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Professional Fees									
PAHA (Post Arrival Health Assessment)	0209PAHA	05-Nov-14					1/1 LT	\$93.61 / assessment	See NOTES 6 & 87 Coverage is limited to resettled refugees.
Psychotherapy Counselling or Psychology Counselling in a Private Clinic or Addiction Centre – Assessment	0228PI	30-May-18		Yes		MD, NP	4 hours / Assessment	See comments	See NOTES 3, 5 & 87
Psychotherapy Counselling or Psychology Counselling in a Private Clinic or Addiction Centre -Treatment	0228CI	30-May-18	Yes	Yes		MD, NP	See comments	See comments	See NOTES 2, 3, 4, 5 & 87
Hearing Tests	0235CI	05-Nov-14		Yes	Yes				See NOTES 7 & 87 Otolaryngologist specialists, submit bill with provincial / territorial health codes.
Comprehensive Assessment for Home Care/Personal Care Services	0247PI	30-May-18					3 hours / Assessment	\$53.30 / hour	See NOTES 1 & 87 Cannot be billed together with 0112Cl.
Other Home Care Services - Visit by a Home Care Worker /Personal Care Worker/Personal Support Worker	0247CI	30-May-18	Yes				140 hours / CM	\$24.25 / hour	See NOTE 87 Comprehensive Assessment report must be submitted before the services can be authorized. Cannot be billed together with code 0112CI.



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Interpretation/ Translation Services	0294CI	05-Nov-14	Yes					\$28.95 / hour	See NOTES 6 & 87 Can only be billed with Psychiatry and Psychotherapy/Counselling (for Initial Assessment and Treatments) or Post Arrival Health Assessment (PAHA).
Assistive Devices Hear	ing Aids (includi	ng hearing aid s	ervices, repairs a	nd supplies)					
Bone Conduction Hearing Aid, Conventional Analog - Left	0304BCL	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$585.40	See NOTES 8, 9 & 87
Bone Conduction Hearing Aid, Conventional Analog - Right	0304BCR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$585.40	See NOTES 8, 10 & 87
Programmable Analog Hearing Aid - Left	0304PAL	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$585.40	See NOTES 8, 11 & 87
Programmable Analog Hearing Aid - Right	0304PAR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$585.40	See NOTES 8, 12 & 87
Digital Hearing Aid, Entry Level - Left	0304DEL	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$1,500	See NOTES 8, 13 & 87
Digital Hearing Aid, Entry Level - Right	0304DER	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$1,500	See NOTES 8, 14 & 87
CROS/BiCROS Hearing Aid - Left	327028	30-May-18	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$1,500	See NOTES 8, 80 & 87
CROS/BiCROS Hearing Aid - Right	327036	30-May-18	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$1,500	See NOTES 8, 81 & 87

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Cochlear Implants	327090	05-Nov-14	Yes			ES	1/1LT	\$30,000	See NOTES 15, 16, 17, 18 & 87 Eligible age range is 12 months to 18 years. Coverage is limited to Resettled Refugees.
Bone Anchored Hearing Aids (BAHA) - Left	0304BAHL	05-Nov-14	Yes			ES	1/1LT	\$5,000	See NOTES 20, 82 & 87 Coverage is limited to Resettled Refugees.
Bone Anchored Hearing Aids (BAHA) - Right	0304BAHR	05-Nov-14	Yes			ES	1/1LT	\$5,000	See NOTES 20, 83 & 87 Coverage is limited to Resettled Refugees.
Dispensing Fee - Conventional Analog - Left	0304BCLD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$430.42	See NOTES 71 & 87
Dispensing Fee - Conventional Analog - Right	0304BCRD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$430.42	See NOTES 72 & 87
Dispensing Fee - Programmable Analog - Left	0304PALD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$484.22	See NOTES 73 & 87
Dispensing Fee Programmable Analog - Right	0304PARD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$484.22	See NOTES 84 & 87
Dispensing Fee –Digital Entry Level - Left	0304DELD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1 / 5 CY	\$322.81	See NOTES 85 & 87
Dispensing Fee – Digital Entry Level - Right	0304DERD	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, CA, HP	1/5CY	\$322.81	See NOTES 86 & 87
Ear Mold (new or replacement)	0304EM	01-Apr-16	Yes			MD, CA, HP	2/1CY	\$70.00	See NOTE 87



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Service Fee for Replacement Ear Mold	0304SF	01-Apr-16	Yes			MD, CA, HP	2/1CY	\$40.00	See NOTE 87
Assistive Devices for S	Seeing								
Low Vision Glasses	0600LV	05-Nov-14	Yes			CI, O	1/3CY	\$300	See NOTES 22 & 87
Assistive Devices for E	ating and Drinki	ng							
TPN Pumps & Related Supplies	404504	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 23, 24 & 87
Feeding Pumps, Bags or Containers	404503	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 24, 25 & 87
Accessories for Feeding Pumps, Bags or Containers	404207	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 24, 25 & 87
Feeding Formula / Nutritional Supplements	404505	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 24, 26 & 87 For POS submissions use PIN 00000904320
Rental – Feeding Pumps, Bags or Containers	404509	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 25, 79 & 87
Rental – Accessories	404206	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 25, 79 & 87



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Ostomy & Colostomy Supplies	402418	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Catheters - Indwelling	0403IND	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Catheters - Straight	0403STR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	70 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
External Condom Catheters (for urinary incontinence)	0403ECC	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	1 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Urinary Drainage Bags (Bedside)	0403UDBB	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	8 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Urinary Drainage Bags (Leg)	0403UDBL	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	20 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Urostomy (Pouch with Drain)	0408UP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	30 / 2 CM		See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Irrigation kits and supplies for ostomy, colostomy and urostomy	0408IRG	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 21, 24, 27, 66 & 87
Surgical Supplies (Dressings, Adhesives, Adhesive Removers, etc.)	402500	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 24, 27, 66 & 87
Pant (brief) Mesh	0406D	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	3 / 1 CM		See NOTES 24, 28 & 87
Disposable Underpads	0409DU	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	150 / 1 CM		See NOTES 24, 28 & 87
Reusable Underpads	0409RU	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	2 / 1 CM		See NOTES 24, 28 & 87
Disposable Diapers	0409DD	01-Apr-16	Yes			MD, NP	150 / 1 CM		See NOTES 24, 28 & 87
Vascular Compression Garments	402700	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP, OT, PT	4 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 29 & 87
Hypertrophic Scar Compression Garment	0412H	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP	2/3 CM		See NOTES 24, 30 & 87



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Bathing and Toileting A	uids								
Bath Seats	0341BS	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD,NP,OT, PT	1 / 4 CY		See NOTES 19, 24, 27, 31, 32 & 87
Toilet Seats	0341TS	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP, OT,PT	1 / 4 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 33 & 87
Bath Benches	0344P	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	1 / 4 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 34 & 87
Raised Toilet Seats	0341S	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	1 / 4 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 35 & 87
Wall Grab Bars	300118	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	3 / 4 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32 & 87
Rental - Bath Seats	0341BR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 74, 79 & 87
Rental - Toilet Seats	0341TR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 76, 79 & 87
Rental - Bath Benches	0344PR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 75, 79 & 87
Rental - Raised Toilet Seats	0341SR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 77, 79 & 87
Rental - Wall Grab Bars	300119	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, NP,OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 32, 78, 79 & 87
Aids for Oxygen Therap	by and Respirato	ry Aid							
CPAP, Bi-PAP Machines	343011	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 / LT		See NOTES 24, 36 & 87



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Ventilators	343714	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 / LT		See NOTES 24 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Apnea Monitors	300105	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 / LT		See NOTES 24 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Home Oxygen Concentrators, Oxygen Conserving Devices, Tanks & Accessories	0310Cl	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	2/1CY		See NOTES 24, 37, 38 & 87
Oxygen Refill – Gas	341528	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 37, 38 & 87
Oxygen Refill - Liquid	341015	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 37, 38 & 87
Postural Drainage Boards, Suction Machines, Percussors, Resuscitators	0362PD	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 / LT		See NOTES 24 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Aerochamber for Puffer / Inhaler	400235	30-May-18				MD, NP	2/1 CY		See NOTES 24 & 87 For POS submissions use PIN 00000903676
Aerosol Compressor	340615	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24 & 87 Not payable with Aerosol Compressor Rental.
Aerosol Compressor Supplies (e.g. Nebulizer, Tubing, Mask, etc.)	402020	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP			See NOTES 24 & 87
Rental - CPAP, Bi-PAP Machines	343019	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 36, 79 & 87

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Rental - Ventilators	343715	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 79 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Rental – Apnea Monitors	300106	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 79 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Rental - Home Oxygen Concentrators , Oxygen Conserving Devices, Tanks & Accessories	0310CR	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 37, 38, 79 & 87
Rental - Postural Drainage Boards, Suction Machines, Percussors, Resuscitators	0362PR	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 79 & 87 Diagnosis indicating chronic respiratory failure.
Rental - Aerosol Compressor	340617	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1/1 CM		See NOTES 24, 79 & 87 Not payable with Aerosol Compressor Purchase.
Assistive Devices for A	dministering Me	dicines / Diabeti	c Supplies						See NOTES 21 & 87
Diabetics Supplies – Test Strips	401135	30-May-18							See NOTES 21 & 87
Diabetics Supplies Lancets	401132	30-May-18							See NOTES 21 & 87
IV Pole	404208	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD	1 / LT		See NOTE 87
Rental - IV Pole	404209	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD	1 / 1 CM		See NOTES 79 & 87
IV Supplies and Accessories	404225	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD			See NOTE 87



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Aids for Personal Mobi	lity								
Power wheelchairs - Purchase	360605	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87 Not payable together with code 305202.
Manual wheelchairs - Purchase	305202	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87 Not payable together with code 360605 and 0320ER.
Custom Sitting System	304212	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Non-custom Sitting System	0306NC	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications – Power Wheelchair	0302EM	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications - Manual Wheelchair	0302M	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications - Canes	304500	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications - Crutches	304503	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications - White Canes	0300WM	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications – Obstacle Detectors	0300ODM	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Modifications - Walkers	0309M	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Repairs – Power Wheelchair	0302ERE	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Repairs – Manual Wheelchair	0302RE	05-Nov-14	Yes				1/1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Repairs - Canes	304501	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Repairs - Crutches	304504	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Repairs - White Canes	0300WF	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87



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Repairs – Obstacle Detectors	0300ODF	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Repairs - Walkers	0309RE	05-Nov-14	Yes				1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 24, 40, 41 & 87
Canes - Purchase	304506	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Crutches - Purchase	304508	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Walkers - Purchase	304510	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
White canes - Purchase	0300WP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Electronic Obstacle Detectors - Purchase	0300ODP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Rental – Power Wheelchair	0302ER	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Rental – Manual Wheelchair	305204	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Rental - Canes	304502	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Rental - Crutches	304505	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Rental - White Canes	0300WR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Rental – Obstacle Detectors	0300ODR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Purchase - Pediatric adaptive/special needs strollers	0309PSTR	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1/5CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Purchase - Pediatric standers	0326PS	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Rental - Walkers	0309R	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 3 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79 & 87
Purchase of portable overhead lifter	0365OTP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87
Purchase of battery powered patient lifter	0365BP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87
4 Point sling purchase	03654PP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87



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Professional Sling with									
Positioning handle	0365PSP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87
purchase									
Sling for Overhead	0365SOP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 2 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87
Lifters- Purchase	03033OF	05-1107-14	162			IVID, OT, PT	1/201		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 67
Battery Powered Bath	0365BTP	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 87
Chair Lift- Purchase	0303616	05-1100-14	res			IVID, OT, PT	1/501		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40 & 67
Portable Overhead	0365OTR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
Track Lifter- Rental	030301K	05-1107-14	162			IVID, OT, PT	1 / 4 CIVI		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 67
Battery Powered	0365BPR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		Co. NOTES 24 27 24 40 70 8 97
Patient Lifter- Rental	USOSBPR	05-1100-14	res			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CIVI		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
4 Point Sling Rental	03654PR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
Professional Sling with									
Positioning handle-	0365PSR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
Rental									
Slings for Overhead	0365SOR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
Lifters- Rental	00000011	00110114	100			W.D., 01,111	17400		000 110 120 24, 27, 01, 40, 70 0 07
Battery Powered Bath	0365BTR	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 79 & 87
Chair Lift-Rental	03035110	03 1407 14	103			IVID, O1,11	17400		Occ NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 73 d 07
Purchase - Manual									
hospital bed, mattress	0305	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 87 & 91
& accessories									
Purchase - electric									
hospital bed, mattress	0305E	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	1 / 5 CY		See NOTES 24, 27, 31, 40, 87 & 91
& accessories									
Rental - Manual									
Hospital bed, mattress	0305R	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79, 87 & 91
& accessories									



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Rental - Electronic									
Hospital bed, mattress	0305ER	30-May-18	Yes			MD, OT, PT	4 / 4 CM		See NOTES 24, 40, 79, 87 & 91
& accessories									
Prostheses and Orthos	es								
Artificial Left Arm	0500LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Arm	0500RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Left Breast	0501LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Breast	0501RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Left Eye	0502LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Eye	0502RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Left Foot	0503LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Foot	0503RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Left Hand	0504LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Hand	0504RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Left Leg	0505LP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Right Leg	0505RP	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Larynx	503518	30-May-18	Yes			MD	See comments		See NOTES 24, 40, 87 & 92
Artificial Limb Supplies	0515P	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD			See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
- Stump Socks	33131	30110114	100			IVID			555 110 120 24, 40 0 07
Artificial Limb Supplies - Sheaths	0519P	05-Nov-14	Yes			MD			See NOTES 24, 40 & 87
Braces - Back	0507PB	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Neck	0528P	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Ankle	0507PLA	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Right Ankle	0507PRA	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Arm	0507PLAR	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89



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Braces - Right Arm	0507PRAR	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Leg	0507PLL	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Right Leg	0507PRL	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Wrist	0507PLW	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Right Wrist	0507PRW	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Elbow	0507PLE	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Right Elbow	0507PRE	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Left Knee	0507PLK	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Braces - Right Knee	0507PRK	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 /1 CY		See NOTES 39, 40, 87 & 89
Orthotics – Custom Arch Supports	503131	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 pair /1 CY	\$250.00	See NOTES 40, 87 & 90
Orthotics - Insoles	504385	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 pair /1 CY	\$250.00	See NOTES 40, 87 & 88
Orthotics - Foot Pads	504380	30-May-18	Yes			MD, NP	1 pair /1 CY	\$250.00	See NOTES 40, 87 & 88
Physiotherapy - Initial Assessment - In a Clinic	ational Therapy, S	Speech Therapy 05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	1/1 CY		See NOTES 42, 44 & 87
Physiotherapy - Subsequent Visit - In a Clinic	0226CI	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	12 / 1 CY		See NOTES 43, 44 & 87
Physiotherapy - Initial Assessment - In a Home	0226IAR	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	1 / 1 CY		See NOTES 42, 45 & 87

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Benefit Description	Benefit Code	Effective Date	Prior Approval Required	ICD 9 / 10 Code or Written Dx Required	Provincial Health Code Required	Referring Prescriber	Frequency Limit	Maximum Dollar Amount	Comments
Physiotherapy -									
Subsequent Visit - In a	0226R	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	12 / 1 CY		See NOTES 43, 45 & 87
Home									
Physiotherapy – Initial									
Assessment - In a	0226H I	05-Nov-14		Yes			1 / 1 CY	\$26.75	See NOTES 44 & 87
Hospital									
Physiotherapy -									
Subsequent Visit - In a	0226H	05-Nov-14		Yes			12 / 1 CY	\$27.75	See NOTES 44 & 87
Hospital									
Occupational Therapy -									
Initial Assessment - In	0242CIA	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	1 / 1 CY	\$80.00	See NOTES 46 & 87
a Clinic									
Occupational Therapy -									
Subsequent Visit - In a	0242CI	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	20 / 1 CY	\$80.00	See NOTES 46 & 87
Clinic									
Occupational Therapy -									
Initial Assessment - In	0242RA	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	1 / 1 CY	\$80.00	See NOTES 46 & 87
a Home									
Occupational Therapy -									
Subsequent Visit - In a	0242R	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD	20 / 1 CY	\$80.00	See NOTES 46 & 87
Home									
Occupational Therapy -									
Initial Assessment - In	0242H I	05-Nov-14		Yes			1 / 1 CY	\$26.75	See NOTE 87
a Hospital									
Occupational Therapy -									
Subsequent Visit - In a	0242H	05-Nov-14		Yes			20 / 1 CY	\$27.75	See NOTE 87
Hospital									
Speech Therapy –									
Initial Assessment - In	0230IA	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD			See NOTES 47, 49 & 87
a Clinic									



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Speech Therapy - Subsequent Visit - In a Clinic	0230CI	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes		MD			See NOTES 48, 49 & 87
Speech Therapy - In a Hospital	0230H	05-Nov-14		Yes		MD		\$26.75	See NOTE 87
Vision Care - Eyewear S	Services								
Single Vision (Frame & Lenses)	0600FL	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$123.70	See NOTES 50, 51, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Single Vision with Astigmatism (Frame & Lenses)	0600SALF	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$130.40	See NOTES 50, 52, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Regular Bifocals (Frame & Lenses)	0600FB	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$170.45	See NOTES 50, 53, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Bifocal with Astigmatism (Frame & Lenses)	0600BAFL	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$183.85	See NOTES 50, 54, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Lenses - Single Vision, with Astigmatism	0600LA	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$33.20	See NOTES 50, 55, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Lenses - Single Vision, no Astigmatism	0600L	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$26.70	See NOTES 50, 56, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Lenses - Bifocals – with Astigmatism	0600BA	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$80.20	See NOTES 50, 57, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68 & 87
Lenses - Bifocals - no Astigmatism	0600B	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$66.85	See NOTES 50, 58, 63, 64, 65, 67, 68, 70 & 87
Frames	0600F	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$33.45	See NOTES 63, 64, 65 & 87
Case	0600CAS	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$3.35	See NOTES 63, 64, 65 & 87



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Dispensing Fee – Single Vision with New Frame	0600DSNF	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$60.20	See NOTES 50, 59, 63, 64, 65 & 87
Dispensing Fee – Single Vision with Existing Frame	0600DSEF	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$40.10	See NOTES 50, 60, 63, 64, 65 & 87
Dispensing Fee – Bifocals with New Frame	0600DBNF	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$66.85	See NOTES 50, 61, 63, 64, 65 & 87
Dispensing Fee – Bifocals with Existing Frame	0600DBEF	05-Nov-14					1 / 24 CM	\$53.50	See NOTES 50, 62, 63, 64, 65 & 87
Complete Eye Exam	600013	30-May-18					1 / 12 CM	\$54.60	See NOTES 69 & 87. Cannot be billed together with 600P. Services provided by Medical Doctors will be reimbursed according to Provincial / Territorial fee schedules. Please refer to Professional Fees and Physician Specialty Services sections in the Benefit Grid.
Partial Eye Exam	0600P	30-May-18					1 / 12 CM	\$33.30	See NOTES 69 & 87. Cannot be billed together with 600013. Services provided by Medical Doctors will be reimbursed according to Provincial / Territorial fee schedules. Please refer to Professional Fees and Physician Specialty Services sections in the Benefit Grid.



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Residential Care									
Nursing Homes (Private & Public Sector Facility)	0112CI	01-Apr-16	Yes	Yes				\$1,736 / month	See NOTE 87 Cannot be billed together with code 0247CI
Residential Mental Health Centre	0115M	05-Nov-14	Yes	Yes				\$1,736 / month	See NOTE 87

For dental services refer to IFHP Benefits List - Dental Coverage, available at www.medaviebc.ca/en/health-professionals/resources

NOTES:

- NOTE 1 Comprehensive assessment should be conducted by a Home/Health Care case manager or health professional including Medical Doctor, Nurse, Occupational Therapist, Physiotherapist, Respiratory Therapist, Speech Language Pathologist or Social Worker. Comprehensive Assessment fee: \$53.30/hour. Max 3 hours. The report must include diagnosis, and extent of disability, clinical history, current prescribed treatment, availability of home facilities (including their location) and the ability of the patient to function in the home or to get outside; Summary of functioning and needs pertinent to sight, hearing, communication, ambulation, toileting, transferring, eating, dressing, bathing, foot care, supplies-equipment, prosthesis (if applicable).

 The assessment should include the recommended level of care required and number of hours per week.
- NOTE 2 Prior approval requests must be accompanied by:
 - (1) A letter from a Physician or Nurse Practitioner that indicates the diagnosis and prescription for psychotherapy / counselling therapy and
 - (2) Initial Assessment report (requests for a new treatment), or
 - (3) Progress Assessment report (requests for a treatment extension)

The report should outline the clinical history and interview information including:

- Results of psychometric screening (where administered);
- DSM IV or V diagnosis;
- A treatment plan outlining the goals of treatment and expected duration of treatment,

Payment for reports is included in the fee for assessments. The provider should not proceed until prior authorization has been obtained.



- NOTE 3 The provider must be a Registered Clinical Psychologist, Registered Psychotherapist, Registered Counselling Therapist or a Social Worker licensed in the province or territory in which they practice with their provincial licensing body.
- NOTE 4 Benefit provides up to a maximum of 10 one-hour treatment sessions. Any additional treatment must be pre-authorized by the IFHP. Prior approval requests for treatment extensions (up to max 10 sessions) must be accompanied by a nurse practitioner's recommendations or a physician's recommendation for additional sessions and a Progress Assessment report.

Exclusions:

Psychiatric and family physician services (included under IFHP Basic Coverage)

Psychoanalysis

Psycho-educational assessments

Life skills training

Expressive arts therapy

Hypnotherapy

Sex therapy

- NOTE 5 Fee per Province for Initial Assessment and Subsequent Individual Treatments, per hour: (BC = \$160), (AB = \$170), (SK = \$110), (MB, PE, NL = \$150), (ON = \$205), (QC = \$125), (NB, NT, NU, YT = \$130), (NS = \$140).
- NOTE 6 For Resettled Refugees receiving government resettlement assistance undergoing a Post Arrival Health Assessment (PAHA), IFHP will pay for medical translation services up to a total of 2 hours.
- NOTE 7 Audiologists and Speech Language Pathologists: will be reimbursed usual / customary charges up to \$74.20 per test.
- NOTE 8 (1) An audiogram completed within the last 6 months must be provided.
 - (a) All hearing aids, except CROS and BiCROS:
 - Age 12 and younger: have hearing impairment that can compromise his/her speech / language development; Persons 12 to 18 inclusive: average hearing loss of at least 25 db
 - Persons aged 19 or older who have an average hearing loss at least 35 db in their better ear.
 - (b) CROS (all ages): Clients must have unaidable hearing loss in one ear and normal or mild (25-35 db) hearing loss in their good ear; BiCROS (all ages): Clients must have unaidable hearing loss in one ear and at least moderate (35-65 db) hearing loss in their better ear.

Average means Pure Tone Average (PTA) of four frequencies from 500, 1,000, 2,000 and 4,000 Hertz (HZ).

- (2) A Physician, Clinical Audiologist or Hearing Aid Practitioner must prescribe the hearing aid equipment.
- (3) A needs assessment and rationale for the particular benefits recommended must be submitted for review.
- NOTE 9 Not payable together with codes: 0304PAL, 0304DEL, 0304BAHL, 327028, 0304PALD, 0304DELD.
- NOTE 10 Not payable together with codes: 0304PAR, 0304DER, 0304BAHR, 327036, 0304PARD, 0304DERD.



- NOTE 11 Not payable together with codes: 0304BCL, 0304DEL, 0304BAHL, 327028, 0304BCLD, 0304DELD.
- NOTE 12 Not payable together with codes: 0304BCR, 0304DER, 0304BAHR, 327036, 0304BCRD, 0304DERD.
- NOTE 13 Not payable together with codes: 0304BCL, 0304PAL, 0304BAHL, 327028, 0304BCLD, 0304PALD.
- NOTE 14 Not payable together with codes: 0304BCR, 0304PAR, 0304BAHR, 327036, 0304BCRD, 0304PARD.
- NOTE 15 Severe-to-Profound sensorineural hearing loss bilaterally.
- NOTE 16 No medical contraindications.
- NOTE 17 An educational placement where the development of listening and speaking skills is emphasized.
- NOTE 18 Family support that includes the commitment to the rehabilitative process.
- NOTE 19 Not payable together with code 0344P.
- NOTE 20 Eligibility consideration for the following reasons:
 - (1) Moderate to severe conductive or mixed hearing loss (unilateral or bilateral), where the patient can still benefit from sound amplification or Unilateral sensorineural deafness, i.e., single-sided deafness AND
 - (2) One of the following conditions must be present:
 - Congenital or surgically induced ear malformations, where cochlear function is good, but there are no ear canals; OR.
 - · Chronic middle ear disease, OR
 - · Chronic draining ears, where the use of a conventional hearing aid causes problems such as feedback, poor wearing comfort, poor sound quality or aggravation of infection; OR
 - Tumours of the external ear or tympanic cavity; OR
 - · Conductive hearing loss due to ossicular disease where the patient is not appropriate for surgical correction OR
 - Conventional hearing aids do not work.
- NOTE 21 Supplies can also be submitted on-line through the pharmacy billing system.
- NOTE 22 Clients must be blind or have low vision that cannot be corrected medically, surgically or with ordinary eyeglasses or contact lenses (i.e. visual acuity in each eye is less than 60° in the 180° and 90° meridians, after correction with appropriate ophthalmic lenses (eye glasses or contact lenses but not special optical systems or additions of more than 4 dioptres).
- NOTE 23 TPN Pumps: Must be a client's only means of nourishment.
- NOTE 24 As per usual & customary fees in provinces / territories.
- NOTE 25 Client cannot receive food through gravity.



NOTE 26 - At least one of the following criteria must be met:

- a) oropharyngeal or gastrointestinal disorders resulting in esophageal dysfunction or dysphagia; e.g., head and neck surgery, neuromuscular disorder, or cerebral vascular disease where dysphagia prevents eating or other medical condition which prevents eating;
- b) maldigestion or malabsorption disorder;
- c) for patients requiring the use of a chemically defined diet as a primary treatment of a disease where the therapeutic benefit has been demonstrated; e.g., Crohn's disease.
- d) significant gut failure where food is not tolerated; e.g., pancreatic insufficiency, biliary obstruction, short bowel syndrome;
- e) for baby formula failure to thrive or where breastfeeding is otherwise contraindicated.

EXCLUSIONS: A Nutrition Product will not be reimbursed if it is intended for one of the following uses:

- prescribed weight loss in the treatment of obesity
- body building
- 3) voluntary meal replacement
- 4) convenience
- NOTE 27 Client must not be in acute care facility or long term care institution.
- NOTE 28 Chronic uncontrolled incontinence of a daily loss of moderate, heavy or total loss of urine or stool, despite all interventions implemented.
- NOTE 29 Client must have a Chronic Venous Insufficiency (CVI) Class 2 or 3 OR Chronic Lymphedema.

Benefits prescribed for the following conditions are not eligible: - in-patient; short term interventions; pre or post-operative use; CVI class 1; pregnancy; Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT); cellulitis; blood clots; thrombophlebitis; phlebitis; post-phlebitis syndromes; edema management; systemic edema; arterial insufficiency; hypotension; short-term intervention; night-time use; osteoarthritis; prevention; simple varices.

- NOTE 30 Client must have hypertrophic scarring and requires a pressure garment for a minimum of six (6) months of regular daily use.
- NOTE 31 Client cannot have more than one assistive device for a function.
- NOTE 32 Client must have a physical disability requiring toileting, bedroom or bathing assistive device.
- NOTE 33 Not payable together with code 0341S.
- NOTE 34 Not payable together with code 0341BS.
- NOTE 35 Not payable together with code 0341TS.
- NOTE 36 CPAP Documented Sleep Disordered Breathing (SDB); BiPAP Primary disorders of respiratory muscles, muscular dystrophy, progressive neuromuscular disorders, traumatic spinal injury, chest wall deformities or restrictive disorders of the lung, e.g. kyphoscoliosis.



- NOTE 37 To be considered for the benefit, ABG or oximetry test results must be obtained when client's condition has stabilized.
 - Exception: The ABG or oximetry tests are not required for individuals who are at the end stage of a terminal illness.
- NOTE 38 Qualifying medical indications for home oxygen include one of the following:
 - A resting PaO2 on room air equal or less than 55 mm Hg;
 - A resting PaO2 on room air between 56 and 59 mm Hg when there is supporting document evidence provided by a Physician and ABG of cor pulmonale, pulmonary hypertension and/or secondary polycythemia;
 - Persistent PaO2 between 56 and 59 mm Hg, when there is evidence of:
 - a) exercise limitation due to hypoxemia with significantly greater exercise capability and/or significantly decreased shortness of breath on oxygen compared to room air (ABG and a walking oximetry is needed) and/or
 - b) nocturnal hypoxemia when nocturnal oxygen desaturation is less than 88% for 30% of the night and sleep disordered breathing is ruled out (ABG and a nocturnal oximetry is needed).
 - Palliative care (less than three months life expectancy) or diagnosis indicating New York Heart Association Stage IV Heart Disease
- NOTE 39 The maximum payable amount for off-the-shelf products is \$250. For custom made braces as per usual & customary fees in the provinces / territories.
- NOTE 40 The IFHP will pay the least expensive device, modification and / or repair.
- NOTE 41 Repair service cannot exceed the cost of the equipment.
- NOTE 42 Fee per province for Initial Treatment: (BC = \$74), (AB = \$136), (SK = \$148), (MB = \$65), (ON = \$134), (QC = \$80), (NB & PE = \$60), (NS = \$55), (NL = \$75), (NT & NU = \$138), (YT = \$75).
- NOTE 43 Fee per province for Subsequent Treatments: (BC = \$64), (AB = \$95), (SK = \$74), (MB = \$59), (ON = \$84), (QC = \$75), (NB = \$50), (NS = \$55), (PE = \$45), (NL = \$65), (NT & NU = \$88), (YT = \$75).
- NOTE 44 The client presents signs and symptoms of physical deterioration or impairment in one or more of the following areas:
 - a) Sensory/motor ability problems with sensory integration, attention and cognition, circulation, cranial and peripheral nerve integrity, ergonomics and body mechanics, gait, locomotion and balance, integumentary integrity, joint integrity and mobility, motor function, muscle performance, neuromotor development, posture, range of motion, reflex or sensory integrity.
 - b) Functional status inability to perform basic activities of daily living (ADLs) or instrumental activities of daily living (IADLs) that involve personal self-care (for example, feeding, dressing, bathing, or continence), functional mobility for home management (for example, making a bed), work, school, or community activities.
 - c) Cognitive ability problems with orientation, concentration (attention loss), comprehension, learning, organization of thought, problem-solving, or memory.
 - d) Respiratory ability impairments in aerobic capacity, aerobic endurance, ventilation, or respiration change.



- NOTE 45 The client cannot attend physiotherapy session in a clinic and presents signs and symptoms of physical deterioration or impairment in one or more of the following areas:
 - a) Sensory/motor ability problems with sensory integration, attention and cognition, circulation, cranial and peripheral nerve integrity, ergonomics and body mechanics gait, locomotion and balance, integumentary integrity, joint integrity and mobility, motor function, muscle performance, neuromotor development, posture, range of motion, reflex or sensory integrity.
 - b) Functional status inability to perform basic activities of daily living (ADLs) or instrumental activities of daily living (IADLs) that involve personal self-care (for example, feeding, dressing, bathing, or continence), functional mobility for home management (for example, making a bed), work, school, or community activities.
 - c) Cognitive ability problems with orientation, concentration (attention loss), comprehension, learning, organization of thought, problem-solving, or memory.
 - d) Respiratory ability impairments in aerobic capacity, aerobic endurance, ventilation, or respiration change.
- NOTE 46 Physician referral is required. The client presents signs and symptoms of functional impairment in one or more of the following areas.
 - a) Sensory ability problems with sensation or perception.
 - b) Motor ability problems with range of motion, muscle strength, muscle tone, endurance, balance, dexterity, or coordination.
 - c) Functional status problems with basic or instrumental ADLs that involve functional mobility, personal self-care (for example, feeding, dressing, or bathing), work, or home activities.
 - d) Cognitive ability problems with orientation, concentration (attention loss), comprehension, learning, organization of thought, problem-solving, or memory.
 - e) Psychological ability problems with apathy, depression, anxiety, perceived incompetence, lack of persistence, or decreased coping skills in a social environment.

For occupational therapy in home, prior approval request should include justification why client cannot be seen in a clinic.

- NOTE 47 Fee per province for Initial Treatment: (BC = \$100), (AB = \$120), (SK, MB & NS = \$110), (ON = \$165), (QC = \$150), (NB = \$90), (PE = \$80), (NL, NT, NU & YT = \$160).
- NOTE 48 Fee per province for Subsequent Treatments: (BC = \$100), (AB = \$120), (SK, MB & NS = \$110), (ON = \$165), (QC = \$100), (NB = \$90), (PE = \$80), (NL, NT, NU & YT = \$135).
- NOTE 49 The client presents one or more of the following signs and symptoms.
 - a) Aphagia inability to swallow.
 - b) Aphasia absence or impairment of the ability to communicate through speech, writing, or signs.
 - c) Aphonia inability to produce sounds from the larynx due to paralysis, excessive muscle tension, or disease of laryngeal nerves.
 - Apraxia inability to form words to speak, despite an ability to use oral and facial muscles to make sounds.
 - e) Dysarthria difficult or defective speech that involves disturbances in muscular control (paralysis, weakness, or lack of coordination) of the speech mechanism (oral, lingual, pharyngeal, or respiratory muscles) resulting from damage to the central or peripheral nervous system.
 - f) Dysphagia difficulty in swallowing.
 - g) Dysphasia impairment of language from a brain lesion or neurodevelopmental disorder.
 - h) Dysphonia difficulty in speaking due to impaired ability of muscles involving voice production.
 - i) Vocal cord dysfunction impairment of vocal cord mobility due to structural or functional abnormalities resulting from neurological or organic diseases.
- NOTE 50 Claim must include a prescription with optical information and/<u>or</u> visual acuities. Must be medically necessary due to refractive error, or other medical condition, including but not limited to keratoconus, amblyopia, strabismus or irregular corneal curvature.
- NOTE 51 Not payable together with codes: 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600LA, 0600LA, 0600BA, 0600B.



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- NOTE 52 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600BAFL, 0600FB, 0600LA, 0600L, 0600BA, 0600B.
- NOTE 53 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600BAFL, 0600LA, 0600L, 0600BA, 0600B.
- NOTE 54 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600LA, 0600L, 0600BA, 0600B.
- NOTE 55 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600L, 0600BA, 0600B.
- NOTE 56 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600BA, 0600BA, 0600B.
- NOTE 57 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600LA, 0600L, 0600B.
- NOTE 58 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600LA, 0600L, 0600BA.
- NOTE 59 Not payable together with codes: 0600DSEF, 0600DBNF, 0600DBEF.
- NOTE 60 Not payable together with codes: 0600DSNF, 0600DBNF, 0600DBEF.
- NOTE 61 Not payable together with codes: 0600DSNF, 0600DSEF, 0600DBEF.
- NOTE 62 Not payable together with codes: 0600DSNF, 0600DSEF, 0600DBNF.
- NOTE 63 Replacement or repair for broken or lost eyewear is only eligible to clients 18 years of age, or under.
- NOTE 64 Clients (18 years or less) are entitled to new eyewar anytime there is a change in prescription. Note: The new lenses should be placed in existing frames where possible.
- NOTE 65 Clients over 18 years old may receive new eyewear only when there is a significant change in prescription. A significant change in prescription is defined as a change in refractive error of not less than 0.5 dioptre to the spherical or cylinder lens, or a change in axis equal to or greater than:
 - (1) 20 degrees for a cylinder lens of 0.50 dioptres or less;
 - (2) 10 degrees for a cylinder lens of more than 0.50 dioptres but not more than 1.0 dioptre; and
 - (3) 3 Degrees for a cylinder lens of more than 1.0 dioptre.
- NOTE 66 Clients must have an ostomy or other medical condition as certified by a doctor or nurse practitioner.
- NOTE 67 For power 5 dioptres or greater (cylinder), add \$35.11.
- NOTE 68 For power 10 dioptres or greater (sphere), add \$35.11.
- NOTE 69 Eye exams are covered if required to diagnose or treat an eye condition, symptom or complaint, or if required to correct vision (refractive services).
- NOTE 70 Not payable together with codes: 0600FL, 0600SALF, 0600FB, 0600BAFL, 0600LA, 0600LA, 0600BA.
- NOTE 71 Payable with codes: 0304BCL or 327028.
- NOTE 72 Payable with codes: 0304BCR or 327036.



NOTE 73 -	Payable with codes: 0304PAL or 327028.
NOTE 74 -	Not Payable together with codes: 0341BS, 0344P, 0344PR.
NOTE 75 -	Not Payable together with codes: 0341BS, 0344P, 0341BR.
NOTE 76 -	Not Payable together with codes: 0341TS, 0341SR.
NOTE 77 -	Not Payable together with codes: 0341TS, 0341TR.
NOTE 78 -	Not Payable together with code: 300118.
NOTE 79 -	Rental equipment may be approved when:
	 a) prescribed for use during a limited period of time and when purchase of the item would exceed projected total rental charge; b) for terminally ill clients, where purchase of the item would not be warranted; c) where frequent medical assessment and follow-up are involved; d) requiring frequent and extensive maintenance; e) requiring specialized supervision to operate.
NOTE 80 -	Not payable together with codes: 0304BCL, 0304PAL, 0304DEL, 0304BAHL, 0304DELD.
NOTE 81 -	Not payable together with codes: 0304BCR, 0304PAR, 0304DER, 0304BAHR, 0304DERD.
NOTE 82 -	Not payable together with codes: 0304BCL, 0304PAL, 0304DEL, 327028.
NOTE 83 -	Not payable together with codes: 0304BCR, 0304PAR, 0304DER, 327036.
NOTE 84 -	Payable with codes: 0304PAR or 327036.
NOTE 85 -	Payable with code: 0304DEL.
NOTE 86 -	Payable with code: 0304DER.
NOTE 87 -	Services provided to Canadian citizens, including newborns, are not covered.
NOTE 88 -	Can be provided by a Pedorthotist, Podiatrist, Doctor of Podiatric Medicine (DPM), Chiropodist, Orthotist, Physiotherapist, or a Pharmacist.
NOTE 89 -	Can be provided by an Orthotist, Prosthetist, Physiotherapist or a Pharmacist.



NOTE 90 - Can be provided by an Orthotist, Prosthetist or Pedorthotist.

- NOTE 91 A Hospital bed is covered if one or more of the following criteria (1-4) are met:
 - 1. The patient has a medical condition which requires positioning of the body in ways not feasible with an ordinary bed. Elevation of the head/upper body less than 30 degrees does not usually require the use of a hospital bed, or
 - 2. The patient requires positioning of the body in ways not feasible with an ordinary bed in order to alleviate pain, or
 - 3. The patient requires the head of the bed to be elevated more than 30 degrees most of the time due to congestive heart failure, chronic pulmonary disease, or problems with aspiration. Pillows or wedges must have been considered and ruled out, or
 - 4. The patient requires traction equipment which can only be attached to a hospital bed.

Note: Hospital beds that allow the height of the bed to vary are covered for patients that require this feature to permit transfers to a chair, wheelchair, or standing position.

Electric bed is covered for a patient who requires frequent changes in body position and/or has an immediate need for a change in body position.

NOTE 92- Frequency limits: clients 18 years old or under - 1 / 1 CY; clients over 18 years old - 1 / 5 CY.

