



Health Insurance (Diagnostic Imaging Services Table) Amendment Regulations 2006 (No. 4)¹

Select Legislative Instrument 2006 No. 270

I, PHILIP MICHAEL JEFFERY, Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following Regulations under the *Health Insurance Act 1973*.

Dated 19 October 2006

P. M. JEFFERY
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

TONY ABBOTT
Minister for Health and Ageing

1 Name of Regulations

These Regulations are the *Health Insurance (Diagnostic Imaging Services Table) Amendment Regulations 2006 (No. 4)*.

2 Commencement

These Regulations commence on the day they are registered.

3 Amendment of *Health Insurance (Diagnostic Imaging Services Table) Regulations 2005*

Schedule 1 amends the *Health Insurance (Diagnostic Imaging Services Table) Regulations 2005*.

Schedule 1 Amendments

(regulation 3)

[1] Schedule 1, Part 2, subrule 31 (2)

omit

paragraph 36 (c),

insert

paragraph 36 (c) or (d),

[2] Schedule 1, Part 2, subrule 34 (2)

omit

paragraph 36 (b) or (c)

insert

paragraph 36 (b), (c) or (d)

[3] Schedule 1, Part 2, paragraph 36 (c), including the table

substitute

- (c) equipment that:
- (i) is situated in the radiology department at a location specified in column 2 of an item in Table 1; and
 - (ii) is described in columns 3 and 4 of that item by reference to the manufacturer, scanner model and magnet strength; or
- (d) equipment that:
- (i) is situated in a location specified in column 2 of an item in Table 2; and
 - (ii) is described in columns 3 and 4 of that item by reference to the manufacturer, scanner model and magnet strength; and
 - (iii) forms part of a comprehensive radiology department which provides x-ray, computed tomography and ultrasound services; and
 - (iv) except for periods reasonably required for maintenance, repairs and upgrades, is available for use:
 - (A) from 9 am to 5 pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays, for the provision of routine services; and
 - (B) at all times for the provision of emergency services.

Table 1 Eligible equipment — paragraph 36 (c)

Item	Location	Manufacturer and scanner model	Magnet strength
1	The Women's and Children's Hospital 72 King William Rd North Adelaide SA 5006	Philips Magnet Intera	1.0T

Item	Location	Manufacturer and scanner model	Magnet strength
2	The Princess Margaret Hospital for Children Roberts Rd Subiaco WA 6008	Siemens Magnetom Sonata	1.5T
3	The Royal Children's Hospital Herston Rd Herston Qld 4029	Siemens Avanto	1.5T
4	Mater Misericordiae Health Services Brisbane Limited Raymond Terrace South Brisbane Qld 4101	Philips Intera Achieva	3.0T
5	Sydney Children's Hospital High Street Randwick NSW 2031	Siemens Magnetom Avanto	1.5T

Table 2 Eligible equipment — paragraph 36 (d)

Item	Location	Manufacturer and scanner model	Magnet strength
1	Fremantle Public Hospital Alma Street Fremantle WA 6160	Siemens Magnetom Avanto SQ	1.5T
2	Gosford Public Hospital Holden Street Gosford NSW 2250	Siemens Avanto	1.5T
3	Mater Misericordiae Hospital 21-37 Fulham Road Townsville Qld 4812	Picker / Phillips Eclipse	1.5T

Note

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