



## **Health Insurance Legislation Amendment (Indexation) Determination 2022**

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I, Travis Haslam, delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care, make the following Determination.

Dated                    31 March 2022

Travis Haslam  
Acting First Assistant Secretary  
Medical Benefits Division  
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Department of Health

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## 1 Name

This instrument is the *Health Insurance Legislation Amendment (Indexation) Determination 2022*.

## 2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	1 July 2022.	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 3C(1) of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*.

## 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

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## Schedule 1— Indexation Provisions

### ***Health Insurance (Allied Health Services) Determination 2014***

#### **1. After section 16**

Insert:

#### **17 Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in Schedule 2 of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Section 3C Cleft Lip and Cleft Palate Services) Determination 2020***

#### **2. After section 7**

Insert:

#### **8. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services - Optometric Services) Determination 2020***

#### **3. After section 15**

Insert:

#### **16. Indexation**

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- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Section 3C Midwife and Nurse Practitioner Services) Determination 2020***

#### **4. After section 6**

Insert:

#### **6A. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination, other than the fee for the following:
- (a) an item in Group P9.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Poly Implant Prosthese MRI) Determination 2020***

#### **5. After section 10**

Insert:

#### **11 Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.

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- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C Diagnostic Imaging Services – 3D Breast Tomosynthesis) Determination 2018**

**6. After section 6**

Insert:

**7 Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Botox, Dysport or Xeomin Injection) Determination 2020**

**7. After section 6**

Insert:

**7. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Botox Injection) Determination 2020**

**8. After section 6**



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Insert:

## **7. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Extracorporeal Photopheresis) Determination 2020***

#### **9. After section 6**

Insert:

## **7. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

### ***Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Extracorporeal Photopheresis for Chronic Graft Versus Host Disease) Determination 2022***

#### **10. After section 8**

Insert:

## **9. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

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1.016 × the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Insertion of Testicular Prosthesis) Determination 2021**

**11. After section 6**

Insert:

**7. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

1.016 × the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services—Transcatheter Mitral Valve Repair) Determination 2021**

**12. After section 6**

Insert:

**7 Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

1.016 × the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

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**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Telehealth and Telephone Attendances) Determination 2021**

**13. After section 7**

Insert:

**7 Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in this Determination, other than the fee for the following:
- (a) items 91792, 91803, 91804, 91805, 91794, 91806, 91807, 91808, 91892, 91893, 91895, 91820, 91821, 91844, 91845, 92011, 92055, 92056, 92057, 92058, 92059, 92137, 92139, 92118, 92119, 92120, 92121, 92122, 92123, 92132, 92133, 92150, 92151, 92152, 92153, 92171, 92177, 92186, 92188, 92198, 92200, 92211, 92716, 92717, 92719, 92720, 92722, 92723, 92725, 92726, 92732, 92733, 92735, 92736, 92738, 92739, 92741, 92742, 92747 in Group A40.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (General Practice COVID-19 Management Support Service) Determination 2021**

**14. After section 8**

Insert:

**9. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

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**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical – Expansion of GP and Allied Health Mental Health Services) Determination 2020**

**15. After section 11**

Insert:

**12 Indexation**

- (1) (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C Diagnostic Imaging – Cardiac MRI for Myocarditis) Determination 2021**

**16. After section 7**

Insert:

**8. Indexation**

- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$$1.016 \times \text{the amount immediately before the indexation day}$$

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – General Practice Attendance for Assessing Patient Suitability for a COVID-19 Vaccine) Determination 2021**

**17. After section 9**

Insert:

**10. Indexation**

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- (1) On 1 July 2022 (the *indexation day*), each amount covered by subsection (2) is replaced by the amount worked out using the following formula:

$1.016 \times$  the amount immediately before the indexation day

- (2) The amounts covered by this subsection are the fee for each item in a Schedule of this Determination.
- (3) An amount worked out under subsection (1) is to be rounded up or down to the nearest 5 cents (rounding down if the amount is an exact multiple of 2.5 cents).

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**Schedule 2— Indexation Amendments****Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Smoking Cessation Services) Determination 2021****18. Amendments of listed provisions—Schedule**

The items of the table in Schedule 1 listed in the following table are amended as set out in the table.

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<b>Amendments relating to fees</b>			
<b>Item</b>	<b>Table item</b>	<b>Omit</b>	<b>Substitute</b>
1	Item 93680	39.10	39.75
2	Item 93682	31.30	31.80
3	Item 93683	75.75	76.95
4	Item 93685	60.60	61.55
5	Item 93690	39.10	39.75
6	Item 93692	31.30	31.80
7	Item 93693	75.75	76.95
8	Item 93695	60.60	61.55
9	Item 93700	39.10	39.75
10	Item 93702	31.30	31.80
11	Item 93703	75.75	76.95
12	Item 93705	60.60	61.55

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**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Heart Health Assessment No.2) Determination 2019****19. Schedule 1 (item 699)**

Omit “75.75”, substitute “76.95”.

**20. Schedule 1 (item 177)**

Omit “60.60”, substitute “61.55”.

**Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – Telehealth and Telephone Attendances) Determination 2021****21. Amendments of listed provisions—Schedule**

The items of the table in Schedule 1 listed in the following table are amended as set out in the table.

<b>Amendments relating to fees</b>			
<b>Item</b>	<b>Table item</b>	<b>Omit</b>	<b>Substitute</b>
1	Item 91794	14.30	14.55
2	Item 91806	31.30	31.80
3	Item 91807	60.60	61.55
4	Item 91808	89.20	90.65
5	Item 91895	60.60	61.55
6	Item 91820	77.20	78.45
7	Item 91821	110.50	112.25
8	Item 91844	77.20	78.45
9	Item 91845	110.50	112.25
10	Item 92011	176.70	179.50
11	Item 92055	120.10	122.00
12	Item 92056	95.15	96.70
13	Item 92057	58.60	59.50
14	Item 92058	58.60	59.50
15	Item 92059	59.95	60.90
16	Item 92137	63.75	64.80
17	Item 92139	63.75	64.80
18	Item 92118	59.70	60.65
19	Item 92119	87.90	89.30
20	Item 92120	59.70	60.65
21	Item 92121	59.70	60.65
22	Item 92122	75.80	77.00
23	Item 92123	111.65	113.45
24	Item 92132	59.70	60.65
25	Item 92133	59.70	60.65
26	Item 92150	59.70	60.65
27	Item 92151	87.90	89.30
28	Item 92152	75.80	77.00
29	Item 92153	111.65	113.45
30	Item 92171	59.70	60.65
31	Item 92177	59.70	60.65
32	Item 92186	77.20	78.45

33	Item 92188	110.50	112.25
34	Item 92198	77.20	78.45
35	Item 92200	110.50	112.25
36	Item 92211	127.25	129.30
37	Item 92717	14.30	14.55
38	Item 92720	31.30	31.80
39	Item 92723	60.60	61.55
40	Item 92726	89.20	90.65
41	Item 92733	14.20	14.55
42	Item 92736	31.00	31.80
43	Item 92739	60.05	61.55
44	Item 92742	89.20	90.65

***Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical – Expansion of GP and Allied Health Mental Health Services) Determination 2020***

**22. Subsection 11(1)**

Omit “67.35”, substitute “68.40”.

**23. Subsection 11(2)**

Omit “48.90”, substitute “49.70”.

**24. Subsection 11(3)**

Omit “57.25”, substitute “58.15”.

**25. Subsection 11(4)**

Omit “41.60”, substitute “42.25”.

**26. Schedule 3 (section 3)**

Omit “47.45”, substitute “48.20”.

***Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services – General Practice Attendance for Assessing Patient Suitability for a COVID-19 Vaccine) Determination 2021***

**27. Subsection 9(1)**

Omit “67.35”, substitute “68.40”.