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**Eligibility for Exclusive Tariffs for Health and Education Entities**

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**Service Description**

Any Customer satisfying the eligibility criteria specified below may qualify for tariffs exclusive to Health and Education (H&E) entities.

Where a tariff providing services exclusive to H&E entities is approved, that tariff is restricted to Customers meeting the criteria specified below, and any and all terms and conditions of the specific tariff.

Any tariff exclusive to H&E entities is not available for resale.

**Definitions – Specific to Health Services Entities**

For the purposes of this Tariff item:

*“Community Health Information”* means information which directly supports the delivery by health professionals of health services to patients.

*“Community Health Information Network Provider”* means a not-for-profit party disseminating community health information.

*“Health Professional”* means a person who is recognized under provincial legislation as such, has been licensed by a professional association or college to practice the particular medical or health profession, is in good standing and, is eligible to receive payments from a provincial medicare program.

*“Health Services Application”* means an application directly related to the delivery by health professionals of health services to patients, or by allowing for the dissemination of community health information.

*“Public Hospital”* means any facility or portion thereof that provides hospital care, including acute, rehabilitative or chronic care that is funded by a federal or provincial government.

*“Regional Health Board”* means a board designated by federal or provincial legislation as the owner of a public or private hospital.

*“Telemedicine Network Provide”* means a not-for-profit party providing remote diagnostic information to health professionals.

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For the purposes of this Tariff item:

*“College”* means an organization or portion thereof that is established and operated on a not-for-profit basis, and that operates as a post-secondary college or post-secondary technical institute:

- a. that is accredited or certified by the federal or provincial government; and
- b. the primary purpose of which is to provide programs of instruction in one or more fields of vocational, technical or general education.

*“Designed to Promote Learning”* means an educational application supporting a government approved education curriculum or program, or supporting an education program offered by a government-accredited entity.

*“Directly Benefit a School, College, University or Public Library Enabling or Supporting”* means:

- a. a government approved education curriculum or program; or
- b. an education program offered by a government-accredited entity that is offered by or to a school, college, university or public library.

*“Government Accredited Entity”* means an entity accredited by any federal or provincial government, or by an aboriginal band authority.

*“Government Approved Curriculum or Program”* means a curriculum or program approved by any federal or provincial government, or by an aboriginal band authority.

*“Not-for-profit Agent of a Government Accredited Entity”* means an entity that operates on a not-for-profit basis and has been established or appointed to act on behalf of a government-accredited entity.

*“Not-for-profit Agent that Provides a Government Approved Curriculum or Program”* means an entity that operates on a not-for-profit basis and has been established or appointed to act on behalf of an entity that provides a government approved curriculum or program.

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“*Public Library*” means an organization or portion thereof that is established and operated on a not-for-profit basis, and operates a public library service that is funded by a federal, provincial or local government.

“*School*” means an organization or portion thereof that is established and operated on a not-for-profit basis, and that operates or operates as an elementary or secondary school in which it provides instruction that meets the standards of educational instruction established by the provincial or federal government or aboriginal band authority.

“*University*” means a recognized degree granting institution that is established and operated on a not-for-profit basis, or an organization or portion thereof that is established and operated on a not-for-profit basis and operates a college affiliated with such an institution or operates a research body of such an institution.

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127.2      **Conditions of Service**

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127.2A      **Conditions of Service - Specific to Health Services Entities**

1. The Customers described below would be eligible for tariffs exclusive to Health Service Entities, subject to the terms and conditions of the specific tariff sought by the Customer for:
  - a. Any or all telecommunications services:
    - i. Public Hospitals; or
    - ii. Regional Health Boards.
  - b. Only those telecommunications services directly related to the provision of a Health Services Application for which the Customer is responsible for developing and maintaining:
    - i. Telemedicine Network Providers; or
    - ii. Community Health Information Network Providers.
  - c. Only those telecommunications services providing access solely to a Health Services Application provided by a Telemedicine Network Provider or a Community Health Information Network Provider:
    - i. Health Professionals.

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**Conditions of Service - Specific to Educational Entities**

1. The Customers described below would be eligible for tariffs exclusive to Educational Entities, subject to the terms and conditions of the specific tariff sought by the Customers, for:
  - a. Any or all telecommunications services
    - i. Schools or a Not-for-profit Agent of a School;
    - ii. Colleges or a Not-for-profit Agent of a College;
    - iii. Universities or a Not-for-profit Agent of a University; or
    - iv. Public Libraries or a Not-for-profit Agent of a Public Library.
  - b. Only those telecommunications services provided as part of an application Designed to Promote Learning and Directly Benefiting a School, College, University, or Public Library:
    - i. a Government Accredited Entity operated on a not-for-profit basis;
    - ii. a Not-for-profit Agent of a Government Accredited Entity operated on a not-for-profit basis;
    - iii. an entity operated on a not-for-profit basis which provides a Government Approved Curriculum or Program; or
    - iv. a Not-for-profit Agent of an entity operated on a not-for-profit basis which provides a Government Approved Curriculum or Program.