



Allied Health Professional & Dental Service Medicare Incentives

This incentive allows GPs to refer patients to a registered Private Allied Health Professional (AHP) at a subsidised cost as part of the Enhanced Primary Care Chronic Disease Management Plans, i.e. The Allied Health Professional will be able to access a Medicare Rebate.

Criteria

- Only Private Allied Health Professional (AHP) referrals (not Public Hospital)
- GP can use an approved referral form to refer patient
- AHP must have a registered provider number with Medicare Australia
- Total of 5 services per calendar year per patient (January to December)

The following Allied Health Providers are eligible for this incentive:

- Aboriginal Health Worker
- Audiologist
- Dietician
- Mental Health Worker
- Occupational Therapist
- Physiotherapist
- Chiropodist/Podiatrist
- Chiropractor
- Osteopath
- Psychologist
- Speech Pathologist
- Diabetes Educator
- Exercise Physiologist
- Dentist (for assessment & treatment)
- Dental treatment (by specialist)

Useful Links

www.medicareaustralia.gov.au

www.health.gov.au/

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