Ministerial Order 2021-027 of the Minister of Health and Social Services
dated 16 April 2021

Public Health Act
(chapter S-2.2)

Ordering of measures to protect the health
of the population amid the COVID-19 pandemic
situation

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THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES,

CONSIDERING section 118 of the Public Health Act (chapter S-2.2) which provides that the Government may declare a public health emergency in all or part of the territory of Québec where a serious threat to the health of the population, whether real or imminent, requires the immediate application of certain measures provided for in section 123 of the Act to protect the health of the population;

CONSIDERING Order in Council 177-2020 dated 13 March 2020
declaring a public health emergency throughout Québec for a period of 10 days;

CONSIDERING that that Order in Council provides that the Minister of Health and Social Services may order any other measure needed to ensure that the health and social services network has the necessary human resources;

CONSIDERING that Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021, among other things, authorizes certain persons to administer a flu or COVID-19 vaccine or to mix substances to complete the preparation of a COVID-19 vaccine, on certain conditions;

CONSIDERING that Order in Council 555-2021 dated 14 April 2021 empowers the Minister of Health and Social Services to take any of the measures provided for in subparagraphs 1 to 8 of the first paragraph of section 123 of the Public Health Act;

CONSIDERING that it is expedient to order certain measures to protect the health of the population;

ORDERS AS FOLLOWS:

THAT the operative part of Ministerial Order 2020-099 dated 3 December 2020, amended by Ministerial Orders 2021-005 dated 28 January 2021, 2021-022 dated 7 April 2021 and 2021-024 dated 9 April 2021, be further amended (1) in the fifth paragraph, by striking out the word "and" at the end of subparagraph 27 and adding the following subparagraphs at the end of the paragraph:
"(28) students who have completed the first year of a college studies program leading to a diploma giving access to the permit to practise the profession of respiratory therapist;

(29) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of an undergraduate university studies program in kinesiology or athletic therapy offered in Québec;

(30) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of a college studies program in animal health technology or in thanatology offered in Québec;

(31) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in kinesiology;

(32) holders of a degree issued in Québec for a graduate university studies program in extracorporeal perfusion or a diploma referred to in subparagraph a of subparagraph 2 of the first paragraph of section 2 of the Regulation respecting the professional activities that may be engaged in by a clinical perfusionist (chapter M-9, r. 3.1), as amended by Order in Council 1129-2020 dated 28 October 2020;

(33) holders of a diploma issued in Québec for a college studies program in biomedical analysis technology;

(34) holders of a diploma referred to in paragraph 1 of section 2 of the Regulation respecting the acts which, among those that constitute the practice of veterinary medicine, may be performed by classes of persons other than veterinary surgeons (chapter M-8, r. 1);

(35) holders of an embalmer's licence issued by the Minister of Health and Social Services;

(36) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in athletic therapy;";
(2) by striking out the word "and" at the end of subparagraph 3 of the eighth paragraph and adding the following subparagraphs at the end of the paragraph:

"(4) students enrolled in at least the second session of their penultimate year of a university studies program in biology, medical biology, microbiology, neuroscience, biomedical sciences or pharmaceutical or biopharmaceutical sciences;

(5) holders of a degree issued in Québec for an undergraduate university studies program in biology, medical biology, microbiology, neuroscience, biomedical sciences or pharmaceutical or biopharmaceutical sciences;"

(3) by replacing the ninth paragraph by the following:

"THAT the persons referred to in subparagraphs 1 to 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 14, 16, 18 or 20 to 36 of the fifth paragraph or in the sixth paragraph, authorized to mix substances under the eighth paragraph, and the persons referred to in subparagraphs 4 and 5 of the eighth paragraph, must first have undergone training for that purpose recognized by the Minister of Health and Social Services;".

Québec, 16 April 2021

CHRISTIAN DUBÉ
Minister of Health and Social Services