

## Alberta Medical Association (AMA) – WCB fee update, January 2023

Thank you for your continued partnership in providing services to Alberta’s injured workers.

### Fee update

As per the 2020-2024 Memorandum of Agreement we confirm that WCB specific fees (defined as: reporting fees, expedited surgery, visiting specialist consult (VSC), and VSC surgery) have been increased by 1.6% effective April 1, 2021, and an additional 1% effective April 1, 2022.

Once Alberta Health (AH) updates the Schedule of Medical Benefits (SOMB), we will make any necessary adjustments (including OP codes).

It is anticipated that retroactive payments will be issued by the end of Q1 2023 for all applicable WCB specific codes and fees. The new fee schedule is attached; this fee schedule can also be found on our [WCB website](#).

### Questions? We’re here to help!

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