

YOUR HEALTHCARE IS AT RISK!

WHAT is Bill 36? *Health Professions & Occupation Act*

Read Bill 36



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<https://qrco.de/Bill36>

The BC Government quickly passed Bill 36 on Nov. 24, 2022. Only 233 of the 645 clauses were discussed before they passed the bill, violating their own Standing Order s. 84(1)(2) and the BC Constitution Act (1996), s. 45.

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Impacts to Healthcare Professionals

Enables Government to:

- Conduct **warrantless search** and **seizure of property** of health offices, *s. 511, 506, 1a-d*
- **Only Government appointees** on Colleges & Boards, *s. 345, 346, 486*
- **Dictate** healthcare services with **unprecedented power**, *s. 222*
- **Demand** access to **private clinical records**, *s. 131, 224*
- Adopt regulation codes from **foreign countries**, *s. 335, 533*
- Issue **finances up to \$200,000** and/or **imprisonment up to 6 months** for 'misleading information' not in agreement with government, *s. 34, 518, a, b, c*

Impacts to Public

- ! **Staff shortages** - Health providers leaving BC
- ! **E.R. shutdowns**
- ! **Long wait times** - increased health risk

How Can You Help?

- ✓ **Mail** a postcard
- ✓ **Poster** - in your office
- ✓ **Educate** self & others

BC Health Professional Associations Affected by Bill 36

Physicians and Surgeons
Psychologists
Chiropractors
Massage Therapists
Occupational Therapists
Optometrists
Dentists
Chinese Medicine

Nurses
Midwives
Dieticians
Naturopathic Physician
Physiotherapists
Pharmacists
Speech and Hearing
Acupuncturists

**All Health Profession Colleges
will be controlled by
Government**

TAKE ACTION NOW

1. Mail the prepared postcard or your own letter

a. Patients

- i. Fill in your pre-addressed postcard and mail it to the central collection hub, where it will be forwarded in bulk to your MLA
- ii. Share this flyer with others

b. Medical Professionals

- i. Fill in and mail the medical postcard to your Association
- ii. Ask patients to fill in & mail the patient postcard (offer postage)

2. Share on social media

3. Send a letter to the Editor of your local newspaper

4. Make an appointment with your local mayor

5. Help your community by sharing with others

Demand to get rid of Bill 36



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