

*College of Dietitians of Manitoba*

**Board Members:**

**Roster of Public Representatives**

Julia Todd, Winnipeg ^  
Stephen Graham, Winnipeg ^  
Rebecca Patten, Winnipeg ^  
Karen Kumka, St. Andrews ^  
Bénédicte LeMaître, Winnipeg ^

^ government appointment

**Mandate:**

The College of Dietitians of Manitoba's primary role is to regulate the practice of dietitians within the province to ensure protection of the public. Through the *Registered Dietitians Act* of Manitoba, we regulate the practice of dietitians. The College establishes the scope of practice, determines education standards and ensures the competency of its members.

**Responsibilities:**

***Council of the College***

The Council is responsible for overseeing the operation, proceedings and quorum for the Complaints Committee and the Inquiry Committee. The Council is also responsible for the appointment of acting members and ex officio members and the procedures for filling vacancies, prescribing the terms of office, duties and functions.

***Complaints Committee***

Handles referrals of complaints or other matters. The Complaints Committee may attempt to resolve it informally if the committee considers informal resolution to be appropriate.

***Inquiry Committee***

The Complaints Committee may, after review or investigation, direct the matter to be referred, in whole or in part, to the Inquiry Committee. The Inquiry Committee selects a panel from among the members of the Inquiry Committee and it holds a hearing.

**Membership:**

***Council***

Four government appointments.

***Complaints Committee***

One government appointment.

***Inquiry Committee***

One government appointment.

**Length of Terms:**

Each term is two years.

**Desirable Expertise:**

- cannot be a member of the Association;
- some knowledge or concern about the issues of diet and nutrition and/or the practice of registered dietitians would be helpful;
- previous board/committee experience would be an asset.

**Time Commitment:**

The Council of the College holds at least six meetings a year, one of which is within six weeks of the annual general meeting in the fall.

**Meetings:**

Meetings are held in Winnipeg

**Remuneration:**

No remuneration.