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Commonwealth price (Pharmaceutical benefits supplied by approved pharmacists) Amendment Determination 2023

*National Health Act 1953*

The Pharmaceutical Benefits Remuneration Tribunal makes this Determination under paragraph 98B(1)(a) of the *National Health Act 1953*.

Dated 13 June 2023

ABBEYGAIL BEAUMONT   
Chairperson  
for and on behalf of the   
Pharmaceutical Benefits Remuneration Tribunal

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1 Name

1. This instrument is the *Commonwealth price (Pharmaceutical benefits supplied by approved pharmacists) Amendment Determination 2023*.
2. This instrument may also be cited as PB 51of 2023.

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 | | |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1. The whole of this instrument | 1 July 2023 | 1 July 2023 |

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made.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 paragraph 98B(1)(a) of the *National Health Act 1953*.

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Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.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

Commonwealth price (Pharmaceutical benefits supplied by approved pharmacists) Determination 2020

1 Part 1, section 6 (Definitions)

Omit:

***“dangerous drug fee*** means an amount of $4.84.

***extemporaneously-prepared dispensing fee*** means an amount of $9.86.

*ready-prepared dispensing fee* means an amount of $7.82.”

Substitute:

“***dangerous drug fee*** means an amount of $5.18.

***extemporaneously-prepared dispensing fee*** means an amount of $10.41.

*ready-prepared dispensing fee* means an amount of $8.37.”

2 Part 2, paragraph 12(1)(a) (table)

Repeal the table at paragraph 12(1)(a), insert:

| AHI Tier | Price to pharmacists for maximum quantity | Administration, handling and infrastructure fee for maximum quantity |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | < $100 | $4.62 |
| 2 | ≥ $100, ≤ $2 000 | Tier 1 AHI Fee + 5% of the amount by which the price to pharmacists for maximum quantity exceeds $100 |
| 3 | > $2 000 | $95.00 + Tier 1 AHI Fee |

3 Part 3, section 20 (table)

Repeal the table at section 20, insert:

| AHI Tier | Price to pharmacists for maximum quantity | Administration, handling and infrastructure fee |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | < $100 | $4.62 |
| 2 | ≥ $100, ≤ $2 000 | Tier 1 AHI Fee + 5% of the amount by which the price to pharmacists for maximum quantity exceeds $100 |
| 3 | > $2 000 | $95.00 + Tier 1 AHI Fee |