

PEI SMOKING CESSATION PROGRAM: TRAVEL SUPPLY POLICY

1. **Eligibility for Travel Supply:** Eligible clients must visit a PEI community pharmacy to request a travel supply of medication. Coverage is limited to a single continuous course of treatment, ranging from a minimum of 42 days to a maximum of 126 days for one eligible smoking cessation product. The duration depends on the prescribed medication and the treatment plan.
2. **Medication Stabilization Requirement:** Clients must be stabilized on their medications for at least 28 days of regular use before a travel supply can be filled at a community pharmacy.
3. **Electronic Claims Submission:** Clients enrolled in the PEI Smoking Cessation Program (SCP) may have claims for a travel supply of eligible Nicotine Replacement Therapy products or prescription drugs electronically submitted to PEI Pharmacare by their community pharmacy prior to leaving the province.
4. **Submission of 28-Day Supply:** Pharmacies can submit 28-day supplies electronically on consecutive days, providing the prescription on file permits this.
5. **Exceeding Supply Limits:** Clients who request and receive more than the recognized Pharmacare maximum days' supply will be responsible for the cost of any excess supply exceeding that limit.
6. **Travel Declaration Form:** Eligible PEI Pharmacare clients must sign a Travel Declaration form. Pharmacies are required to retain completed forms for audit purposes.
7. **Processing Claims:** Claims for travel supplies must be processed using the appropriate code.

For inquiries related to the Travel Supply Policy, please contact the Provincial Tobacco Control Coordinator at the Chief Public Health Office.

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