

# HEALTHMAN PAEDIATRIC COSTING GUIDE 2013

## COMPARATIVE TARIFFS: Scheme Rates

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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>
<b>Consultations:</b>												
	<a href="#">See the Notes below for All Tariffs</a>											
0107	Newborn Attendance -Visit in Ward	33	1,102.80	33.418	522.30	15.827	530.30	16.070	536.00	16.243	537.80	16.298
0109	Hospital follow-up visit	15	501.30	33.418	170.20	11.347	241.00	16.070	243.60	16.243	244.50	16.298
0111	Hospital Visit(exl. Neonates)	22.5	751.90	33.418	255.30	11.347	361.60	16.070	365.50	16.243	366.70	16.298
0113	Newborn Attendance - Emergency at all hours	45	1,503.80	33.418	712.20	15.827	723.10	16.070	730.90	16.243	733.40	16.298
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	501.30	33.418	237.40	15.827	241.00	16.070	243.60	16.243	244.50	16.298
0132	Repeat Script	5	167.10	33.418	79.10	15.820	80.50	16.091	81.20	16.243	81.50	16.298
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	200.50	33.418	95.10	15.850	96.40	16.070	97.50	16.243	97.80	16.298
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	267.30	33.418	126.30	15.788	128.60	16.070	129.90	16.243	130.40	16.298
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	467.90	33.418	221.10	15.793	225.00	16.070	227.40	16.243	228.20	16.298
0148	Elective after-hours services(+50%)		-	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0149	Emergency after-hours services(+25%)		-	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	501.30	33.418	412.50	27.500	417.60	27.843	422.30	28.152	423.70	28.247
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	1,002.50	33.418	412.50	13.750	417.60	13.921	422.30	14.076	423.70	14.123
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,503.80	33.418	412.50	9.167	417.60	9.281	422.30	9.384	423.70	9.416
0176	Hospital Consultation	52.5	1,754.40	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0190	Consultation	15	501.30	33.418	435.30	29.020	417.60	27.843	422.30	28.152	423.70	28.247
0191	Consultation	30	1,002.50	33.418	435.30	14.510	417.60	13.921	422.30	14.076	423.70	14.123
0192	Consultation	45	1,503.80	33.418	435.30	9.673	417.60	9.281	422.30	9.384	423.70	9.416
0193	Consultation	52.5	1,754.40	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	716.10	33.418	339.20	15.828	344.30	16.066	348.10	16.243	349.30	16.298
<b>Procedures:</b>												
0019	a) Surgery on neonates (up to and including 28 days after birth) and low birth weight infants (less than 2500g) under general anaesthesia (excluding circumcision): per fee for procedure + 50% for surgeons and a 50% increase in anaesthetic time units for anaesthesiologists b) Neonates requiring intensive care: Per fee for the intensive care items (section 4.7.2) +50% for neonatologists and/or paediatricians		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0201	Cost of material in treatment		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0202	Setting of sterile tray:	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
0205	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down or push-in)	12	401.00	33.418	117.60	9.801	119.50	9.955	120.70	10.060	121.10	10.093
0206	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (push-in)	6	200.50	33.418	58.80	9.801	59.70	9.946	60.40	10.060	60.60	10.093
0207	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down)	8	267.30	33.418	78.40	9.801	79.50	9.938	80.50	10.060	80.70	10.093
0209	Umbilical artery cannulation at birth	18	601.50	33.418	176.40	9.801	179.10	9.952	181.10	10.060	181.70	10.093
0210	Collection of blood specimen(s)	3.25	108.60	33.418	31.90	9.801	32.30	9.948	32.70	10.060	32.80	10.093
0211	Exchange transfusion: First and subsequent (including after-care)	80	2,673.40	33.418	784.10	9.801	796.20	9.952	804.80	10.060	807.40	10.093
0220	Allergy: Skin-prick tests: Immediate hypersensitivity testing	1.9	63.50	33.418	18.60	9.801	19.00	9.986	19.10	10.060	19.20	10.093
0255	Drainage of subcutaneous abscess	20	668.40	33.418	196.00	9.801	199.10	9.953	201.20	10.060	201.90	10.093
0300	Stitching of soft-tissue injuries: Stitching of wound	14	467.90	33.418	137.20	9.801	139.40	9.956	140.80	10.060	141.30	10.093

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0307	Excision and repair by direct suture	27	902.30	33.418	264.60	9.801	268.70	9.952	271.60	10.060	272.50	10.093
1063	Removal of foreign bodies from nose: At rooms	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1117	Laryngeal intubation	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1132	Bronchoscopy: Diagnostic bronchoscopy without removing foreign object	65	2,172.20	33.418	637.10	9.801	646.80	9.951	653.90	10.060	656.00	10.093
1134	Bronchoscopy: Bronchoscopy with laser	75	2,506.40	33.418	735.10	9.801	746.30	9.951	754.50	10.060	757.00	10.093
1136	Nebulisation (in rooms)	12	401.00	33.418	117.60	9.801	119.50	9.955	120.70	10.060	121.10	10.093
1137	Bronchial lavage		-	33.418	-	9.801	-	-	-	-	-	10.093
1141	Insertion of intercostal catheter (under water drainage)	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1143	Paracentesis chest: Diagnostic	8	267.30	33.418	78.40	9.801	79.50	9.938	80.50	10.060	80.70	10.093
1145	Paracentesis chest: Therapeutic	13	434.40	33.418	127.40	9.801	129.30	9.948	130.80	10.060	131.20	10.093
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	1,002.50	33.418	294.00	9.801	298.50	9.950	301.80	10.060	302.80	10.093
1187	Exhaled nitric oxide determination (not for under 4-year old children)	4.9	163.70	33.418	48.00	9.801	48.70	9.942	49.30	10.060	49.50	10.093
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1189	Forced expirogram only	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1190	Determination of resistance to airflow	45.31	1,514.20	33.418	444.10	9.801	450.80	9.950	455.80	10.060	457.30	10.093
1192	Peak expiratory flow only	5	167.10	33.418	49.00	9.801	49.70	9.943	50.30	10.060	50.50	10.093
1202	Insertion of central venous catheter via peripheral vein in neonates	40	1,336.70	33.418	392.00	9.801	398.00	9.951	402.40	10.060	403.70	10.093
1204	Intensive care: Category 1: Cases requiring intensive monitoring	30	1,002.50	33.418	294.00	9.801	298.50	9.950	301.80	10.060	302.80	10.093
1205	Intensive care: Category 2: Cases requiring active system support	100	3,341.80	33.418	980.10	9.801	995.10	9.951	1,006.00	10.060	1,009.30	10.093
1206	Intensive care: Category 2: (Subsequent days)	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1207	Intensive care: Category 2: After two weeks, per day	30	1,002.50	33.418	294.00	9.801	298.50	9.950	301.80	10.060	302.80	10.093
1208	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients: First day	137	4,578.30	33.418	1,342.70	9.801	1,363.40	9.952	1,378.20	10.060	1,382.70	10.093
1209	Intensive care: Category 3	58	1,938.20	33.418	568.50	9.801	577.10	9.949	583.50	10.060	585.40	10.093
1210	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients: Subsequent days	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	527.40	10.548	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1211	Cardio-respiratory resuscitation 50 units per 30 minutes	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	-	-	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1212	Ventilation: First day	75	2,506.40	33.418	735.10	9.801	746.30	9.951	754.50	10.060	757.00	10.093
1213	Ventilation: Subsequent days, per day	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1214	Ventilation: After two weeks, per day	25	835.50	33.418	245.00	9.801	248.80	9.951	251.50	10.060	252.30	10.093
1215	Insertion of arterial pressure cannula	25	835.50	33.418	245.00	9.801	248.80	9.951	251.50	10.060	252.30	10.093
1216	Insertion of Swan Ganz catheter for haemodynamics monitoring	50	1,670.90	33.418	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1217	Insertion of central venous line via peripheral vein	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1218	Insertion of central venous line via subclavian or jugular veins	25	835.50	33.418	245.00	9.801	248.80	9.951	251.50	10.060	252.30	10.093
1219	Hyperalimentation (daily tariff)	15	501.30	33.418	147.00	9.801	149.20	9.950	150.90	10.060	151.40	10.093
1227	Prolonged neonatal resuscitation	20	668.40	33.418	196.00	9.801	199.10	9.953	201.20	10.060	201.90	10.093
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	200.50	33.418	58.80	9.801	59.70	9.946	60.40	10.060	60.60	10.093
1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1236	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	601.50	33.418	176.40	9.801	179.10	9.952	181.10	10.060	181.70	10.093
1239	24hour ambulatory ECG monitoring (Holter): Interpretation	27	902.30	33.418	264.60	9.801	268.70	9.952	271.60	10.060	272.50	10.093
1273	Insertion of temporary pacemaker (modifier 0005 not acceptable)	120	4,010.20	33.418	1,176.10	9.801	1,194.10	9.951	1,207.20	10.060	1,211.20	10.093
1585	24 Hour oesophageal pH studies: Interpretation	27	902.30	33.418	264.60	9.801	268.70	9.952	271.60	10.060	272.50	10.093
1780	Gastric and duodenal intubation	8	267.30	33.418	78.40	9.801	79.50	9.938	80.50	10.060	80.70	10.093

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1800	Peritoneal lavage	20	668.40	33.418	196.00	9.801	199.10	9.953	201.20	10.060	201.90	10.093
1967	With ureteric meatotomy: Unilateral or bilateral	15	501.30	33.418	147.00	9.801	149.20	9.950	150.90	10.060	151.40	10.093
1995	Percutaneous aspiration of bladder	10	334.20	33.418	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1996	Bladder catheterisation: Male (not at operation)	6	200.50	33.418	58.80	9.801	59.70	9.946	60.40	10.060	60.60	10.093
1997	Bladder catheterisation: Female (not at operation)	3	100.30	33.418	29.40	9.801	29.80	9.929	30.20	10.060	30.30	10.093
2712	Electro-encephalography: Interpretation	24	802.00	33.418	235.20	9.801	238.70	9.946	241.40	10.060	242.20	10.093
2713	Spinal (lumbar) puncture. For diagnosis, drainage of spinal fluid	18.4	614.90	33.418	180.30	9.801	183.20	9.955	185.10	10.060	185.70	10.093
3273	Pure tone audiometry (air conduction)	6.5	217.20	33.418	63.70	9.801	64.80	9.964	65.40	10.060	65.60	10.093
3275	Impedance audiometry (tympanometry)	6.5	217.20	33.418	63.70	9.801	64.80	9.964	65.40	10.060	65.60	10.093
3628	Renal tract	50	1,670.90	33.418	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	504.70	10.093
3633	Neonatal head scan	50	1,670.90	33.418	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	504.70	10.093
3719	Bone marrow: Aspiration	5.6	187.10	33.418	63.50	11.331	64.60	11.528	65.20	11.637	56.50	10.093
3720	Bone marrow trephine biopsy	21.7	725.20	33.418	245.90	11.331	264.60	12.194	252.40	11.631	219.00	10.093
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	90.50	10.060	88.20	9.801	89.50	9.940	90.50	10.060	90.80	10.093
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	130.80	10.060	127.40	9.801	129.30	9.948	130.80	10.060	131.20	10.093
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	479.40	9.589	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	481.10	9.621
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	479.40	9.589	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	481.10	9.621
<b>Cardiology Procedures:</b>												
1196	Detemination of resistance to airflow, oscillary or plethysmographic methods	45.31	1,500.00	33.106	444.10	9.801	450.80	9.950	455.80	10.060	457.30	10.093
1211	Cario-respitory resuscitation: Prolonged attendance in cases of emergency, 50 clinical procedure units per half an hour or part thereof for the firs hour per practitioner, thereafter 25 procedure units per half an hour up to a maximum of 150 clinical procedure units per practitioner. Resuscitation fee includes all necessary additional procedures.	-	-	33.106	-	9.801	-	-	-	10.060	-	10.093
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	198.60	33.106	58.80	9.801	59.70	9.946	60.40	10.060	60.60	10.093
1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	331.10	33.106	98.00	9.801	99.40	9.943	100.60	10.060	100.90	10.093
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	910.40	10.060	88.20	9.801	89.50	9.940	90.50	10.060	90.80	10.093
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	1,315.80	10.060	127.40	9.801	129.30	9.948	130.80	10.060	131.20	10.093
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	6,072.00	10.060	588.10	9.801	597.10	9.952	603.60	10.060	605.60	10.093
1236*	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	1,821.80	10.060	176.40	9.801	179.10	9.952	181.10	10.060	181.70	10.093
1247	Cardioversion for arrhythmias (any method) with doctor in attendance	65	2,151.90	33.106	637.10	9.801	646.80	9.951	653.90	10.060	656.00	10.093
1248	Paracentesis of pericardium	50	1,655.30	33.106	490.10	9.801	497.60	9.951	503.00	10.060	504.70	10.093
1250	Endomyocardial biopsy	70	2,317.40	33.106	686.10	9.801	696.60	9.952	704.20	10.060	706.50	10.093
1288	Cardiac catheterisation for congenital heart disease: All ages above 1 year old	210	6,952.30	33.106	2,058.20	9.801	2,089.80	9.951	2,112.50	10.060	2,119.50	10.093
1289	Paediatric cardiac catheterisation: Infants below the age of one year	263	8,706.90	33.106	2,577.70	9.801	2,617.00	9.951	2,645.70	10.060	2,654.50	10.093
1290*	Use Baloon procedures including: First paediatric cardiologist (33) Atrial septoscopy, Pulmonary valve valvulopscopy, Aortic valve valvulopscopy, Closure atrail septal defect, Closure of patient ductus arteriosus	300	3,017.90	10.060	2,940.30	9.801	2,985.30	9.951	3,017.90	10.060	3,027.90	10.093
1291*	Use of balloon procedure as in item 1290: Second paediatric cardiologist (33)	160	1,609.50	10.060	1,568.20	9.801	1,592.10	9.951	1,609.50	10.060	1,614.90	10.093
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	400.10	8.002	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	481.10	9.621
3621*	Cardiac examination (MMode)	25	200.10	8.002	233.60	9.343	237.10	9.485	239.70	9.589	240.50	9.621

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3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	479.40	9.589	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	481.10	9.621
3623*	Cardiac examination + effort	10	95.90	9.589	93.40	9.343	95.00	9.498	95.90	9.589	96.20	9.621
3624*	Cardiac examinations + contrast	10	95.90	9.589	93.40	9.343	95.00	9.498	95.90	9.589	96.20	9.621
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	479.40	9.589	467.20	9.343	474.20	9.485	479.40	9.589	481.10	9.621
3636*	Trans-oesophageal echocardiography including passing the device	100	958.90	9.589	934.30	9.343	948.60	9.486	958.90	9.589	962.10	9.621
3637*	Colour Doppler (may be added onto any other regional exam)	78	747.90	9.589	728.80	9.343	739.80	9.484	747.90	9.589	750.40	9.621

**Note:**

1. Codes, Descriptors and Unit Values have been extracted from the SAMA Doctors Billing Manual
2. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate\*
3. Tariffs may differ due to rounding
4. Above codes are the most frequently used codes and is not all inclusive of all the codes
5. Increases from 2012 are as follow:
  - a. GEMS = 2012 Scheme Tariff +5.5%
  - b. HealthMan Tariff = 2012 Tariff +7%
  - c. Discovery Health = 2012 Tariff +5.5% for procedures & 6% for consultations (Note that this increase is for the DH Rate only)
  - d. Profmed = 2012 Tariff +6%
  - e. Fedhealth = 2012 Tariff +6%
6. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.
7. Please take note that the HealthMan Practice Cost Tariff is based on our 2008 Cost Studies adjusted with inflation indexes
8. All Tariffs are inclusive of VAT

**Disclaimer:**

The above schedule is based on information available to HealthMan and HealthMan will NOT be held responsible for any losses incurred by practitioners resulting from the use of this schedule.

**Legend:**

- DH = Discovery Health
- DPA = Direct Payment Arrangement
- Prem = Premier
- R = Rand
- RCF = Rand Conversion Factor (Rand Value per Unit)
- VAT = Value Added Tax

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		<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>
<b>Consultations:</b>											
<a href="#">See the Notes below for All Tariffs</a>											
0107	Newborn Attendance -Visit in Ward	33	1,102.80	33.418	715.60	846.10	767.80	1,133.40	1,566.90	875.00	1,113.60
0109	Hospital follow-up visit	15	501.30	33.418	233.20	275.70	250.20	369.30	510.60	397.70	506.10
0111	Hospital Visit(exl. Neonates)	22.5	751.90	33.418	349.80	413.60	375.30	554.00	765.90	596.60	759.40
0113	Newborn Attendance - Emergency at all hours	45	1,503.80	33.418	975.70	1,153.80	1,046.90	1,545.50	2,136.60	1,193.10	1,518.50
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	501.30	33.418	325.20	384.60	349.00	515.20	712.20	397.70	506.10
0132	Repeat Script	5	167.10	33.418	108.40	128.10	116.30	171.60	237.30	132.80	169.10
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	200.50	33.418	130.30	154.10	139.80	206.40	285.30	159.10	202.40
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	267.30	33.418		204.60	185.70	274.10	378.90	212.20	270.10
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	467.90	33.418	302.90	358.20	325.00	479.80	663.30	371.30	472.50
0148	Elective after-hours services(+50%)		-	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0149	Emergency after-hours services(+25%)		-	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	501.30	33.418	565.10	-	606.40	895.10	1,237.50	689.00	877.00
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	1,002.50	33.418	565.10	-	606.40	895.10	1,237.50	689.00	877.00
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,503.80	33.418	565.10	-	606.40	895.10	1,237.50	689.00	877.00
0176	Hospital Consultation	52.5	1,754.40	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0190	Consultation	15	501.30	33.418	-	705.20	639.90	944.60	1,305.90	689.00	877.00
0191	Consultation	30	1,002.50	33.418	-	705.20	639.90	944.60	1,305.90	689.00	877.00
0192	Consultation	45	1,503.80	33.418	-	705.20	639.90	944.60	1,305.90	689.00	877.00
0193	Consultation	52.5	1,754.40	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	716.10	33.418	464.70	549.50	498.60	736.10	1,017.60	568.10	723.00
<b>Procedures:</b>											
0019	a) Surgery on neonates (up to and including 28 days after birth) and low birth weight infants (less than 2500g) under general anaesthesia (excluding circumcision): per fee for procedure + 50% for surgeons and a 50% increase in anaesthetic time units for anaesthesiologists b) Neonates requiring intensive care: Per fee for the intensive care items (section 4.7.2) +50% for neonatologists and/or paediatricians		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0201	Cost of material in treatment		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0202	Setting of sterile tray:	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
0205	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down or push-in)	12	401.00	33.418	161.10	190.50	172.90	255.20	352.80	197.20	251.00
0206	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (push-in)	6	200.50	33.418	80.60	95.30	86.40	127.60	176.40	98.50	125.40
0207	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down)	8	267.30	33.418	107.40	127.00	115.30	170.10	235.20	131.20	167.00
0209	Umbilical artery cannulation at birth	18	601.50	33.418	241.70	285.80	259.30	382.80	529.30	295.50	376.10
0210	Collection of blood specimen(s)	3.25	108.60	33.418	43.60	51.60	46.80	69.10	95.60	53.30	67.80
0211	Exchange transfusion: First and subsequent (including after-care)	80	2,673.40	33.418	1,074.20	1,270.20	1,152.60	1,701.50	2,352.20	1,313.70	1,672.00
0220	Allergy: Skin-prick tests: Immediate hypersensitivity testing	1.9	63.50	33.418	25.50	30.20	27.40	40.40	55.90	31.40	39.90
0255	Drainage of subcutaneous abscess	20	668.40	33.418	268.50	317.60	288.10	425.40	588.10	328.50	418.10
0300	Stitching of soft-tissue injuries: Stitching of wound	14	467.90	33.418	188.00	222.30	201.70	1.00	411.60	230.00	292.70

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					137%	162%	147%	217%	300%	165%	210%
		<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>
0307	Excision and repair by direct suture	27	902.30	33.418	362.50	428.70	389.00	574.20	793.90	443.40	564.30
1063	Removal of foreign bodies from nose: At rooms	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1117	Laryngeal intubation	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1132	Bronchoscopy: Diagnostic bronchoscopy without removing foreign object	65	2,172.20	33.418	872.80	1,032.00	936.50	1,382.40	1,911.20	1,067.20	1,358.30
1134	Bronchoscopy: Bronchoscopy with laser	75	2,506.40	33.418	1,007.10	1,190.80	1,080.60	1,595.10	2,205.20	1,231.40	1,567.20
1136	Nebulisation (in rooms)	12	401.00	33.418	161.10	190.50	172.90	255.20	352.80	197.20	251.00
1137	Bronchial lavage		-	33.418	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1141	Insertion of intercostal catheter (under water drainage)	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1143	Paracentesis chest: Diagnostic	8	267.30	33.418	107.40	127.00	115.30	170.10	235.20	131.20	167.00
1145	Paracentesis chest: Therapeutic	13	434.40	33.418	174.60	206.40	187.30	276.50	382.20	213.30	271.50
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	1,002.50	33.418	402.80	476.30	432.20	638.00	882.10	492.50	626.90
1187	Exhaled nitric oxide determination (not for under 4-year old children)	4.9	163.70	33.418	65.80	77.80	70.60	104.20	144.10	80.40	102.30
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1189	Forced expirogram only	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1190	Determination of resistance to airflow	45.31	1,514.20	33.418	608.40	719.40	652.80	963.70	1,332.20	743.80	946.70
1192	Peak expiratory flow only	5	167.10	33.418	67.10	79.40	72.00	106.30	147.00	82.00	104.40
1202	Insertion of central venous catheter via peripheral vein in neonates	40	1,336.70	33.418	537.10	635.10	576.30	850.70	1,176.10	656.70	835.80
1204	Intensive care: Category 1: Cases requiring intensive monitoring	30	1,002.50	33.418	402.80	476.30	432.20	638.00	882.10	492.50	626.90
1205	Intensive care: Category 2: Cases requiring active system support	100	3,341.80	33.418	1,342.70	1,587.80	1,440.70	2,126.80	2,940.30	1,641.90	2,089.70
1206	Intensive care: Category 2: (Subsequent days)	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1207	Intensive care: Category 2: After two weeks, per day	30	1,002.50	33.418	402.80	476.30	432.20	638.00	882.10	492.50	626.90
1208	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients: First day	137	4,578.30	33.418	1,839.50	2,175.20	1,973.80	2,913.70	4,028.20	2,249.60	2,863.10
1209	Intensive care: Category 3	58	1,938.20	33.418	778.80	920.90	835.60	1,233.60	1,705.40	952.20	1,211.90
1210	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients:Subsequent days	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	870.20	1,107.50
1211	Cardio-respiratory resuscitation 50 units per 30 minutes	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	-	-
1212	Ventilation: First day	75	2,506.40	33.418	1,007.10	1,190.80	1,080.60	1,595.10	2,205.20	1,231.40	1,567.20
1213	Ventilation: Subsequent days, per day	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1214	Ventilation: After two weeks, per day	25	835.50	33.418	335.70	396.90	360.20	531.70	735.10	410.50	522.50
1215	Insertion of arterial pressure cannula	25	835.50	33.418	335.70	396.90	360.20	531.70	735.10	410.50	522.50
1216	Insertion of Swan Ganz catheter for haemodynamics monitoring	50	1,670.90	33.418	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1217	Insertion of central venous line via peripheral vein	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1218	Insertion of central venous line via subclavian or jugular veins	25	835.50	33.418	335.70	396.90	360.20	531.70	735.10	410.50	522.50
1219	Hyperalimentation (daily tariff)	15	501.30	33.418	201.40	238.20	216.10	319.00	441.00	246.20	313.30
1227	Prolonged neonatal resuscitation	20	668.40	33.418	268.50	317.60	288.10	425.40	588.10	328.50	418.10
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	200.50	33.418	80.60	95.30	86.40	127.60	176.40	98.50	125.40
1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1236	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	601.50	33.418	241.70	285.80	259.30	382.80	529.30	295.50	376.10
1239	24hour ambulatory ECG monitoring (Holter): Interpretation	27	902.30	33.418	362.50	428.70	389.00	574.20	793.90	443.40	564.30
1273	Insertion of temporary pacemaker (modifier 0005 not acceptable)	120	4,010.20	33.418	1,611.30	1,905.30	1,728.90	2,552.20	3,528.40	1,970.30	2,507.60
1585	24 Hour oesophageal pH studies: Interpretation	27	902.30	33.418	362.50	428.70	389.00	574.20	793.90	443.40	564.30
1780	Gastric and duodenal intubation	8	267.30	33.418	107.40	127.00	115.30	170.10	235.20	131.20	167.00

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1800	Peritoneal lavage	20	668.40	33.418	268.50	317.60	288.10	425.40	588.10	328.50	418.10
1967	With ureteric meatotomy: Unilateral or bilateral	15	501.30	33.418	201.40	238.20	216.10	319.00	441.00	246.20	313.30
1995	Percutaneous aspiration of bladder	10	334.20	33.418	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1996	Bladder catheterisation: Male (not at operation)	6	200.50	33.418	80.60	95.30	86.40	127.60	176.40	98.50	125.40
1997	Bladder catheterisation: Female (not at operation)	3	100.30	33.418	40.30	47.60	43.20	63.80	88.20	49.20	62.60
2712	Electro-encephalography: Interpretation	24	802.00	33.418	322.30	381.10	345.80	510.40	705.70	393.90	501.30
2713	Spinal (lumbar) puncture. For diagnosis, drainage of spinal fluid	18.4	614.90	33.418	247.10	292.10	265.10	391.30	541.00	302.30	384.70
3273	Pure tone audiometry (air conduction)	6.5	217.20	33.418	87.30	103.20	93.60	138.20	191.10	106.90	136.10
3275	Impedance audiometry (tympanometry)	6.5	217.20	33.418	87.30	103.20	93.60	138.20	191.10	106.90	136.10
3628	Renal tract	50	1,670.90	33.418	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3633	Neonatal head scan	50	1,670.90	33.418	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3719	Bone marrow: Aspiration	5.6	187.10	33.418	86.90	102.80	93.30	137.70	190.40	106.60	135.70
3720	Bone marrow trephine biopsy	21.7	725.20	33.418	336.90	398.30	361.40	533.60	737.60	436.60	555.70
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	90.50	10.060	120.80	142.90	129.70	191.40	264.60	147.70	188.00
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	130.80	10.060	174.60	206.40	187.30	276.50	382.20	213.30	271.50
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	479.40	9.589	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	479.40	9.589	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
<b>Cardiology Procedures:</b>											
1196	Detemination of resistance to airflow, oscillary or plethysmographic methods	45.31	1,500.00	33.106	608.40	719.40	652.80	963.70	1,332.20	743.80	946.70
1211	Cario-respetyory resuscitation: Prolonged attendance in cases of emergency, 50 clinical procedure units per half an hour or part thereof for the firs hour per practitioner, thereafter 25 procedure units per half an hour up to a maximum of 150 clinical procedure units per practitioner. Resuscitation fee includes all necessary additional procedures.	-	-	33.106	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	198.60	33.106	80.60	95.30	86.40	127.60	176.40	98.50	125.40
1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	331.10	33.106	134.30	158.80	144.10	212.70	294.00	164.00	208.70
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	910.40	10.060	120.80	142.90	129.70	191.40	264.60	147.70	188.00
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	1,315.80	10.060	174.60	206.40	187.30	276.50	382.20	213.30	271.50
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	6,072.00	10.060	805.60	952.70	864.40	1,276.10	1,764.20	985.20	1,253.90
1236*	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	1,821.80	10.060	241.70	285.80	259.30	382.80	529.30	295.50	376.10
1247	Cardioversion for arrhythmias (any method) with doctor in attendance	65	2,151.90	33.106	872.80	1,032.00	936.50	1,382.40	1,911.20	1,067.20	1,358.30
1248	Paracentesis of pericardium	50	1,655.30	33.106	671.40	793.90	720.40	1,063.40	1,470.20	821.00	1,045.00
1250	Endomyocardial biopsy	70	2,317.40	33.106	939.90	1,111.40	1,008.50	1,488.80	2,058.20	1,149.40	1,462.90
1288	Cardiac catheterisation for congenital heart disease: All ages above 1 year old	210	6,952.30	33.106	2,819.70	3,334.30	3,025.60	4,466.30	6,174.60	3,448.20	4,388.60
1289	Paediatric cardiac catheterisation: Infants below the age of one year	263	8,706.90	33.106	3,531.40	4,175.80	3,789.20	5,593.50	7,733.00	4,318.10	5,495.70
1290*	Use Baloon procedures including: First paediatric cardiologist (33) Atrial septoscopy, Pulmonary valve valvulopscopy, Aortic valve valvulopscopy, Closure atrail septal defect, Closure of patient ductus arteriosus	300	3,017.90	10.060	4,028.20	4,763.30	4,322.20	6,380.50	8,820.90	4,925.70	6,269.10
1291*	Use of balloon procedure as in item 1290: Second paediatric cardiologist (33)	160	1,609.50	10.060	2,148.40	2,540.40	2,305.20	3,402.90	4,704.50	2,627.00	3,343.40
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	400.10	8.002	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3621*	Cardiac examination (MMode)	25	200.10	8.002	320.00	378.40	343.40	506.90	700.70	391.20	497.90

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3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	479.40	9.589	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3623*	Cardiac examination + effort	10	95.90	9.589	128.00	151.40	137.30	202.70	280.30	156.80	199.50
3624*	Cardiac examinations + contrast	10	95.90	9.589	128.00	151.40	137.30	202.70	280.30	156.80	199.50
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	479.40	9.589	640.00	756.80	686.70	1,013.70	1,401.50	782.40	995.80
3636*	Trans-oesophageal echocardiography including passing the device	100	958.90	9.589	1,280.00	1,513.60	1,373.40	2,027.40	2,802.90	1,565.20	1,992.10
3637*	Colour Doppler (may be added onto any other regional exam)	78	747.90	9.589	998.40	1,180.60	1,071.30	1,581.40	2,186.30	1,220.70	1,553.60

**Note:**

1. Codes, Descriptors and Unit Values have been extracted from the SAMA Doctors Billing Manual
2. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate\*
3. Tariffs may differ due to rounding
4. Above codes are the most frequently used codes and is not all inclusive of all the codes
5. Increases from 2012 are as follow:
  - a. GEMS = 2012 Scheme Tariff +5.5%
  - b. HealthMan Tariff = 2012 Tariff +7%
  - c. Discovery Health = 2012 Tariff +5.5% for procedures & 6% for consultations (Note that this increase is for the DH Rate only)
  - d. Profmed = 2012 Tariff +6%
  - e. Fedhealth = 2012 Tariff +6%
6. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.
7. Please take note that the HealthMan Practice Cost Tariff is based on our 2008 Cost Studies adjusted with inflation indexes
8. All Tariffs are inclusive of VAT

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**Legend:**

DH = Discovery Health  
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 Prem = Premier  
 R = Rand  
 RCF = Rand Conversion Factor (Rand Value per Unit)  
 VAT = Value Added Tax