

BONE DENSITOMETRY BILLING

ITEM NO.	CONDITIONS
12306	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fracture 2. Osteoporosis 3. Osteopenia <p>NOTE: 1 service only per 24 months (2 YEARS)</p>
12312	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If patient on any steroids e.g. Prednisolone, Hydrocortisone, Fosamax, Actonel, evista 2. Crushing's syndrome/conditions associated with glucocorticoid secretion (CRASHED SPINE). 3. Male hypogonadism, e.g. total orchidectomy, radical prostate ops, testicular cancer (OPS). 4. Female hypogonadism lasting more than 6 months before the age of 45. E.g. Hysterectomy, early menopause, lack of periods (DUE TO ANOREXIA). <p>NOTE: 1 service only per 12 months (1 YEAR)</p>
12315	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Hyperthyroidism and thyroid excess conditions 2. Chronic liver disease 3. Chronic renal disease 4. Rheumatoid arthritis 5. Proven malabsorption e.g. Coeliac disease, Crohn's disease, Vit D deficiency. <p>NOTE: 1 service only per 24 months (2 YEARS)</p>
12321	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Significant change in therapy or medication for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low bone mineral density • Recent fracture without trauma <p>NOTE: 1 service only per 12 months (1 YEAR)</p>
12320	70 YEARS OF AGE.
555 (NON-REBATABLE)	Screening – if patient returns for dexa under 24 months. Private (\$98.00 out of pocket).