

FRPA QUARTERLY MEETING

December 3, 2024

Agenda

1. Welcoming Remarks

2. Updates/Reminders/Standing Items:

- FRPA Program (Frank)
- CFTA/IA (Mudiaga)
- Funding Programs (RPL IQR)
- Training for Registration Appeal Committee Members (Jennifer-NSRHPN)

3. Adoption of Competency Based Assessment (CBA)

- Shanice Bryce, Engineers Nova Scotia

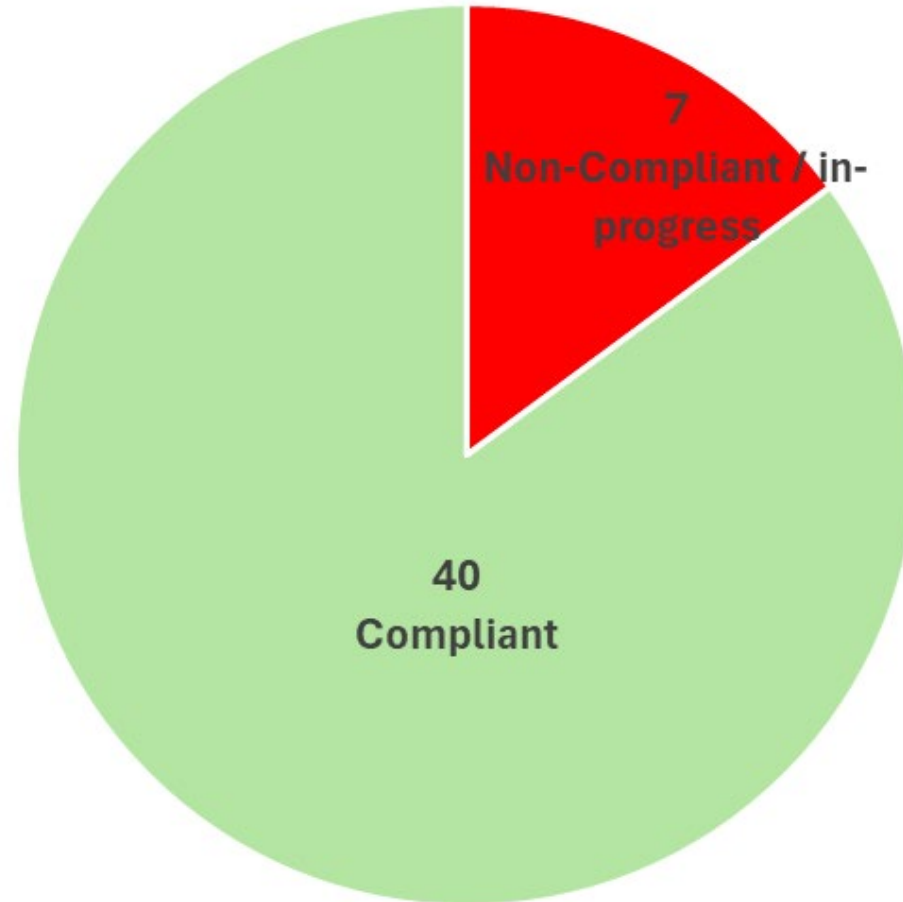
4. Questions and Evaluation

FRPA Program Updates

- 2023 Annual Report to be released Dec/Jan
- 2024 Survey/report.
 - January 14, 2025 – Annual survey sent to regulatory Bodies
 - February 18, 2025 – Survey responses due (30+ day turnaround)
 - No changes to Survey questions.
 - Adjusted format and data checks.
 - Summer 2025 - Annual report released (hopefully earlier).
- 2024 FRPA reviews – 9 of 10 are complete/published.

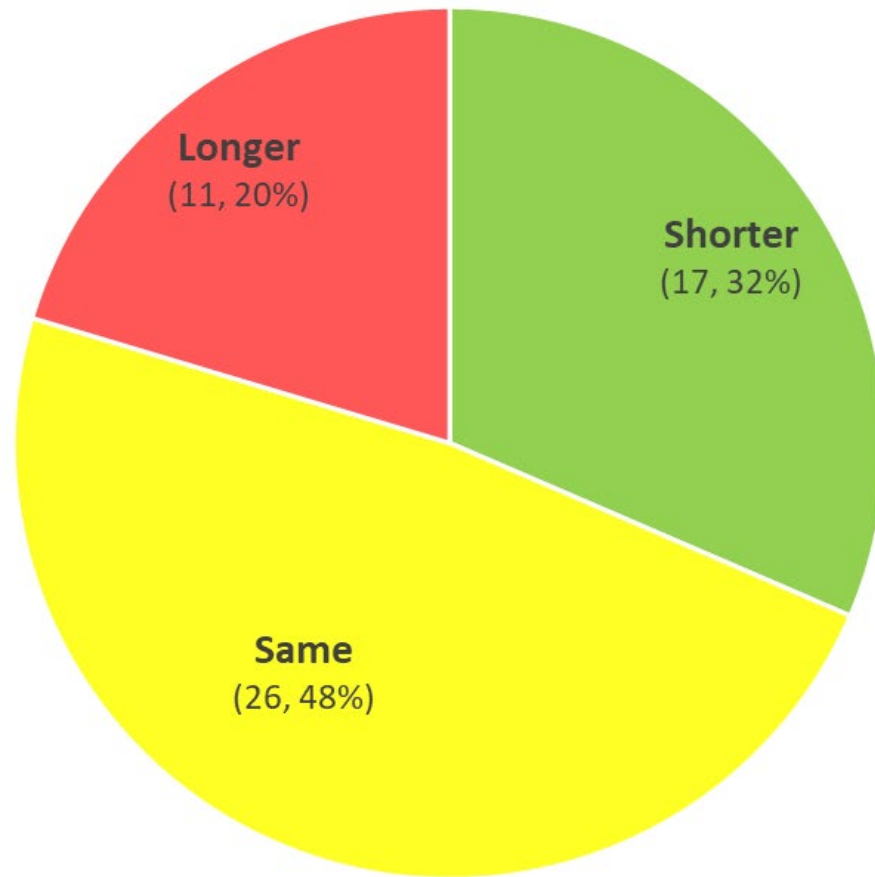
Overall Compliance Status

47 Regulating Bodies



Treatment of Interprovincial Applicants

Processing times of “Interprovincial” Applications relative to “New” Ones ‘Complete to Decision’ (54 occupations)



“Complete Application”:

*“Date the regulating body has **all** the information necessary to render a decision.”*

Permissible Requirements for CFTA Applicants

As outlined in the CFTA and FRPA review template, the permissible requirements (under certain conditions) for CFTA applicants are:

- ✓ Application form
- ✓ Proof of current licensure
- ✓ Evidence that the license is in good standing
- ✓ Approved “Legitimate Objective Exception” (LOE) measures
- ✓ Application or processing fee
- ✓ Insurance or malpractice coverage
- ✓ The requirement to post a bond
- ✓ Criminal background check
- ✓ Evidence of good character
- ✓ demonstrated knowledge of measures specific to NS (eg. jurisprudence exam)
- ✓ demonstrated proficiency in either English or French

...if it's not on the list, it can not be required.

QUESTIONS?

THANK YOU!

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