**PHYSIOTHERAPIST STANDARDS OF CLINIC AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

Physiotherapists which provide services to Manitoba Public Insurance shall:

1. Possess a valid business license and/or occupancy permit, where applicable, for the area in which the clinic is located;
2. Possess an Active Practice license in good standing with the College of Physiotherapists of Manitoba (“**CPM**”);
3. Possess valid license(s) or certificate(s) for any other professional medical/clinical staff who perform services for Manitoba Public Insurance;
4. Possess five million ($5) Canadian dollar professional liability coverage as required by CPM in Manitoba;
5. Possess general liability insurance in form and content satisfactory to Manitoba Public Insurance;
6. Maintain all direct electronic and other equipment as described in CPM standards;
7. Provide a clean environment and implement infection control related to treating patients as described in the CPM guidelines;
8. Operate their clinics in accordance with relevant Provincial Building Codes, Municipal By-Laws and Workplace Health and Safety Regulations, and all other applicable Federal, Provincial, and Municipal laws;
9. Possess adequate space for the services being delivered as required by CPM;
10. Possess or have close access to aerobic and strengthening exercise equipment and appropriate educational materials [written, audio or visual (CD or Video)];
11. Exercise due diligence and timeliness in completing and submitting reports; and,
12. Promote a commitment to continuing competency.

In addition to the foregoing it is understood that home exercise equipment prescriptions will require a specified duration of use (typically 1 to 3 months). The equipment prescribed will be considered the property of Manitoba Public Insurance and may be recycled once the patient’s rehabilitation is completed.