

**SUMMARY of the Decision of the Inquiries, Complaints and Reports Committee
(the Committee)**
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**Dr. Jai Jayaraman (CPSO #78814)
(the Respondent)**

INTRODUCTION

The Respondent provided care to the Patient for chest pain and suspected pulmonary embolism. The Patient was pregnant at the time. The Patient contacted the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario (the College) to express concerns about the Respondent's care and conduct.

COMMITTEE'S DECISION

The Committee considered this matter at its meeting of December 4, 2024. The Committee required the Respondent to appear before a Panel of the Committee to be cautioned with respect to the management of pregnant patients presenting to the emergency department with chest pain and suspected pulmonary embolism, and his unprofessional approach to patients, including swearing and touching.

COMMITTEE'S ANALYSIS

The Patient identified the following concerns regarding the Respondent's care and conduct:

- *The Respondent used inappropriate foul language several times.*
- *The Respondent looked her up and down, saying, "You look too good," and sat beside her on the stretcher, rubbing her upper thigh.*
- *The Respondent did not provide her with a pain management plan or further testing for her symptoms.*
- *The Respondent's actions caused her to be distraught and confused, giving her a panic attack and concern for her medical safety.*

The Committee found the allegations about the Respondent's behaviour troubling. The Committee was further concerned given the Respondent's lack of insight and his acknowledgement that at least some of the allegations reflect his behaviour towards the Patient. Specifically, the Respondent acknowledged having used profanity and the possibility that he touched the Patient's thigh.

Regarding the Respondent's clinical care of the Patient, the Committee was of the view that the Respondent provided inadequate care to the Patient in relation to her symptoms and managing her pain.

The Committee determined that it would be appropriate to caution the Respondent as set out above.

This is a summary of the Committee's decision as it relates to the caution disposition.