

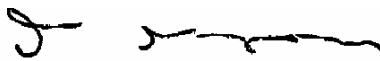
Dear Physician:

We are pleased to inform you that the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care is working to replace the existing manual Continuing Medical Education (CME) payment process with a user friendly and automated CME claims process, wherein you will be able to submit your CME claims electronically through your standard claims submission channel.

The new automated process is being targeted for implementation in May 2008, which will require the ministry to phase out the existing manual payment process. To this end, the ministry will accept paper invoices for CME activities that were completed prior to March 31, 2008 up until **April 30, 2008**. Note that if you are unable to submit paper claims by April 30, 2008 you will be able to submit retroactive claims through the automated payment process once it becomes operational in May 2008. You will receive further information about the process for billing CME claims to the automated claims system in May 2008.

For your information, we have also enclosed a CME policy fact sheet that clarifies the policy relating to when a physician leaves a patient enrolment model.

Sincerely,



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