



Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules 2014 (No. 1)

I, Shane Porter, delegate of the Minister for Health, make these Rules under item 4 of the table in section 333-20 of the *Private Health Insurance Act 2007*.

Dated 17 February 2014

Shane Porter

Shane Porter

Assistant Secretary
Private Health Insurance Branch
Medical Benefits Division
Department of Health

Contents

PART 1 PRELIMINARY

1.	Name of Rules	3
2.	Commencement	3
3.	Authority	3
4.	Schedules	3

SCHEDULE – AMENDMENTS **4**

Part 1 Preliminary

1. Name of Rules

These Rules are the *Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules 2014 (No. 1)*.

2. Commencement

These Rules commence on 28 February 2014.

3. Authority

These Rules are made under the *Private Health Insurance Act 2007*.

4. Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule – Amendments

Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Rules 2014 (No. 1)

1 Schedule, Part A, billing codes, BX296, BX297, BX298, BX299, BX300, BX301, BX302, BX303, BX304, BX305, BX306 and BX307

delete the contents of items 1 to 12 of the table from the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	BX296	ACTIFUSE SHAPE 1.6mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	1.6mL	\$760.00
2	BX297	ACTIFUSE SHAPE 2.6mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	2.6mL	\$760.00
3	BX305	ACTIFUSE MICROGRANULES 2.5mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	2.5mL	\$760.00
4	BX306	ACTIFUSE MICROGRANULES 5mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	5mL	\$760.00
5	BX299	ACTIFUSE SHAPE 8.0mL –BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	8.0mL	\$1,200.00
6	BX301	ACTIFUSE GRANULES 10mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	10mL	\$1,200.00
7	BX304	ACTIFUSE EASY PREP – BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	10ml	\$1,200.00
8	BX307	ACTIFUSE MICROGRANULES – BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	10mL	\$1,200.00
9	BX298	ACTIFUSE GRANULES – BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone	20mL	\$1,500.00

			graft		
10	BX300	ACTIFUSE SHAPE15.8mL –BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	15.8mL	\$1,500.00
11	BX302	ACTIFUSE GRANULES – BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	5mL	\$1,500.00
12	BX303	ACTIFUSE GRANULES 40mL–BONE MATRIX IMPLANT ARTIFICIAL	A silicate substituted synthetic bone graft	40mL	\$1,560.00

2 Schedule, Part A, Group 8.14.01 – Implantable Cardiac Event Recorders, Billing Codes BT153 and MI141, after entry for billing code WC295

delete the subheadings:

8.14.01 – Implantable Cardiac Event Recorders

Biotronik Australia Pty Ltd

i

Medtronic Australasia Pty Ltd

delete the contents of item 1 of the table from the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	BT153	BioMonitor	Implantable cardiac monitor for continuous remote monitoring of patients with Atrial Fibrillation (AF) or unexplained syncope	53.3mm x 42.7mm x 7.1mm, 26 grams	\$3,900.00
2	MI141	Reveal LINQ	Insertable Cardiac Monitor	45 x 7 x 3.5mm, 1.18cc	\$3,900.00

3 Schedule, Part C, Group 8.14.01 – Implantable Cardiac Event Recorders, Billing Codes BT153, After subheading 8.14.01 – Implantable Cardiac Event Recorders,

insert the subheading “**Biotronik Australia Pty Ltd**”

under that subheading *insert* the contents of item 1 of the table in the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	BT153	BioMonitor	Implantable cardiac monitor for continuous remote monitoring of patients with Atrial Fibrillation (AF) or unexplained syncope	53.3mm x 42.7mm x 7.1mm, 26 grams	\$3,900.00

4 Schedule, Part C, Group 8.14.01 – Implantable Cardiac Event Recorders, Billing Codes BT153, After entry for billing code BT153,

insert the subheading “**i**”

insert the subheading “**Medtronic Australasia Pty Ltd**”

under that subheading *insert* the contents of item 1 of the table in the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	MI141	Reveal LINQ	Insertable Cardiac Monitor	45 x 7 x 3.5mm, 1.18cc	\$3,900.00

5 Schedule, Part A, Subgroup 6.02.02.01 – Thumb, carpometacarpal, After entry for billing code LM028,

delete the subheading “Orthopaedic Solutions Pty Ltd”

delete the contents of item 1 of the table from the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	OE029	BIOProfile Pyrocarbon Carpometacarpal Implants	Low Temperature Isotropic Pyrolytic Carbon Implants for carpometacarpal resurfacing (arthroplasty)	Small, Medium, Large & Extra Large	\$884.00

5 Schedule, Part A, Subgroup 6.02.02.01 – Thumb, carpometacarpal, After entry for billing code LM028,

insert the subheading “Tornier Pty Ltd”

under that subheading *insert* the contents of item 1 of the table in the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	TO149	BIOProfile Pyrocarbon Carpometacarpal Implants	Low Temperature Isotropic Pyrolytic Carbon Implants for carpometacarpal resurfacing (arthroplasty)	Small, Medium, Large & Extra Large	\$884.00

6 Schedule, Part A, Group 07.01.01 – Intracanalicular, After entry for billing code SO044,

insert the contents of item 1 of the table in the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	SO049	FCI Masterka	Self-retaining monocanalicular nasal intubation WITHOUT nasal retrieval	30mm to 40mm	\$180.00

7 Schedule, Part A, Group 07.01.01 – Intracanalicular, After entry for billing code SO043,

insert the contents of item 1 of the table in the columns indicated:

Item	Billing Code	Product	Description	Size	Minimum benefit
1	SO050	FCI Nunchaku	Self-retaining bicanalicular nasal intubation WITHOUT nasal retrieval	90mm to 105mm	\$135.00