Remote Patient Monitoring

Remote patient monitoring (RPM) uses technology to monitor patients outside of usual clinical settings. It could be in the home or in a remote area. Using remote patient monitoring can increase access to care and help people stay out of the hospital.

Studies tell us these programs have the following benefits:

- Improve a person's ability to manage their chronic condition to stay healthy.
- Improve a person's long-term health.
- Help people stay out of the hospital.

Here's how it works:

Sign up	Your doctor or care team refers you to the program.
Get equipment	We provide you with the equipment you need for the program. This could include a tablet, blood pressure monitor and cuff, oximeter, weight scale, and thermometer.
Follow a plan	You follow a monitoring plan that you choose with your care team. This could include checking your blood pressure, answering questions about your health, or learning more about your health condition.
Results are sent	We send the results from your monitoring plan to your care team.
Information is reviewed	Your care team reviews your health information on a regular basis.
Care team follow up	Your care team follows up with you by phone or video call if there are any questions or concerns about your health information.

Why sign up?

- Feel more secure by being monitored regularly and by being more involved in your health.
- It is quick, convenient, and easy to do.
- We provide all of the equipment and training.
- You complete the program in the comfort of your own home.

For more information, visit our website at <u>fraserhealth.ca/RPM</u>

