



Health Insurance Legislation Amendment (2022 Measures No. 2) Regulations 2022

I, General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulations.

Dated 21 July 2022

David Hurley
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Mark Butler
Minister for Health and Aged Care

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Health Insurance Legislation Amendment (2022 Measures No. 2) Regulations 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 August 2022.	1 August 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Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made.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 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Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

Health Insurance (General Medical Services Table) Regulations 2021

1 Paragraph 2.20.6(4)(a) of Schedule 1

Omit “items 2700, 2701, 2715 and 2717”, substitute “item 2700, 2701, 2715, 2717, 92112, 92113, 92116 or 92117”.

2 Schedule 1 (item 32006, column 2)

Omit “if”, substitute “other than a service”.

3 Schedule 1 (item 35631, column 2, paragraph (d))

Omit “stage II (mild)”, substitute “mild”.

4 Schedule 1 (item 35632, column 2, paragraph (a))

Omit “stage III”, substitute “moderate”.

5 Schedule 1 (item 35633, column 2, paragraph (c))

Omit “adhesions (ESH Grade 1)”, substitute “intrauterine adhesions”.

6 Schedule 1 (item 35635, column 2, paragraph (b))

Repeal the paragraph, substitute:

(b) moderate to severe intrauterine adhesions (H) (Anaes.)

7 Schedule 1 (item 35637, column 2, paragraph (a))

Omit “stage I (minor)”, substitute “minimal”.

8 Schedule 1 (item 35637, column 2))

Omit “a service to which any other item in this Group applies”, substitute “another laparoscopic procedure”.

9 Schedule 1 (item 35641, column 2)

Omit “Endometriosis rAFS stage IV”, substitute “Severe endometriosis”.

10 Schedule 1 (cell at item 35723, column 3)

Repeal the cell, substitute:

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11 Schedule 1 (cell at item 35754, column 2)

Repeal the cell, substitute:

Hysterectomy, complex laparoscopic, by any approach, that concurrently requires either extensive retroperitoneal dissection or complex side wall dissection, or both, with any of the following procedures (if performed):

(a) endometrial sampling;

(b) unilateral or bilateral salpingectomy, oophorectomy or salpingo-oophorectomy;

- (c) excision of ovarian cyst;
 - (d) any other associated laparoscopy;
- not being a service associated with a service to which item 35595 or 35641 applies (H) (Anaes.) (Assist.)

Health Insurance Regulations 2018

12 Subsection 28(1) (table item 28Z, column 2)

Omit “93424”, substitute “93423”.