



PHYSIOTHERAPISTS CHIROPRACTORS AND OSTEOPATHS

Are your patients eligible for a Medicare rebate?

The Government has set strict rules that apply to rebates for patients referred by Physiotherapists, Osteopaths and Chiropractors.

Your patient may be eligible for a Medicare rebate for the following radiographic requests (with corresponding item numbers)

- X-Ray of the hip joint (57715)
- X-Ray of the pelvic girdle (57712)
- X-Ray of the cervical spine (58100)
- X-Ray of the thoracic spine (58103)
- X-Ray of the lumbosacral spine (58106)
- X-Ray of the four regions of the spine - (cervical, thoracic, lumbosacral and sacrococcygeal region) (58120)
- X-Ray of the sacrococcygeal (58109)
- X-Ray of two regions of the spine (58112)
- X-Ray of three regions of the spine (58121)

We are able to accept requests for other radiographic examinations, where the Radiologist determines that "the service is clinically relevant for the treatment of the patient's condition". However, these examinations may not attract a Medicare rebate.

Please note: Government legislation prevents your referral of more than one three region (58121) or four region (58120) x-ray per patient in any 12 month period.

For specific information please contact your local practice.

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