

RCDSO STRATEGIC PLAN: 2023-2025

VISION

Everyone in Ontario has access to safe, high-quality oral health care.

MISSION

We act in the public interest and are committed to excellence in regulating the dental profession in Ontario.

PILLARS



PROFESSIONALISM



**STAKEHOLDER
ENGAGEMENT**



EMERGING ISSUES

VALUES



ACCOUNTABLE



COLLABORATIVE



INNOVATIVE



INCLUSIVE



TRANSPARENT

OBJECTIVES

These objectives provide additional focus to the work of the College for the next three years. Objectives are anchored to a strategic pillar and define where we would like to be. The bullet points outline our areas of focus for developing strategies that will help us get there.

Our Commitment

- We take an [evidence-informed approach](#) to decision making.
- We apply a [risk-based perspective](#) in regulating the profession.
- We integrate the principles of [Equity, Diversity and Inclusion](#) in all we do.



PROFESSIONALISM

RCDSO promotes a culture of professionalism in dentistry that supports access to quality care, serves the public interest and upholds the public trust.

Areas of focus include:

- Access to care
- Practice models & quality of care
- Standards of Practice and Resources
- Continuing Professional Development



STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

RCDSO engages with the public, the profession and system partners to advance patient-centered oral health care and regulatory excellence.

Areas of focus include:

- Enhancing engagement with:
- The public & the profession
 - Oral Health Regulatory Colleges in Ontario & partner organizations
 - Faculties of Dentistry
 - Government
 - RCDSO staff



EMERGING ISSUES

RCDSO anticipates and responds proactively to emerging issues and trends that may impact the public interest.

Areas of focus include:

- Emergency preparedness
- Government/political environment
- COVID-19 and post-pandemic recovery
- Technology (e.g., artificial intelligence and teledentistry)
- Governance
- Environment & sustainability