

# NEW BRUNSWICK DENTAL SOCIETY

## Notice of Discipline Committee Decision

### Complaint 2024-3

**Dr. John Sherrard**

***The Discipline Committee (the “Committee”) by a Decision dated September 20, 2024, found that:***

- the Member’s conduct in writing unprofessional emails to the Complainant on several occasions,
- the Member’s conduct in interactions at the Complainant’s dental practice with the Complainant and staff in full view of patients, and resulting in the police to be called to attend, and
- the Member’s admissions with respect to their physical and mental health constituted:
  - (a) conduct unbecoming a member of the dental profession; and
  - (b) conduct demonstrating that the Member is incapable to practise dentistry.

***The Committee ordered that:***

1. the Member is hereby reprimanded for their conduct;
2. the reprimand shall be recorded in the registration records of the Member for a period of two (2) years;
3. the revocation of the Member’s membership and registration to practise dentistry for failure to maintain professional liability insurance is continued;
4. the Member pay a fine in the amount of \$500 to the Society;
5. the Member pay to the Society a portion of the costs respecting the Complaint in the amount of \$1,500; and
6. the Member shall not be eligible for registration and membership with the Society unless and until, the Member, at their own expense, provides to the Registrar satisfactory evidence of a physical health evaluation and mental health evaluation confirming the Member’s fitness to practice as a dentist, and the Member has paid the fine and the costs ordered.