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#### **Summary information**

**Repository:** Dalhousie University Archives

**Title:** Nova Scotia Council of Health fonds

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**Date:** 1966 - 1973 (date of creation)

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**Physical description:** 64 cm of textual records

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### Administrative history / Biographical sketch

#### Note

The Nova Scotia Council of Health was established one year following the implementation of the Medical Care Insurance Act of 1968. Its mandate was to monitor and evaluate health service planning and utilization across the province, including overseeing the economic efficiency of existing procedures and policies and updating health mandates. The first major document produced by the council was Health Care in Nova Scotia: A New Direction for the Seventies (1972), an attempt to superimpose a rationalized, overarching structure on Nova Scotia's health care system. The Council was formally repealed in 2014.

#### **Custodial history**

Records were donated to the Dalhousie University Archives in 1984. Custodial history is unknown.

### **Scope and content**

Fonds comprises several drafts of Health Care in Nova Scotia: A New Direction for the Seventies (1972) and includes related briefs, submissions, statistics, and articles.

#### **Notes**

#### Title notes

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Further accruals are possible.

#### Other notes

• **Publication status**: Published

# **Access points**

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Reports, publications, studies, and documentation (documentary form)
- Medical archives (subject)
- Medicine--Nova Scotia--History (subject)
- Halifax (N.S.) (place)

# **Collection holdings**