

INFOBulletin

Keeping health care providers informed of payment, policy or program changes

To: Physicians

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Re: Transfer of the Pregnancy and Parental Leave Benefit Program (PPLBP) and Northern Physician Retention Initiative (NPRI) from the Ontario Medical Association (OMA) to the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (Ministry)

Effective September 30, 2012, the administration of the physician PPLBP and NPRI has been transferred from the OMA to the Ministry.

PPLBP: The PPLBP will be administered by the Health Force Ontario Marketing and Recruitment Agency effective January 1, 2013. During the transition period, the Ministry will administer the program directly and will process your PPLBP payments.

As of November 1, 2012, to obtain general program information and the application package, you should contact:

The PPLBP Administrator
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care
Suite 301, 1075 Bay Street
Toronto ON M7A 0A5
Tel: (416) 212-6212
Fax: (416) 327-7519
Email: pplbp@ontario.ca

NPRI: For fiscal 2012/13, the NPRI will be administered by the Ministry's Primary Health Care Branch Northern Health Programs.

The Ministry will be posting NPRI program information and the application form on its UAP web site (http://www.health.gov.on.ca/english/providers/program/uap/uap_mn.html) at the end of November.

