

WCB BILLING CODES and RELATED FEES (Fees in effect June 15, 2015)

#	Service	For use by	Description – when billable	Billing code	Fee
1	All MSI services	All physicians	All applicable services defined in the MSI Physician's Manual not otherwise defined below	Standard MSI fee codes	MSI fee manual + 10/9th (11%)
2	NEW! **Return To Work service - office visit	General practitioners	Physician comprehensive office visit for a work related injury or illness where RTW management is or may be required The report below (#3) is required.	WCB 28 RTW office visit Billable through MSI with WCB payment responsibility	\$64.56 (MSI - 24 units x 2014 MSU rate x 10/9ths)
Both # 2 and # 3 should be billed together in place of WCB 11					
3	NEW! **Return To Work service - report	General practitioners	The Physician's Report Form 8/10 required within 5 business days of the RTW office visit (#2 above). It must be complete, legible and provide quality information for RTW planning/management.	WCB 26 RTW Physician's Report Form 8/10 Billable through MSI	\$64.16
4	Enhanced Physician Services (EPS) RTW service - office visit & report	EPS physician	These cases are typically complex. A fully completed and comprehensive Physician's Report Form 8/10 is required within 5 business days of the visit. Also see billing for extended initial visit below.	WCB12 EPS Service Billable through MSI Add modifier RO=EPS1 to indicate EPS Initial visit (RP=NTL) OR subsequent visits (RP = SUBS)	\$171.24
5	NEW! Enhanced Physician Services (EPS) RTW extended initial assessment	EPS physician	For complex initial assessments exceeding 50 minutes, EPS physicians may bill additional 15 minute increments to a maximum of 1 additional hour.	WCB 12 EPS Service Billable through MSI Add modifier RO=EPS1 to indicate EPS Can be billed with initial visit only (RP=NTL) and billed as multiples	\$50 per 15 min to a maximum 4x
6	WCB Requested Reports	All physicians	A report summarizing a worker's chart or answering specific questions Billed in 15 minute increments	WCB 13 Requested Report Billable through MSI 15 minute increments billed as multiples	\$41.82 per 15 minutes – GP \$50.00 per 15 minutes – EPS (modifier RO=EPS1 necessary) \$56.25 per 15 minutes – SPE
7	Case Conferencing and Tele-conferencing	All physicians	May occur on request of any member of RTW team and case worker can arrange. May entail either a phone call or meeting to discuss a specific case. The WCB case worker or medical advisor must be in attendance with non-EPS physicians unless otherwise agreed with the case worker or medical advisor, in which case the case conference is only billable if the physician submits a short summary of the purpose and outcome of the case conference to the WCB. Billed in 15 minute increments	WCB 15 Case Conference Billable through MSI 15 minute increments billed as multiples	\$41.82 per 15 minutes – GP \$50.00 per 15 minutes – EPS (modifier RO=EPS1 necessary) \$56.25 per 15 minutes - SPE

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8	Photocopying Charts	All physicians	Photocopying of charts requested by WCB	WCB17 Chart Notes Billable through MSI Modifiers necessary to indicate page volumes: ME=UP10 (10 pages or less) ME=UP25 (11-25 pages) ME=UP50 (26-50 pages) ME=OV50 (over 50 pages)	\$25 –10 pages or less \$50 – 11-25 pages \$100 - 26-50 pages \$150 – over 50 pages
9	Carpal Tunnel Syndrome (CTS) Assessment Report	General practitioners	Requested by WCB regarding the worker's CTS condition If an office visit is required, it may be billed as well (see #2 above).	WCB 20 CTS Report Billable through MSI	\$64.16
10	SPE Follow-Up Report	Specialists	There is no special form for this and it can only be billed with an office visit. A report is not required and will not be paid in the following instances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inpatient hospital visit LTB worker with no change* in treatment or medical status (if physician has been notified by WCB of the worker's LTB status) 	WCB 21 Specialist Follow-up Report Billable through MSI	\$37.50
11	Long Term Benefits (LTB) - Follow-Up Office Visit	All physicians	The WCB does not require routine follow-up visits for LTB clients unless they are medically necessary and if so, generally no more than 1 per month. A report is not required (and will not be paid) unless there is a change* in condition or treatment.	03.03 or 03.03A LTB Follow-up Visit Billable through MSI with WCB payment responsibility	MSI fee + 10/9ths
12	NEW! Long Term Benefits Follow-Up Report	General practitioners	Billed with LTB Office Visit and only when the worker's condition or treatment has changed* The Physician's Report Form 8/10 is used. The report is due within 5 days of the visit.	WCB 26 LTB Follow-up Report Billable through MSI	\$64.16
13	NEW! Eye Report	Specialist - ophthalmologist	Requested by WCB regarding the worker's specific eye condition It may be billed with an office visit if required (see #2 above).	WCB 27 Eye Report Billable through MSI	\$56.25

**Formerly WCB 11 fee code

*"Change"- in the context of physician reporting to the WCB for workers in receipt of long term benefits and for whom no ongoing return to work management of their injury is necessary, "change" means a change in diagnosis or symptoms, flare-ups; changes in treatment which may include but are not limited to physiotherapy treatment, chiropractic treatment, the necessity to provide assistive devices or personal care, specialist referrals and diagnostic testing.