



Retiree Benefits Plan Paramedical Services Summary

The following Paramedical Practitioner services have a combined overall maximum of \$300 per participant per year:

Eligible Services	Description
Acupuncture	When performed by a Health Care Professional* licensed to perform the service.
Allergy Testing	Procedures and supplies for diagnosis and treatment of allergies.
Chiropractic Services	Services provided by a licensed Chiropractor; including one x-ray per year.
Magnetic Therapy	Procedures and supplies on the written order of a Health Care Professional*. The Health Care Professional providing the service must dispense the supplies.
Massage Therapy	Therapeutic massages provided by a registered massage therapist.
Midwifery	Services provided by a licensed mid wife, for pre-natal, delivery and post-natal care.
Naturopathy	Services provided by a licensed Naturopath. Supplies and remedies are not covered.
Nutritional Counseling	Counseling by a registered dietician or registered nutritionists. Supplements are not covered.
Phototherapy	Services for the treatment of Seasonal Affective Disorder provided on the written order of a Health Care Professional*.
Physiotherapy Treatment	Services provided by a licensed Physiotherapist. Supplies are not covered.
Podiatry and Chiropodist	Services provided by a licensed Chiropodist or Podiatrist, which are not funded in whole or part by a provincial government health program; includes one x-ray per year.
Speech Therapy	Services provided by a licensed language pathologist, once all provincial government funding has been fully accessed.
Ultraviolet Light Therapy	Services for the treatment of psoriasis provided on the written order of a Health Care Professional*.

*A Health Care Professional is a person currently licensed, certified, or registered to practice a profession by the appropriate licensing, certification or registration authority in the jurisdiction where the care or services are provided. If no such authority exists, has a certificate of competency from the professional body that establishes standards of competency and conduct for the profession, and is acting within the scope of that license.

This is not a comprehensive list of all eligible services covered under the Extended Health Care Plan. Please contact Alberta Blue Cross at 1-800-661-6995 for further information.