## Information Bulletin

January 24, 2019

**Attention: Psychology Assessment Providers** 

**Subject: Expedited Psychological Assessments** 

Moving to the Portal February 1, 2019

In an effort to simplify the referral process for the Expedited Psychological, Expedited Neuropsychological and Expedited Diagnostic Assessment referrals, we will be transitioning these referrals to the Portal effective February 1, 2019. As the referral process has historically been manual for all three assessment types, please expect the following changes:

- Referrals will be received via the Portal instead of via fax, which means the usual referral response process for the Portal (i.e. acknowledge, accept/decline) applies;
- Medical disclosure will be available via the Portal and will no longer be faxed by our Provider Referrals department;
- Reports (WorkSafeBC form 83D109) and invoicing will be submitted via the Portal instead
  of manually.

Additionally, as we have been reviewing the overuse of Expedited referrals, you may notice a reduction in the overall number of these referrals being sent.

Thank you for your attention, and please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions.

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