NEUROPSYCHOLOGISTS SCHEDULE OF FEES EFFECTIVE 1 JULY 2024



Treatment Cycle

- Treatment cycle referral arrangements were introduced on 1 October 2019.
- For more information providers must refer to Notes for Allied Health Providers Section One: General and Section 2(a).

The treatment cycle does <u>not</u> apply to the following items:

CL76-78 Multi-disciplinary case conferencing

CL90 Report

Shaded items require prior financial authorisation from DVA. To obtain prior financial authorisation, please contact the DVA using the details at the end of the schedule.

FURTHER INFORMATION TO ASSIST YOU WHEN TREATING MEMBERS OF THE VETERAN COMMUNITY IS CONTAINED IN THE 'NOTES FOR MENTAL HEALTH CARE' AVAILABLE ON THE DVA WEBSITE AT:

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

ASSESSMENTS

Prior financial authorisation from DVA is required for neuropsychology assessments over four hours. To obtain prior financial authorisation, please contact DVA using the contact details at the end of the Fee Schedule.

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	REE	GST STATUS ++
CL20	Neuropsychology Assessment (1 - to less than 4 hours) (Maximum Limit Applies)	Max limit \$936.80	GST-free
CL25	Neuropsychology Assessment (4 - to less than 6 hours) (Maximum Limit Applies)	Fee By Negotiation	GST-free
CL30	Neuropsychology Assessment (6 - to less than 8 hours) (Maximum Limit Applies)	Fee By Negotiation	GST-free

TREATMENT CYCLE

This item can only be claimed after an End of Cycle Report has been submitted to the usual GP of an entitled person. Only one End of Cycle Report item can be claimed with each treatment cycle.

ITEM NO.	ITEM DESCRIPTION	FEE	GST STATUS ++
CL90	End of Cycle Report	\$33.65	Taxable

MULTI-DISCIPLINARY CASE CONFERENCING

- These items can be claimed for participating in multi-disciplinary case conferences.
- The case conference must be organised by the DVA client's usual general practitioner (GP), as defined in the Notes for allied health providers Section One: General.
- The case conference must include at least two allied health providers.
- Only one item per DVA client can be claimed in a three month period.

ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	FEE (excluding GST)	GST STATUS ++
CL76	GP initiated case conference – 15 to less than 20 minutes	\$55.65	GST-free
CL77	GP initiated case conference – 20 to less than 40 minutes	\$95.45	GST-free
CL78	GP initiated case conference – 40 minutes and over	\$158.80	GST-free

NOTES

++Recognised Professional

Paragraph 38-10(1)(b) of the GST Act states that only a 'recognised professional' can supply GST-free health services as listed in section 38-10. Please refer to section 195-1 of the GST Act for the definition of 'recognised professional' for GST purposes.

Kilometre Allowance

A kilometre allowance can be paid when you travel from your usual place of business to visit an eligible veteran to provide an assessment or treatment in their home, residential aged care facility or hospital. The kilometre allowance is not payable for the first 10 kilometres of each journey. The allowance is claimed by writing the entire distance travelled on the service voucher or in the KM field for online claiming.

DVA CONTACTS

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

PHONE NUMBER:

1800 550 457 (Select Option 3, then Option 1)

POSTAL ADDRESS FOR ALL STATES AND TERRITORIES:

Health Approvals & Home Care Section Department of Veterans' Affairs GPO Box 9998 BRISBANE OLD 4001

DVA WEBSITE:

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

DVA email for prior financial authorisation: health.approval@dva.gov.au.

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

CLAIMS FOR PAYMENT

For more information about claims for payment visit:

www.dva.gov.au/providers/how-claim

Claim Enquiries: 1300 550 017

(Option 2 Allied Health)

Claiming Online and DVA Webclaim

DVA offers online claiming utilising Medicare Online Claiming. DVA Webclaim is available on the Department of Human Services (DHS)

Provider Digital Access (PRODA) Service. For more information about the online solutions available:

DVA Webclaim\Technical Support enquiries:

Phone: 1800 700 199 or email: eBusiness@humanservices.gov.au

Billing, banking and claim enquiries: Phone:

1300 550 017

Visit the Department of Human Services' website at:

https://www.humanservices.gov.au/organisation s/health-professionals/subjects/doing-businessonline-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

DVA provider fillable and printable health care claim forms & service vouchers are also available on the DVA website at: http://www.dva.gov.au/providers/forms-service-providers