



Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Amendment Rules 2014 (No. 1)¹

I, SHANE PORTER, delegate of the Minister for Health, make these Rules under item 3A of the table in section 333-20 of the *Private Health Insurance Act 2007*.

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Part 1 Preliminary

1 Name of Rules

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

2. Commencement

These Rules commence on:

- (a) 20 March 2014; or
- (b) if registered after 20 March 2014, the day after registration.

3. Amendment of the *Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Rules 2011*

Schedules A, B and C amend the *Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Rules 2011* as amended.

Schedule A — Amendments

[1] Schedule 4, Clause 6 Minimum benefit, Table 1:

Delete the table and insert:

Public hospital: State/Territory	Minimum benefit per night
NSW	\$ 114.05
Northern Territory	\$ 83.10
Queensland	\$ 109.00
South Australia	\$111.00
Tasmania	\$133.90
Victoria	\$118.00
ACT	\$111.20
Western Australia	\$125.45

[2] Schedule 4, Clause 6 Minimum benefit, Table 2:

Delete:

Private hospitals	\$56.35
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Insert:

Private hospitals	\$55.30
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Schedule B — Amendments

- [1] **Schedule 3, Part 3 Type C procedures, Clause 8 Interpretation,
Category 3 – Therapeutic procedures, T11**

After “18373” insert “18377”

Schedule C — Amendments

[1] Schedule 5 – Second-tier default benefits, Clause 4. Facilities, subclause (1)

Substitute

A hospital is a facility for the purposes of this Schedule if it is included in the list of second-tier eligible facilities approved by the Second Tier Advisory Committee existing at the time that the *Private Health Insurance (Benefit Requirements) Amendment Rules 2014 (No. 1)* commence.

Notes

1. All legislative instruments and compilations are registered on the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments kept under the *Legislative Instruments Act 2003*. See www.comlaw.gov.au