

**AMENDING AGREEMENT #5  
(the "Amending Agreement")**

to the

**PHARMACY SERVICE AGREEMENT**

**BETWEEN:**

**HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN RIGHT OF THE PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA  
As represented by the Department of Health and Wellness  
(Hereinafter referred to as "Department")**

and

**THE PHARMACY ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA  
(hereinafter referred to as "PANS")**

**WHEREAS** the Parties entered into an agreement (the "Original Agreement") for the period of October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2024 to provide compensation to Providers for the provision of pharmacy-administered publicly funded services to Residents under the *Fair Drug Pricing Act*;

**AND WHEREAS** the Parties also wish to amend the Original Agreement to reflect a fee increase for pharmacy-administered COVID-19 vaccine administration;

**NOW THEREFORE** in consideration of the above terms and conditions set out herein, the Parties agree to amend the Original Agreement as follows:

- 1.0 The parties agree that Section 2.3.1B of the Original Agreement, which was amended by Amending Agreement #4, is further amended by deleting 2.3.1B.3 and replacing it with:

**2.3.1B.3** Effective April 1, 2022 to September 30, 2024: \$18 per vaccine dose

- 2.0 The Parties acknowledge and agree that Providers will become parties to this Amending Agreement, and cease to be parties to this Amending Agreement, in accordance with a signed Confirmation of Agreement, in a form determined by the Department in its sole discretion.
- 3.0 The parties agree that the Original Agreement, save as amended herein or by other Amending Agreements, in all other respects continues in full force and effect for the term thereof.
- 4.0 This Amending Agreement may be signed by the Minister and the Supplier in separate counterparts, each of which when signed and delivered, shall constitute an original and binding agreement for all purposes. Counterparts may be executed in original, faxed form, or portable document format (PDF), provided that the party which submitted its signature in faxed form or in PDF shall promptly forward the originally signed copy of this Amending Agreement to the other party upon request or as otherwise required by law.

5.0 This Amending Agreement shall take full force and effect as if fully executed on April 1, 2022.



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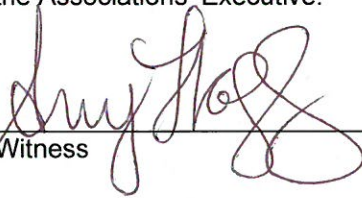


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Deputy Minister of Health and Wellness  
For: Honourable Michelle Thompson  
Minister of Health and Wellness

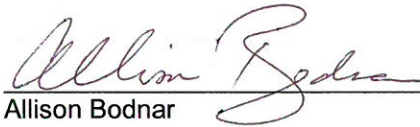
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Date

Accepted on behalf of The Pharmacy Association of Nova Scotia subject to ratification by the Associations' Executive.



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Allison Bodnar  
Chief Executive Officer  
Pharmacy Association of Nova Scotia

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MARCH 28, 2022

Date