

FREQUENTLY CLAIMED MBS ITEMS FOR ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY CONTROLLED HEALTH SERVICES AND OTHER PRIMARY HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

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NO.	ITEM	BENEFIT
Consultation items for VR GPs		
3	Consultation at consulting rooms, Level A	\$17.90
4	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, Level A	Formula
23	Consultation at consulting rooms, less than 20 mins, Level B	\$39.10
24	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, less than 20 mins, Level B	Formula
36	Consultation at consulting rooms, at least 20 mins, Level C	\$75.75
37	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, at least 20 mins, Level C	Formula
44	Consultation at consulting rooms, at least 40 mins, Level D	\$111.50
47	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, at least 40 mins, Level D	Formula
After-hours Consultation Items for VR GPs		
5000	Consultation at consulting rooms, Level A	\$30.15
5003	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, Level A	Formula
5020	Consultation at consulting rooms, less than 20 mins, Level B	\$51.00
5023	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, less than 20 mins, Level B	Formula
5040	Consultation at consulting rooms, at least 20 mins, Level C	\$87.40
5043	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, at least 20 mins, Level C	Formula
5060	Consultation at consulting rooms, at least 40 mins, Level D	\$122.55
5063	Consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or a RACF, at least 40 mins, Level D	Formula
585	Urgent attendance – after hours (other than between 11pm and 7am)	\$135.10
599	Urgent attendance – unsociable hours (between 11pm and 7am)	\$159.20
53	Standard consultation at consulting rooms, 5-25 mins	\$21.00
54	Long consultation at consulting rooms, 25-45 mins	\$38.00
57	Prolonged consultation at consulting rooms, more than 45 mins	\$61.00
58	Brief consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, not more than 5 mins	Formula
59	Standard consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, 5-25 mins	Formula
60	Long consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, 25-45 mins	Formula
65	Prolonged consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, more than 45 mins	Formula
After-hours Consultation Items for Non-VR GPs		
5200	Brief consultation at consulting rooms, not more than 5 mins	\$21.00
5203	Standard consultation at consulting rooms, 5-25 mins	\$31.00
5207	Long consultation at consulting rooms, 25-45 mins	\$48.00
5208	Prolonged consultation at consulting rooms, more than 45 mins	\$71.00
5220	Brief consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, not more than 5 mins	Formula
5223	Standard consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, 5-25 mins	Formula
5227	Long consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, 25-45 mins	Formula
5228	Prolonged consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, more than 45 mins	Formula
588	Urgent attendance – after hours (other than between 11pm and 7am)	\$135.10
600	Urgent attendance – unsociable hours (between 11pm and 7am)	\$127.25

NO.	ITEM	BENEFIT
Consultation items for Non-VR GPs outside of metro areas		
179	Brief consultation at consulting rooms, not more than 5 mins	\$14.30
185	Standard consultation at consulting rooms, 5-25 mins	\$31.30
189	Long consultation at consulting rooms, 25-45 mins	\$60.60
203	Prolonged consultation at consulting rooms, more than 45 mins	\$89.20
181	Brief consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, not more than 5 mins	Formula
187	Standard consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, 5-25 mins	Formula
191	Long consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, 25-45 mins	Formula
206	Prolonged consultation at a place other than consulting rooms or RACF, more than 45 mins	Formula
After-hours Consultation Items for Non-VR GPs outside of metro areas		
733	Brief consultation at consulting rooms, not more than 5 mins	\$24.10
737	Standard consultation at consulting rooms, 5-25 mins	\$40.80
741	Long consultation at consulting rooms, 25-45 mins	\$69.90
745	Prolonged consultation at consulting rooms, more than 45 mins	\$98.05
761	Brief consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, not more than 5 mins	Formula
763	Standard consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, 5-25 mins	Formula
766	Long consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, 25-45 mins	Formula
769	Prolonged consultation at a place other than consulting rooms, hospital or RACF, more than 45 mins	Formula
Miscellaneous Diagnostic Tests and Procedures		
11506	Measurement of respiratory function	\$18.20
11707	Twelve-lead electrocardiography, tracing only	\$16.30
13757	Therapeutic Venesection (haemochromatosis, polycythaemia vera or porphyria cutanea tarda)	\$64.55
14203	Hormone or living tissue implantation by direct implantation involving incision and suture	\$45.25
14206	Hormone or living tissue implantation by cannula	\$31.50
73805	Microscopy of urine, whether stained or not, or catalase test	\$3.90
73806	Pregnancy test by one or more immunochemical methods	\$8.65
30003	Dressing of localised burns (not involving grafting)	\$32.15
30026	Repair skin lac (not face/neck) <7cm, superficial	\$46.20
30029	Repair skin lac (not face/neck) <7cm, deep tissue	\$79.65
30032	Repair skin lac of face/neck <7cm, superficial	\$72.95
30035	Repair skin lac of face/neck <7cm, deep tissue	\$104.00
30038	Repair skin lac (not face/neck) >7cm, superficial	\$79.65
30042	Repair skin lac (not face/neck) >7cm, deep tissue	\$164.15
30061	Superficial foreign body removal (including from the cornea or sclera), as an independent procedure	\$20.80
30064	Subcutaneous foreign body removal (incision and exploration)	\$97.20
30071	Biopsy of skin or mucous membranes, as an independent procedure	\$46.20
30192	Premalignant skin lesions (including solar keratoses), treatment of, by ablative technique (10 or more lesions)	\$35.00
30219	Haematoma, furuncle, small abscess or similar lesion, incision with drainage	\$24.20

NO.	ITEM	BENEFIT
Health Assessments		
701	Brief health assessment, less than 30 mins	\$61.75
703	Standard health assessment, 30-45 mins	\$143.50
705	Long health assessment, 45-60 mins	\$198.00
707	Prolonged health assessment, at least 60 mins	\$279.70
715	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' health assessment	\$220.85
228	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' health assessment (non-VR GPs)	\$176.70
Follow-up Allied Health items for people of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent (linked to Health Assessments)		
81300	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Service	\$55.10
81305	Diabetes Education Service	\$55.10
81310	Audiology Service	\$55.10
81315	Exercise Physiology Service	\$55.10
81320	Dietetics Service	\$55.10
81325	Mental Health Service	\$55.10
81330	Occupational Therapy Service	\$64.80
81335	Physiotherapy Service	\$55.10
81340	Podiatry Service	\$55.10
81345	Chiropractic Service	\$55.10
81350	Osteopathy Service	\$55.10
81355	Psychology Service	\$55.10
81360	Speech Pathology Service	\$55.10
Practice Nurse, Nurse Practitioner & Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioner Items		
10987	Follow up for a patient who has received an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' health assessment (max 10 services per calendar yr)	\$24.95
10997	Monitoring and support for a person with a Chronic Disease Care Plan (max 5 services per calendar yr)	\$12.50
10988	Immunisation (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioner)	\$12.50
10989	Wound management (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioner)	\$12.50
82200	Brief consultation (Nurse Practitioner)	\$8.50
82205	Short consultation, less than 20 mins (Nurse Practitioner)	\$18.55
82210	Detailed consultation, at least 20 mins (Nurse Practitioner)	\$35.15
82215	Extensive consultation, at least 40 mins (Nurse Practitioner)	\$51.85
Bulk-Billed Services		
10990	Additional payment for each bulk-billed medical service provided to Commonwealth concession cardholders and children under 16 yrs	\$6.55
10991	Additional payment for each bulk-billed medical service provided to Commonwealth concession cardholders and children under 16 yrs – specified areas only	\$9.90
64990	Radiology bulk billing incentive (e.g. scans)	\$6.15
64991	Radiology bulk billing incentive (e.g. scans) – specified areas only	\$9.30
74991	Pathology bulk billing incentive – specified areas only	\$9.30
Retinal Photography with a Non-Mydriatic Retinal Camera		
12325	Bilateral retinal photography to assess diabetic retinopathy (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander patients)	\$44.20
12326	Bilateral retinal photography to assess diabetic retinopathy	\$44.20

NO.	ITEM	BENEFIT
Chronic Disease Management (CDM) Items and Case Conferences (CC)		
721	Prepare GP Management Plan	\$150.10
723	Coordinate development of Team Care Arrangements	\$118.95
731	Contribution/review of Multidisciplinary Care Plan prepared by RACF	\$73.25
732	Review of GP Management Plan or coordinate a review of Team Care Arrangements	\$74.95
735	Organise and coordinate a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC, or a Discharge CC, 15-20 mins	\$73.55
739	Organise and coordinate a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC, or a Discharge CC, 20-40 mins	\$125.85
743	Organise and coordinate a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC, or a Discharge CC, more than 40 mins	\$209.80
747	Participate in a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC; or a Discharge CC as a member of a CC team, 15-20 mins	\$54.05
750	Participate in a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC; or a Discharge CC as a member of a CC team, 20-40 mins	\$92.60
758	Participate in a CC in a RACF; or a Community CC; or a Discharge CC as a member of a CC team, at least 40 mins	\$154.20
Individual Allied Health Items for people with a chronic condition and complex care needs (linked to CDM items 721 & 723)		
10950	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Service	\$55.10
10951	Diabetes Education Service	\$55.10
10952	Audiology Service	\$55.10
10953	Exercise Physiology Service	\$55.10
10954	Dietetics Service	\$55.10
10956	Mental Health Service	\$55.10
10958	Occupational Therapy Service	\$55.10
10960	Physiotherapy Service	\$55.10
10962	Podiatry Service	\$55.10
10964	Chiropractic Service	\$55.10
10966	Osteopathy Service	\$55.10
10968	Psychology Service	\$55.10
10970	Speech Pathology Service	\$55.10
Antenatal Consults		
16400	Antenatal care (midwife, nurse or Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioner RRMA 3-7)	\$24.10
16500	Antenatal attendance	\$41.70
16502	Complicated antenatal attendance (each attendance that is not a routine attendance)	\$41.70
55703	Pregnancy ultrasound (uncertain dates less than 12 weeks)	\$30.45
55709	Pregnancy ultrasound (dating is 17 to 22 weeks)	\$33.10
Medication Management Review		
900	Domiciliary Medication Management Review (DMMR)	\$161.10
245	Domiciliary Medication Management Review (DMMR) (non-VR GPs)	\$128.90
GP Mental Health Treatment		
2700	Prepare GP Mental Health Treatment Plan, at least 20 mins	\$74.60
2701	Prepare GP Mental Health Treatment Plan, at least 40 mins	\$109.85
2712	Review GP Mental Health Treatment Plan	\$74.60
2713	Mental health consultation (not associated with GP Mental Health Treatment Plan), at least 20 mins	\$74.60
2715	Prepare GP Mental Health Treatment Plan, at least 20 mins (medical practitioners who have undertaken mental health skills training)	\$94.75
2717	Prepare GP Mental Health Treatment Plan, at least 40 mins (medical practitioners who have undertaken mental health skills training)	\$139.55

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PLEASE NOTE: THIS TABLE DOES NOT PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE LIST OF MBS ITEMS AND SHOULD BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE ITEM AND EXPLANATORY NOTES SET OUT IN THE MEDICARE BENEFITS SCHEDULE. THE AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE OF INFORMATION ABOUT THE MBS IS: www.mbsonline.gov.au

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