

Massage Therapy Fees

The following are the fees agreed upon by SGI and the Massage Therapy Association of Saskatchewan (MTAS). The fees are to be used to bill for services provided to SGI clients by massage therapists registered with MTAS.

Service	Current	Effective August 15, 2017
Initial Assessment (per visit)	\$42.00	\$45.90
Subsequent Treatment (per visit)	\$35.50	\$39.63
Progress Report (upon PIR request only)	\$18.00	\$19.68

It is mandatory that all billings for the Initial Assessment and Subsequent Visit be done through the SGI ePay portal. Any reports requested by the Personal Injury Representative (PIR) will be paid upon receipt.

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN SGI AND THE PROVINCIAL
MESSAGE THERAPY LICENSING BOARD, ON BEHALF OF
THE MESSAGE THERAPY ASSOCIATION OF
SASKATCHEWAN**

Effective August 15, 2017

The agreement is as follows:

• A massage therapy service shall be provided to Saskatchewan Government Insurance customers by a massage therapist in good standing currently registered to practice in the province at the therapist level or any designated level which includes a 2200 hour educational requirement plus practical experience. Decisions regarding whether a therapist has satisfied this educational requirement shall be made by the Massage Therapy Association of Saskatchewan.

* Fees for initial intake assessment \$45.90. Fees for massage therapy treatment will be at the rate ordinarily charged by the massage therapist, up to a maximum of \$39.63 plus GST. No extra billing of customers will be accepted. Should SGI become aware that a customer has been extra billed, SGI reserves the right to remove billing privileges from that massage therapist or to refuse payment of these expenses if presented to SGI by the customer.

* The massage therapist will confirm that a claim exists and SGI will accept direct billing via Epay for the customer prior to the therapist billing SGI directly for the treatments.

* Massage therapy must be part of a multi-component treatment plan and is not a stand alone option. Where appropriate, the customer will be encouraged to make active efforts toward recovery.

* Massage therapy in excess of ten (10) sessions must receive further authorization by the Personal Injury Representative. Progress of the customer's recovery will be the key factor in this decision.

* The maximum booking for an SGI customer is not to exceed one (1) treatment per customer per day unless prior approval is received by the PIR.

* Progress reports will be provided to the Personal Injury Representative upon their request and the fee for the report will be \$19.68.