

POSTGRADUTE MEDICAL EDUCATION

Medico-Legal Guidelines

If you are involved in any legal matters related to your professional activities (including being asked to give evidence) the following guidelines are recommended, according to the specific nature of the problem:

1. Contact your Clinical Supervisor

You must always contact the clinical supervisor responsible for the case in question.

2. Contact Canadian Medical Protective Association

Canadian Medical Protective Association must be contacted, (www.cmpa-acpm.ca).

3. Contact your Program Director

Your Program Director is there to offer support and guidance. S/he will ensure that your best interests are being protected and that appropriate management is being offered.

4. Contact PARO

You may wish to contact the Professional Association of Residents of Ontario (PARO); of which you are a member. Each school has representatives who will be able to counsel and assist you, (www.myparo.org).