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Building trust in accountable Personal Support Worker care in Ontario.

The Health and Supportive Care Providers Oversight Authority (HSCPOA) is a **new regulatory body in Ontario** established by the Government of Ontario with a mandate of public protection.



Latest News

[PSW Registration Resource](#)

'[How To Apply with HSCPOA: Step-by-Step](#)' info sheet was created to help PSWs understand the five key steps to HSCPOA's application process.

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How to Apply: Step-by-Step

1

LEARN
how to become a PSW registrant

- Step 1** Ontario education
- Step 2** Ontario work experience
- Step 3** Labour mobility
- Step 4** Competency assessment
- Recognition of Nurses & Midwives**

2

SET UP
your application profile

Sign up [here](#)



3

GATHER
all required documents

- Identification and photo
- Criminal Record Check
- PSW Certificate Transcript, if applicable
- Employer Form, if applicable

4

COMPLETE
the online application form and SUBMIT

Go to our [application form page](#)

Forms are reviewed within **5-10 business days**

5

EMAIL
confirmation

You will receive:

- Registration approval
- Other important info

Congratulations on becoming a HSCPOA Registered PSW!

Questions? Email: registration@hscpoa.com

TO QUALIFY, APPLICANTS MUST:

- Meet education or experience requirements
- Communicate in English or French
- Be of good character
- Show a letter of good standing from any other regulatory body (if applicable)

Health and Supportive Care Providers Oversight Authority
Quality care is the cornerstone of our healthcare system and PSWs play a critical role. As part of efforts to hire, support and retain the people who provide vital services, the Government of Ontario has created HSCPOA, which offers significant benefits to PSWs, their employers, and the people who count on their care.

Join us - Upcoming Webinar

OPSWA-HSCPOA - July 8, 2026:

The benefits of Registration with HSCPOA: OPSWA-HSCPOA Webinar

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Learn 'How To Apply: Step-by-Step' and discover the benefits of registration.

REGISTER NOW USING LINKS BELOW

HSCPOA is presenting as the oversight body for PSW registrants and our focus on **Public Protection**.

OPSWA is presenting as an association representing PSWs in Ontario.

Wednesday July 8, 2026
Register for 1 of 2 Webinars
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Registration

As of December 1, 2024 HSCPOA began registering eligible PSWs.

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Registration Stats

As of May 31, 2026, over 12,223 PSWs have registered! Spread the news & [apply now!](#)

HSCPOA Registration Data December 1, 2024 to May 31, 2026

**Total HSCPOA Personal Support Worker
(PSW) Registrants**

12,223

Registration Pathways:

71% via Ontario PSW Education

24% via Employed as a PSW in Ontario

5% via other pathways

PSWs, employers, educators and others: Please apply and help inspire others to apply for registration with HSCPOA. The application process is quick and easy. [Learn more...](#)



**Registration with HSCPOA for
PSWs Employed in LTC
Settings... [more](#)**

Update your HSCPOA PSW Registrant Profile

PSW Registrants: make sure that your HSCPOA PSW registrant profile remains current. [Login to your registrant dashboard](#) to update any changes to your personal, and employment information.



Answers to FAQs



For the latest, accurate information about HSCPOA, access HSCPOA's website.

Find [answers to commonly asked questions](#), the [benefits of registration](#) how to [apply](#) for registration and more.

HSCPOA Presentation Requests

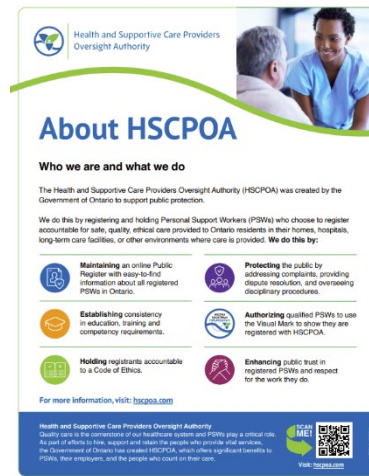
Seeking a presentation for your organization?

Help build understanding about HSCPOA amongst your PSW employees and others by submitting a [HSCPOA Speaker Request](#)

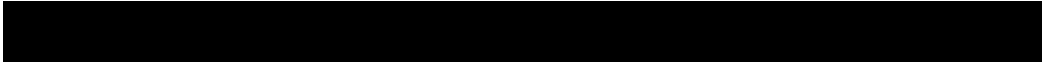


Access InfoSheets

Be sure to download the latest versions from HSCPOA's website to help build understanding about HSCPOA, the Benefits to Registration, Complaints process, and [more](#)



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The Health and Supportive Care Providers Oversight Authority (HSCPOA) has a mandate to register and provide oversight of HSCPOA registered personal support workers (PSWs) and other potential classes of registrants that may be prescribed by Ontario's government in future regulations. This falls under the new *Health and Supportive Care Providers Oversight Authority Act, 2021*. This new legislation implements a new regulatory approach for the oversight of individuals providing health and supportive care services, beginning with PSWs in Ontario.

Through our legislative authority under the *HSCPOA Act, 2021*, HSCPOA regulates (oversees) registered Personal Support Workers (PSWs), and other potential classes of registrants, delivering health and supportive care services in Ontario. HSCPOA registered PSWs are held accountable for safe, quality, ethical care in alignment with HSCPOA's Code of Ethics. Through our online newsletter, HSCPOA will provide registrants, the public and others with information needed to stay up-to-date on oversight matters related to PSWs registered with HSCPOA. Each issue contains information on oversight activities and guidance.

Please DO NOT Unsubscribe if you are a HSCPOA registrant. If HSCPOA registered Personal Support Workers 'unsubscribe from this list', you will be contacted by HSCPOA to re-subscribe'. All PSW registrants are required to receive information from HSCPOA regarding annual registration renewal, and other important guidance and program updates. HSCPOA works on the assumption that our registrants get all our emails. We strive to keep communications relevant and to a minimum. Thank you.

HSCPOA | The Health and Supportive Care Oversight Authority (HSCPOA) is a virtual organization without a physical office location. Please contact us by email for any inquiries.

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