

**By-law Number 36-2019**  
**of The Regional Municipality of Durham**

Being a by-law to Amend By-law 17-2016 being a by-law to regulate compliance with infection prevention and control best practices and disclosure of health inspection information to the public regarding Personal Services Settings.

Whereas the Council of The Regional Municipality of Durham has passed By-law 17-2016 to create a mandatory health inspection and disclosure program to improve the health of Region of Durham inhabitants and visitors.

And whereas the Province of Ontario has updated the standards, procedures and requirements in regard to infection prevention and control practices and how Personal Services Settings are inspected.

Now therefore, the Council of The Regional Municipality of Durham hereby enacts as follows:

1. That By-law 17-2016 be amended at clause 1 to remove the definition of “Infection Prevention and Control Best Practices for Personal Services Settings” and replace with the following definition:

“Infection Prevention and Control Best Practices for Personal Services Settings” means the most current Guide produced by Ontario Agency for Health Protection and Promotion or the Province of Ontario for the control of infections and to assist in developing policies and procedures to ensure an optimal level of care is provided, where such Guide should be seen as directing principles and indications or outlines of the expected practice.

2. That By-law 17-2016 be amended at clause 4 to remove the words “Infection Prevention and Control Best Practices for Personal Services Settings, 2009, as set by the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and the Province of Ontario pursuant to the HPPA” and replace with “the current Infection Prevention and Control Best Practices in Personal Services Settings as set by the Ontario Agency for Health Protection and Promotion or the Province of Ontario”.

This By-law Read and Passed on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2019.

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J. Henry, Regional Chair and CEO

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R. Walton, Regional Clerk