

# Australian Doctor.

## MBS QUICK GUIDE

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### MEDICARE REBATES

#### ROUTINE CONSULTATIONS

##### IN THE SURGERY

Item no	Fee	
3	\$16.95	(Level A) Brief
23	\$37.05	(Level B) Standard < 20 mins
36	\$71.70	(Level C) Long 20-40 mins
44	\$105.55	(Level D) Prolonged ≥ 40 mins

##### RESIDENTIAL AGED CARE FACILITY (RACF)

One patient seen		
20	\$63.65	Brief
35	\$83.75	Standard
43	\$118.40	Long
51	\$152.25	Prolonged

##### HOME/INSTITUTION/HOSPITAL VISITS (EXCLUDING RACF)

One patient seen		
4	\$42.90*	Brief
24	\$63.00*	Standard
37	\$97.65*	Long
47	\$131.50*	Prolonged

#### AFTER HOURS CONSULTATIONS – Non-Urgent

(Mon-Fri: before 8am/after 6 or 8pm<sup>1</sup>; Sat: before 8am/after noon or 1pm<sup>1</sup>; Sun/Public holiday: all day) <sup>1</sup>Later times apply to surgery consults

##### IN THE SURGERY

Item no	Fee	
5000	\$29.00	Brief
5020	\$49.00	Standard
5040	\$83.95	Long
5060	\$117.75	Prolonged

##### RESIDENTIAL AGED CARE FACILITY (RACF)

One patient seen		
5010	\$75.70	Brief
5028	\$95.70	Standard
5049	\$130.65	Long
5067	\$164.45	Prolonged

##### HOME/INSTITUTION/HOSPITAL VISITS (EXCLUDING RACF)

One patient seen		
5003	\$54.95	Brief
5023	\$74.95	Standard
5043	\$109.90	Long
5063	\$143.70	Prolonged

#### AFTER HOURS CONSULTATIONS – Urgent

585	\$129.80*	Urgent after hours (Mon-Fri: 7-8am, 6-11pm; Sat: 7-8am, 12noon-11pm; Sun/Public holiday: 7am-11pm)	599	\$153.00*	Urgent unsociable hours (between 11pm-7am)
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### HEALTH ASSESSMENTS

Item no	Fee	
701	\$59.35	Brief < 30 mins
703	\$137.90	Standard 30-45 mins
705	\$190.30	Long 45-60 mins
707	\$268.80	Prolonged ≥ 60 mins
715	\$212.25	ATSI health assessment

#### ELIGIBLE GROUPS

- 40-49-year-olds at high risk of diabetes (3 YEARLY)
- 45-49-year-olds at risk of developing chronic disease (ONCE ONLY)
- People aged ≥ 75 years (ANNUALLY)
- Permanent RACF residents (ANNUALLY)
- People with intellectual disability (ANNUALLY)
- Refugees with Medicare access (ONCE ONLY)
- Former serving members of the ADF (ONCE ONLY)

100% schedule fee for services as of December 2017 listed.  
\*75% and/or 85% rebate also applies to these item numbers.



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**CHRONIC DISEASE/COMPLEX CARE NEEDS MANAGEMENT**

Item no	Fee	
721	\$144.25*	GP Management Plan (GPMP)
723	\$114.30*	Team Care Arrangement (TCA)
732	\$72.05*	Review of GPMP/TCA
10997	\$12.00	Service to patient with GPMP/TCA by practice nurse/ Aboriginal health worker (up to 5 per patient per year)
139	\$132.50	Assessment, diagnosis and management plan for a child under 13 with an eligible disability (see MBS)
729	\$70.40	Contribution/review of multidisciplinary care plan prepared by another provider, for non-RACF residents
731	\$70.40	Contribution to/review of multidisciplinary care plan prepared by another provider, for RACF resident
900	\$154.80	Domiciliary medication management review
903	\$106.00	Residential medication management review

**ASTHMA CYCLE OF CARE COMPLETION (IN ROOMS)**

Item no	Fee	Standard	At least 2 asthma consults in 12 months, see MBS for details
2546	\$37.05	Standard	
2552	\$71.70	Long	
2558	\$105.55	Prolonged	

**DIABETES CYCLE OF CARE COMPLETION (IN ROOMS)**

Item no	Fee	Standard	Minimum requirements of care completed, see MBS for details
2517	\$37.05	Standard	
2521	\$71.70	Long	
2525	\$105.55	Prolonged	

**CERVICAL SCREENING IN UNDERSCREENED WOMEN  
AGED 25-74 (IN ROOMS)**

Item no	Fee	Standard	See MBS for details
2501	\$37.05	Standard	
2504	\$71.70	Long	
2507	\$105.55	Prolonged	

**MENTAL HEALTH**

Item no	Fee	GP Mental Health Treatment plan, <b>WITHOUT</b> mental health skills training
2700	\$71.70*	• 20-40 min consultation
2701	\$105.55*	• ≥ 40 min consultation
Item no	Fee	GP Mental Health Treatment plan, <b>WITH</b> mental health skills training
2715	\$91.05*	• 20-40 min consultation
2717	\$134.10*	• ≥ 40 min consultation
2712	\$71.70*	Review of GP Mental Health Treatment plan
2713	\$71.70	Mental health consultation lasting ≥ 20 mins

**DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES**

Item no	Fee	
11506	\$20.55*	Spirometry — pre and post bronchodilator
11700	\$31.25*	12-lead ECG

**WOMEN'S HEALTH**

73806	\$10.15*	Urine pregnancy test
16500	\$47.15*	Routine antenatal attendance
16591	\$142.65*	Management of pregnancy >28/40 (including mental health assessment) by shared care GP who is not planning to perform the delivery
14206	\$35.60*	Administration of hormone implant, including Implanon
30062	\$60.75*	Removal of hormone implant, including Implanon
35503	\$53.55*	Insertion of IUD

**MINOR PROCEDURES**

30071	\$52.20*	Diagnostic biopsy of skin
30072	\$52.20*	Diagnostic biopsy of mucous membrane
30192	\$39.55*	Ablative treatment of 10 or more premalignant skin lesions
30195	\$63.50*	Electrocautery/curettage/shave excision/ photocoagulation of benign skin neoplasm (excluding warts, seborrhoeic keratoses, cysts, skin tags)
30186	\$47.45*	Definitive removal of palmar or plantar warts (<10)
30064	\$109.90*	Removal of subcutaneous foreign body, requiring incision and exploration +/- wound closure
30061	\$23.50*	Removal of superficial foreign body, including cornea/ sclera
41500	\$82.50*	Removal of foreign body from ear (other than by simple syringing)
<b>Wound repair, ≤ 7cm, superficial</b>		
30026	\$52.20*	• not face or neck
30032	\$82.50*	• face or neck
<b>Wound repair, ≤ 7cm, deep</b>		
30029	\$90.00*	• not face or neck
30035	\$117.55*	• face or neck
30219	\$27.35*	Incision and drainage of abscess/haematoma (excluding aftercare)
47904	\$56.50*	Toenail removal
30216	\$27.35*	Aspiration of haematoma
47915	\$169.50*	Ingrown toenail (wedge resection)
47916	\$85.15*	Ingrown toenail (phenol/electrocautery to nail bed)
32147	\$45.10*	Incision of perianal thrombosis
32072	\$47.85*	Sigmoidoscopic examination
30003	\$36.30*	Dressing of localised burns

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