

Optometrists 2009

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NATIONAL REFERENCE PRICE LIST FOR SERVICES BY OPTOMETRISTS EFFECTIVE FROM 1 JANUARY 2009

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The following reference price list is not a set of tariffs that must be applied by medical schemes and/or providers. It is rather intended to serve as a baseline against which medical schemes can individually determine benefit levels and health service providers can individually determine fees charged to patients. Medical schemes may, for example, determine in their rules that their benefit in respect of a particular health service is equivalent to a specified percentage of the national health reference price list. It is especially intended to serve as a basis for negotiation between individual funders and individual health care providers with a view to facilitating agreements which will minimise balance billing against members of medical schemes. Should individual medical schemes wish to determine benefit structures, and individual providers determine fee structures, on some other basis without reference to this list, they may do so as well. □

In calculating the prices in this schedule, the following rounding method is used: Values R10 and below rounded to the nearest cent, R10+ rounded to the nearest 10cent. Modifier values are rounded 2006.02

RULES

MODIFIERS

ITEMS

Consultations:

11001	Optometric Examination (incl Tonometry)	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
11081	Optometric Examination & Visual Fields	2006.02	490	35.000	1.0	R	253.10
11021	Optometric-Re-examination	2006.02	490	20.000	1.0	R	144.60
11041	Consultation :15 min. without performing Optometric Exam.	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
	Diagnostic Procedures:						
11303	Cycloplegic Refraction	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
11323	Preferential Looking (Infants < Two Years)	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
11346	Corneal Topography	2006.02	490	20.000	1.0	R	144.60
11356	Gonioscopy	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11366	Dilated Fundus Examination / BIO	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11423	Visual Field	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
11443	Threshold Visual Fields	2006.02	490	25.000	1.0	R	180.80
11246	Revaluation of Colour Vision	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
11265	Evaluation of Contrast Sensitivity	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11283	Evaluation of Lacrimal System	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11604	Photography of Anterior Segment	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11624	Photography of Fundus	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11644	Photographic Materials	2006.02	490	-	1.0	R	-
	Procedures done in isolation						
11141	Evaluation of Refractive Status	2006.02	490	20.000	1.0	R	144.60
11161	Screening for Pathology	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
11183	Keratometry	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11202	Tonometry (Non-contact)	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11212	Tonometry (Aplanation)	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11221	Screening of Colour Vision	2006.02	490	5.000	1.0	R	36.20
11402	Screening of Visual Fields	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
12503	Assessment of CL Related Problems - Monocular	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
12523	Assessment of CL Related Problems - Binocular	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
12533	CL Instruction	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
	Dispensing Fees						
11501	Dispensing Fee - Single Vision	2006.02	490	5.000	1.0	R	36.20
11521	Dispensing Fee - Bifocals	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11541	Dispensing Fee - Varifocals	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
11707	Night/Weekend/Public Holiday Visit	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
	Appointment not kept (schemes will not necessarily grant benefits in respect of this item, it will fall into the "By arrangement with the scheme" or "Patient own account" category).						
11729		2006.02	490	-	1.0	R	-
11809	Screening School (per hour)	2006.02	490	60.000	1.0	R	433.80
11829	Screening Industrial (per hour)	2006.02	490	60.000	1.0	R	433.80
	Contact Lens Procedures						
12012	Basic - per visit	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
12032	Complex - per visit	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
12052	Advanced - per visit	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
12072	CL Dispensing and/or Assessment	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
	Binocular Vision/Orthoptics						
13003	Evaluation of Binocular Instability Simple Case	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
13023	Evaluation of Binocular Instability Complex Case	2006.02	490	60.000	1.0	R	433.80
	Visually Related Disorders						
13105	Evaluation of Visually Related Learning Disorders	2006.02	490	90.000	1.0	R	650.70
13125	Evaluation of Eye Movements (e.g. Visigraph)	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
	Colorimetry Codes						
13509	Screening - Rate of Reading Test	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
13529	Evaluation - Ortho-Didactical Reading Skills	2006.02	490	45.000	1.0	R	325.40
13549	Evaluation - Intuitive Colorimetry	2006.02	490	60.000	1.0	R	433.80
	Visual Therapy/Orthoptics Training						
13403	Training Home Therapy Instruction	2006.02	490	10.000	1.0	R	72.30
13423	Training Individual (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0	R	108.50
13445	Training Individual (per 30minutes)	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
13463	Training Group per Patient (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	3.750	1.0	R	27.10
13489	Training Away from Practice	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
	Low Vision Assessment & Training (per Half hour)						
16013	Simple LV Assessment	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
16033	Complex LV Assessment	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
16053	Advanced LV Assessment	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
16073	Simple LV Training	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
16093	Complex LV Training	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90
16113	Advanced LV Training	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0	R	216.90

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Sports Vision - in Office Procedures						
14008	Screening Sports Vision Individual	2006.02	490	20.000	1.0 R	144.60
14218	Evaluation Sports Vision Individual	2006.02	490	45.000	1.0 R	325.40
14238	Training Sports Vision Individual (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0 R	108.50
	Group fees are per individual member of the group	2006.02				
14268	Screening Sports Vision Group	2006.02	490	3.750	1.0 R	27.10
14278	Evaluation Sports Vision Group	2006.02	490	8.750	1.0 R	63.30
14288	Training Sports Vision Group (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	3.750	1.0 R	27.10
	Sports Vision - Procedures done in the Field					
14309	Screening Sports Vision Individual	2006.02	490	30.000	1.0 R	216.90
14319	Evaluation Sports Vision Individual	2006.02	490	60.000	1.0 R	433.80
14329	Training Sports Vision Individual (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0 R	108.50
	Group fees are per individual member of the group	2006.02				
14369	Screening Sports Vision Group	2006.02	490	6.250	1.0 R	45.20
14379	Evaluation Sports Vision Group	2006.02	490	12.500	1.0 R	90.40
14389	Training Sports Vision Group (per 15 minutes)	2006.02	490	3.750	1.0 R	27.10
	Reports etc					
19001	Report at request of Medical Aid	2006.02	490	15.000	1.0 R	108.50
19021	Report at Patient's request	2006.02	490	25.000	1.0 R	180.80
19081	Confirming Med. Aid Benefit by tel. or fax (per 10 minutes)	2006.02	490	5.000	1.0 R	36.20
	Generic Lenses					
40501	Frames	2006.02	491	-	1.0 R	-
70011	Single Vision lens (up to 6.00Sph)	2006.02	491	2.374	1.0 R	195.80
70021	Special Vision High Powers	2006.02	491	5.786	1.0 R	477.30
70712	Bifocal-Round/flat/top Seg 68*28 Seg	2006.02	491	7.567	1.0 R	624.20
75012	Varifocal Distance to near	2006.02	491	11.869	1.0 R	979.10
80011	Single Vision lens	2006.02	491	2.374	1.0 R	195.80
80021	Special Vision High Powers	2006.02	491	5.104	1.0 R	421.10
80812	Bifocal-Round/flat/top Seg 74*28 Seg	2006.02	491	5.727	1.0 R	472.40
85012	Varifocal Distance to near	2006.02	491	11.128	1.0 R	918.00
84000	Varifocal Intermediate to Near	2006.05	491	11.128	1.0 R	918.00
99999	All other codes	2006.02	491	-	1.0 R	-

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