

**Accountability Framework of the Semi-Autonomous Board of Health**

<p>City of Hamilton (<i>City of Hamilton Act</i>, Reserved Authority)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Determine composition of and appoint members to the Board of Health</li> <li>• Appointment, reappointment, and dismissal of Medical Officer of Health, Assistant Medical Officer of Health and auditor</li> <li>• Provide to Board of Health public health employees City considers necessary to enable Board to carry out its functions, (Public Health Services employees remain City employees)</li> <li>• May request Board of Health to make an annual report to the City on the Board’s operations</li> </ul>
<p>Board of Health (<i>Health Protection and Promotion Act</i>)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oversight of public health programs/services, community health protection and communicable diseases</li> <li>• Oversight of Medical Officer of Health on issues relating to public health concerns and public health programs/services</li> </ul>
<p>Medical Officer of Health (<i>Health Protection and Promotion Act</i>)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Responsible to the Board of Health for management of public health programs/services</li> <li>• Reports directly to the Board of Health on issues relating to public health concerns and public health programs/services</li> <li>• Direct employees of and persons whose services are engaged by Board of Health if duties relate to delivery of public health programs/services</li> </ul>