

Dental Treatment Requiring a Laboratory Component under the Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP)

Dear Patient,

Health Canada has recently implemented changes to the Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP) that affect how commercial laboratory fees are reimbursed. At this time, Health Canada has not published the new reimbursement limits for these lab-related costs.

As a result, your out-of-pocket expenses may be higher than expected. In some cases, patients have experienced additional charges of several hundred dollars.

Although we have completed a pre-determination for your upcoming treatment, please note that we cannot confirm the exact out-of-pocket cost until the treatment and reimbursement process are finalized.

Please remember that this is a government subsidy program, not an office-managed plan. We kindly ask that any concerns or feedback be directed to your Member of Parliament, as our office staff have no control over CDCP policies or reimbursement rates.

By signing this form, you acknowledge and agree to pay any difference between our pre-determined estimate and the amount reimbursed by the CDCP for your treatment.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Patient Name

Date