



# HEALTHMAN NEUROLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2012

## COMPARATIVE TARIFFS

Code	 <b>HealthMan</b> <small>Adding business acumen to your professional expertise</small>	Terminology	Average Duration Professional	2012 HealthMan Practice Cost Tariff (VAT Incl.)	HealthMan RCF	2012 Medscheme Tariffs (VAT Incl.)	Medscheme RCF	2012 GEMS Tariffs (VAT Incl.)	GEMS RCF	2012 FedHealth (VAT Incl.)	FedHealth RCF	2012 Discovery Tariffs (VAT incl.)	DH RCF
			<i>Units</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>	<i>R</i>
<b>Consultations:</b>													
<a href="#">See the Notes below for All Tariffs</a>													
0109		Hospital follow-up visit	15	483.30	32.219	227.40	15.160	230.90	15.396	227.40	15.160	161.30	10.753
0129		Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	483.30	32.219	227.40	15.160	230.90	15.396	227.40	15.160	225.00	15.000
0130		Telephone consultation (all hours)	12	386.60	32.219	272.80	22.733	259.90	24.600	272.80	22.733	270.20	22.517
0132		Repeat Script	5	161.10	32.219	75.90	15.180	77.00	15.396	75.90	15.180	75.00	15.000
0133		Writing of special motivations	9	290.00	32.219	136.40	15.156	138.60	15.396	136.40	15.156	134.90	14.989
0145		Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	193.30	32.219	-	-	92.40	15.396	-	-	90.10	15.017
0146		Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	257.80	32.219	-	-	123.20	15.396	-	-	120.00	15.000
0147		Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	451.10	32.219	-	-	215.50	15.396	-	-	210.10	15.007
0173		Hospital Consultation	15	483.30	32.219	394.00	26.267	400.30	26.684	394.00	26.267	391.00	26.067
0174		Hospital Consultation	30	966.60	32.219	394.00	13.133	400.30	13.342	394.00	13.133	391.00	13.033
0175		Hospital Consultation	45	1,449.90	32.219	394.00	8.756	400.30	8.895	394.00	8.756	391.00	8.689
0190		Consultation	15	483.30	32.219	394.00	26.267	400.30	26.684	394.00	26.267	410.70	27.380
0191		Consultation	30	966.60	32.219	394.00	13.133	400.30	13.342	394.00	13.133	410.70	13.690
0192		Consultation	45	1,449.90	32.219	394.00	8.756	400.30	8.895	394.00	8.756	410.70	9.127
0199		Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	690.50	32.219	324.80	15.156	329.90	15.396	324.80	15.156	321.50	15.002
<b>Procedures</b>													
0713		Electromyography	75	2,416.40	32.219	704.10	9.388	715.10	9.535	704.10	9.388	696.80	9.290
0730		Limb brain somatosensory studies (per limb)	49	1,578.70	32.219	460.00	9.388	467.20	9.535	460.00	9.388	455.20	9.290
0733		Motor nerve conduction studies (single nerve)	26	837.70	32.219	244.10	9.388	247.90	9.535	244.10	9.388	241.50	9.290
0735		Examinations of sensory nerve conduction by sweep averages (single nerve)	31	998.80	32.219	291.10	9.390	295.60	9.535	291.10	9.390	288.00	9.290
1205		Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): First day	100	3,221.90	32.219	938.80	9.388	953.50	9.535	938.80	9.388	929.00	9.290
1206		Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Subsequent days, per day	50	1,611.00	32.219	469.40	9.388	476.80	9.535	469.40	9.388	464.50	9.290
1210		Intensive care: Category 3 (ICU): Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients which may require multidisciplinary intervention: Subsequent days (per involved practitioner)	50	1,611.00	32.219	469.40	9.388	476.80	9.535	469.40	9.388	464.50	9.290
2682		Visual evoked potentials (VEP): Bilateral	88	2,835.30	32.219	826.10	9.388	839.10	9.535	826.10	9.388	817.50	9.290
2692		Short latency brainstem evoked potentials (AEP) neurological examination, single decibel: Bilateral	88	2,835.30	32.219	826.10	9.388	839.10	9.535	826.10	9.388	817.50	9.290
2707		Full fee for complete neurological evoked potential evaluation including neurological AEP, bilateral VEP, and bilateral median and/or posterior tibial stimulation	220	7,088.20	32.219	2,065.30	9.388	2,097.80	9.535	2,065.30	9.388	2,043.80	9.290
2711		Electro-encephalography: Taking of record	36.1	1,163.10	32.219	339.00	9.391	344.20	9.535	339.00	9.391	335.40	9.290
2712		Electro-encephalography: Interpretation	24	773.30	32.219	225.20	9.383	228.80	9.535	225.20	9.383	223.00	9.290
2717		Electromyography: First	75	2,416.40	32.219	-	-	715.10	9.535	704.10	9.388	696.80	9.290
2800		Procedures for pain relief: Plexus nerve block	36	1,159.90	32.219	337.00	9.361	343.30	9.535	337.90	9.386	334.40	9.290
3284		Sensory nerve conduction studies	31	998.80	32.219	-	-	295.60	9.535	291.10	9.390	288.00	9.290
3285		Motor nerve conduction studies	26	837.70	32.219	-	-	247.90	9.535	244.10	9.388	241.50	9.290
5110*		Carotid ultrasound vascular study: B mode, pulsed and colour Doppler; bilateral study, internal, external and common carotid flow and anatomy	128	1,163.40	9.089	1,145.40	8.948	1,163.40	9.089	1,145.40	8.948	1,133.60	8.856

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6010	Electroencephalogram monitoring: Monitoring for localisation of cerebral seizure focus using computerised sixteen or more channel EEG, which may include video recording (e.g. for pre-operative localisation): Each full 24 hour period	294.6	9,491.70	32.219	2,765.70	9.388	2,809.10	9.535	2,765.70	9.388	2,736.80	9.290
6011	Interpretation of item 6010: Electro-encephalogram monitoring: To be charged once only for each full 24 hour period of monitoring	128	4,124.00	32.219	1,207.20	9.431	1,226.30	9.580	1,207.20	9.431	1,189.10	9.290

**Note:**

1. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate\*
2. Tariffs may differ due to rounding
3. Above codes are the most frequently used codes and is not all inclusive of all the codes
4. Increases from 2011 is as follow:
  - a. GEMS = 2011 Scheme Tariff +6.65%
  - b. HealthMan Tariff = 2011 Tariff +6%
  - c. Discovery Health = 2011 Tariff +5.5% (Note that this increase is for the DH Rate only)
5. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.
6. Please take note that the HealthMan Practice Cost Tariff is based on our 2008 Cost Studies adjusted with inflation

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