

Assessment for Ensuring Continuity of Care in the event of emergency

As stated in Benefact 1195 (<https://www.ab.bluecross.ca/pdfs/pharmacy-benefacts/pharmacy-benefact-1195.pdf>), effective July 23, 2024, pharmacy providers became eligible for the fees for *Assessment for Ensuring Continuity of Care in the Event of a Declaration of a State of Emergency or Declaration of a State of Local Emergency*.

As there are no state of local emergencies in effect, as indicated on [Alberta Emergency Alert | Alberta.ca](#) and the Provincial State of Emergency expired on June 3, 2023, the *Assessment for Ensuring Continuity of Care in the Event of a Declaration of a State of Emergency or Declaration of a State of Local Emergency* will cease to be in effect.

As of **November 25, 2024**, claims will no longer pay under PIN 00071119 and 00081119 Service Special Service Code I (**SSC I**).

Alberta Health, the Alberta Pharmacists' Association (RxA) and Alberta Blue Cross® would like to thank you for ensuring continuity of care for Alberta residents affected by the wildfires.

For assistance with benefit or claim inquiries, please contact an Alberta Blue Cross Pharmacy Services Provider Relations contact centre representative at

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1-800-361-9632 (toll free)

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