

PHYSICIANS MANUAL UPDATES

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Amendment to notes under tariff ~8665:

~8665 Sexual Assault Services – Assessment & Related Services, per fifteen (15) minutes or major portion thereof.....57.95

Note: 1) Tariff ~8665 is for all services related to sexual assault assessment in accordance with any Manitoba Standard of Practice which may include some but not all and are not limited to:

- i) *History taking;*
 - ii) *Assessment including physical examination and/or review of relevant medical history;*
 - iii) *Counselling;*
 - iv) *Conferences with the patient, family members, or the other health care professionals;*
 - v) *Reviewing and writing medical reports or other correspondence;*
 - vi) *Telephone calls;*
 - vii) *Arranging referrals/consultations to physicians and other health care professionals;*
 - viii) *Administrative tasks including completing forms and reports including documentation in the patient's medical record;*
 - ix) *Where appropriate, forensic evidence collection;*
 - x) *Initial discussion with law enforcement*
- 2) *When applicable, After Hours premiums are payable in addition to the service. For the purpose of claiming after-hours premiums ~8665 is deemed to be an urgent or emergent service.*
 - 3) *When applicable, Special call tariffs are payable in addition to ~8665.*
 - 4) *In circumstances where up to two physicians are required to attend to the provision of sexual assault services, the second physician in attendance must include a remark on their claim(s) that the attendance of an additional physician was required or requested.*
 - 5) *Services provided in addition to sexual assault services, by the attending physician or any other physicians including visits or examinations related to their ongoing treatment or care of the patient may be claimed in addition to ~8665.*
 - 6) *Follow-up care services related to sexual assault may be billed under Tariff ~8665 within a period of six (6) months from the initial assessment.*
 - i) *Follow-up services include but are not limited to ongoing counselling, medical examinations, coordination of care with other healthcare providers, and support with legal proceedings.*
 - ii) *Follow-up care must be directly related to the initial sexual assault assessment and documented in the patient's medical record.*
 - iii) *Follow-up care must be provided by the same physician or team of physicians who managed the initial assault, except in cases where a referral to a specialist is necessary.*

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COVID Vaccine Amendments:

ACTIVE IMMUNIZING AGENTS

BCG–Bacillus Calmette–Guérin

8731 single dose 11.80

COVID–19

8161 Moderna Vaccine (6+ months of age)..... 11.80

8160 Pfizer Vaccine (12+ years of age)..... 11.80

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Tariffs 2280 & 2281 are permanent effective April 1, 2024

2280	Percutaneous mitral valve repair (e.g., Transcatheter Edge to Edge Repair), First operator	1,838.91	26.875
2281	Percutaneous mitral valve repair (e.g., Transcatheter Edge to Edge Repair), Second operator	612.97	26.875