

CME IMPORTANT GUIDELINES

OVERVIEW

The Continuing Medical Education (CME) fund is designed to assist physicians with educational expenses.

ELIGIBILITY

In order to be eligible for the CME benefit, Physicians are required to have:

- a current medical license to practice in BC
- been paid an annual minimum gross income of \$5,000 on a fee-for-service and/or sessional basis by MSP, or through a non-salaried service contract in the prior calendar year.

CONSIDERATIONS

- Out-of-province physicians will be provided a pro-rated benefit based on the number of months worked in BC.
- Medical Residents & Out-of-country physicians do not qualify for a rebate.
- Salaried Physicians are not eligible for a CME Rebate as it should be provided directly by their employer as per the Provincial Salary Agreement. If you are paid on a salaried basis, please contact your employer for further details.

NON-MEMBERS

If you are not a member of Doctors of BC in the year the entitlement is allotted, an administration fee of the lessor of 50% of your CME Rebate, or the balance of your equivalent membership dues, plus GST, is payable to Doctors of BC for each benefit year being claimed. The CME benefit less the administration fee will be paid to you. An administration fee receipt will be issued to you in February of the following year.