## **BROADCAST MESSAGES**

EFFECTIVE DATE (CCYYMMDD): 2025-08-15 TARGET TYPE: SP CANCEL DATE (CCYYMMDD): 2025-08-31 TARGET KEY: 34

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BROADCAST TITLE (50 char): 2025/26 Retroactive BCP payments for Osteopathic physicians BROADCAST MESSAGE (UP TO 5 PAGES, 12 LINES PER PAGE, 76 CHARACTERS PER LINE):

As outlined in the 2022 Physician Master Agreement, the expansion of the Business Cost Premium (BCP) was implemented on April 1, 2025, and BCP payments are now being applied to all eligible fees, including those submitted by osteopathic physicians.

For those osteopathic physicians temporarily excluded from receiving Business Cost Premium (BCP) payments for eligible claims with service dates between April 1 - May 31, 2025, a retroactive payment has been processed and will appear on the August 15, 2025 remittance statement.

These retroactive payments will be listed under adjustment code 'BQ – BCP PAYMENT (+)'.

Retroactive payments are made to the payee number associated with the claim receiving the retroactive payment. Please ensure that you have updated your banking information for all of your payment numbers. To update your banking information, complete a Direct Bank Deposit Form and fax to (250) 405-3592.

The Direct Bank Deposit Form can be found on the HIBC website at: <a href="http://www.gov.bc.ca/mspphysicians">http://www.gov.bc.ca/mspphysicians</a>

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PY-PAYEES -----PAYEE NO.

PR- PRACTITIONER -----PRACTITIONER NO. SP-SPECIALTY ------SPECIALTY CODE

AI-ASSOCIATION IDENTIFIER------MD – BC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

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PS-PAYEE STATUS	-C - VESTED INTEREST LAB
	F - PRIMARY CARE
	H - HOSPITAL
	I - INACTIVE PAYEE
	L - LABORATORY
	M - ACTIVE PAYEE
	V - 3 <sup>RD</sup> PARTY- OUT OF PROVINCE
	Y – ALTERNATIVE PAYMENTS PROGRAM