

**Statement on Dr Adrienne Junek's specialty services in Integrative Medicine:  
Policy on BILLING CODES for patients of family physicians belonging to a FHO**

Dr Adrienne Junek, MD, CCFP, ABOIM is American-board certified in integrative medicine and practices as a specialist in integrative medicine.

At present, there are no OHIP billing codes dedicated for use by integrative medicine physicians. Dr Junek uses primary care billing codes for consultations and follow-up visits. Below is a summary of the codes used by Dr Junek as well as any potential impact the use of such codes may have on primary care physicians belonging to a FHO:

**Referrals:**

Dr Junek bills general practice consultation codes which include any of the following:

**A005, A911, A912** *\*These codes are considered as out-of-the-basket for FHO's and as such should have NO impact on FHO earnings.*

**Follow-Up Visits:**

If your patient fits criteria for Fibromyalgia or Chronic Fatigue Syndrome, Dr Junek bills the following code for follow-up visits:

**K037** *\*This code is considered as out-of-the-basket for FHO's and as such should have NO impact on FHO earnings.*

If your patient does NOT fit the above diagnostic criteria, typical codes used in follow-up would include the following:

**K013, K007** *\* These codes are considered in-the-basket for FHO's and WOULD impact FHO earnings. To proceed with patient care under these circumstances there are two options:*

- 1) Dr Junek will see the patient for a **new consultation ONLY** and follow-up will be delegated to the family physician. Dr Junek will write a clear and detailed consultation report and will be available for clarification if the primary provider has further questions.
- 2) If a **consultation with follow-up visits** are required, there is an option to:
  - a. Proceed as is. Dr Junek will minimize follow-up visits to 1-2 visits in total.
  - b. De-roster your patient temporarily for the period of time that follow-up visits occur. Dr Junek will clearly communicate follow-up appointment dates with your clinic to assist you. Follow-up will be minimized to total 1-2 visits.

Please specify on your referral if the referring physician belongs to a FHO and indicate your preference for either **new consultation only** or **consultation with follow-up** so that appropriate accommodations can be made for patient care. Please also inform the patient that follow-up with me will be limited. Dr Junek will also review this with your patient during consultation.

Sincerely,

Adrienne Junek, MD CCFP ABOIM