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| ACCESSIBILITY STANDARDS   | MULTI YEAR ACCESSBILITY PLAN   | DATE APPROVED:<br>NOVEMBER 10, 2022 |
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# POLICY STATEMENT

One Kids Place Children's Treatment Centre will develop a Multi-Year Accessibility Plan that outlines the organization's strategy to prevent and remove barriers to meet its requirements under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA). This Plan will provide a mechanism for planning, reviewing and evaluating the implementation of the AODA Accessibility Standards.

### **OBJECTIVES**

- To ensure an Accessibility Advisory Committee be established to guide the development of the Multi- Year plan.
- To ensure the Plan will:
  - a) Provide a framework for developing cohesive accessibility initiatives which identify, remove and prevent barriers;
  - b) Document annual goals for specific improvements to accessibility.
  - c) Establish action plans for meeting those goals and initiating accountability at various levels:
  - d) Ensure a mechanism for the agency to seek input and suggestions from the wider organizational community; and
  - e) Inform service delivery processes and practices.

### **PROCEDURE**

- 1. OKP management will establish an Accessibility Advisory Committee with approved Terms of Reference to guide the evolution of accessibility practices.
- 2. The Committee will operate consistent with its Terms of Reference and will establish an annual Work Plan approved by senior management.
- 3. OKP will review and update the Multi-Year Plan at a minimum of every five (5) years, consistent with legislation.

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# DOCUMENTATION/MATERIAL REQUIRED

Terms of Reference. Work Plan Template.

# **REFERENCES**

Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA), 2005.

Integrated Accessibility Standards, Ontario Regulation 191/11. SPP AS 3.01 – Statement of organizational commitment.

SPP AS 3.03 – Purchasing or acquiring goods, services or facilities. SPP AS 3.04 – Self-service kiosks.

SPP AS 3.05 – Accessibility and human rights training.