

Important Information for the Interim Federal Health Program (IFHP) Hospital Services Providers

Upcoming changes to the IFHP Basic Benefit Grid

January 15, 2021

This bulletin is to inform you that Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) will be making changes to the Interim Federal Health Program (IFHP) Basic Benefit Grid **to align with the current interprovincial billing rates for out-patient services.**

IRCC will be adding new benefit codes, updating the Maximum Dollar Amount and/or Redefining the use of certain benefit codes found under the **Main Facility Fees, Secondary Facility Fees and under Professional Fees & Diagnostic and Therapeutic Procedures and Tests** retroactive to **January 01, 2021.**

On **February 01, 2021** a final detailed bulletin will be communicated and posted at www.medaviebc.ca/en/health-professionals/resources, where you will also be able to find the revised Basic Benefit Grid.

Should you have any questions, or require more information regarding the IFHP, please call our Provider Inquiry Centre at 1-888-614-1880 or e-mail us at CIC_Inquiry@medavie.bluecross.ca.