

Australian Government

Department of Veterans' Affairs

# **FEE SCHEDULE**

#### OF

# **DENTAL SERVICES**

For

# DENTISTS

# AND

# **DENTAL SPECIALISTS**

Effective 1 July 2025

Based on The Australian Schedule of Dental Services and Glossary, 12th Edition

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### Dental Services by Dental Therapists, Dental Hygienists and Oral Health Therapists

Dental therapists, dental hygienists and oral health therapists can provide dental services to members of the veteran community if they are:

- registered with the Dental Board of Australia and comply with approved scope of practice registration standards;
- covered by either their employer's indemnity insurance or maintain their own insurance as mandated by the Dental Board of Australia; and
- qualified and competent to provide the service.

Claims for these services are to be submitted by the dentist or dental specialist on their behalf at the current DVA dental fee.

#### Process for Schedule A – time and quantity restrictions

If there is a clinically assessed need to provide dental services *above the time and/or quantity limits* as listed in the fee schedule, dentists and dental specialists will only be required to seek prior financial authorisation for items marked with an asterisk (\*).

#### Lost or broken dentures

For the replacement of dentures that are lost or broken beyond repair, a statutory declaration from the patient must be provided and stored for audit purposes.

#### Changes to holders of Repatriation Health Card – For Specific Conditions (White Card)

• For treatment provided under the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986* (VEA) and the *Military Rehabilitation* and Compensation Act 2004 (MRCA)

Where a service is **related to the White Card holders accepted condition(s)** dental providers are not required to contact DVA for prior financial authorisation of the treatment unless otherwise specified in this fee schedule.

Providers can contact DVA (see telephone numbers listed below) if they require treatment status for White Card holders.

#### Compliance

DVA is placing a greater emphasis on the existing compliance model for the provision of all health services. DVA will maintain its commitment to working with service providers to maximise voluntary compliance. Therefore treatment must be based on assessed clinical need. It is important dental providers continue to document the clinical reasons for treatment provision to DVA entitled persons.

DVA has compliance monitoring systems which monitor the servicing and claiming patterns of health care providers. This information assists DVA to establish internal benchmarks, the current utilisation and projected future delivery of services.

#### **Further information**

http://www.dva.gov.au/providers/allied-health-professionals

#### ADDRESS AND CONTACT NUMBERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS (DVA)

Further information on dental services may be obtained from DVA. The contact details for health care providers requiring further information or prior financial authorisation for all States & Territories are listed below:

**Phone:** 1800 550 457 (Select Option 3, then Option 1)

- Email: <u>health.approval@dva.gov.au</u>
- Post: Health Approvals & Home Care Section Department of Veterans' Affairs GPO Box 9998 BRISBANE QLD 4001

#### Prior financial authorisation can only be submitted by email - <a href="https://www.health.approval@dva.gov.au">https://www.health.approval@dva.gov.au</a>

The prior approval request form can be found at: https://www.dva.gov.au/providers/services-requiring-prior-approval.

#### Information for dentists and dental specialists can be found at:

http://www.dva.gov.au/providers/dentists-dental-specialists-and-dental-prosthetists

#### **CLAIMS FOR PAYMENT**

Claim Enquiries: 1300 550 017 (Option 2 Allied Health)

For more information about claims for payment visit: <u>www.dva.gov.au/providers/how-claim</u>

#### **Claiming Online and DVA Webclaim**

DVA offers online claiming utilising Medicare Online Claiming. DVA Webclaim is available on the Department of Human Services (DHS) <u>Provider Digital Access (PRODA) Service</u>. For more information about the online solutions available:

- DVA Webclaim\Technical Support enquiries: Phone: 1800 700 199 or email: <u>eBusiness@servicesaustralia.gov.au</u>
- Billing, banking and claim enquiries: Phone: 1300 550 017
  - Visit the Services Australia Medicare website at: https://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/health-professionals

#### **Manual Claiming**

Please send all claims for payment to:

Veterans' Affairs Processing (VAP) Department of Human Services GPO Box 964 ADELAIDE SA 5001

#### **Dental Claim Forms**

DVA provider health care claim forms and vouchers are available via the DVA website or by request. Further information: <u>http://www.dva.gov.au/providers/forms-service-providers</u>

# **EXPLANATION OF THE FEE SCHEDULE**

- Schedules A, B and C together form the DVA comprehensive dental schedule. The entitlements are detailed below.
- "D" prefix refers to items that may be provided by a General Dental Practitioner.
- "S" prefix refers to items that may be provided by a Dental Specialist.
- "FBN" means Fee By Negotiation.

**Schedule** A

- Prior financial authorisation is not required for Gold Card holders (except where specified).
- Prior financial authorisation is not required for White Card holders (except where specified) provided the treatment relates to the White Card holder's accepted condition(s).
- Prior financial authorisation is required for items marked with an asterisk (\*) if treatment is provided above the quantity and/or time limits listed in Schedule A.
- No Annual Monetary Limit (AML) applies.

# <u>Schedule B</u>

- Prior financial authorisation required for all Gold and White Card holders.
  - No AML applies.
- Prior financial authorisation is generally not required (see exceptions below).
- Prior financial authorisation is generally not required for White Card holders (see exceptions below) provided the treatment is related to the White Card holder's accepted condition(s).
- Gold and White Card holders are not entitled to receive unlimited gold crowns.
- An AML applies for all items listed as Schedule C items. This limit is not cumulative and cannot be used in subsequent years.
- DVA will pay up to a total of \$2920.05 for each calendar year from 2025 for all services provided from Schedule C.
- DVA Dental Advisers have no discretion in the application of the Schedule C AML.

# Schedule C

#### Exceptions:

- The AML does not apply to all ex-POWs and entitled persons with a relevant dental accepted disability who are receiving dental treatment related to accepted war-caused disabilities or malignant neoplasia involving oral tissues.
- Prior financial authorisation is required for treatment plans that include Schedule C items for entitled persons who are exempt from the AML.

#### **Provision of dentures for radiation therapy patients:**

A patient with a history of oral pathology needs to have a consultation with a dentist or specialist

# CATEGORY 000 DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES

#### EXAMINATIONS

<u>Note 1</u>: Prior financial authorisation is required for orthodontic, oral medicine and prosthodontic specialists claiming items 014 and 015.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Comprehensive oral examination	D011	No	63.40	Limit of one (1) per provider every two years after previous 011 or 012. Limit applies to the same provider.	A
Periodic oral	D012	No	52.65	Limit of one (1) per provider	А
examination	S012	No	52.65	every 6 months. Limit applies to the same provider.	А
Oral examination –	D013	No	33.15	Limit of three (3) per three	А
limited	S013	No	33.15	month period.	А
Consultation	S014	No	76.50	See Note 1.	А
				Not claimable by general dentists	
Consultation - extended	S015	No	125.15	See Note 1.	А
(30 mins)				Limit of one (1) per provider per 12 month period.	
Consultation by referral	D016	Yes	123.70	Payable only when	В
from DVA	S016	Yes	181.85	specifically requested by DVA. Includes report to DVA.	В
				Subject to GST.	

## EXAMINATIONS (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Consultation by referral - extended (30 mins or more)	S017	No	247.75	May only be claimed by oral medicine and special needs dentistry specialists.	А
Comprehensive	D018	Yes	56.75	Claimable only when	В
clinical report (not elsewhere included)	S018	Yes	56.75	specifically requested by DVA. Report must be kept on patient's file.	В
				Subject to GST.	
S6A typed letter of	*D019	No	13.45	Limit of one (1) per provider	А
referral. This must be a detailed typed referral.	*S019	No	13.45	per 12 month period. A copy of this referral must be retained by provider.	А

#### **RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION AND INTERPRETATION**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Intraoral periapical or b	oitewing	radiograph	– per exposu	re.	
Claim the higher fee fo for each subsequent rad	-	-	•	ograph each day and claim the st	ep-down fee
First exposure only	*D022 *S022	No No	44.65 44.65	Limit of six (6) per day – one initial and five subsequent exposures. For use of radiographs in endodontics refer to Note 9.	A A
Each subsequent exposure (on same day)	*D022 *S022	No No	36.75 36.75	See above.	A A
Intraoral radiograph- occlusal, maxillary or mandibular – per exposure	D025 S025	No No	74.10 74.10		A A

## RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION AND INTERPRETATION (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Extraoral radiograph-	D031	No	84.45		А
maxillary, mandibular – per exposure	S031	No	84.45		А
Lateral, antero-posterior, postero-anterior or submento-vertex radiograph of the skull – per exposure	S033	No	158.50	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	A
Radiograph of temporomandibular joint – per exposure	S035	No	121.85		А
Cephalometric radiograph – lateral, antero-posterior, postero-anterior or submento-vertex – per exposure	S036	No	178.95	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	A
Panoramic radiograph –	D037	No	113.50		А
per exposure	S037	No	113.50		А
Hand-wrist radiograph for skeletal age assessment	S038	No	106.20	Age limit applies - 18 years or under. Limit of one (1) per 12	А
				month period per provider.	
Computed tomography	D039	No	179.05	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
of the skull or parts thereof	S039	No	179.05	month period.	А

#### OTHER DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES

DESCRIPTION	Item	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Saliva screening test	D047	No	48.85	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
	S047	No	48.85	month period.	А
Biopsy of tissue	D051	No	149.25		А
	S051	No	149.25		А
Pulp testing – per	D061	No	-	No fee payable - part of	А
appointment	S061	No	-	examination.	А
Diagnostic model –	D071	No	72.85	Limit of two (2) models per	А
per model	S071	No	72.85	appointment (that is, one upper and one lower).	А
				The preparation of a model, from an impression. The model is used for examination and treatment planning procedures.	
				This item should not be used to describe a working model.	
Photographic records	D072	No	39.20	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
– intraoral	S072	No	39.20	month period.	А
				Fee to include all photographs taken, not per photograph.	
Photographic records	D073	No	39.20	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
– extraoral	S073	No	39.20	month period.	А
				Fee to include all photographs taken, not per photograph.	
Diagnostic wax-up	D074	Yes	191.60	For use in complex	В
	S074	Yes	287.35	prosthodontic cases only.	В
Cephalometric analysis, excluding radiographs	S081	No	78.20	May only be claimed with item 881.	А
Tooth-jaw size prediction analysis	*S082	No	127.30	Age limit applies 18 years or under.	А
				Limit of one (1) per 12 month period per provider.	

# **CATEGORY 100 PREVENTIVE SERVICES**

#### DENTAL PROPHYLAXIS

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	<b>P</b> RIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Removal of plaque	D111	No	64.80	Limit of one (1) per six	А
and/or stain.	S111	No	64.80	month period.	А
Recontouring and	D113	No	24.60		А
<ul><li>polishing of pre-</li><li>existing restoration(s)</li><li>– per appointment</li></ul>	S113	No	24.60		А
Removal of calculus -	D114	No	108.05	Limit of one (1) per six	А
first appointment	S114	No	108.05	month period.	А
Removal of calculus -	D115	No	70.30	Limit of two (2) per 12	А
subsequent appointment	S115	No	70.30	month period.	А
Bleaching, internal -	D117	No	231.10	For non-vital discoloured	А
per tooth	S117	No	231.10	tooth. Limit of two (2) teeth per 12 month period.	А

#### **REMINERALISING AGENTS**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Topical application of remineralising and/or cariostatic agents, one treatment	D121 S121	No No	41.70 41.70	Limit of one (1) per six month period.	A A
Concentrated remineralising and /or cariostatic agent, application – single tooth	D123 S123	No No	32.65 32.65	Limit of one (1) per appointment.	A A

#### **OTHER PREVENTIVE SERVICES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Dietary analysis and	D131	No	43.85	Where a full appointment of	А
advice	S131	No	43.85	at least 15 minutes is used.	А
				Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	
Oral hygiene	D141	No	59.60	Where a full appointment of	А
instruction	S141	No	59.60	at least 15 minutes is used.	А
				Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	
Provision of a	D151	No	181.00	Subject to GST.	А
mouthguard – indirect	S151	No	181.00		А
Fissure and/or tooth	D161	No	55.55		А
surface sealing-per tooth	S161	No	55.55		А
Desensitising	D165	No	32.65		А
procedure - per appointment	S165	No	32.65		А
Odontoplasty- per	D171	No	61.20	Limit of one (1) per	А
tooth	S171	No	61.20	appointment.	А

# **CATEGORY 200 PERIODONTICS**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	<b>P</b> RIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Treatment of acute	D213	No	84.00	Limit of two (2)	А
periodontal infection – per appointment	S213	No	84.00	appointments per 12 month period.	А
Clinical periodontal	D221	No	63.80	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
analysis and recording	S221	No	169.80	month period.	А
Periodontal	D222	No	31.40	Limit of 10 per appointment,	А
debridement - per tooth	S222	No	43.35	maximum 20 per 12 month period.	А
Non-surgical	*D223	No	31.40	Limit of five (5) per	А
treatment of peri- implant disease – per implant	*S223	No	43.35	appointment, maximum 10 per 12 month period.	А

## **CATEGORY 200 PERIODONTICS (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Gingivectomy - per	D231	Yes	FBN	Limit of 10 per appointment, 20	В
tooth	S231	Yes	FBN	per 12 month period.	В
Periodontal flap	D232	Yes	FBN	Limit of 10 per appointment, 20	В
surgery - per tooth	S232	Yes	FBN	per 12 month period.	В
Surgical treatment of peri-implant disease - per implant	S233	Yes	FBN		В
Application of biologically active material	S234	Yes	FBN		В
Gingival graft – per tooth or implant	S235	No	637.35	Limit of two (2) per 12 month period.	А
Guided tissue regeneration - per tooth or implant	S236	Yes	637.35		В
Guided tissue regeneration – membrane removal	S237	No	327.95		А
Periodontal flap	D238	No	455.25		А
surgery for crown lengthening-per tooth	S238	No	673.75		А
Root resection – per	D241	No	260.80		А
root	S241	No	325.95		А
Osseous surgery - per	D242	Yes	FBN		В
tooth or implant	S242	Yes	FBN		В
Osseous graft -per	D243	Yes	FBN		В
tooth or implant	S243	Yes	FBN		В
Osseous graft – block	S244	Yes	FBN	Limit one (1) per 12 month period.	В
Periodontal surgery	*D245	No	95.60	Limit of one (1) per 12 month	А
involving one tooth	*S245	No	190.95	period.	А

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Maxillary sinus augmentation – Trans-alveolar technique – per sinus	S246	Yes	948.85	Will only be approved where applicable as part of an entire treatment plan that includes implants.	В
Maxillary sinus augmentation – Lateral wall approach – per sinus	S247	Yes	948.85	Will only be approved where applicable as part of an entire treatment plan that includes implants.	В
Active Non-surgical Periodontal Therapy - per quadrant	D250 S250	No No	177.70 355.30	Limit of four (4) per 12 month period. Only claim as per quadrants of teeth treated.	A
Supportive Periodontal Therapy - per appointment	D251 S251	No No	190.95 331.50	Limit of three (3) per 12 month period.	А

# CATEGORY 300 ORAL SURGERY

#### EXTRACTIONS

**Note 2:** For items 311, 314, 322, 323 and 324 DVA will pay the higher fee for the first extracted tooth from each quadrant and pay a step down fee for the second and subsequent extractions from the same quadrant on the same day. Where the teeth are not clearly identified on the D919, DVA will pay the higher fee for the first extracted tooth and pay the step down fee for the second and subsequent extractions. All items inclusive of local anaesthesia and routine post-operative care.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Removal of a tooth or p	oart(s) the	ereof			
1 <sup>st</sup> tooth extracted	D311	No	158.15	See Note 2.	А
from each quadrant	S311	No	196.45		А
Step down fee for	D311	No	99.65		А
second tooth in same quadrant	<i>S311</i>	No	127.15		А
Sectional removal of a	tooth.				<u> </u>
1 <sup>st</sup> sectional removal	D314	No	202.10	See Note 2.	А
from each quadrant	S314	No	268.95		А
Step down fee for	D314	No	133.55		А
second tooth in same quadrant	S314	No	177.55		А

#### SURGICAL EXTRACTIONS

DESCRIPTION	Item	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	SCHEDULE
Surgical removal of a te	ooth or to	oth fragme	ent not requir	ing removal of bone or tooth div	ision.
1 <sup>st</sup> tooth extracted	D322	No	256.65	See Note 2.	А
from each quadrant	S322	No	341.20		А
Step down fee for	D322	No	170.80		А
second tooth in same quadrant	\$322	No	212.30		А
Surgical removal of a to	both or to	oth fragme	ent requiring	removal of bone.	

1 <sup>st</sup> tooth extracted from each quadrant	D323	No	293.15	See Note 2.	A
	S323	No	423.55		A
Step down fee for	D323	No	210.00		А
second tooth in same quadrant	<i>S323</i>	No	278.00		А
Surgical removal of a to	ooth or to	oth fragme	ent requiring	both removal of bone and tooth	division.
1 <sup>st</sup> tooth extracted	D324	No	394.30	See Note 2.	А
from each quadrant	S324	No	524.45		А
Step down fee for	D324	No	259.90		А
second tooth in same quadrant	<i>S324</i>	No	346.05		А

#### SURGERY FOR PROSTHESES

**Note 3:** Fee exclusive of fee for extraction. Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Alveolectomy - per	D331	No	160.00	See Note 3.	А
segment	S331	No	201.55		А
Ostectomy – per jaw	S332	No	535.25	See Note 3.	А
Reduction of fibrous	D337	No	225.00	See Note 3.	А
tuberosity	S337	No	299.15		А

#### SURGERY FOR PROSTHESES (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Reduction of flabby	D338	No	127.40	See Note 3.	А
ridge - per segment	S338	No	182.15	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	А
Removal of	D341	No	203.95	See Note 3.	А
hyperplastic tissue	S341	No	437.05	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	А
				Not for tooth-associated soft tissue treatment.	
Repositioning of muscle attachment	S343	No	491.75	See Note 3.	А
Vestibuloplasty	S344	No	521.40	See Note 3.	А
Skin or mucosal graft	S345	Yes	479.25	See Note 3.	В

#### TREATMENT OF MAXILLO-FACIAL INJURIES

<u>Note 4</u>: Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	SCHEDULE
Repair of skin and	D351	No	192.75	See Note 4.	А
subcutaneous tissue or mucous membrane	S351	No	256.35		А
Fracture of maxilla or mandible – not requiring fixation	S352	No	224.40	See Note 4.	А
Fracture of maxilla or mandible – with wiring of teeth or intra-oral fixation	S353	No	706.90	See Note 4.	А
Fracture of maxilla or mandible – with external fixation	S354	No	706.90	See Note 4.	А
Fracture of zygoma	S355	No	939.85	See Note 4.	А

Fracture requiring open reduction	S359	No	759.40	See Note 4.	А
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#### DISLOCATIONS

<u>Note 5</u>: Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Mandible – relocation following dislocation	S361	No	71.55	See Note 5.	А
Mandible – relocation requiring open operation	S363	No	206.80	See Note 5.	А

#### OSTEOTOMIES

<u>Note 6</u>: Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	<b>P</b> RIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Osteotomy – maxilla	S365	No	1681.40	See Note 6.	А
Osteotomy – mandible	S366	No	1681.40	See Note 6.	А

#### **GENERAL SURGICAL**

<u>Note 7</u>: Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Removal of tumour, cyst or scar – cutaneous, subcutaneous or in mucous membrane	S371	No	247.55	See Note 7. Limit one (1) per appointment	Α

Removal of tumour, cyst or scar involving muscle, bone or other deep tissue.	S373	No	877.35	See Note 7.	А
Surgery to salivary duct	S375	No	772.50	See Note 7.	А

#### GENERAL SURGICAL (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Surgery to salivary gland	S376	No	261.85	See Note 7.	А
Removal or repair of soft tissue (not elsewhere defined)	D377 S377	No No	244.10 324.95	See Note 7.	A A
Surgical removal of foreign body	D378 S378	No No	138.15 183.65	See Note 7.	A A
Marsupialisation of cyst	S379	No	473.50	See Note 7.	А

#### **OTHER SURGICAL PROCEDURES**

**Note 8:** Procedures described in this section include insertion of sutures, normal post-operative care and suture removal.

D	<b>X</b>	<b>D</b>	FEE \$	0	0
DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	(EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	SCHEDULE
Surgical exposure of	D381	Yes	FBN	See Note 8.	В
unerupted tooth – per tooth	S381	Yes	418.80		В
Surgical exposure and attachment of device for orthodontic traction	\$382	Yes	475.00	See Note 8.	В
Repositioning of	D384	No	229.90	See Note 8.	А
displaced tooth/teeth – per tooth	S384	No	306.50		А
Surgical repositioning of unerupted tooth – per tooth	S385	Yes	475.00	See Note 8.	В
Splinting of displaced	D386	No	237.25	See Note 8.	А
tooth/teeth – per tooth	S386	No	319.40		А
Replantation and	D387	No	464.35	See Note 8.	А
splinting of a tooth – per tooth	S387	No	617.60		А
Transplantation of tooth or tooth bud	S388	Yes	709.05	See Note 8.	В
Surgery to isolate and preserve neurovascular tissue	S389	No	226.55	See Note 8.	А
Frenectomy	D391	No	213.00	See Note 8.	А
	S391	No	283.35		А
Drainage of abscess	D392	No	116.70	See Note 8.	А
	S392	No	148.65		А
Surgery involving the maxillary antrum	S393	Yes	948.85	See Note 8.	В

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Surgery for osteomylitis	S394	No	619.60	See Note 8.	А
Repair of nerve trunk	S395	No	1243.70	See Note 8.	А

# **CATEGORY 400 ENDODONTICS**

**Note 9:** A maximum of four (4) radiographs are payable per tooth, for each course of endodontic treatment. Item fees include all other radiographs.

#### PULP and ROOT CANAL TREATMENTS

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Direct pulp capping	*D411	No	42.05	See Note 9.	А
	*S411	No	55.80		А
Incomplete	*D412	No	143.85	See Note 9.	А
endodontic therapy (tooth not suitable for further treatment)	*S412	No	229.90		А
Pulpotomy	*D414	No	91.65	See Note 9.	А
	*S414	No	106.20		А

#### PULP and ROOT CANAL TREATMENTS (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Complete chemo-	*D415	No	257.95	See Note 9.	А
mechanical preparation of root canal – one canal	*S415	No	477.50		А
Complete chemo-	*D416	No	122.95	See Note 9.	А
mechanical preparation of root	*S416	No	244.10		А
canal – each additional canal					
Root canal obturation	*D417	No	251.30	See Note 9.	А
– one canal	*S417	No	477.50		А
Root canal obturation	*D418	No	117.65	See Note 9.	А
– each additional canal	*S418	No	244.10		А
Extirpation of pulp or	D419	No	166.05		А
debridement of root canal(s) – emergency or palliative	S419	No	199.45		А
Resorbable root canal	*D421	No	143.85	See note 9.	А
filling – primary tooth	*S421	No	229.90	Limit of one (1) per primary tooth	А

#### PERIRADICULAR SURGERY

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Periapical curettage –	D431	No	364.30	See Note 9.	А
per root	S431	No	491.75	Item cannot be claimed with 432 and 434	А
Apicectomy – per	D432	No	364.30	See Note 9.	А
root	S432	No	491.75	Includes curettage.	А
Exploratory	D433	No	153.25	Limit of one (1) per 12	А
periradicular surgery	S433	No	191.60	month period.	А
				Not claimable with items 431, 432, 434, 436, 437 and 438.	
Apical seal - per	D434	No	437.05	See Note 9.	А
canal	S434	No	637.35	Includes apicectomy and periapical curettage.	А
Sealing of perforation	D436	No	229.40	See Note 9.	А
	S436	No	455.25	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	А
Surgical treatment	D437	No	318.65	See Note 9.	А
and repair of an external root resorption – per tooth	S437	No	446.05	Limit of one (1) per 12 month period.	А
Hemisection	D438	No	293.15	See Note 9.	А
	S438	No	423.55		А

#### OTHER ENDODONTIC SERVICES

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Exploration and/or	D445	No	127.30	See Note 9.	А
negotiation of a calcified canal – per canal, per appointment	S445	No	169.80		А
Removal of root	D451	No	127.30	See Note 9.	А
filling – per canal	S451	No	169.80		А
Removal of cemented	D452	No	127.30	See Note 9.	А
root canal post or post crown	S452	No	159.15		А
Removal or	D453	No	106.20	See Note 9.	А
bypassing fractured endodontic instrument	S453	No	148.65		А
Additional	*D455	No	127.30	Within three months of items	А
appointment for irrigation and/or dressing of the root canal system – per tooth	*S455	No	169.80	415 or 416. Appointment for irrigation only – cannot be paid with any other item.	А
Obturation of	D457	No	127.30	See Note 9.	А
resorption defect or perforation (non- surgical)	S457	No	169.80	Limit of one (1) per tooth.	А
Interim therapeutic	D458	No	169.80	No other endodontic	А
root filling – per tooth	S458	No	190.95	treatment on the same tooth within three months.	А
				Limit of three (3) in a 12 month period.	

# **CATEGORY 500 RESTORATIVE SERVICES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Metallic restoration	D511	No	125.55		А
- one surface	S511	No	125.55		А
Metallic restoration	D512	No	153.90		А
- two surfaces	S512	No	153.90		А
Metallic restoration	D513	No	183.75		А
- three surfaces	S513	No	183.75		А
Metallic restoration	D514	No	209.45		А
- four surfaces	S514	No	209.45		А
Metallic restoration	D515	No	239.05		А
- five surfaces	S515	No	239.05		А

#### **METALLIC RESTORATIONS - DIRECT**

#### **ADHESIVE RESTORATIONS – ANTERIOR TEETH – DIRECT**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Adhesive restoration	D521	No	139.10		А
- one surface - anterior tooth	S521	No	139.10		А
Adhesive restoration	D522	No	168.85		А
- two surfaces - anterior tooth	S522	No	168.85		А
Adhesive restoration	D523	No	199.95		А
<ul><li> three surfaces</li><li> anterior tooth</li></ul>	S523	No	199.95		А
Adhesive restoration	D524	No	231.10		А
<ul><li>four surfaces</li><li>anterior tooth</li></ul>	S524	No	231.10		А
Adhesive restoration	D525	No	271.55		А
<ul><li>five surfaces</li><li>anterior tooth</li></ul>	S525	No	322.85		А
Adhesive restoration	D526	No	271.55	Annual limit applies.	С
<ul> <li>veneer – anterior</li> <li>tooth – direct</li> </ul>	S526	No	322.85		С

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	SCHEDULE
Adhesive restoration	D531	No	148.60		А
- one surface - posterior tooth	S531	No	148.60		А
Adhesive restoration	D532	No	186.55		А
- two surfaces - posterior tooth	S532	No	186.55		А
Adhesive restoration	D533	No	224.25		А
<ul><li> three surfaces</li><li> posterior tooth</li></ul>	S533	No	224.25		А
Adhesive restoration	D534	No	252.55		А
<ul><li>four surfaces</li><li>posterior tooth</li></ul>	S534	No	252.55		А
Adhesive restoration	D535	No	291.65		А
<ul><li>five surfaces</li><li>posterior tooth</li></ul>	S535	No	378.10		А
Adhesive restoration	D536	No	271.55	Annual limit applies	С
<ul> <li>veneer – posterior</li> <li>tooth – direct</li> </ul>	S536	No	322.85		С

#### ADHESIVE RESTORATIONS - POSTERIOR TEETH - DIRECT

#### **METALLIC RESTORATIONS - INDIRECT**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Metallic restoration	D541	No	655.45	Annual limit applies.	С
– one surface	S541	No	655.45		С
Metallic restoration	D542	No	837.60	Annual limit applies.	С
– two surfaces	S542	No	837.60		С
Metallic restoration	D543	No	1092.60	Annual limit applies.	С
– three surfaces	n D543 No 1092.60 Annual limit applies. S543 No 1092.60		С		
Metallic restoration	D544	No	1220.05	Annual limit applies.	С
- four surfaces	S544	No	1220.05		С
Metallic restoration	D545	No	1365.65	Annual limit applies.	С
- five surfaces	S545	No	1802.50		С

#### TOOTH COLOURED RESTORATIONS - INDIRECT

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Tooth-coloured	D551	No	819.50	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration - one surface	S551	No	1092.60		С
Tooth-coloured	D552	No	946.80	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration - two surfaces	S552	No	1238.35		С
Tooth-coloured	D553	No	1165.30	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration - three surfaces	S553	No	1565.95		С
Tooth-coloured	D554	No	1402.15	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration - four surfaces	S554	No	1693.20		С
Tooth-coloured	D555	No	1503.15	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration - five surfaces	S555	No	1802.50		С
Tooth-coloured	D556	No	1002.00	Annual limit applies.	С
restoration – veneer – indirect	S556	No	1092.60		С

#### **OTHER RESTORATIVE SERVICES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Provisional	D572	No	58.75	Not claimable with	А
(intermediate/ temporary)	S572	No	58.75	endodontic items except 419. Limit of three (3) per three	А
restoration – per tooth				month period.	
Metal band	D574	No	49.55		А
	S574	No	49.55		А
Pin retention	D575	No	33.90	Limit of three (3) per tooth.	А
– per pin	S575	No	33.90	Limit of six (6) pins payable.	А
Cusp capping – per	D577	No	36.60	Limit of two (2) cusps per	А
cusp	S577	8 No 36.60 Limit of two (2) per tooth.	А		
Restoration of an	D578	No	36.60	Limit of two (2) per tooth.	А
incisal corner – per corner	S578	No	36.60		А
Bonding of tooth	D579	No	116.70	Limit of one (1) per	А
fragment	S579	No	148.65	appointment	Α
Crown – metallic –	*D586	No	309.60	No other crown item number	А
with tooth preparation – preformed	*\$586	No	418.80	to be claimed on the same tooth within six (6) months.	А
Crown – metallic –	*D587	No	183.75	No other crown item number	А
minimal tooth preparation – preformed	*S587	No	183.75	to be claimed on the same tooth within six (6) months.	А
Crown – tooth-	*D588	No	309.60	No other crown item number	А
coloured – preformed	*S588	No	418.80	to be claimed on the same tooth within six (6) months.	А
Removal of indirect	D595	No	116.70		А
restoration	S595	No	169.80		А
Recementing of	D596	No	95.35		А
indirect restoration	S596	No	95.35		А

## **OTHER RESTORATIVE SERVICES (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Post – direct					
$-1^{st}$ post in a tooth	D597	No	180.45	Limit of two (2) posts per	А
	S597	No	233.35	tooth.	А
– Step down fee for					А
subsequent posts in the same tooth	D597	No	106.20		А
in the sume tooth	S597	No	127.30		

# **CATEGORY 600 CROWN AND BRIDGE**

#### CROWNS

DESCRIPTION	Item	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Full crown	D611	No	1112.35	Annual limit applies.	C
<ul><li>acrylic resin</li><li>indirect</li></ul>	S611	No	1479.50		C
Full crown	D613	No	1617.70	Annual limit applies.	С
<ul><li>non metallic</li><li>indirect</li></ul>	S613	No	2151.60		С
Full crown	D615	No	1521.85	Annual limit applies.	С
- veneered - indirect	S615	No	2374.20		C
Full crown	D618	No	1426.00	Annual limit applies.	C
- metallic - indirect	S618	No	1899.25		C
Core for crown	D625	No	385.10	Annual limit applies.	C
including post – indirect	S625	No	512.10		C
Preliminary	D627	No	159.15	Annual limit applies.	C
restoration for crown – direct	S627	No	212.30		С
Post and root cap –	D629	No	403.30	Annual limit applies.	С
indirect	S629	No	519.90		С

## TEMPORARY (PROVISIONAL) CROWN, BRIDGE OR IMPLANT

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Provisional crown – per tooth	*D631 *S631	No No	183.65 183.65	No other crown item number to be claimed on same tooth within six (6) months.	A A
Provisional bridge - per pontic	*D632 *S632	No No	364.30 473.50	No other crown item number to be claimed on same tooth within six (6) months.	A A

Provisional implant crown abutment – per abutment	*D633 *S633	No No	183.65 183.65	No other crown item number to be claimed on same tooth within 6 months.	A A

#### BRIDGES

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Bridge pontic	D642	No	1165.30	Annual limit applies.	С
- direct - per pontic	S642	No	1565.95		С
Bridge pontic	D643	No	1242.50	Annual limit applies.	С
- indirect - per pontic	S643	No	1565.95		С
Semi-fixed	D644	No	280.45	Annual limit applies.	С
attachment	S644	No	509.70		С
Precision or magnetic attachment	D645	No	356.85	Annual limit applies.	С
	S645	No	458.90		С
Retainer for bonded	D649	No	473.50	Annual limit applies.	С
fixture – indirect – per tooth	S649	No	637.35		С

#### **CROWN AND BRIDGE REPAIRS AND OTHER SERVICES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Recementing crown	D651	No	124.25		А
or veneer	S651	No	141.40		А
Recementing bridge	D652	No	121.35		А
or splint – per abutment	S652	No	161.45		А
Rebonding of bridge	D653	No	110.35		А
or splint where retreatment of bridge surface is required	S653	No	150.75		А
Removal of crown	D655	No	74.20		А
	S655	No	95.60		А
Removal of bridge or	D656	No	222.80		А
splint	S656	No	222.80		А
Repair of crown, bridge or splint	D658 and	No	280.45	Both items must be claimed.	С
- indirect	D472	No	224.40	658 to be claimed for GST- free component of service.	С
				472 (labour, lab. costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	
				Annual limit applies.	
Repair of crown/bridge or	S658 and	No	280.45	Both items must be claimed.	С
splint – indirect	S472	No	224.40	658 to be claimed for GST- free component of service.	С
				472 (labour, lab. costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	
				Annual limit applies.	
Repair of crown,	D659	No	356.85	Annual limit applies.	С
bridge or splint - direct	S659	No	535.25		С

#### **IMPLANT PROSTHESES**

**Note 10**: Requests for osseointegrated implants should be directed to DVA. Where implants are provided in a public hospital, in some States, the cost of the prostheses are included in the bed rate and therefore the specialist may need to liaise with the hospital as to payment or arrangements for the equipment to be provided for the surgery.

Fees include cost of consumables and hardware.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Fitting of implant	D661	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
abutment – per abutment	S661	Yes	FBN		В
Removal of implant and/or retention device	S663	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Fitting of bar for denture – per abutment	S664	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Prosthesis with metal frame attached to implants - fixed – per arch	S666	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Fixture or abutment	D668	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
screw removal and replacement	S668	Yes	FBN		В
Removal and	D669	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
reattachment of prosthesis fixed to implant(s) – per implant	S669	Yes	FBN		В
Full crown attached	D671	Yes	1617.70	See Note 10.	В
to osseointegrated implant - non metallic - indirect	S671	Yes	2151.60		В
Full crown attached	D672	Yes	1832.60	See Note 10.	В
to osseointegrated implant - veneered - indirect	S672	Yes	2374.20		В

#### **IMPLANT PROSTHESES (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Full crown attached	D673	Yes	1428.05	See Note 10.	В
to osseointegrated implant	S673	Yes	1899.25		В
-metallic -indirect					
Diagnostic template	S678	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
				Limit one (1) per 12 months	
Surgical implant guide	S679	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Insertion of first stage of two-stage endosseous implant - per implant	S684	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Insertion of one-stage endosseous implant – per implant	S688	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
Provisional retention	S690	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В
or anchorage device				Maximum two (2) per course of treatment. For use with 881 only.	
Second stage surgery of two stage endosseous implant – per implant	S691	Yes	FBN	See Note 10.	В

# **CATEGORY 700 PROSTHODONTICS**

#### DENTURES AND DENTURE COMPONENTS

**Note 11:** DVA will pay for dentures every six (6) years and a reline every two (2) years. DVA will not pay for a new denture if provided within twelve months of a reline of an existing denture.

If a patient has been assessed as requiring new dentures/relines outside of the above limits, providers are no longer required to contact DVA for prior financial authorisation. **If treatment is provided outside of the above limits, providers must provide clinical justification to DVA if requested.** 

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Complete maxillary	D711	No	1149.10	See Note 11.	А
denture	S711	No	1149.10		А
Complete mandibular	D712	No	1149.10	See Note 11.	А
denture	S712	No	1149.10		А
Provisional complete	D713	No	861.80	This item allows for	А
maxillary denture	S713	No	861.80	provisional denture to be relined or replaced within 12 months.	А
Provisional complete	D714	No	861.80	This item allows for	А
mandibular denture	S714	No	861.80	provisional denture to be relined or replaced within 12 months.	А
Provisional complete	D715	No	1528.25	This item allows for	А
maxillary and mandibular dentures	S715	No	1528.25	provisional denture to be relined or replaced within 12 months.	А
Metal palate or plate	D716	No	As per lab	Additional to item 711, 712	А
	S716	No	invoice	or 719.	А
				Laboratory casting invoice required. Maximum amount payable \$509.85.	

## DENTURES AND DENTURE COMPONENTS (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Complete maxillary	D719	No	2037.65	See Note 11.	А
and mandibular dentures	S719	No	2037.65		А
Partial maxillary	D721	No	525.80	See Note 11.	Α
denture – resin base	S721	No	525.80	This item refers to denture base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	
Partial mandibular	D722	No	525.80	See Note 11.	А
denture – resin base	S722	No	525.80	This item refers to denture base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	
Provisional partial	D723	No	394.40	This item refers to denture	А
maxillary denture	S723	No	394.40	base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	
				This item allows for provisional denture to be relined or replaced within 12 months.	
Provisional partial	D724	No	394.40	This item refers to denture	А
mandibular denture	S724	No	394.40	base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	
				This item allows for provisional denture to be relined or replaced within 12 months.	
Partial maxillary denture – cast metal framework	D727	No	1539.30	See Note 11.	А
	S727	No	1539.30	This item refers to denture base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	

# DENTURES AND DENTURE COMPONENTS (Cont.)

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Partial mandibular	D728	No	1539.30	See Note 11.	А
denture – cast metal framework	S728	No	1539.30	This item refers to denture base only.	А
				The number of teeth are specified in item 733.	
Retainer – per tooth	D731	No	53.10		А
	S731	No	53.10		А
Occlusal rest - per	D732	No	25.90		А
rest	S732	No	25.90		А
Tooth/teeth (partial	D733	No	43.55	Maximum of 12 teeth per	А
denture)	S733	No	43.55	denture base (with partial denture items 721, 722, 723, 724, 727, 728).	А
Overlays – per tooth	D734	No	53.10	Can only be claimed with	А
	S734	No	53.10	items 727 or 728.	А
Precision or magnetic	D735	No	318.65	Limit of two (2) items per 12	А
denture attachment	S735	No	318.65	month period.	А
Immediate tooth	D736	No	11.10		А
replacement - per tooth	S736	No	11.10		А
Resilient lining	D737	No	227.85	DVA will pay for item 737	А
	S737	No	227.85	with a new denture or items 737 and 743 together for an existing complete denture;	А
				and items 737 and 744 for an existing partial denture.	
Wrought bar	D738	No	212.30		А
	S738	No	212.30		А
Metal backing – per	D739	No	11.10	Can only be claimed with	А
backing	S739	No	11.10	items 716, 727 or 728.	А
				Only claimable where a denture tooth has its entire occlusal contact with teeth of opposing arch covered by metal.	

#### **DENTURE MAINTENANCE**

#### Note 12 A fee will not be paid for:

1. adjustment(s) to full or partial dentures within twelve (12) months following provision or relining; or

2. reline(s) or remodel(s) to each upper or lower denture within two (2) years following provision or relining (except for immediate dentures which can be relined once within two years of their provision – please specify immediate denture reline on the claim form).

#### Upper or lower denture must be specified for each claim.

If a patient has been assessed as requiring adjustments or relines outside of the above limits, providers are no longer required to contact DVA for prior financial authorisation.

# If treatment is provided outside of the above limits, providers must provide clinical justification to DVA if requested.

DESCRIPTION	Item	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Adjustment of a	D741	No	62.90	See Note 12.	А
denture	S741	No	62.90	Adjustment(s) to full or partial dentures within twelve (12) months following provision or relining by the same provider.	А
Relining	D743	No	401.05	See Note 12.	А
<ul><li>complete denture</li><li>processed</li></ul>	S743	No	582.00	For soft relines, use items 743 and 737.	А
Relining	D744	No	341.95	See Note 12.	А
<ul><li>partial denture</li><li>processed</li></ul>	S744	No	452.50	For soft relines, use items 744 and 737.	А
Remodelling	D745	Yes	FBN	See Note 12.	В
- complete denture	S745	Yes	FBN		В
Remodelling	D746	Yes	FBN	See Note 12.	В
– partial denture	S746	Yes	FBN		В
Relining	D751	No	218.60	See Note 12.	А
- complete denture - direct	S751	No	327.95	Limit of one (1) per denture every 2 years.	А
				Chair-side only. Either hard or soft material.	
				Not to be used for temporary materials i.e. tissue conditioners.	

#### **DENTURE MAINTENANCE (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Relining	D752	No	182.15	See Note 12. Limit of one	А
- partial denture - direct	S752	No	200.40	<ul><li>(1) per denture every 2 years.</li><li>Not to be used for temporary materials i.e. tissue</li></ul>	А
Cleaning and	D753	No	51.00	conditioners. Limit of one (1) per denture	A
polishing of pre- existing denture	S753	No	67.90	every 2 years. Subject to GST.	А

#### **DENTURE REPAIRS**

<u>Note 13</u>: Item 767/488 to be claimed for ANY second and subsequent reattachment/repair/replacement items performed on the same denture on the same day. Items 761 and 762 for additional clasps or teeth replaced, use multiples of 767/488. **UPR or LWR must be specified for each claim.** If a patient has been assessed as requiring repairs outside of the limits, providers are no longer required to contact DVA for prior financial authorisation.

If treatment is provided outside of the limits, providers must provide clinical justification to DVA if requested.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Reattaching pre-	D761	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
existing tooth or clasp to denture	and D482	No	127.80	<ul> <li>761 to be claimed for GST-free component of service.</li> <li>482 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.</li> <li>Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13.</li> </ul>	А

Reattaching pre-	S761	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
existing tooth or clasp to denture	and S482	No	127.80	<ul> <li>761 to be claimed for GST-free component of service.</li> <li>482 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.</li> <li>Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13.</li> </ul>	A
Replacing/adding	D762	No	181.50	See Note 13. Limit of one (1)	A
clasp to denture – per clasp	S762	No	181.50	per day per denture. GST free.	A

# **DENTURE REPAIRS (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Repairing broken	D763	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
base of a complete denture	and	NT	107.00	763 to be claimed for GST- free component of service.	
	D484	No	127.80	484 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	А
				Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13	
Repairing broken	S763	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
base of a complete denture	and			763 to be claimed for GST- free component of service.	
	S484	No	127.80	484 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	А
				Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13	
Repairing broken	<b>D764</b>	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
base of a partial denture	and		105 00	764 to be claimed for GST- free component of service.	
	D485	No	127.80	485 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	А
				Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13	

Repairing broken	S764	No	45.90	Both items must be claimed.	А
base of a partial denture	and S485	No	127.80	<ul> <li>764 to be claimed for GST-free component of service.</li> <li>485 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.</li> <li>Limit of one (1) per day per denture. See Note 13</li> </ul>	А

# **DENTURE REPAIRS (Cont.)**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Replacing/adding	D765	No	181.50	Limit of one (1) per day per	А
new tooth on denture – per tooth	S765	No	181.50	denture. See Note 13	А
Any repair or tooth	D767	No	22.65	Both items must be claimed.	А
replacement in addition to other	and			767 to be claimed for GST-	
repairs, alterations or	D488	No	49.20	free component of service.	А
other modifications for same denture on same day				488 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	
Any repair or tooth	S767	No	22.65	Both items must be claimed.	А
replacement in addition to other	and			767 to be claimed for GST-	
repairs, alterations or	S488	No	49.20	free component of service.	А
other modifications for same denture on same day				488 (labour, laboratory costs) to be claimed for GST-able component of service.	
Adding tooth to	D768	No	183.75	Limit of one (1) per day per	А
partial denture to replace an extracted	S768	No	183.75	denture.	А
or decoronated tooth -per tooth				See Note 13	
Repair or addition to	D769	No	As per lab	Limit of one (1) per day per	А
metal casting	S769	No	invoice	denture.	А
				Laboratory casting invoice required. Maximum amount payable \$330.05.	
				Subject to GST.	
				See Note 13	

## **OTHER PROSTHODONTIC SERVICES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
For provision of	D770	Yes	FBN	Non ADA item number. To	В
dentures in difficult cases including all	S770	Yes	FBN	be used in exceptional cases only – contact DVA.	В
component associated with the prosthesis*				*excluding fees for castings, itemised as D/S 716 or 769	
Tissue conditioning	D771	No	83.50	Limit of one (1) per denture	А
preparatory to impressions – per	S771	No	83.50	per appointment.	А
application				Limit of five (5) per three month period.	
				UPR or LWR must be specified.	
Splint	D772	No	418.80	A laboratory fabricated resin	А
- resin - indirect	S772	No	546.25	splint that is used to stabilise mobile or displaced teeth.	А
Splint	D773	No	418.80	A metal splint that is used to	А
- metal - indirect	S773	No	546.25	stabilise mobile or displaced teeth.	А
Obturator	D774	Yes	FBN		В
	S774	Yes	FBN		В
Impression - dental	D776	No	55.55		А
appliance repair/modification	S776	No	55.55		А
Identification	D777	No	44.50	Limit of one (1) per denture.	А
	S777	No	44.50		А

# **CATEGORY 800 ORTHODONTICS**

Note 14: Specify upper or lower for each claim. For diagnostic services see Category 000.

#### **REMOVABLE APPLIANCES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Passive removable	D811	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	В
appliance – per arch	S811	Yes	FBN	Limit of one (1) per jaw.	В
Active removable	D821	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	В
appliance – per arch	S821	Yes	FBN	Limit of one (1) per jaw.	В
Functional orthopaedic	D823	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	В
appliance – custom fabrication	S823	Yes	FBN	Limit of one (1) per jaw.	В

#### **FIXED APPLIANCES**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Partial banding	D829	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	B
- per arch	S829	Yes	FBN	Limit of one (1) per jaw.	B
Full arch banding	D831	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	B
– per arch	S831	Yes	FBN	Limit of one (1) per jaw.	B

## COMPLETE ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL Remarks	Schedule
Complete course of	D881	Yes	FBN	See Note 14.	В
orthodontic treatment	S881	Yes	FBN		В

# CATEGORY 900 GENERAL SERVICES

#### EMERGENCIES

<u>Note 15</u>: If two or more emergency treatments (item 911) have been paid for an entitled person in the previous six months, **the provider must provide clinical justification if requested by DVA**.

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Palliative care	D911	No	82.45	See Note 15.	А
	S911	No	109.65	Not to be claimed with an extraction, endodontic or restorative treatment on same tooth.	А
After hours callout	D915 S915	No No	110.70 110.70	Flat fee is claimable as an emergency loading for services provided after hours.	A A
				Limit of 3 per 3 month period.	

#### **PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Travel to provide	D916	No	80.50	One per client per day.	А
services	S916	No	80.50	One per location per day. For example, only pay once per day for travel to retirement home regardless of how many patients are seen. Note: a provider operating a mobile dental clinic is not entitled to this item.	Α
				Can be claimed without a dental item if it is part of non-billable dental treatment such as adjustments or repairs to dentures. Reasons for the travel should be provided.	

#### **Note: Kilometre Allowance**

A kilometre allowance may be paid in addition to a fee for Item 916 (*travel to provide services*) if you are required to travel from your normal place of business to visit an entitled person at home or in an

institution. The allowance will not be paid for the first 10 kilometres travelled and you must be the nearest suitable provider to the entitled person.

## **DRUG THERAPY**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Individually made tray – medicaments	*D926	No	190.95	Limit of one (1) per arch per 12 month period.	A
	*S926	No	190.95	Not to be claimed for bleaching.	А
Provision of	*D927	No	33.15	For non-prescribable (non-	А
medication/ medicament	*S927	No	33.15	RPBS) items – Fluoride & Chlorhexidine. Limit of one (1) per three month period.	А

#### ANAESTHESIA AND SEDATION

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Treatment under	D949	Yes	FBN	Items D949 and S949 can be	В
general anaesthesia provided in a hospital or day procedure centre	S949	Yes	FBN	claimed to cover the additional costs a dental provider, who does not have regular theatre times at a hospital or day procedure center, may incur when leaving their usual place of practice to undertake a procedure which requires the administration of a general anaesthesia.	В

## **OCCLUSAL THERAPY**

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	PRIOR APPROVAL	FEE \$ (Excl. GST)	SPECIAL REMARKS	Schedule
Minor occlusal	D961	Yes	FBN	Not related to any other	В
adjustment - per appointment	S961	Yes	FBN	procedure.	В
Clinical occlusal	D963	No	106.20	Limit of one (1) per three	А
analysis including muscle and joint palpation	S963	No	148.65	year period.	А
Registration and	D964	No	91.05	Limit of one (1) per three	А
mounting of casts for occlusal analysis	S964	No	109.45	year period.	А
occiusai anarysis				Cannot be claimed with items 500-899 inclusive.	
Occlusal splint	D965	No	641.55		А
	S965	No	1074.35		А
Adjustment of pre-	D966	No	91.05	Limit of four (4) per 12	А
existing occlusal splint – per appointment	S966	No	108.75	months.	А
Occlusal adjustment	D968	No	127.40	Can only be claimed following D/S963 and/or D/S964	А
following occlusal analysis – per appointment	S968	No	164.00	Limit of four (4) per year	А
Adjunctive physical	D971	No	91.05	Limit of four (4) per 12	А
therapy for temporomandibular joint and associated structures – per appointment	S971	No	109.45	month period.	A
Repair/addition –	D972	No	346.05		А
occlusal splint	S972	No	346.05		А

### MISCELLANEOUS

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Splinting and stabilisation – direct –	D981	No	116.70		А
per tooth	S981	No	148.65		А
Enamel stripping	D982	No	114.70		А
- per appointment	S982	No	114.70		А
Single arch oral	D983	Yes	FBN	Only on diagnosis of sleep	В
appliance for diagnosed snoring and obstructive snoring and sleep apnoea	S983	Yes	FBN	apnoea and prescription from a respiratory or ENT physician and consideration of treatment with CPAP.	В
Bi-maxillary oral	D984	Yes	FBN	Only on diagnosis of sleep	В
appliance for diagnosed snoring and obstructive snoring and sleep apnoea	S984	Yes	FBN	apnoea and prescription from a respiratory or ENT physician and consideration of treatment with CPAP.	В
Repair/addition -	D985	No	346.05		А
snoring or sleep apnoea device	S985	No	346.05		А
Post-operative care	*D986	No	84.95	Limit of two (2) per 12	А
where not otherwise included	*S986	No	106.20	month period.	А

#### TREATMENT NOT OTHERWISE INCLUDED

DESCRIPTION	ITEM	Prior Approval	FEE \$ (EXCL. GST)	Special Remarks	Schedule
Treatment not otherwise included	D990 S990	Yes Yes	FBN FBN	Exceptional use item only – contact DVA	B B
(specify)					