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COVID 19

Telehealth Item Numbers:

Frequently used ACCHS's MBS items



FREQUENTLY CLAIMED MBS ITEMS FOR ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY CONTROLLED HEALTH SERVICES AND OTHER PRIMARY HEALTH WITH TELEHEALTH AND TELEPHONE EQUIVALENT.

Benefits are based on the 1 July 2019 Medicare Benefits Schedule with COVID-19 temporary MBS Telehealth Items listed.

GENERAL PRACTITIONER ATTENDANCES: These services need to be bulk-billed for vulnerable patients, concession card holders and children under 16 years, and are for non-admitted patients

Service	Existing Items <i>face to face</i>	Telehealth items <i>via video- conference</i>	Telephone items <i>– video- conferencing is not available</i>
VR GP's			
Standard Consultation Items for VR GP's			
Attendance for an obvious problem	3	91790	91795
Attendance less than 20 minutes	23	91800	91809
Attendance at least 20 minutes	36	91801	91810
Attendance at least 40 minutes	44	91802	91811
After Hr Consultation items for VR GP's			
Urgent attendance, unsociable after hours	599	92210	92216
Health assessment for people of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent			
Health assessment	715	92004	92016
Chronic Disease Management			
Preparation of a GP management plan (GPMP)	721	92024	92068
Coordination of Team Care Arrangements (TCAs)	723	92025	92069
Contribution to a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, or to a review of a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, for a patient who is not a care recipient in a residential aged care facility	729	92026	92070
Contribution to a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, or to a review of a multidisciplinary care plan, for a resident in an aged care facility	731	92027	92071
Review of a GPMP or Coordination of a Review of TCAs	732	92028	92072
GP Mental Health Services			
GP without mental health skills training, preparation of a GP mental health treatment plan, lasting at least 20 minutes, but less than 40 minutes	2700	92112	92124
GP without mental health skills training, preparation of a GP mental health treatment plan, at least 40 minutes	2701	92113	92125
Review of a GP mental health treatment plan or Psychiatrist Assessment and Management Plan	2712	92114	92126
Mental health treatment consultation, at least 20 minutes	2713	92115	92127
GP with mental health skills training, preparation of a GP mental health treatment plan, lasting at least 20 minutes, but less than 40 minutes	2715	92116	92128
GP with mental health skills training, preparation of a GP mental health treatment plan, at least 40 minutes	2717	92117	92129



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Antenatal Consults:			
Antenatal Service provided by a Nurse, Midwife or an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health practitioner on behalf of, and under the supervision of, a medical practitioner	16400	91850	91855
Antenatal attendance	16500	91853	91858
Postnatal attendance by an obstetrician or GP	16407	91851	91856
Follow Up Allied Health items for people of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent (Linked to Health Assessments 715 & 228).			
Allied health Follow-up services (all 13 items)	81300, 81305, 81310, 81315, 81320, 81325, 81330, 81335, 81340, 81345, 81350, 81355, 81360	93048	93061
Individual Allied Health items for people with a chronic condition and complex care needs (Linked to CDM items 721 & 723).			
Allied health CDM services (all 13 items)	10950, 10951, 10952, 10953, 10954, 10956, 10958, 10960, 10962, 10964, 10966, 10968, 10970	93000	93013
Practice Nurse, Nurse Practitioner, & Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander Health Practitioner Items			
Monitoring and support for a person with a Chronic Disease Care Plan (721 & 229) - service provided by a practice nurse or Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health practitioner	10997	93201	93203
Follow up for a pt who has received a Health Assessment (715, 228) service provided by a practice nurse or Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health practitioner	10987	93200	93202
Nurse Practitioner Consults			
Attendance for an obvious problem	82200	91192	91193
Attendance less than 20 minutes	82205	91178	91189
Attendance at least 20 minutes	82210	91179	91190



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NON VR GP's			
Consultation Items for Non-VR GP's			
Metro Area:			
Attendance of not more than 5 minutes	52	91792	91797
Attendance of more than 5 minutes but not more than 25 minutes	53	91803	91812
Attendance of more than 25 minutes but not more than 45 minutes	54	91804	91813
Attendance of more than 45 minutes	57	91805	91814
Consultation Items for Non-VR GP's outside metro areas			
Attendance of not more than 5 minutes	179	91794	91799
Attendance of more than 5 minutes but not more than 25 minutes. Modified Monash 2-7 area	185	91806	91815
Attendance of more than 25 minutes but not more than 45 minutes. Modified Monash 2-7 area	189	91807	91816
Attendance of more than 45 minutes. Modified Monash 2-7 area	203	91808	91817
After Hr Consultation items for Non-VR GP's			
Urgent attendance, unsociable after hours	600	92211	92217
Health assessment for people of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent (NON VR)			
Health assessment (Non-VR GP's)	228	92011	92023
Chronic Disease Management NON-VR GP's			
Preparation of a GP management plan (GPMP)	229	92055	92099
Coordination of Team Care Arrangements (TCAs)	230	92056	92100
Contribution to a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, or to a review of a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, for a patient who is not a care recipient in a residential aged care facility	231	92057	92101
Contribution to a Multidisciplinary Care Plan, or to a review of a multidisciplinary care plan, for a resident in an aged care facility	232	92058	92102
Review of a GPMP or Coordination of a Review of TCAs	233	92059	92103
Bulk Billing Incentives*			
Item	Temporary Fee (30 March – 30 September 2020)	Temporary Benefit (30 March – 30 September 2020)	
10990	\$15.00	\$12.75	
10991	\$22.70	\$19.30	
10992	\$22.70	\$19.30	
64990	\$14.10	\$12.00	
64991	\$21.30	\$18.15	
74990	\$14.10	\$12.00	
74991	\$21.30	\$18.15	
New Item	Temporary Fee (14 April – 30 September 2020)	Temporary Benefit (14 April – 30 September 2020)	
10981	\$15.00	\$12.75	
10982	\$22.70	\$19.30	

* Note: bulk billing incentives are paid at the 85% MBS rate. While the fee for an incentive for a service provided by a metropolitan practice is \$15.00, the MBS rebate – which is paid to the practitioner rather than the patient – is \$12.75. For non-metropolitan practices, the fee is \$22.70 and the actual payment received by the practitioner is \$19.30. These arrangements have applied to the MBS bulk billing incentive payments since their introduction.



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