## **Alert: Provision of Dental Emergency Services in Saskatchewan**

## Update on Level 2 March 26, 2020

**All CDSS members** are requested to complete this form including all Level 1 providers which should include all CDSS members. If you completed this form before, thank you.

**Level 1** - All CDSS members must maintain contact with their patients and manage emergencies using Pharmacotherapeutics. If patients cannot be managed at this Level 1, they must be referred to Level 2 providers.

If you have a patient that requires Level 2A or 2B **emergency dental care** and can not currently provide that level of **emergency care**, please contact the CDSS at: <a href="mailto:tania@saskdentists.com">tania@saskdentists.com</a>

This list will be for internal use of the CDSS office only.

Level 3 care is under development.

A dental emergency exists if professional judgement indicates that a person needs immediate attention to address oral trauma, pain, infection, bleeding or other associated medical complications. Emergency cases should be managed via telephone screening risk assessment by taking a verbal history of the patient's condition and providing appropriate pharmacotherapy.

Please direct any questions to the CDSS office at: cdss@saskdentists.com