

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS







ELIGIBLE CLIENT

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DEDICATED LINE

LEGISLATION, POLICY AND PROCEDURES

- Up to date information available online
- Medical Equipment & Devices Province of British Columbia
- Lists all eligible items, including funding maximums and replacement periods where legislated
- Guiding principle "least expensive, appropriate"
- Standard application procedures



DOCUMENTATION

- Items under \$750 require a Letter of Justification from an OT and/or a prescription from a physician and one quote from a contracted supplier.
- For items over \$750 a Medical Equipment Request and Justification form is required HR2138
 - Section I-Client information (to be completed by the Ministry). Includes client signature for release of information and agreement with equipment recommendation.
 - Section 2-Medical or Nurse Practitioner –medical condition of client and type of medical equipment recommended
 - Section 3-Assessment(OT) usually on letterhead and attached to HR2138
 - One quote from a contracted supplier

CRITERIA

- Pre-authorization required
- No other resources available
- Equipment must be the least expensive, appropriate
- Unable to replace equipment damaged through misuse (including lost or stolen)
- Equipment must be medically essential, directly related to a diagnosed condition, and providing a remedial benefit
- Mobility equipment must meet an impairment that limits client's day to day activities
- Eligible equipment categories defined by Regulations

CONTACT INFORMATION

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QUESTIONS