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To ADP-registered vendors of Ocular Prostheses and Registered Ocularists:

New Pricing schedule for ocular prostheses funded through the Assistive Devices Program (ADP)

The Ministry of Health has reviewed the Assistive Devices Program's (ADP) approved prices for funded ocular prostheses and related services

To ensure that service partners such as vendors receive fair compensation for their services, the program is implementing a price change for these devices, which will result in payments to vendors that better reflect current costs. In conducting this review, the program considered information from a number of sources, including funding available in similar jurisdictions.

Eligibility has not been changed, and applicants remain responsible for the 25% co-payment share.

The following changes to ocular prostheses and related services will be in effect as of June 7, 2021:

- Prices for ocular prostheses will increase by approximately 39-50%;
 - Custom Ocular Prostheses will increase from \$2,000 to \$2,875
 - Custom Ocular Prostheses for HA Eye will increase from \$2,000 to \$3,000.
 - Custom Scleral Lens will increase from \$2,259 to \$3,150.
- Prices for supplies and initial services will increase by 20%.
 - Includes coupling procedures, custom conformers, processing, titanium pegs, trial shells and templates.
- Prices for maintenance services price will increase by 20%.
 - Includes funding for required adjustments, re-glazing, re-colouring/re-veining and therapeutic buildup.

The price increases respond to vendors' demonstrated needs in order to ensure ongoing access for Ontarians using the Assistive Devices Program and requiring specialized healthcare services related to their long-term physical disability. There are no changes to the Application Form or eligibility criteria.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the change in prices for ocular prostheses, you can call the program directly at (416) 327-8804 or toll-free at 1-800-268-6021. You can also contact the program at adpvendors@ontario.ca.

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