

OUR VISION is a regulatory process characterized by fairness that reflects society's expectations. We envision an arm's length independent body which investigates sexual abuse allegations ensuring that sexual abuse victims' allegations are not mischaracterized or misrepresented. In addition a separate independent body will adjudicate these allegations, eradicating any opportunity for perpetrators to avoid accountability by pleading "no contest" to lesser charges, a practice that has silenced countless women and sexual abuse victims and resulted in suspensions of mere months to physicians in particular. Sexual abuse complaints made by patients against physicians and/or other health professionals must be handled by an entirely neutral organization, one with zero ties to physicians or their legal/medical networks in order to ensure due process and procedural fairness.

We advocate for a collaborative approach where our provincial government, working alongside survivors and their legal representatives prioritizes the creation of legislation that guarantees a just and equitable process for victims of sexual abuse. We aspire to create an environment where the voices of survivors are always heard. Period. Where victims do not have their allegations misrepresented by someone else. Where victims are not legally intimidated by an organization meant to help them. Where victims have their own lawyers to assist and participate fully in their hearings.