

HEALTHMAN RHEUMATHOLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2014

COMPARATIVE TARIFFS: Scheme Rates

		Base Rates										
Code	Terminology	Average Duration Professional	HealthMan Private Tariff (VAT Incl.)	HealthMan RCF	Discovery Tariffs (VAT incl.)	DH RCF	FedHealth (VAT Incl.)	FedHealth RCF	GEMS Tariffs (VAT Incl.)	GEMS RCF	Profmed	Profmed RCF
		<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	531.30	35.423	180.40	12.027	254.10	16.937	251.70	16.778	259.10	17.276
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	531.30	35.423	251.60	16.773	254.10	16.937	251.70	16.778	259.10	17.276
0130	Telephone consultation (all hours)	12	425.10	35.423	302.20	25.183	304.80	25.399	259.90	26.807	207.30	17.276
0132	Repeat Script	5	177.10	35.423	83.80	16.760	84.80	16.960	83.90	16.778	86.40	17.276
0133	Writing of special motivations	9	318.80	35.423	150.80	16.756	152.40	16.932	151.00	16.778	155.50	17.276
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	212.50	35.423	100.80	16.800	101.60	16.932	100.70	16.778	103.70	17.276
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	283.40	35.423	134.20	16.775	135.50	16.932	134.20	16.778	138.20	17.276
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	495.90	35.423	235.00	16.786	237.10	16.932	234.90	16.778	241.90	17.276
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	531.30	35.423	437.30	29.153	440.20	29.346	436.40	29.092	449.10	29.941
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	1,062.70	35.423	437.30	14.577	440.20	14.673	436.40	14.546	449.10	14.971
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,594.00	35.423	437.30	9.718	440.20	9.782	436.40	9.697	449.10	9.980
0190	Consultation	15	531.30	35.423	461.40	30.760	440.20	29.346	436.40	29.092	449.10	29.941
0191	Consultation	30	1,062.70	35.423	461.40	15.380	440.20	14.673	436.40	14.546	449.10	14.971
0192	Consultation	45	1,594.00	35.423	461.40	10.253	440.20	9.782	436.40	9.697	449.10	9.980
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	759.10	35.423	359.60	16.780	362.90	16.933	359.50	16.778	370.20	17.276
Procedures												
0215	Intravenous treatment with cytostatic agents: Administering of Chemotherapy: Intravenous infusion technique: Per injection.	14	495.90	35.423	145.40	10.389	146.90	10.494	149.30	10.663	149.80	10.699
0661	Aspiration of joint or intra-articular injection (not including after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	318.80	35.423	93.50	10.389	94.30	10.477	96.00	10.663	96.30	10.699
0663	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): First joint	7.5	265.70	35.423	77.90	10.389	78.80	10.502	80.00	10.663	80.20	10.699
0665	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): Additional (each)	4	141.70	35.423	41.60	10.389	42.00	10.502	42.70	10.663	42.80	10.699
0763	Muscle and tendon repair: Tendon or ligament injection	9	318.80	35.423	93.50	10.389	94.30	10.477	96.00	10.663	96.30	10.699
0857	Bursae and ganglia: Aspiration or injection (no after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	318.80	35.423	93.50	10.389	94.30	10.477	96.00	10.663	96.30	10.699
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	1,062.70	35.423	311.70	10.389	314.60	10.487	319.90	10.663	321.00	10.699
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,771.20	35.423	519.50	10.389	524.40	10.489	533.20	10.663	534.90	10.699
1205	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support First day	100	3,542.30	35.423	1,038.90	10.389	1,048.90	10.489	1,130.30	11.303	1,134.00	11.340
1206	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support Subsequent days, per day	50	1,771.20	35.423	519.50	10.389	524.40	10.489	533.20	10.663	534.90	10.699
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	639.80	10.663	623.30	10.389	629.30	10.489	639.80	10.663	641.90	10.699
2802	Procedures for pain relief: Peripheral nerve block	25	885.60	35.423	259.70	10.389	262.20	10.489	266.60	10.663	267.50	10.699

HEALTHMAN RHEUMATHOLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2014

COMPARATIVE TARIFFS: Scheme Rates

Code	Terminology	Average Duration Professional	Base Rates									
			HealthMan Private Tariff (VAT Incl.)	HealthMan RCF	Discovery Tariffs (VAT incl.)	DH RCF	FedHealth (VAT Incl.)	FedHealth RCF	GEMS Tariffs (VAT Incl.)	GEMS RCF	Profmed	Profmed RCF
		<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>	
3604*	Bone densitometry (to be charged once only for one or more levels done at the same session)	77	1,163.00	15.104	1,133.20	14.717	1,143.90	14.856	1,163.00	15.104	1,167.00	15.156
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	508.20	10.164	495.20	9.904	499.90	9.997	508.20	10.164	509.90	10.198
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	508.20	10.164	495.20	9.904	499.90	9.997	508.20	10.164	509.90	10.198
5102*	Ultrasound of joints (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee), per joint	50	508.20	10.164	495.20	9.904	499.90	9.997	508.20	10.164	509.90	10.198
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	1,510.80	35.423	443.10	10.389	447.30	10.489	454.80	10.663	456.30	10.699

Note:

1. Codes, Descriptors and Unit Values have been extracted from the SAMA Electronic Medical Doctors Coding Manual (eMDCM) previously known as the SAMA Doctors Billing Manual (DBM).
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 2013 are as follow:
 - a. GEMS = 2013 Scheme Tariff +3.34% for consultations and +6% for procedures
 - b. Discovery Health = 2013 Tariff +6%
 - c. Profmed = 2013 Tariff +6%
 - d. Fedhealth = 2013 Tariff +5.4%
 - e. The HealthMan Private Tariff has been fixed at a maximum RCF of R35.423. This RCF is based on updated costing studies for Paediatricians in 2011/12. Also note this RCF is 13.65% higher than the Discovery Executive rate for procedures.
6. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.
7. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate*
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

HEALTHMAN RHEUMATHOLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2014

Payment Arrangments											
Code	 Terminology	Average Duration Professional	HealthMan Private Tariff (VAT Incl.)	HealthMan RCF	DH Prem A In Hosp.	DH Prem A Out Hosp.	DH Prem B	DH Classic Rate	DH Exec Rate	FedHealth DPA	FedHealth DPA
Consultations:											
See the Notes below for All Tariffs											
0109	Hospital follow-up visit	15	531.30	35.423	247.10	292.20	265.20	391.50	541.20	419.30	533.60
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	531.30	35.423	344.70	407.60	369.90	546.00	754.80	419.30	533.60
0130	Telephone consultation (all hours)	12	425.10	35.423	414.00	489.60	444.20	655.80	906.60	502.90	640.10
0132	Repeat Script	5	177.10	35.423	114.80	135.80	123.20	181.80	251.40	139.90	178.10
0133	Writing of special motivations	9	318.80	35.423	206.60	244.30	221.70	327.20	452.40	251.50	320.00
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	212.50	35.423	138.10	163.30	148.20	218.70	302.40	167.60	213.40
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	283.40	35.423	-	217.40	197.30	291.20	402.60	223.60	284.60
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	495.90	35.423	322.00	380.70	345.50	510.00	705.00	391.20	497.90
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	531.30	35.423	599.10	-	642.80	948.90	1,311.90	726.30	924.40
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	1,062.70	35.423	599.10	-	642.80	948.90	1,311.90	726.30	924.40
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,594.00	35.423	599.10	-	642.80	948.90	1,311.90	726.30	924.40
0190	Consultation	15	531.30	35.423	-	747.50	678.30	1,001.20	1,384.20	726.30	924.40
0191	Consultation	30	1,062.70	35.423	-	747.50	678.30	1,001.20	1,384.20	726.30	924.40
0192	Consultation	45	1,594.00	35.423	-	747.50	678.30	1,001.20	1,384.20	726.30	924.40
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	759.10	35.423	492.70	582.60	528.60	780.30	1,078.80	598.80	762.10
Procedures											
0215	Intravenous treatment with cytostatic agents: Administering of Chemotherapy: Intravenous infusion technique: Per injection.	14	495.90	35.423	199.30	235.60	213.80	315.60	436.30	242.40	308.50
0661	Aspiration of joint or intra-articular injection (not including after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	318.80	35.423	128.10	151.50	137.40	202.90	280.50	155.60	198.00
0663	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): First joint	7.5	265.70	35.423	106.70	126.20	114.50	169.10	233.80	130.00	165.50
0665	Multiple intra-articular injections for rheumatoid arthritis (excluding after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable): Additional (each)	4	141.70	35.423	56.90	67.30	61.10	90.20	124.70	69.30	88.20
0763	Muscle and tendon repair: Tendon or ligament injection	9	318.80	35.423	128.10	151.50	137.40	202.90	280.50	155.60	198.00
0857	Bursae and ganglia: Aspiration or injection (no after-care) (modifier 0005 not applicable)	9	318.80	35.423	128.10	151.50	137.40	202.90	280.50	155.60	198.00
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	1,062.70	35.423	427.00	504.90	458.20	676.30	935.00	519.10	660.70
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,771.20	35.423	711.60	841.50	763.60	1,127.20	1,558.40	865.30	1,101.20
1205	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support First day	100	3,542.30	35.423	1,423.30	1,683.00	1,527.20	2,254.40	3,116.70	1,730.70	2,202.70
1206	Intensive care: Category 2 (ICU): Cases requiring active system support Subsequent days, per day	50	1,771.20	35.423	711.60	841.50	763.60	1,127.20	1,558.40	865.30	1,101.20
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	639.80	10.663	854.00	1,009.80	916.30	1,352.60	1,870.00	1,038.30	1,321.50
2802	Procedures for pain relief: Peripheral nerve block	25	885.60	35.423	355.80	420.80	381.80	563.60	779.20	432.60	550.60

HEALTHMAN RHEUMATHOLOGY COSTING GUIDE 2014

Payment Arrangments											
Code	Terminology	Average Duration Professional	HealthMan Private Tariff (VAT Incl.)	HealthMan RCF	DH Prem A In Hosp.	DH Prem A Out Hosp.	DH Prem B	DH Classic Rate	DH Exec Rate	FedHealth DPA	FedHealth DPA
		<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>
					137%	162%	147%	217%	300%	165%	210%
3604*	Bone densitometry (to be charged once only for one or more levels done at the same session)	77	1,163.00	15.104	1,552.50	1,835.80	1,665.80	2,459.10	3,399.60	1,887.40	2,402.20
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	508.20	10.164	678.40	802.20	727.90	1,074.60	1,485.60	824.80	1,049.80
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	508.20	10.164	678.40	802.20	727.90	1,074.60	1,485.60	824.80	1,049.80
5102*	Ultrasound of joints (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee), per joint	50	508.20	10.164	678.40	802.20	727.90	1,074.60	1,485.60	824.80	1,049.80
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	1,510.80	35.423	607.00	717.80	651.30	961.50	1,329.30	738.00	939.30
Note:											
<p>1. Codes, Descriptors and Unit Values have been extracted from the SAMA Electronic Medical Doctors Coding Manual (eMDCM) previously known</p> <p>2. Tariffs may differ due to rounding</p> <p>3. Above codes are the most frequently used codes and is not all inclusive of all the codes</p> <p>4. Increases from 2013 are as follow:</p> <p>a. GEMS = 2013 Scheme Tariff +3.34% for consultations and +6% for procedures</p> <p>b. Discovery Health = 2013 Tariff +6%</p> <p>c. Profmed = 2013 Tariff +6%</p> <p>d. Fedhealth = 2013 Tariff +5.4%</p> <p>e. The HealthMan Private Tariff has been fixed at a maximum RCF of R35.423. This RCF is based on updated costing studies for Paediatricians in</p> <p>6. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.</p> <p>7. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate*</p> <p>8. All Tariffs are inclusive of VAT</p>											
Disclaimer:											
The above schedule is based on information available to HealthMan and HealthMan will NOT be held responsible for any losses incurred by practit											
Legend:											
DH = Discovery Health											
DPA = Direct Payment Arrangement											
Prem = Premier											
R = Rand											
RCF = Rand Conversion Factor (Rand Value per Unit)											
VAT = Value Added Tax											