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MEMORANDUM

Date: March 30, 2022

To: ADP-Registered Diabetes Education Programs

From: David Schachow
Director, Delivery and Eligibility Review Branch

Re: Revised Pediatric Medical Eligibility Criteria for Insulin Pump and Supplies

Following consultation with physicians experienced in the management of type 1 diabetes in children and youth, the Assistive Devices Program (ADP) is making the following changes to the pediatric medical eligibility criteria for insulin pumps and supplies.

The following changes take effect on April 1, 2022.

1. Children and youth, eighteen (18) years of age or under, will no longer be required to demonstrate that they have three A1c levels from the previous year and that the last two A1c levels, taken prior to insulin pump therapy initiation, are less than or equal to 10%.
2. To renew their funding for the supplies used with the insulin pump, children and youth, eighteen (18) years of age or under, will no longer be required to demonstrate two (2) A1c levels less than or equal to 10%.

To reflect these changes, the ADP has revised the following documents:

- the *Insulin Pump and Supplies Policy and Administration Manual*, and
- the *Application for Funding Insulin Pumps and Supplies for Children*.

Both revised documents will be available on the ADP websites as of April 1, 2022.

If you have any questions, please send them directly to the ADP at the following email address adp@ontario.ca.

Thank you for your continuing support to Ontario residents with diabetes.

David Schachow
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