

mcp newsletter

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TO: FEE-FOR-SERVICE FAMILY PHYSICIANS

RE: FEE CODE 139 AND DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

In observance of the Day for Truth and Reconciliation, Government of Newfoundland and Labrador offices, schools and other entities will be closed on Monday, October 2.

Fee code 139 ("Add-on Fee for Scheduled After Hours Family Medicine Clinics") recognizes family physicians who open their offices for regularly scheduled clinics outside of normal office hours and on holidays, thus relieving demands placed on hospital emergency departments at these times.

For this calendar year, the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation will be observed on Monday, October 2, 2023. Fee-for-service family physicians may claim fee code 139 in addition to the applicable office fee codes on Monday, October 2, 2023.

For further information on billing fee code 139, please see the MCP Medical Payment Schedule or newsletter 22-21 at <https://www.gov.nl.ca/hcs/files/20-21-HOLIDAY-DATES-FOR-FEE-CODE-139-2023.pdf>.

Queries concerning claims submission should be directed to Ms. Beverley Pelley, Claims Processing Manager. Ms. Pelley can be contacted by telephone at (709) 292-4013, toll free at 1-800-440-4405 or by email at beverleypelley@gov.nl.ca .
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