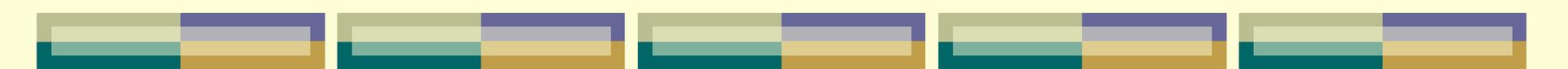
Meeting process

- The Registrar will present on the items listed in the meeting announcement agenda.
- Open discussion about the agenda items
- Other items raised from the floor for clarification or suggested changes in the current legislation and/or regulation.
- Identify new concepts in pharmacy practice law to be included as documents are reviewed and rewritten.



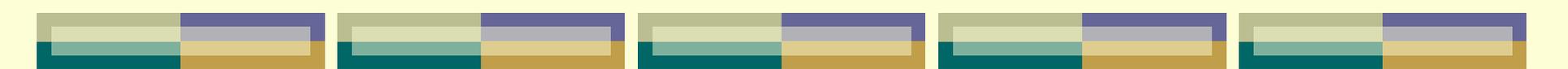
Change Process

- The meeting may identify an item and a suggestion for the preferred change, or, the item could require further examination and discussion to resolve.
- A report will go to the next Council meeting listing the:
 - item and the suggested change,
 - item, the discussion points raised and possible resolution(s)
 - new concept to be included pharmacy practice law



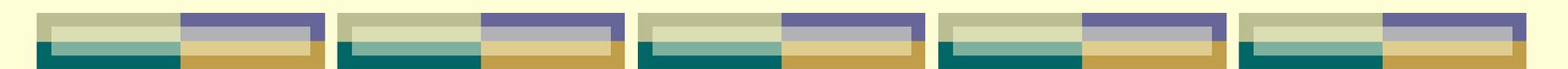
Change Steps: Act

- Change in provincial legislation: Is under the authority of the Government of Manitoba and slight amendments to legislation are a possibility. Pharmacy practice will be brought under the *Regulated Health Professions Act* over the next few years.



Change Steps: Regulations

- Change in provincial regulations: The College Council will engage members and stakeholders in specific regulation changes and wording and facilitate negotiations between members and representatives of government of Manitoba (Manitoba Health) to come to a resolution.
- Members vote on change and forward to Manitoba Government for consideration.
- There are also “Ministerial (only) Regulations”.



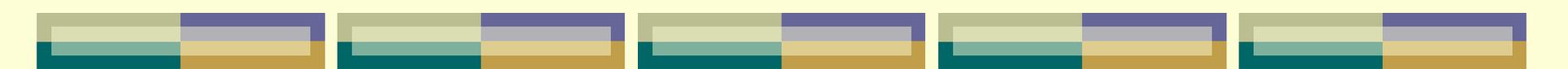
Change Steps: Code of Ethics

- Change in Code of Ethics: The College Council will engage members and stakeholders in specific wording changes to the Code of Ethics. A vote of the members at an Annual General Meeting can create/change the Code of Ethics.



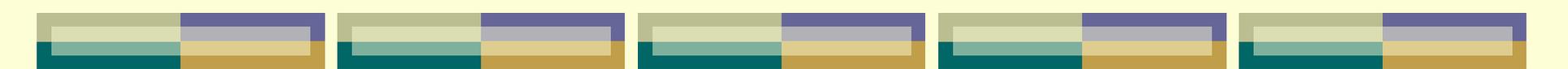
Change Steps: By-Laws

- Change/Create a Bylaw: College Council can make Bylaws and the members may repeal or amend. Council approves the final wording and may make slight amendments as required.



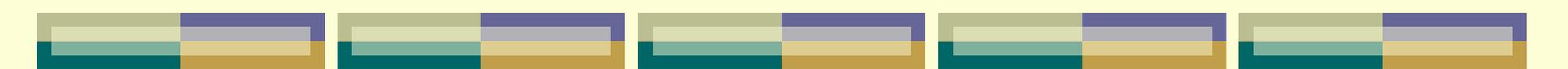
Change Steps: Practice Direction

- Change/Create a Practice Direction: College Council will engage the Standards of Practice Committee to draft practice direction, and distribute a draft for review and consultation of members and stakeholders. Council approves the final wording and may make slight amendments as practice evolves.



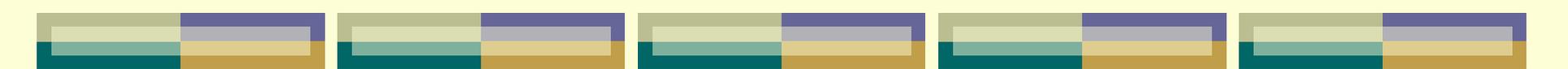
Motions and Voting

- As this is not a “general meeting of the members” as defined in the legislation and no motions were distributed in advance of the meeting, there is no need to present, and no legal status of presenting, a motion for consideration or holding a vote.
- “Straw” votes might be held to help identify the wishes of the members present.
- This is a feedback session to identify items for discussion and referral to Council for consideration.



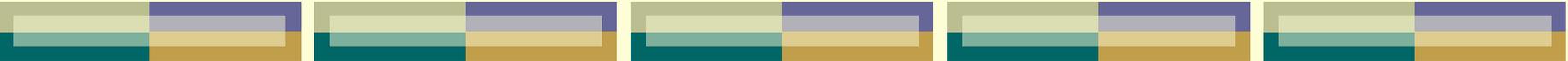
Central Fill

- Regulation section (74) requires the “Central Fill Pharmacy” to retain the original prescription (the authorization to prepare the drug for dispensing).
- Suggestion to change this regulation to allow the central fill pharmacy to prepare a drug for dispensing and the patient care pharmacy keeps the prescription on file.
- Drug distribution is done through a “transfer of drug” labelled as the drug prepared for dispensing is sent to the patient care pharmacy (SK process) for distribution to the patient



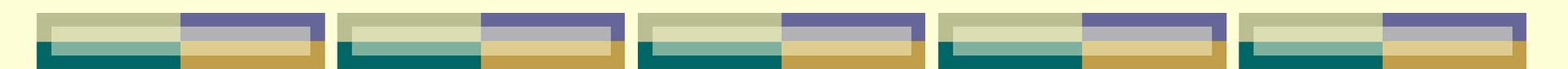
Schedule 3 conditions

- The June 22, 2015 meeting of the members failed to have a quorum, and change to the regulations could not occur. The change to include combination products for acne and tetanus booster will come to the members by way of a mail-in vote.
- Other conditions? Manitoba list is limited. Nfld just passed regulations that identify 29 ailments for which pharmacists can prescribe.



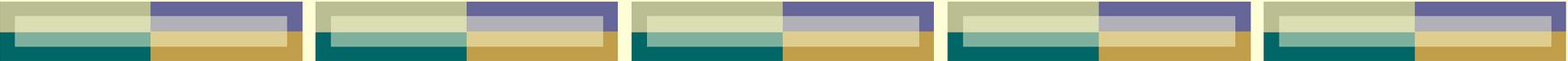
Exempted Codeine Preparations

- Council distributed a practice direction for feedback and recently passed an amended version for implementation on February 1st, 2016.
- Amendment allows for the prescribing and dispensing of up to 250 mL of the liquid.
- Further information coming from the College and a public awareness campaign is planned for late 2015 and early 2016.

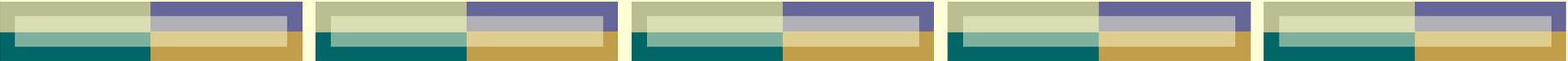


EPPh Prescriptions and Vaccine restriction

- Regulation (110(1&2)) prevent a pharmacist from administering a drug prescribed by an Extended Practice Pharmacist.
 - There appears to be no additional risk to the patient if the pharmacist administers a drug or vaccine that is prescribed by an EPPh.
- Age restriction for vaccination (a pharmacist cannot vaccinate a patient that is under the age of seven... still needed?)



Open Floor for items to
discuss, sections to be
changed, added... etc.....



Follow-up to the Meeting.....

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