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BROADCAST TITLE (50 char): Amend note iii) of FIs 31050 and 31150

BROADCAST MESSAGE (UP TO 5 PAGES, 12 LINES PER PAGE, 76 CHARACTERS PER LINE):

Effective June 1, 2025, amendments to note iii) of fee items 31050 and 31150 clarify that only one extended consult is payable per patient within six months of the last visit, whether performed in-person or via telehealth.

31050 Extended consultation-exceeding 53 minutes (actual physician time spent with patient). To consist of examination, review of history, laboratory, Xray findings, necessary to initiate care

Notes:

iii) One of either 31050 or 31150 is payable per patient within six months of the last visit.

P31150 Telehealth extended consultation - exceeding 53 minutes (actual physician time spent with patient). To consist of examination, review of history, laboratory, X-ray findings, necessary to initiate care

Notes:

iii) One of either 31050 or 31150 is payable per patient within six months of the last visit.

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PY-PAYEES -----	PAYEE NO.
PR- PRACTITIONER -----	PRACTITIONER NO.
SP-SPECIALTY -----	SPECIALTY CODE
AI-ASSOCIATION IDENTIFIER-----	MD – BC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
A -ALL -----	LEAVE TARGET KEY BLANK
PS-PAYEE STATUS -----	C - VESTED INTEREST LAB
	F - PRIMARY CARE

H - HOSPITAL
I - INACTIVE PAYEE
L - LABORATORY
M - ACTIVE PAYEE
V - 3RD PARTY- OUT OF PROVINCE
Y – ALTERNATIVE PAYMENTS PROGRAM