



# HEALTHMAN RHEUMATHOLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2012

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		Units	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
<b>Consultations:</b>											
<b>See the Notes below for All Tariffs</b>											
0109	Hospital follow-up visit	15	402.20	26.810	341.10	375.20	221.00	261.30	237.10	350.00	483.90
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	402.20	26.810	341.10	375.20	308.30	364.50	330.80	488.30	675.00
0130	Telephone consultation (all hours)	12	321.70	26.810	409.20	450.10	370.20	437.70	397.20	586.30	810.60
0132	Repeat Script	5	134.10	26.810	113.90	125.20	102.80	121.50	110.30	162.80	225.00
0133	Writing of special motivations	9	241.30	26.810	271.10	298.20	184.80	218.50	198.30	292.70	404.70
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	160.90	26.810	-	-	123.40	146.00	132.40	195.50	270.30
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	214.50	26.810	-	-	-	194.40	176.40	260.40	360.00
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	375.30	26.810	-	-	287.80	340.40	308.80	455.90	630.30
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	402.20	26.810	591.00	-	535.70	-	574.80	848.50	1,173.00
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	804.30	26.810	591.00	-	535.70	-	574.80	848.50	1,173.00
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,206.50	26.810	591.00	-	535.70	-	574.80	848.50	1,173.00
0190	Consultation	15	402.20	26.810	-	650.10	-	665.30	603.70	891.20	1,232.10
0191	Consultation	30	804.30	26.810	-	650.10	-	665.30	603.70	891.20	1,232.10
0192	Consultation	45	1,206.50	26.810	-	650.10	-	665.30	603.70	891.20	1,232.10
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	574.50	26.810	487.20	535.90	440.50	520.80	472.60	697.70	964.50
<b>Procedures</b>											
0215	Intravenous treatment with cytostatic agents: Administering of Chemotherapy: Intravenous infusion technique: Per injection.	14	375.30	26.810	197.30	217.00	178.20	210.70	191.20	282.20	390.20
0661	Aspiration of joint or intra-articular injection (not including after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	241.30	26.810	126.60	139.30	114.50	135.40	122.90	181.40	250.80
0663	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): First joint	7.5	201.10	26.810	105.80	116.30	95.50	112.90	102.40	151.20	209.00
0665	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): Additional (each)	4	107.20	26.810	56.40	62.00	50.90	60.20	54.60	80.60	111.50
0763	Muscle and tendon repair: Tendon or ligament injection	9	241.30	26.810	126.60	139.30	114.50	135.40	122.90	181.40	250.80
0857	Bursae and ganglia: Aspiration or injection (no after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	241.30	26.810	126.60	139.30	114.50	135.40	122.90	181.40	250.80
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	804.30	26.810	422.40	464.60	381.80	451.50	409.70	604.80	836.10
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,340.50	26.810	704.10	774.50	636.40	752.50	682.80	1,008.00	1,393.50
1205	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support First day	100	2,681.00	26.810	1,408.20	1,549.00	1,272.70	1,505.00	1,365.60	2,015.90	2,787.00
1206	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support Subsequent days, per day	50	1,340.50	26.810	704.10	774.50	636.40	752.50	682.80	1,008.00	1,393.50

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					150%	165%	137%	162%	147%	217%	300%
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	572.10	9.535	845.00	929.40	763.60	903.00	819.40	1,209.60	1,672.20
2802	Procedures for pain relief: Peripheral nerve block	25	670.30	26.810	352.10	387.30	318.20	376.20	341.40	504.00	696.80
3604*	Bone densitometry (to be charged once only for one or more levels done at the same session)	77	1,040.00	13.506	1,535.90	1,689.40	1,388.20	1,641.60	1,489.60	2,198.90	3,040.00
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	454.40	9.089	671.10	738.20	606.60	717.30	650.90	960.90	1,328.40
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	454.40	9.089	671.10	738.20	606.60	717.30	650.90	960.90	1,328.40
5102*	Ultrasound of joints (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee), per joint	50	454.40	9.089	671.10	738.20	606.60	717.30	650.90	960.90	1,328.40
5783	Infusional pharmacotherapy: Fee for the treatment of non cancerous conditions with bolus or infusional pharmacotherapy per treatment day (consultations to be charged separately)	42.65	1,143.40	26.810	600.60	660.70	542.80	641.90	582.40	859.80	1,188.70

**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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