

## **Details of Proposed Regulations**

### **Aggregate critical incident reporting to the quality committee**

- The board would ensure that the administrator provides aggregated critical incident data of critical incidents occurring at the hospital to the hospital's quality committee at least two times per year.
- The aggregated data would include data about all critical incidents occurring at the hospital since the previous aggregated data was provided to the quality committee.

### **Medical Advisory Committee (MAC) and quality committee reporting**

- Where the MAC, in carrying out its responsibilities under s. 7(2)(a)(v), identifies systemic or recurring quality of care issues, it would make recommendations to the hospital's quality committee regarding quality improvement.
- When the quality committee makes recommendations to the board regarding quality improvement initiatives and policies, the quality committee would consider the recommendations of the MAC that relate to systemic or recurring quality of care issues.

### **MAC reporting on quality of care provided by extended class nurses who are hospital employees**

- The MAC would no longer be required to make recommendations to the board under s.7(2)(a)(v) of Regulation 965 under the PHA that relate to the quality of care provided by extended class nurses who are hospital employees.

### **Hospital Board Membership**

- The following individuals would be required to sit on the board: the administrator (CEO), the president of the medical staff, the chief of staff or chair of the MAC, and the chief nursing executive.