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| | | <u>Units</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> | <u>R</u> |
| Consultations: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| See the Notes below for All Tariffs | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 0109 | Hospital follow-up visit | 15 | 464.50 | 30.964 | 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 | 464.50 | 30.964 | 227.40 | 15.160 | 230.90 | 15.396 | 227.40 | 15.160 | 225.00 | 15.000 |
| 0130 | Telephone consultation (all hours) | 12 | 371.60 | 30.964 | 182.00 | 15.167 | 184.80 | 15.396 | 182.00 | 15.167 | 180.10 | 15.008 |
| 0132 | Repeat Script | 5 | 154.80 | 30.964 | 75.90 | 15.180 | 77.00 | 15.396 | 75.90 | 15.180 | 75.00 | 15.000 |
| 0133 | Writing of special motivations | 9 | 278.70 | 30.964 | 136.40 | 15.156 | 138.60 | 15.396 | 136.40 | 15.156 | 134.90 | 14.989 |
| 0145 | Consultation : Away from doctor's room | 6 | 185.80 | 30.964 | - | - | 92.40 | 15.396 | - | - | 90.10 | 15.017 |
| 0146 | Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room) | 8 | 247.70 | 30.964 | - | - | 123.20 | 15.396 | - | - | 120.00 | 15.000 |
| 0147 | Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room) | 14 | 433.50 | 30.964 | - | - | 215.50 | 15.396 | - | - | 210.10 | 15.007 |
| 0173 | Hospital Consultation | 15 | 464.50 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 17.180 | 261.70 | 17.449 | 257.70 | 17.180 | 255.40 | 17.027 |
| 0174 | Hospital Consultation | 30 | 928.90 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 8.590 | 261.70 | 9.908 | 257.70 | 8.590 | 255.40 | 8.513 |
| 0175 | Hospital Consultation | 45 | 1,393.40 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 5.727 | 261.70 | 6.605 | 257.70 | 5.727 | 255.40 | 5.676 |
| 0190 | Consultation | 15 | 464.50 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 17.180 | 261.70 | 17.449 | 257.70 | 17.180 | 285.90 | 19.060 |
| 0191 | Consultation | 30 | 928.90 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 8.590 | 261.70 | 9.908 | 257.70 | 8.590 | 285.90 | 9.530 |
| 0192 | Consultation | 45 | 1,393.40 | 30.964 | 257.70 | 5.727 | 261.70 | 6.605 | 257.70 | 5.727 | 285.90 | 6.353 |
| 0199 | Chronic Medicine Forms | 21.43 | 663.60 | 30.964 | 324.80 | 15.156 | 329.90 | 15.396 | 324.80 | 15.156 | 321.50 | 15.002 |
| Procedures | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1819 | Inguinal or femoral hernia: Adult | 125 | 3,870.50 | 30.964 | 1,173.50 | 9.388 | 1,191.90 | 9.535 | 1,173.50 | 9.388 | 1,161.30 | 9.290 |
| 1857 | Radical with regional lymph adenectomy for tumour | 280 | 8,669.90 | 30.964 | 2,628.50 | 9.388 | 2,669.90 | 9.535 | 2,628.50 | 9.388 | 2,601.20 | 9.290 |
| 1869 | Nephrolithotomy | 227 | 7,028.80 | 30.964 | 2,131.00 | 9.388 | 2,164.50 | 9.535 | 2,131.00 | 9.388 | 2,108.80 | 9.290 |
| 1870 | Nephrolithotomy: Multiple calculi: Repeat open operation + 25% | 284 | 8,793.80 | 30.964 | 2,666.10 | 9.388 | 2,708.00 | 9.535 | 2,666.10 | 9.388 | 2,638.40 | 9.290 |
| 1881 | Pyeloplasty | 252 | 7,802.90 | 30.964 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,402.90 | 9.535 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,341.10 | 9.290 |
| 1905 | Ureterolithotomy | 265.8 | 8,230.20 | 30.964 | 2,495.30 | 9.388 | 2,534.50 | 9.535 | 2,495.30 | 9.388 | 2,469.30 | 9.290 |
| 1949 | Cystoscopy: Hospital equipment | 44 | 1,362.40 | 30.964 | 413.00 | 9.386 | 419.60 | 9.535 | 413.00 | 9.386 | 408.80 | 9.290 |
| 1951 | And retrograde pyelography or retrograde ureteral catheterisation: Unilatera | 10 | 309.60 | 30.964 | 93.80 | 9.380 | 95.40 | 9.535 | 93.80 | 9.380 | 92.90 | 9.290 |
| 1952 | J J Stent catheter | 44 | 1,362.40 | 30.964 | 413.00 | 9.386 | 419.60 | 9.535 | 413.00 | 9.386 | 408.80 | 9.290 |
| 1954 | Uretroscopy | 35 | 1,083.70 | 30.964 | 328.50 | 9.386 | 333.70 | 9.535 | 328.50 | 9.386 | 325.20 | 9.290 |
| 1955 | And bilateral ureteric catheterisation with differential function studies requiring additional attention time | 35 | 1,083.70 | 30.964 | 328.50 | 9.386 | 333.70 | 9.535 | 328.50 | 9.386 | 325.20 | 9.290 |
| 1957 | With dilatation of the ureter or ureters | 25 | 774.10 | 30.964 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 238.40 | 9.535 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 232.30 | 9.290 |
| 1959 | With manipulation of ureteral calculus | 20 | 619.30 | 30.964 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 190.70 | 9.535 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 185.80 | 9.290 |
| 1961 | With removal of foreign body or calculus from urethra or bladder | 20 | 619.30 | 30.964 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 190.70 | 9.535 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 185.80 | 9.290 |
| 1969 | And cold biopsy | 15 | 464.50 | 30.964 | 140.80 | 9.387 | 143.00 | 9.535 | 140.80 | 9.387 | 139.40 | 9.290 |
| 1976 | Optic urethrotomy | 80 | 2,477.10 | 30.964 | 751.10 | 9.389 | 762.80 | 9.535 | 751.10 | 9.389 | 743.20 | 9.290 |
| 1979 | Internal urethrotomy: Female | 50 | 1,548.20 | 30.964 | 469.40 | 9.388 | 476.80 | 9.535 | 469.40 | 9.388 | 464.50 | 9.290 |
| 1981 | Internal urethrotomy: Male | 76.2 | 2,359.50 | 30.964 | 715.30 | 9.387 | 726.60 | 9.535 | 715.30 | 9.387 | 707.90 | 9.290 |
| 1983 | Transurethral resection of bladder tumour | 100 | 3,096.40 | 30.964 | 938.80 | 9.388 | 953.50 | 9.535 | 938.80 | 9.388 | 929.00 | 9.290 |
| 1984 | Transurethral resection of bladder tumours: Large multiple tumours | 115 | 3,560.90 | 30.964 | 1,079.60 | 9.388 | 1,096.60 | 9.535 | 1,079.60 | 9.388 | 1,068.40 | 9.290 |
| 1986 | Transurethral resection of bladder neck: Male | 125 | 3,870.50 | 30.964 | 1,173.50 | 9.388 | 1,191.90 | 9.535 | 1,173.50 | 9.388 | 1,161.30 | 9.290 |
| 1989 | Cystometrogram | 25 | 774.10 | 30.964 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 238.40 | 9.535 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 232.30 | 9.290 |
| 1992 | Without videocystograph | 25 | 774.10 | 30.964 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 238.40 | 9.535 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 232.30 | 9.290 |
| 2025 | Vesico-urethropexy with rectus sling | 229.4 | 7,103.10 | 30.964 | 1,107.60 | 4.828 | 2,187.40 | 9.535 | 2,153.50 | 9.388 | 2,131.10 | 9.290 |
| 2049 | Evacuation of clots from bladder: Other than post-operative | 132.1 | 4,090.30 | 30.964 | 1,240.00 | 9.387 | 1,259.60 | 9.535 | 1,240.00 | 9.387 | 1,227.20 | 9.290 |

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| 2053 | Bladder neck plasty: Male | 137 | 4,242.10 | 30.964 | 1,286.20 | 9.388 | 1,306.30 | 9.535 | 1,286.20 | 9.388 | 1,272.70 | 9.290 |
| 2063 | Dilatation of urethra stricture: By passage sound: Initial (male) | 20 | 619.30 | 30.964 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 190.70 | 9.535 | 187.80 | 9.390 | 185.80 | 9.290 |
| 2137 | Circumcision: Surgical excision other than by clamp or dorsal slit, any age | 60 | 1,857.80 | 30.964 | 563.30 | 9.388 | 572.10 | 9.535 | 563.30 | 9.388 | 557.40 | 9.290 |
| 2159 | Hypospadias: Urethraplasty: Complete, one stage for hypospadias | 300 | 9,289.20 | 30.964 | 2,816.30 | 9.388 | 2,860.60 | 9.535 | 2,816.30 | 9.388 | 2,787.00 | 9.290 |
| 2185 | Operation for maldescended testicle: Including herniotomy | 135 | 4,180.10 | 30.964 | 1,267.40 | 9.388 | 1,287.30 | 9.535 | 1,267.40 | 9.388 | 1,254.20 | 9.290 |
| 2197 | Operation for hydrocele or spermatocele | 99.8 | 3,090.20 | 30.964 | 936.80 | 9.387 | 951.60 | 9.535 | 936.80 | 9.387 | 927.10 | 9.290 |
| 2207 | Vasectomy: Unilateral or bilateral (no extra fee to be charged if done in com | 55.9 | 1,730.90 | 30.964 | 524.90 | 9.390 | 533.00 | 9.535 | 524.00 | 9.374 | 519.30 | 9.290 |
| 2233 | Seminal Vesiculectomy | 220 | 6,812.10 | 30.964 | 2,065.30 | 9.388 | 2,097.80 | 9.535 | 2,065.30 | 9.388 | 2,043.80 | 9.290 |
| 2235 | Biopsy prostate: Needle or punch, single or multiple, any approach | 23.3 | 721.50 | 30.964 | 218.70 | 9.386 | 222.20 | 9.535 | 218.70 | 9.386 | 216.50 | 9.290 |
| 2237 | Biopsy prostate: Incisional, any approach | 105 | 3,251.20 | 30.964 | 985.70 | 9.388 | 1,001.20 | 9.535 | 985.70 | 9.388 | 975.50 | 9.290 |
| 2245 | Trans-urethral resection of prostate | 252 | 7,802.90 | 30.964 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,402.90 | 9.535 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,341.10 | 9.290 |
| 2253 | Prostatectomy: Perineal: Radical | 336 | 10,403.90 | 30.964 | 3,154.20 | 9.388 | 3,203.80 | 9.535 | 3,154.20 | 9.388 | 3,121.40 | 9.290 |
| 2254 | Pelvic lymph adenectomy | 175 | 5,418.70 | 30.964 | 1,642.80 | 9.387 | 1,668.70 | 9.535 | 1,642.80 | 9.387 | 1,625.80 | 9.290 |
| 2257 | Retropubic: Sub-total | 252 | 7,802.90 | 30.964 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,402.90 | 9.535 | 2,365.70 | 9.388 | 2,341.10 | 9.290 |
| 2259 | Retropubic: Radical | 336 | 10,403.90 | 30.964 | 3,154.20 | 9.388 | 3,203.80 | 9.535 | 3,154.20 | 9.388 | 3,121.40 | 9.290 |
| 2260 | Prostate brachytherapy | 230 | 7,121.70 | 30.964 | 2,159.20 | 9.388 | 2,193.10 | 9.535 | 2,159.20 | 9.388 | 2,136.70 | 9.290 |
| 2365 | Repair of recurrent enterocele or vault prolapse (except at the time of hysterectomy) | 232 | 7,183.60 | 30.964 | 2,178.00 | 9.388 | 2,212.20 | 9.535 | 2,178.00 | 9.388 | 2,155.30 | 9.290 |
| 2367 | Other operations for prolapse: Anterior repair - with or without posterior repair | 161 | 4,985.20 | 30.964 | 1,511.50 | 9.388 | 1,535.20 | 9.535 | 1,511.50 | 9.388 | 1,495.70 | 9.290 |
| 2548 | Operation for stress incontinence: Use of tape | 229.4 | 7,103.10 | 30.964 | 2,153.50 | 9.388 | 2,187.40 | 9.535 | 2,153.50 | 9.388 | 2,131.10 | 9.290 |
| 2550 | Operations for stress incontinence: Urethro-vesicopexy: Combined abdomi | 196 | 6,068.90 | 30.964 | 1,840.00 | 9.388 | 1,868.90 | 9.535 | 1,840.00 | 9.388 | 1,820.80 | 9.290 |
| 2717 | Electromyography: First | 75 | 2,322.30 | 30.964 | - | - | 715.10 | 9.535 | 704.10 | 9.388 | 696.80 | 9.290 |
| 2802 | Procedures for pain relief: Peripheral nerve block | 25 | 774.10 | 30.964 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 238.40 | 9.535 | 234.70 | 9.388 | 232.30 | 9.290 |
| 3610 | Transrectal ultrasonographic prostate volume study for prostate brachyther | 110 | 3,406.00 | 30.964 | 984.30 | 8.948 | 1,048.90 | 9.535 | 984.30 | 8.948 | 974.20 | 8.856 |
| 3627* | Renal tract | 60 | 545.30 | 9.089 | 537.00 | 8.950 | 545.30 | 9.089 | 537.00 | 8.950 | 531.40 | 8.856 |
| 3628 | High definition (small parts) scan: Thyroid, breast lump, scrotum, etc. | 50 | 1,548.20 | 30.964 | 447.40 | 8.948 | 476.80 | 9.535 | 447.40 | 8.948 | 442.80 | 8.856 |
| 3629 | Ultrasound examination includes whole abdomen and pelvic organs, where pelvic organs are clinically indicated (including liver, gall bladder, spleen, pancreas, abdominal vascular anatomy, para-aortic area, renal tract, pelvic organs) | 50 | 1,548.20 | 30.964 | 447.40 | 8.948 | 476.80 | 9.535 | 447.40 | 8.948 | 442.80 | 8.856 |

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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