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BCDiabetes care for residents of Quebec

The Canada Health Act calls for Canadian provinces to provide care for visitors from other Canadian provinces at no cost if the same service is provided to residents of that province at no cost. Every Canadian province other than Quebec provides this automatically. The province of Quebec has special regulations. [This page on the RAMQ website](#) describes the process of getting RAMQ's approval to invoice them directly for services rendered to a patient (addressing the patient):

Your doctor must provide RAMQ with the following:

- a brief description of the medical care required
- a written request signed by 2 Québec medical specialists having recognized expertise in the disease from which you suffer and attesting that the services required are not available in Québec
- the name of the doctor whose services are required and the address of the hospital where he/she practices (the hospital being recommended)
- a summary of your medical record

BCDiabetes provides certain services not currently available in Quebec: these include [Loop installation and Loop support for the first month](#).

BCDiabetes will be looking for the names of Quebec endocrinologists who will be willing to provide the written request outlined in the second point above.

Please call if you have any questions +1-604-960-1347

Yours sincerely,



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