

# Alberta Aids to Daily Living

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### Update to generic knee joints

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Alberta Aids to Daily Living (AADL) has updated the listings for generic knee joints in [AADL Approved Product List O – Orthotic Benefits](#). The updated product list is effective January 1, 2024, and the changes will be reflected on the Alberta Blue Cross online health portal as of January 15, 2024.

Providers can contact Alberta Blue Cross Provider Services at 1-888-828-8738 to request adjustments to claims for N699 with service dates on or after January 1, 2024, that were claimed at the previous maximum price.

### What has changed

#### Price update

The maximum price for a pair of bilateral knee joints (N699) has been updated to reflect current market pricing for these components and account for labour to provide joints on both sides.

#### Benefit description update

The Joints for Lower Extremity Orthoses section has been updated to clarify that clients are eligible for either a pair of bilateral knee joints (N699) or a single unilateral knee joint (N698) per device. The product descriptions for N699 and N698 have also been updated for clarity.

### More information

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