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CLINIC FUNDING COMMITTEE GUIDELINES FOR
ADDITIONAL STAFF REQUESTS 1986/87

The Clinic Funding Committee has directed its staff to assess applications for additional staff, taking into account:

1. The clinic's need for additional staff, relative to other clinics, having regard to the number of staff already employed by the clinic, the nature of work being done by the clinic and the amount of overall clinic resources already devoted to such legal work, and the geographical area/population served (and proposed to be served) by the clinic;
2. The demonstrated ability of the clinic to utilize existing clinic resources, including the existing staffing component, to achieve efficiency and effectiveness in the delivery of legal services;
3. The likely impact of the proposal for additional staff on the clinic's ability to deliver high quality legal services;
4. The need for additional staff to implement a planned program of high quality legal services designed to focus on the particular legal needs of the disabled;
5. The need for additional staff in clinics in Toronto, relative to clinics in other parts of the province, having regard to the availability of other legal resources (including clinics, legal aid certificates, duty counsel locations, and the private Bar);
6. The clinic's need, taking into account its ability to so arrange its staff complement and work assignments as to accommodate changed or changing needs, or increased or increasing needs, within its existing staffing component;
7. The need for full-time staff lawyers in community clinics, especially for the purposes of ensuring a high quality of legal services.