

At-A-Glance Reference Sheet

CDCP Supporting Documentation Requirements for Preauthorization Submissions



The following chart is intended as a summary reference guide of the documentation required to support a request for preauthorization under the Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP). In some circumstances and for some services, different requirements may apply. Please refer to the [Canadian Dental Care Plan - Dental Benefits Guide](#) for comprehensive and authoritative information, including CDCP coverage criteria, guidelines and policies for services. If there are discrepancies between this document and the Guide, the policies in the Guide prevail. Providers should submit as much pertinent documentation as possible to support a thorough assessment of the preauthorization request. The CDCP reserves the right to request additional information, and to deny submissions that do not sufficiently demonstrate the eligibility criteria are met.

CDCP Service	Claim Form	Treatment Plan	Radiographs	Complete Periodontal Charting	Missing Teeth or Panoramic Radiograph	Planned Extractions (If Any)	Planned Duration of Sedation Session	Referral	Rationale
Specialty Examination (Complete or limited)	Yes							Yes	
Scaling and Root Planing (Additional units)	Yes	Yes	Yes**	Yes					
Crowns	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes					
Sedation and General Anesthesia	Yes	Yes	Yes*				Yes		Yes
Endodontic Services (Including root canal for third molars and retreatment)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes					
Removable Complete Dentures (Immediate, overdentures, standard with long term soft liner)	Yes	Yes	Yes*		Yes	Yes, if any			
Removable Partial Dentures	Yes	Yes	Yes*		Yes	Yes, if any			
Denture Labelling	Yes	Yes							

*If radiographs cannot be provided, alternatives will be considered in some circumstances

**Not required for oral health providers who are not authorized to prescribe radiographs in their jurisdiction

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