Q. When can I start including the annual management of patients with COPD in my CCM Tariff Claims?

A. As of April 1, 2018, the annual management of care provided to patients with COPD for the preceding twelve (12) months is eligible for the Comprehensive Care Management (CCM)

Q. What do I have to have in my EMR for supporting documentation?

A. For all of your patients with COPD, ensure you have recorded their diagnosis in your EMR along with the management indicators performed.

The data requirements for COPD changes may already captured in your EMR in the Prevention screening category. For the COPD Management Indicators, the required data elements are:

- COPD diagnosis
- Smoking Status
- Date of last smoker screening
- Date smoking cessation advice was last provided
- Date of last influenza vaccination
- Date of last influenza vaccination counselling
- Date of pneumococcal vaccination
- Date of last pneumococcal vaccination counselling

It is recommended that the guidelines in the new Primary Care Quality Indicators Guide 3.0 are followed until your EMR product has certified, and made available, the recently revised Primary Care Quality Indicator Reminders and Data Extract Specification (v.1.5).

Q. How do these changes affect the Comprehensive Care Management Tariffs?

A. If a patient has both Asthma and COPD, this is considered one chronic disease.

Note that for the purpose of CCM tariffs, it is recognized that the Manitoba Primary Care Quality Indicators are subject to patient specific limitations and physician clinical judgement. Manitoba’s adjudication of claims submitted by physicians pursuant to the CCM tariffs will continue to be adjudicated accordingly.

- Information regarding specific claims is available by calling the Claims Unit staff at CLAIMS ENQUIRY 204-786-7355.

- For further information or assistance with patient enrolment, please contact 204-926-6010, 1-866-926-6010 or homeclinic@manitoba-ehealth.ca.