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**Assistive Devices Program**  
Home Oxygen Therapy New Pricing Schedule  
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**ADP-Registered Vendors for Home Oxygen Therapy**

This document includes questions and answers to help ADP-registered home oxygen vendors understand the changes being made to the pricing for home oxygen therapy under the Assistive Devices Program.

If you have additional questions not covered in this document, please send your questions to [adp@ontario.ca](mailto:adp@ontario.ca)

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**Q1 What is the new monthly reimbursement rate (approved-monthly price) for home oxygen therapy?**

**A1** The new monthly reimbursement rate is the following:

- \$336.15 for southern Ontario; and
- \$357.32 for northern Ontario.

**Q2 What is the effective date for the new reimbursement (monthly and daily) rate for home oxygen therapy?**

**A2** The new pricing schedule takes effect on August 1, 2019.

**Q3 Has the ADP made any changes to who is eligible to receive 100% funding for home oxygen therapy?**

**A3** No, the ADP has not made any changes to the current ADP eligibility criteria.

Ontarians who meet the eligibility criteria for 100% funding will continue to receive 100% of the new monthly or daily reimbursement rate.

In fact, there are no changes to any of the ADP policies relating to the home oxygen therapy program other than the monthly reimbursement rate.

**Q4 Has the ADP made any other changes to the policies and procedures for home oxygen therapy?**

**A4** The ADP has not made any other changes to the policies and procedures for home oxygen therapy, including:

- the medical eligibility criteria;
- the ADP-registered vendor's roles and responsibilities; and
- the approved price for oxygen cylinders (ADP device codes: HPPED1, HPPED2, HPGAS1 and HPGAS2).

**Q5** **Are there any changes to the policies concerning how the ADP-registered vendor invoices the ADP for each home oxygen therapy service period?**

**A5** No, the ADP has not made any changes to the current policies or procedures for invoicing the ADP for home oxygen therapy service periods.

The vendor must invoice the ADP based on the approved reimbursement rate on the start date of the service period.

**Q6** **Does the pricing change affect the existing contract between the program and the vendor?**

**A6** No. The vendor agreement does not limit or prevent ADP from changing the monthly reimbursement rate.

The current registration period is from April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2022 and can be extended at the discretion of ADP for an additional two one-year periods.

**Q7** **What information was used to arrive at the new price?**

**A7** The new price was considered from a number of factors, such as information gathered from other jurisdictions, as well as taking into consideration the size of Ontario and its funded program.