

UAH and Edmonton Community (Local #301 and Local #196)

Temporary extension in supplementary health benefits for nurses

Massage therapy, physiotherapy and other services as well as medical aids added.

As a result of the new provincial agreement, all supplementary health benefit plans must offer benefits equivalent to the Hospital Organizations Benefit Plan (HOBP). Capital Health has agreed to offer additional supplementary benefits to nurses in Locals #301 University of Alberta and #196 Community. This will ensure they have coverage approximately equivalent to other nurses in the Health Region. The temporary coverage is to be in place until the overall evaluation of benefits is completed which is scheduled for early January of 2005.

Coverage is being extended for:

Paramedical Practitioners

\$30 per visit to a maximum of \$500 per year, per practitioner, per participant for:

Chiropractor, Physiotherapist, Speech Therapist, Osteopath, Chiroprapist, Podiatrist and Masseur (masseur on annual written order of a physician).

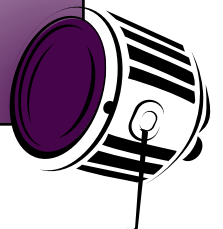
Medical Aids

80% reimbursement for usual and customary costs for:

Splints, Trusses, Crutches, Casts, Canes, Ileostomy, Colostomy Supplies, Urostomy, Cervical Collars and Traction Kits.

*For Locals #301 and #196 in Capital Health Region
Provincial PHAA Collective Agreement 2003-2006.*

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Questions?

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