

2017 Rates for Physios, Chiros & Osteos

Workers Compensation/Motor Vehicle Accidents

The following table summarises the frequently used codes by physiotherapists, chiropractors and osteopaths. The following charges for services are applicable from <u>1 January 2017</u> onward. To be used as a guide only. Your practice should consult your authority body for a confirmation of fees and charges.

All amounts are exclusive of GST, if applicable. Information and wording provided online at the SIRA website at http://www.sira.nsw.gov.au.

Physio Item	Chiro Item	Osteo Item	Max Fee	Service Description
Normal Practice	Normal Practice	Normal Practice		
PTA001	CHA001	OSA001	\$92.30	Initial Consultation and Treatment
PTA002	CHA002	OSA002	\$78.20	Standard consultation and treatment
PTA003	CHA031	OSA003	\$139.40	Initial consultation and treatment of two (2) distinct areas
PTA004	CHA032	OSA004	\$118.00	Standard consultation and treatment of two (2) distinct areas
PTA005	CHA033	OSA005	\$156.30	Complex treatment
PTA006	CHA010	OSA006	\$55.40/participant	Group/class intervention
N/A	CHA004	N/A	\$141.00	Spine X-rays performed by a Chiropractor
Home Visit	Home Visit	Home Visit		
PTA007	CHA005	OSA007	\$113.70	Initial consultation and treatment
PTA008	CHA006	OSA008	\$91.00	Standard consultation and treatment
PTA009	CHA071	OSA009	\$167.80	Initial consultation and treatment of two (2) distinct areas
PTA010	CHA072	OSA010	\$143.70	Standard consultation and treatment of two (2) distinct areas
PTA011	CHA073	OSA011	\$184.80	Complex treatment
Other	Other	Other		
PTA012	CHA081	OSA012	\$15.40/5 minutes / \$184.80/hour (Note: maximum charge of 1 hour for report writing)	Case conference/Report writing (only when requested by the insurer)

PTA013	CHA082	OSA013	\$184.80 (maximum)	Work Related Activity assessment, consultation and treatment (cannot be used for aquatic therapy/hydrotherapy)
PTA014	CHA009	OSA014	Reimbursed in accordance with the "Use of private motor vehicle" set out in Item 6 Table 1 (Rates and Allowances) to Part B (Monetary Rates) of the Crown Employees (Public Service Conditions of Employment) Reviewed Award 2009.	Travel (requires pre-approval by the insurer).
OAD001	OAD001	OAD001	Cost price	Incidental expenses e.g. strapping, tape, theraband, exercise putty, etc. Note: This code does not apply to external facility fees
WCO005	WCO005	WCO005	The maximum fee for providing hard copies of clinical records is \$38 (for 33 pages or less) and an additional \$1.40 per page if more than 33 pages. If the clinical records are provided electronically, a flat fee of \$38 applies.	Fees for providing copies of clinical notes and records.
OAS003	OAS003	OAS003	\$35.60 + GST (Initial AHRR per claim only) All other Allied Health Recovery Requests submissions are not subject to a fee.	Submission of an Initial Allied Health Recovery Request (AHRR) only.

If your patient has been involved in an accident, they may be entitled to compensation and hence, be able to <u>seek appropriate medical treatment as required and more frequently</u>, without apprehension of being accountable for medical costs.

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