

## **HCV LATE CLAIMS BENEFIT PLAN**

The type and amount of benefits provided under this recently announced HCV Late Claims Benefit Plan are the same as those provided under the original Transfused HCV Plan and Hemophiliac HCV Plan, including the recently awarded HCV Special Distribution Benefits described below (all indexed to the year of payment).

However, in order to ensure that there are sufficient funds to pay all eligible late claimants, 25% of compensation payable to claimants under the HCV Late Claims Benefit Plan will be held back. The Courts will determine if and when this 25% holdback can be modified or eliminated and any heldback compensation paid out to eligible late claimants with interest.

**Note:** If you are already an approved class member or have previously applied and been denied as a class member under the 1986-1990 HCV Settlement, you are not eligible to receive compensation under the new HCV Late Claims Benefit Plan.

For more information, visit the website created for this Plan <http://www.hepcclassaction.ca> or the link to the Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/HepCClassAction> or call toll-free 1 866 353-4003, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Eastern Time.

A copy of the HCV Late Claims Benefit Plan can be found [here](#).