

Dr. Susan Earleene Goodwin (CPSO# 32016)

The College received information from the Narcotics Monitoring System about Dr. Goodwin's prescribing of controlled substances, including narcotics.

Based on the information received, the College conducted an investigation into whether Dr. Goodwin failed to maintain the standard of practice of the profession and/or was incompetent in her prescribing of controlled substances, including narcotics. As a result of the investigation, Dr. Goodwin underwent remediation and a reassessment.

The reassessment report subsequently received by the College continued to raise concerns about Dr. Goodwin's standard of practice with respect to her prescribing of controlled substances, including narcotics. As a result:

As of September 1, 2019, Dr. Goodwin must not issue new prescriptions or renew existing prescriptions for or administer any of the following substances:

- (i) **Narcotic Drugs** (from the Narcotic Control Regulations made under the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 19);
- (ii) **Narcotic Preparations** (from the Narcotic Control Regulations made under the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 19);
- (iii) **Controlled Drugs** (from Part G of the Food and Drug Regulations under the *Food and Drugs Act*, S.C., 1985, c. F-27);
- (iv) **Benzodiazepines and Other Targeted Substances** (from the Benzodiazepines and Other Targeted Substances Regulations made under the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act*, S.C., 1996, c. 19);
- (v) **Monitored Drugs** (as defined under the *Narcotics Safety and Awareness Act, 2010*, S.O. 2010, c. 22);

and as amended from time to time.

Dr. Goodwin must post a clearly visible sign in the waiting rooms and each examination and consulting room, in all Practice Locations, which states as follows:

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Dr. Goodwin must not prescribe or administer any of the following:

- Narcotic Drugs
- Narcotic Preparations
- Controlled Drugs
- Benzodiazepines and Other Targeted Substances

- Monitored Drugs

Further information may be found on the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario website at www.cpso.on.ca