

Repealed Regulatory Bylaw

Effective March 16, 2018, as shown below, The Saskatchewan Gazette printed that Part N, section 11(2) of the Saskatchewan College of Pharmacy Professionals (SCPP) Regulatory Bylaws was repealed. This means that the original prescriptive authority given for oral contraception has been repealed and that oral contraception now solely falls under Minor Ailments and Self-care Prescribing in Part K, section 9 of the SCPP Regulatory Bylaws.

Emergency Contraception Prescribing

Part N, section 11(2) of the SCPP Regulatory Bylaws addressed **emergency contraception only**. This bylaw was not intended for billing an interim supply for ongoing birth control purposes.

By repealing this bylaw, the prescribing of emergency contraception now falls under the Minor Ailments – Self-care bylaw, Part K, section 9 of the Regulatory Bylaws.

All billing questions should be directed to the Pharmacy Association of Saskatchewan (PAS) or the Saskatchewan Drug Plan.

The Pharmacy and Pharmacy Disciplines Act
[clause 14(2)(i), subsection 15(1) and clause 23(3)(a)]

SASKATCHEWAN COLLEGE OF PHARMACY PROFESSIONALS —
REGULATORY BYLAW AMENDMENTS

Under authority of clauses 14(2)(i) and 23(3)(a), and in accordance with section 15(1) of *The Pharmacy and Pharmacy Disciplines Act*, the regulatory bylaws of the Saskatchewan College of Pharmacy Professionals are amended as follows:

Part N, section 11(2) of the Regulatory Bylaws which states: “Upon having received training as approved by Council, a licensed pharmacist may prescribe and a member may sell a Schedule I drug to a member of the public, in the absence of a prescription from a medical practitioner, when under emergency or urgent circumstances the pharmacist deems it to be in the best interests of the patient to provide a reasonable quantity of an oral contraceptive sufficient to meet the patient’s needs and a diagnosis or assessment by a practitioner for emergency contraception is not required, as the pharmacist is able to assess the patient’s needs for emergency contraception.” **is repealed.**

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