

# FEE SCHEDULE

# *Third Party*

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Phone number: (613) 237-8840  
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### KITCHENER

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### GUELPH

1 Stone Road West,  
4th Floor, South Tower  
Guelph, ON N1G 4Y2  
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Toll-Free: 1-888-259-4228

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**STREET ADDRESS:**  
2485 Ouellette Avenue  
Windsor, ON N8X 1L5  
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Fax: (519) 972-4181  
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### MAILING ADDRESS:

P.O. BOX 1617  
Windsor, ON N9A 7B7

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Toll-Free: 1-800-263-2484

### SUDBURY

30 Cedar Street  
Sudbury, ON P3E 1A4  
Phone number: (705) 675-9301  
Fax: (705) 675-9367  
Toll-Free: 1-800-461-3350

### TIMMINS

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Workplace Safety and Insurance  
Board  
Ontario Government Complex  
Highway 101 East P.O. Bag 4020  
South Porcupine, ON P0N 1H0

### STREET ADDRESS:

Ontario Government Complex  
1270 Highway 101 East  
Porcupine, ON P0N 1C0  
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Fax: (705) 235-6140  
Toll-Free: 1-800-461-9856

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P.O. Box 2099, Station LCD1  
120 King Street West  
Hamilton, ON L8N 4C5

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Hamilton, ON L8N 4C2  
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### KINGSTON

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# INTRODUCTION

## Preamble

The process of adjudicating entitlement to benefits under the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act* and determining the issues of causation are straightforward in most claims. Entitlement decisions are usually based on the information appearing on the following three documents: the worker's, the employer's, and the physician's first reports.

In a small number of cases, notably occupational diseases, medical causation is complex and entitlement decisions may be difficult. There may be a need not only for investigation of the workplace, but detailed medical testing and/or more extensive medical assessments before a decision can be reached. In these cases, Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) clinical staff (doctors and nurse case managers) may be involved. A number of specific medical questions will be posed in writing to the assessing medical consultant.

Requests from the WSIB for third party medical assessments will be accompanied by a detailed description of the issues that require clarification. The results of these assessments should be recorded in detail and all questions addressed in narrative form. Decisions concerning entitlement cannot be reached until this information is received. Therefore, it is important that reports are submitted within five days of completing the medical assessment.

## Definitions

A **Third Party Medical Assessment** may involve medical testing or a detailed assessment accompanied by a narrative report. This assessment is specifically requested by the WSIB and is not covered under the Schedule of Benefits for Physician Services under the Health Insurance Act.

A **Premium** is a fee that may be billed in addition to the assessment fee for complicated cases or when a medical assessment exceeds one hour.

A **Complicated Case** is where there is significant pre-existing functional impairment of the same body part/system and when several surgical procedures have been performed without successful resolution.

# FEE SCHEDULE

EFFECTIVE JUNE 4, 2001

| Service Code | Description   | Fee      |
|--------------|---|----------|
| M750         | Cardiology . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M751         | Cardiovascular & Thoracic Surgery . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M752         | Dermatology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M753         | Endocrinology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M754         | Gastroenterology . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M755         | General Surgery . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M756         | Haematology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M757         | Internal Medicine . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M773         | Neurology (brain and spinal cord) . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M759         | Neurosurgery (brain and spinal cord) . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M760         | Obstetrics/Gynecology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M761         | Ophthalmology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M762         | Orthopaedic Surgery . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M763         | Otolaryngology . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M765         | Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M766         | Plastic Surgery (disfigurement) . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M767         | Psychiatry . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M768         | Respirology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M769         | Rheumatology . . . . .  | \$214.01 |
| M770         | Urology . . . . .   | \$214.01 |
| M771         | Premium for Assessments Exceeding One Hour<br>for each 15 minutes or major part thereof, add. . . . . | \$53.50  |
| M772         | Premium for Complicated Cases . . . . .   | \$107.01 |

**Note:**

*These fees include the medical assessment and the time spent to complete the medical report.*

**Cancelled/Missed Appointments**

The WSIB does not pay for cancelled or missed appointments.

**Billing of Fees**

As stated in Section 33 (5) of the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*, “No health care practitioner shall request a worker to pay for health care or any related service provided under the insurance plan.”

**Late Accounts**

Under Section 33 (4) of the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*, the WSIB may impose a percentage reduction penalty for late submissions of accounts. Accounts received after the 6th month from the date of service may be reduced in the following manner:

- 7th – 9th month → reduced by 25%
- 10th – 12th month → reduced by 50%
- over 1 year → reduced by 100%

The WSIB may waive the late penalty charge providing an acceptable reason for the delay is provided.



## Provider Payment Request Form (3947A)

### Instructions

For prompt payment, complete as follows:

#### *Worker Information*

1. Claim Number: enter WSIB claim number; this is necessary to process the payment.
2. Name: print surname, given name(s), and middle initial.
3. Worker's Impairment and/or ICD 9 Code: enter diagnosis or ICD 9 code for which treatment is being provided.
4. Date of Accident: enter reported date of accident.
5. Address: enter current mailing address.
6. Date of Birth: enter birth date.
7. WSIB Reference No.: please do not complete. For WSIB use only.

#### *Provider Information*

8. Provider/Facility Name and Full Address: enter name and full address of the provider/facility submitting the bill.
9. WSIB Provider ID: enter your invoice number. (Your reference no. for reconciliation purposes.)
10. Your Own Invoice No.: enter your invoice number. (Your reference no. for reconciliation purposes.)
11. Treating Provider's Name: enter the name of the individual providing the service.
12. Treating Provider's ID No.: this is the individual health professional's number that WSIB assigns to you.
13. Telephone Number: provide the telephone number of the individual completing the payment request form.

#### *Service/Treatment Information*

14. Service Code: enter appropriate service code. Refer to the WSIB Fee Schedule.
15. Description of Service/Treatment: provide a brief description of service or type of treatment provided.
16. Fee per Service: enter fee per treatment or service from the WSIB Fee Schedule.
17. No. of Serv./Treatment.: enter the number of services/treatments that you are billing.
18. Amount Billed: enter the total amount for the one service code.
19. Service Date: enter month and year. Select date(s) of service by (n). For multiple months, use a separate line.
20. Total Billed: enter the total sum of fees billed.
21. Name: enter the name of the individual completing the form.
22. Signature and Date: include the signature of the individual completing the payment request form, and date, when form is completed.

***For electronic billing, contact the Telus Health Solutions, Support Centre at 1-866-240-7492 or via e-mail at [provider.registry@telus.com](mailto:provider.registry@telus.com).***

## CONTACTING THE WSIB

### **WSIB Mailing Address**

*Health Care Practitioners across Ontario have one central location to mail their reports and billing forms.*

#### **THE WSIB MAILING ADDRESS IS:**

Workplace Safety and Insurance Board  
200 Front St. West, 15th Floor  
Toronto ON M5V 3J1

### **Faxing Reports**

*If you fax your report to the WSIB, DO NOT mail the original report as well.*

#### **THE FAX NUMBER IS:**

416-344-4684

#### **TOLL-FREE:**

1-888-313-7373

### **Banking Change(s)**

*Any changes to your banking information must be provided in writing to:*

Provider Registration  
c/o Telus Health Solutions  
5090 Explorer Dr., Suite 1000  
Mississauga, ON L4W 4X6  
Toll-free: 1-866-240-7492  
Fax: 1-866-399-4599

### **Ordering Supplies**

*Supplies, such as forms for billing and reporting, etc., can be ordered through:*

Provider Registration Section  
200 Front St. West, 4th Floor  
Toronto ON M5V 3J1  
416-344-2935/2936/2937  
Toll-free: 1-800-387-0750  
Fax: 416-344-2955

### **Address/Name/Change(s)**

*Any changes to your address or name of facility must be provided in writing to:*

Provider Registration Section  
200 Front St. West, 4th Floor  
Toronto ON M5V 3J1

### **Account Enquiries**

*If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding the processing of your accounts and/or remittance statement, contact:*

### **Health Care Account Processing**

200 Front St. West, 5th Floor  
Toronto ON M5V 3J1  
1-800-668-9958  
Fax: 416-344-4684  
Toll-free fax: 1-888-313-7373

### **Health Professional Access Line**

*Call our access line if you need the name and number of the adjudicator or nurse case manager working with your patient.*  
416-344-4526 or toll-free 1-800-569-7919





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