

## **Dr. David C. Williams**

### **Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health (CMOH)**

Dr. David Williams was appointed the province's Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health effective November 1, 2007. In this role, Dr. Williams continues the development of effective public health programs and services that promote and protect the health of the people of Ontario.

Concurrent with this appointment, Dr. Williams continues in the position of Associate Chief Medical Officer of Health, Health Protection. He was previously the Director of Infectious Diseases Branch, in the Public Health Division, Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, from September 2005.

Dr. Williams served as a Director with United Mission to Nepal Hospital from 1982 to 1990. Shortly after his return to Canada in 1990, Dr. Williams was appointed the Medical Officer of Health for the Thunder Bay District and held that position from 1991 to 2005. He also served as the Chair on the Minister of Health's Advisory Committee on Communicable Diseases from 2001 to 2004 and Co-Chaired the Provincial Infectious Diseases Advisory Committee from 2004 to 2005.

Dr. Williams is a graduate of the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Toronto where he received his Masters in Health Sciences: Community Health and Epidemiology. He holds a fellowship with the Royal College of Physicians of Canada.

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