

What is the Facility Engagement Management System?



The Facility Engagement Management System (FEMS) is a web-based payment and budgeting system that provides overall business management support and function to the Facility Engagement Initiative at both the MSA and provincial level. All MSAs and regional tables use FEMS to support their Facility Engagement work. **FEMS can be accessed at fems.facilityengagement.ca.**

What does FEMS do?

- **For physicians and allied health professionals,** FEMS processes and tracks sessional claims and expenses for Facility Engagement activities, and collects feedback for evaluation purposes.
- **For MSA executives and administrators,** FEMS supports the management, tracking, and reporting of engagement activities and funding.

FEMS does NOT

- Process claims for time spent on work outside of Facility Engagement (e.g., Doctors of BC committee work, other Doctors of BC-Ministry of Health initiatives).
- Serve as a substitute for project management or financial management systems (such as forecasting, budgeting, and accounting tools).

Why is FEMS being used?

At the individual physician level: Sessional claims can be paid electronically, allowing for faster processing times. For ease, claims can also be submitted and viewed through the mobile application of FEMS.

At the MSA level: FEMS will reduce the administrative burden related to the processing of claims, and assist in the management of engagement activities and funds.

For the Specialist Services Committee (SSC): FEMS allows for standardized electronic reporting at several levels, and supports the provincial program evaluation.

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