

President's Message

February 22, 2022

Getting Ready to Retire? We can help

As we get closer to spring, we anticipate that some of our Members will be considering retirement. Our Protective Services Team has developed a number of resources related to retirement for your information and use. These include

- [a sample retirement letter](#)
- [a tip sheet](#) with general guidelines for retirement
- [retirement insurance options](#) with information about health and dental benefits and
- information about considerations regarding [supply administrator work](#) for those who may want to return to work after retirement on a part time basis. Please note that [OPC Term Membership](#) is available and suggested for those who are considering this type of employment.

For those of you who are contemplating retirement, these resources will help you prepare as you transition to your next chapter.

Job Openings in our PST Department

We are hiring for 3 positions that will begin in July or August of this year, subject to onboarding plans and the schedules of the successful candidates. We are recruiting for a full-time [Protective Services Team consultant](#) and two [part-time Intake consultants](#). The ads include information about the positions and the recruitment process. Please note that interested candidates may apply for one position only, or apply for the full-time PST consultant role and, if unsuccessful, ask to be considered for the part-time Intake consultant role as well. Applications must be received by **4:30 pm EST Friday March 18, 2022**.

Media

- [Mohawk woman translates nursery rhymes to share her language](#)
- [Discovery of 54 graves at Keeseekoose a sad reminder of residential schools](#)
- [Ontario to re-start EQAO testing](#)
- [Northern schools seeing more severe teacher shortage](#)
- [Queer with kids aims to help connect LGBTQ parents](#)

Articles requiring a paid subscription

- [Funding available for reading supports & summer school for those struggling with pandemic](#)

Queen's Park

The House resumes sitting today.