

Ontario Public Health Standards Website

Online Support Materials & Resources

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OPHS Website

- Web-based tools to be accessed by public health practitioners to assist them with the adoption of the OPHS
- Website went live on November 12th
- URL: <http://www.ontario.ca/publichealthstandards>

Purpose

- Provide access to the OPHS and accompanying Protocols
- Assist practitioners to understand the conceptual framework of the new OPHS
- Provide a practical tool to support adoption of the new standards and requirements

Content

- OPHS and Protocols
- Glossary for the OPHS
- Roll Out Activities
- Logic Models
- Links to Tools and Resources
- Links to Automated Literature Searches through PubMed

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Welcome to the Ontario Public Health Standards (OPHS) Website. This site has been developed to:


1. Assist public health practitioners to understand the conceptual framework of the Ontario Public Health Standards including the four principles; one foundational standard; five program standards groupings; the logic model approach; and protocols that support specific requirements.
2. Support the achievement of board of health outcomes by providing practical tools for the adoption of the Standards, including tools for program planning and delivery (e.g., logic models and links to evidence-based tools to inform public health practice).

Content

Ontario Public Health Standards and Protocols: Documents

[Ontario Public Health Standards](#) [PDF]
[Protocols](#) [PDFs]

To view PDF format files, you need to have Adobe Acrobat® Reader installed on your computer.

 You can download this free software from the [Adobe Web site](#).

Interactive version of Ontario Public Health Standards

[Interactive version of Ontario Public Health Standards](#) (includes embedded protocols and standard specific resources such as logic models, literature searches, external websites, etc.).

General Resources

[General Resources](#) (includes general resources that support the implementation of the Ontario Public Health Standards).

Roll Out Activities

[Presentations](#)

PHEP Support Materials

- Guidance documents and templates to be posted by January 2009
- Materials will incorporate suggestions from today's workshop
- Best resource is your neighbour