

Minister of Innovation and New Technology

Which locals are directly impacted:

Artificial intelligence has the potential to impact all Locals and their 40,000+ members in Manitoba.

A Digital Bill of Rights in health care would impact:

CUPE 204 - Shared Health	CUPE 3753 - River East Personal Care Home
CUPE 204 - Fred Douglas Supportive Housing	CUPE 4270 - Southern Health - Santé Sud
CUPE 204 - Winnipeg Regional Health Authority	CUPE 4281 - Extencicare - Charleswood Care Centre
CUPE 500 - Riverview Health Centre	CUPE 4860 - Extencicare - Kildonan PCH
CUPE 1475 - Extencicare - Oakview Place	CUPE 5546 - Salem Home Inc.
CUPE 2096 - Brandon Clinic Medical Corporation	CUPE 5556 - Rest Haven Care Home Inc.
CUPE 2136 - Extencicare - Valleyview	CUPE 5559 - Calvary Place Personal Care Home
CUPE 2180 - Extencicare - Tuxedo Villa	CUPE 5586 - Brightwater Senior Living of Tuxedo
CUPE 2421 - Extencicare - Heritage Lodge	CUPE 8600 - Northern Health Region
CUPE 2526 - Extencicare - Hillcrest	CUPE 2348 - Ten Ten Sinclair Housing Inc.
CUPE 2719 - Extencicare - Maples PCH	CUPE 4376 - Ten Ten Sinclair Housing Inc.
CUPE 3753 - Irene Baron Eden Centre	

CUPE Manitoba Priorities:

1. Establish a Digital Bill of Rights in health care.
2. Develop robust standards for AI impact on the broader public service.
3. Develop AI transparency requirements in the public sector.

Why it matters:

Artificial intelligence has the potential to significantly change and challenge the way we work and deliver services in the public sector. If not introduced in a thoughtful way, AI has the potential to be very disruptive in the workplace and is a threat to workers' autonomy, privacy, and our livelihoods.

We need to develop standards for AI impacts on the broader public service - both on our members as workers, as well as impacts on Manitobans who rely on our services.

The need for regulation is particularly important in health care, where experts all over the world are debating about how to safely integrate artificial intelligence into health care delivery, while protecting patients' rights - including privacy - the rights of workers, and ensuring that AI is not replacing human decision making.