



PHYSIOTHERAPISTS

MBS QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE

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X-ray (R) codes

57712	XR Hip joint
58109	XR Spine sacrococcygeal
57715	XR Pelvic girdle
58112	XR Spine two region
58100	XR Cervical spine
58120	XR Spine four region (not when 58120 or 58121 have been performed within the same calendar year)
58103	XR Thoracic spine
58121	XR Spine three region (not when 58120 or 58121 have been performed within the same calendar year)
58106	XR Lumbosacral spine

The items listed above attract a full Medicare rebate, however, some out-of-pocket fees may still apply. Physiotherapists are entitled to refer to other (NR) items in the MBS. These items carry a reduced rebate and are listed overleaf. There will be an out-of-pocket expense to the patient for these and other items in the MBS not shown above. For further clarification please call your nearest GIG RADIOLOGY CLINIC.



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57506	XR Hand, wrist, forearm, elbow or humerus
57512	XR Hand & wrist or hand, wrist & forearm or forearm & elbow or elbow & humerus
57518	XR Foot, ankle, leg or femur
57522	XR Knee
57524	XR Foot & ankle, ankle & leg, leg & knee or knee & femur

57700	Shoulder or Scapula
57706	XR Clavicle
58900	XR Abdomen
58500	XR Chest

Ultrasound (NR) codes

55802	US Hand or wrist
55806	US Forearm or elbow
55810	US Shoulder or upper arm
55814	US Chest or abdominal wall
55818	US Hip or groin
55822	US Paediatric hip
55826	US Buttock or thigh
55830	US Knee
55834	US Lower leg
55838	US Ankle or hind foot
55842	US Mid or forefoot
55846	US Subcutaneous Mass



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58100	XR - Cervical Spine
58103	XR - Thoracic Spine
58106	XR - Lumbosacral Spine
58109	XR - Sacrococcygeal Spine
58112	XR - Spine; Two examinations of the kind referred to items 58100, 58103, 58106 and 5109
58500	XR - Chest (Limited Rebate)
57706	XR - Clavicle (Limited Rebate)
57524	XR - Foot, Ankle, Leg, Knee or Femur (Limited Rebate)
57518	XR - Foot and Ankle, Ankle and Leg, Leg and Knee or Knee and Femur (Limited Rebate)
57506	XR - Hand, Wrist, Forearm, Elbow and Humerus (Limited Rebate)
57512	XR - Hand and Wrist, Hand Wrist and Forearm, Forearm and Elbow or Elbow and Humerus (Limited Rebate)
57700	XR - Shoulder or Scapula (Limited Rebate)



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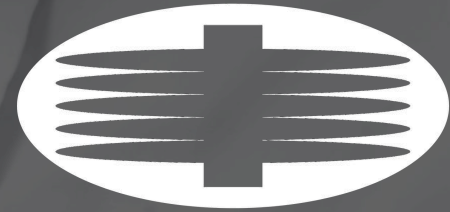
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Item Number	Description
55036	Ultrasound upper abdomen
55070	Ultrasound breast – unilateral
55076	Ultrasound breast – bilateral
55768	Ultrasound pregnancy >22 weeks –fetal development and anatomy
55800	Ultrasound hand OR wrist
55804	Ultrasound forearm OR elbow
55808	Ultrasound shoulder OR upper arm
55812	Ultrasound chest OR abdominal wall
55816	Ultrasound hip OR groin
55820	Ultrasound paediatric hip dysplasia
55824	Ultrasound buttock OR thigh
55828	Ultrasound knee
55832	Ultrasound lower leg
55836	Ultrasound ankle OR hindfoot
55840	Ultrasound midfoot OR forefoot
55844	Ultrasound skin/subcutaneous structure
55848	Ultrasound musculoskeletal for surgical procedure
55850	Ultrasound musculoskeletal with surgical procedure
55852	Ultrasound paediatric spine, cord & subcutaneous
57509	X-ray elbow OR forearm OR hand OR wrist
57515	X-ray combination arm (two or more regions ie. hand & wrist)
57521	X-ray foot, ankle, leg or femur
57523	X-ray knee
57527	X-ray foot & ankle OR ankle & leg OR leg & knee OR knee & femur
57703	X-ray shoulder OR scapula
57709	X-ray clavicle
57712	X-ray hip joint
57715	X-ray pelvic girdle
57721	X-ray femur – internal fixation of neck or intertrochanteric (perthrochanteric) fracture
58503	X-ray chest
58506	X-ray chest with fluoroscopic screening
58509	X-ray thoracic inlet or trachea
58521	X-ray left ribs OR right ribs OR sternum
58524	X-ray left & right ribs OR left ribs & sternum OR right ribs & sternum
58527	X-ray left ribs, right ribs and sternum

REFERRAL INFORMATION FOR PODIATRISTS

GIG Radiology Clinic can assist Podiatrists with diagnosing and managing all their patient's foot and ankle injuries.

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DIAGNOSTIC SCANS.

For referrals from Podiatrists only, the following specific diagnostic imaging examinations are eligible for a limited Medicare Rebate.

DIGITAL X-RAY

(LIMITED MEDICARE REBATE)

- ✓ Foot, Ankle, Leg, Knee, Femur (1 region)
- ✓ Foot, Ankle, Leg, Knee, Femur (2 region)

ULTRASOUND

(LIMITED MEDICARE REBATE)

- ✓ Midfoot or Hindfoot
- ✓ Ankle or Hindfoot
- ✓ Assessment of mass associated with skin or subcutaneous structures