

Interim Federal Health Program (IFHP) Update to the Reimbursement Policy Prescription Drug Program – Saskatchewan

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Citizenship and Immigration Canada (CIC) recently advised you of changes in the reimbursement policy for the IFHP prescription drug program in Saskatchewan effective April 1, 2014.

An additional change has been made to the urine testing agents, diabetic strips and diabetic supplies reimbursement policy. Here is the updated information.

Description	Reimbursement Policy – CIC (IFHP)
Dispensing Fee (regular)	\$11.25
Dispensing Fee (Compounded Products, all)	\$16.88 (150% of the dispensing fee for regular products)
Dispensing Fee - Urine testing agents, diabetic strips and diabetic supplies	50% of the cost

The mark-up fees (based on product cost):

- \$0.00 \$6.30 = 30%
- \$6.31 \$15.80 = 15%
- > \$15.81 = 10% (maximum of \$20.00 for product cost higher than \$200.00)

Please share this information with the members of your Association. Should you or your members have any questions or concerns, or require more information regarding the IFHP or Medavie Blue Cross, please call our Customer Information Centre at 1-888-614-1880 or e-mail CIC_Inquiry@medavie.bluecross.ca. You may also access the Medavie Blue Cross website at https://provider.medavie.bluecross.ca to view Guides, Bulletins and other important information regarding the Interim Federal Health Program.