



Dr. Jacek STEPLEWSKI

Charges

Date Charge(s) Laid:	March 20, 2021
Hearing:	June 18, 2021
Charge(s):	Improper Billing
Outcome Date:	June 18, 2021

The Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons directs that, pursuant to section 47.5 of *The Medical Profession Act, 1981*, the Discipline Committee hear the following charges against Dr. Jacek Steplewski, namely:

You Dr. Jacek Steplewski are guilty of unbecoming, improper, unprofessional, or discreditable conduct contrary to the provisions of section 46(l), and/or 46(o) and/or 46(p) of *The Medical Profession Act, 1981* S.S.1980-81 c. M-10.1 and/or bylaw 7.2 paragraph (bb) under the heading "Responsible Behaviour" and/or bylaw 8.1(b)(iii) of the regulatory bylaws of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Saskatchewan, by excessive billing.

The evidence which will be led in support of this charge will include one or more of the following:

- (a) You caused or permitted billings to Medical Services Branch in relation to actions taken to assess physicians and/or employees who worked at Bridge City Mediclinic for possible exposure to Covid-19;
- (b) You caused or permitted billings to Medical Services Branch in relation to reviewing questionnaires and/or records of temperatures for physicians or employees who worked at Bridge City Mediclinic for possible exposure to Covid-19;
- (c) You caused or permitted billings to Medical Services Branch for 5B services when you had not the criteria to bill for a 5B service;
- (d) In the alternative to having caused or permitted billings to Medical Services Branch as described in one or more of paragraphs (a) to (c) above, you failed to exercise due diligence in relation to your billings to comply with the requirements of the Payment Schedule For Insured Services Provided by a Physician.