

Prior Financial Authorisation Decision Data – 2022/23 and 2023/24

Summary	Rejection	Approval	Total
2022/2023	2,147	15,078	17225
2023/2024	2,754	16,320	19074
<b>Prior Approvals by Decision Type</b>			
		2022/2023	2023/2024
Chiropractor	Approval	4	9
	Rejection	7	10
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>19</b>
Clinical psychology	Approval	164	129
	Rejection	4	12
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>141</b>
Dental	Approval	2,907	3,350
	Rejection	872	1,085
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>3,779</b>	<b>4,435</b>
Dietetics	Approval	19	16
	Rejection	10	7
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>23</b>
Exercise Physiology	Rejection	23	27
	Approval	16	26
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>53</b>
Nursing home	Rejection	6	1
	Approval	1,193	1,116
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>1,199</b>	<b>1,117</b>
Osteopathic	Approval	8	6
	Rejection	7	3
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>
Operations and procedures	Approval	283	200
	Rejection	13	16
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>216</b>
Optical supplies	Rejection	70	102
	Approval	379	339
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>441</b>
Occupational therapy	Approval	59	35
	Rejection	11	11
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>46</b>
Physiotherapy	Approval	262	211
	Rejection	59	42
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>253</b>
Podiatry	Rejection	98	159
	Approval	595	500
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>659</b>
Specialist consultations	Rejection	951	1,266
	Approval	9,059	10,317
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>10,010</b>	<b>11,583</b>
Speech pathology	Approval	13	2
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>

Social worker	Approval	3	3
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
Mental health	Approval	114	61
	Rejection	16	13
	<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>74</b>