

COLLEGE OF DENTURISTS OF ONTARIO

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Canadian Dental Care Plan

Services and Details Announced

Dear Registered Denturists,

On Thursday, February 8, 2024, the Government of Canada announced further details regarding the Canadian Dental Care Plan including the services covered, fee structure, and the dental benefits guide.

The majority of the services covered under the CDCP will be available as of May 2024 when the first cohort of the CDCP clients will begin to receive services. Some oral health care services such as initial placement of partial dentures will require preauthorization - and will be available beginning the fall of 2024.

Along with the list of services covered, the fee structure for Denturists and all other oral health care professionals have also been published.

The CDO is excited for the roll out of this historic program over the coming months. We believe this important initiative will increase the public's access to denturism care and service. We thank all stakeholders, Denturism regulators including the College of Alberta Denturists, representatives from the Denturism profession, including the DAC, who worked diligently with the Government of Canada on this groundbreaking initiative.

If you have specific questions regarding this plan including registration and fee structure, please reach out to your respective Denturism Association who are in the best position to answer your questions.

Important Resources

- Government of Canada's News Release
- Patient Registration Webpage
- Sunlife's Fee Guide for Denturist
- <u>CDCP Claims Processing and Payment Agreement</u>



Phishing Scam Warning

Sun Life is aware of phishing scams targeting Canadians related to the launch of the Canadian Dental Care Plan. They are actively investigating, together with Health Canada. Sun Life has not started to mail welcome packages for the Canadian Dental Care Plan. Sun Life would never ask for personal or financial information related to this plan. If you have any questions or concerns, Service Canada can be reached at 1-833-537-4342.

Information Sessions

The Government of Canada will be hosting information sessions for oral health care providers on the following dates and times. The same information will be shared at each session. Please note that all meetings will be held via Zoom.

- Tuesday, February 13 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. (EST) French Link: <u>https://hc-sc-gc-ca.zoom.us/j/62601976359</u> Phone number: 1-613-209-3054 Session ID: 626 0197 6359 Passcode: 314452
- Thursday, February 15 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. (EST) English Link: <u>https://hc-sc-gc-ca.zoom.us/j/64972492608</u>
 Phone number: 1-613-209-3054
 Session ID: 649 7249 2608 Passcode: 470122
- Tuesday, February 20 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. (EST) French Link: <u>https://hc-sc-gc-ca.zoom.us/j/61439552491</u> Phone number: 1-613-209-3054 Session ID: 614 3955 2491 Passcode: 056211
- Wednesday, February 21 from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. (EST) English Link: <u>https://hc-sc-gc-ca.zoom.us/j/63992776747</u> Phone number: 1-613-209-3054 Session ID: 639 9277 6747 Passcode: 274211

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