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PUBLICATION OF UNIFORM PATIENT FEE SCHEDULE (UPFS) 2009/10 TARIFFS IN THE FREE STATE PROVINCE

By virtue of section 15 of the Interpretation Act, 1957 (Act No. 33 of 1957), I, SISI ELISA MABE, Member of the Executive Council responsible for Health in the Province, hereby publish the Uniform Patient Fee Schedule 2009/10 Tariffs, as contained in Annexure A, which comes into operation on 1 August 2009.



Uniform Patient Fee Schedule
UPFS TARIFFS 2009

Annexure A

6.1 APPROVED UPFS 2009 FEE SCHEDULE FOR FULL PAYING PATIENTS

EFFECTIVE 01ST AUGUST 2009

CODE	DESCRIPTION	BASIS	Professional Fee R	FACILITY FEE							
				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3			
				R	c	R	c	R	c		
01	Anaesthetics										
0111	Anaesthetics Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	135.00								
0112	Anaesthetics Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	203.00								
0121	Anaesthetics Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	230.00								
0122	Anaesthetics Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	346.00								
0131	Anaesthetics Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	808.00								
0132	Anaesthetics Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1213.00								
02	Confinement										
0210	Natural Birth – Facility Fee	Incident		2494.00		2494.00		2904.00			
0211	Natural Birth – General medical practitioner	Incident	1353.00								
0212	Natural Birth – Specialist medical practitioner	Incident	1747.00								
0213	Natural Birth – Nursing practitioner	Incident	1636.00								
0220	Caesarean Section – Facility Fee	Incident		3927.00		3927.00		4571.00			
0221	Caesarean Section – General medical practitioner	Incident	1353.00								
0222	Caesarean Section – Specialist medical practitioner	Incident	1747.00								
03	Dialysis										
0310	Haemo – Facility Fee	Day		896.00		896.00		1025.00			
0311	Haemo-dialysis – General medical practitioner	Day	170.00								
0312	Haemo-dialysis – Specialist medical practitioner	Day	213.00								
0313	Haemo-dialysis- Nursing Practitioner	Day	136.00								
0320	Peritoneal Dialysis – Facility Fee	Session		137.00		137.00		157.00			
0321	Peritoneal Dialysis – General medical practitioner	Session	27.00								
0322	Peritoneal Dialysis – Specialist medical practitioner	Session	33.00								
0323	Peritoneal Dialysis – Nursing practitioner	Session	19.00								
0330	Plasmapheresis - Facility Fee	Session		896.00		896.00		1025.00			
0331	Plasmapheresis - General medical practitioner	Session	170.00								
0332	Plasmapheresis - Specialist medical practitioner	Session	213.00								
04	Medical Reports										
0410	Medical Report – Facility Fee	Report		86.00		86.00		105.00			
0411	Medical Report – General medical practitioner	Report	162.00								
0412	Medical Report – Specialist medical practitioner	Report	249.00								
0421	Copies of Medical Report, records, X-Rays, completion of certificates / Forms - General medical practitioner	Copy	81.00								

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				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3		
				R	c	R	c	R	c	
0422	Copies of Medical Report, records, X-Rays, completion of certificates / Forms - Specialist medical practitioner	Copy	124.00							
0425	Copies of X-rays films, ultrasounds etc.	Copy	81.00							
05	Imaging									
0510	Radiology, Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		45.00		45.00			51.00	
0511	Radiology, Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	44.00							
0512	Radiology, Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	84.00							
0514	Radiology, Cat A – Allied health practitioner	Procedure	43.00							
0520	Radiology, Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		124.00		124.00			143.00	
0521	Radiology, Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	120.00							
0522	Radiology, Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	234.00							
0524	Radiology, Cat B – Allied health practitioner	Procedure	117.00							
0530	Radiology, Cat C – Facility Fee	Procedure		579.00		579.00			661.00	
0531	Radiology, Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	371.00							
0532	Radiology, Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1141.00							
0540	Radiology, Cat D – Facility Fee	Procedure		1475.00		1475.00			1685.00	
0541	Radiology, Cat D – General medical practitioner	Procedure	1365.00							
0542	Radiology, Cat D – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	2849.00							
06	Inpatients									
0610	Inpatient General ward – Facility Fee	Day		458.00		584.00			1105.00	
0611	Inpatient General Ward – General medical practitioner	Day	95.00							
0612	Inpatient General Ward – Specialist medical practitioner	Day	166.00							
0620	Inpatient High care – Facility Fee	12 hours		711.00		889.00			1274.00	
0621	Inpatient High Care – General medical practitioner	12 hours	50.00							
0622	Inpatient High Care – Specialist medical practitioner	12 hours	94.00							
0630	Inpatient Intensive care – Facility Fee	12 hours		2336.00		2336.00			2793.00	
0631	Inpatient Intensive Care – General medical practitioner	12 hours	55.00							
0632	Inpatient Intensive Care– Specialist medical practitioner	12 hours	105.00							
0640	Inpatient Chronic care – Facility Fee	Day		269.00		269.00			269.00	
0641	Inpatient Chronic care – General medical practitioner	Day	31.00							
0642	Inpatient Chronic care – Specialist medical practitioner	Day	72.00							
0643	Inpatient Chronic care – Nursing practitioner	Day	19.00							
0650	Day patient – Facility Fee	Day		382.00		482.00			706.00	
0651	Day patient – General medical practitioner	Day	95.00							
0652	Day patient – Specialist medical practitioner	Day	166.00							
0653	Day patient – Nursing practitioner	Day	55.00							
0660	Inpatient Boarder/Patient companion – Facility Fee	Day		220.00		220.00			220.00	
0663	Inpatient Boarder/Patient Companion – Nursing practitioner	Day	19.00							
0670	Inpatient General ward – Facility Fee	12 hours		230.00		293.00			552.00	
0671	Inpatient General Ward – General medical practitioner	12 hours	48.00							
0672	Inpatient General Ward – Specialist medical practitioner	12 hours	83.00							

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				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3		
				R	c	R	c	R	c	
0673	Inpatient General Ward – Nursing practitioner (MOU)	12 hours	31.00							
0680	Inpatient Chronic care – Facility Fee	12 hours		135.00		135.00			135.00	
0681	Inpatient Chronic care – General medical practitioner	12 hours	15.00							
0682	Inpatient Chronic care – Specialist medical practitioner	12 hours	35.00							
0683	Inpatient Chronic care – Nursing practitioner	12 hours	10.00							
07	Mortuary									
0710	Mortuary – Facility Fee	Day		117.00		117.00			133.00	
0720	Cremation Certificate – Facility Fee	Certificate		117.00		117.00			133.00	
08	Pharmaceutical									
0810	Medication Fee – Facility Fee	Prescription		21.00		21.00			24.00	
0815	Item Fee	Item	Varies							
0816	Pharmaceutical –TTO	Item	Varies							
0817	Pharmaceutical - Chronic	Item	Varies							
0818	Pharmaceutical - Oncology	Item	Varies							
0819	Pharmaceutical – Immune Suppressant Drugs	Item	Varies							
0820	Pharmaceutical Flat Fee – OPD	Item	Varies							
0825	Pharmaceutical Flat Fee – IP	Item	Varies							
09	Oral Health									
0910	Oral Care Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		18.00		18.00			20.00	
0911	Oral Care Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	30.00							
0912	Oral Care Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	24.00							
0914	Oral Care Cat A – Allied health practitioner	Procedure	23.00							
0920	Oral Care Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		53.00		53.00			61.00	
0921	Oral Care Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	58.00							
0922	Oral Health Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	93.00							
0924	Oral Care Cat B – Allied health practitioner	Procedure	48.00							
0930	Oral Care Cat C – Facility Fee	Procedure		323.00		323.00			370.00	
0931	Oral Care Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	358.00							
0932	Oral Care Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	614.00							
0940	Oral Care Cat D – Facility Fee	Procedure		1272.00		1272.00			1455.00	
0941	Oral Care Cat D – General medical practitioner	Procedure	1097.00							
0942	Oral Care Cat D – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	2252.00							
0950	Oral Care Cat E – Facility Fee	Procedure		4282.00		4282.00			4894.00	
0951	Oral Care Cat E – General medical practitioner	Procedure	3690.00							
0952	Oral Care Cat E – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	7572.00							
10	Consultations									
1010	Outpatient Consultation – Facility Fee	Visit		56.00		56.00			69.00	
1011	Outpatient Consultation – General medical practitioner	Visit	63.00							
1012	Outpatient Consultation – Specialist medical practitioner	Visit	146.00							
1013	Outpatient Consultation – Nursing practitioner	Visit	37.00							
1014	Outpatient Consultation – Allied health practitioner	Visit	39.00							
1020	Emergency Consultation – Facility Fee	Visit		115.00		115.00			136.00	

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				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3		
				R	c	R	c	R	c	
1021	Emergency Consultation – General medical practitioner	Visit	95.00							
1022	Emergency Consultation – Specialist medical practitioner	Visit	218.00							
1023	Emergency Consultation – Nursing practitioner	Visit	55.00							
1024	Emergency Consultation – Allied health practitioner	Visit	56.00							
11	Minor Theatre Procedures									
1110	Minor Procedure Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		269.00		269.00				322.00
1111	Minor Procedure Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	93.00							
1112	Minor Procedure Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	179.00							
1120	Minor Procedure Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		269.00		269.00				322.00
1121	Minor Procedure Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	137.00							
1122	Minor Procedure Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	312.00							
1130	Minor Procedure Cat C – Facility Fee	Procedure		269.00		269.00				322.00
1131	Minor Procedure Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	217.00							
1132	Minor Procedure Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	487.00							
1140	Minor Procedure Cat D – Facility Fee	Procedure		269.00		269.00				322.00
1141	Minor Procedure Cat D – General medical practitioner	Procedure	573.00							
1142	Minor Procedure Cat D – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1291.00							
12	Major Theatre Procedures									
1210	Theatre Procedure Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		869.00		1274.00				1470.00
1211	Theatre Procedure Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	93.00							
1212	Theatre Procedure Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	179.00							
1220	Theatre Procedure Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		1316.00		1931.00				2224.00
1221	Theatre Procedure Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	137.00							
1222	Theatre Procedure Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	312.00							
1230	Theatre Procedure Cat C – Facility Fee	Procedure		2260.00		3318.00				3829.00
1231	Theatre Procedure Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	217.00							
1232	Theatre Procedure Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	487.00							
1240	Theatre Procedure Cat D – Facility Fee	Procedure		5798.00		8505.00				9802.00
1241	Theatre Procedure Cat D – General medical practitioner	Procedure	573.00							
1242	Theatre Procedure Cat D – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1291.00							
13	Treatments									
1310	Supplementary Health Treatment – Facility Fee	Contact		37.00		37.00				43.00
1313	Supplementary Health Treatment- Nurse practitioner	Contact	32.00							
1314	Supplementary Health Treatment – Allied health practitioner	Contact	32.00							
1320	Supplementary Health Group Treatment – Facility Fee	Contact		28.00		28.00				31.00
1324	Supplementary Health Group Treatment – Allied health practitioner	Contact	23.00							
14	Emergency Medical Services									
1410	Patient transport service – Facility Fee	100km		241.00		241.00				241.00
1420	Basic life support – Facility Fee	50km		659.00		659.00				659.00
1430	Intermediate life support – Facility Fee	50km		890.00		890.00				890.00
1440	Advanced life support– Facility Fee	50km		1479.00		1479.00				1479.00

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				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3		
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1450	Emergency service standby – Facility Fee	Once-Off		254.00		254.00		254.00		
1451	Emergency service standby – General medical practitioner	Hour	278.00							
1452	Emergency service standby – Specialist medical practitioner	Hour	521.00							
1453	Emergency service standby – Nursing practitioner	Hour	187.00							
1454	Emergency service standby – Emergency care practitioner	Hour	N/A							
1455	Emergency service standby – Basic life support practitioner	Hour	99.00							
1456	Emergency service standby – Intermediate life support practitioner	Hour	121.00							
1457	Emergency service standby – Advanced life support practitioner	Hour	257.00							
1460	Rescue – Facility Fee	Hour		705.00		705.00		705.00		
1461	Rescue – General medical practitioner	Hour	1057.00							
1462	Rescue – Specialist medical practitioner	Hour	1585.00							
1463	Rescue – Nursing practitioner	Hour	705.00							
1464	Rescue – Basic life support practitioner	Hour	N/A							
1465	Rescue – Basic life support practitioner	Hour	99.00							
1466	Rescue - Intermediate life support practitioner	Hour	121.00							
1467	Rescue – Advanced life support practitioner	Hour	257.00							
1470	Emergency transport air services fixed wing	Flying Hour		6484.00		6484.00		6484.00		
1480	Emergency transport air services helicopter (Single Engine)	Flying Hour		7121.00		7121.00		7121.00		
1490	Emergency service standby – Facility Fee	Additional 50km		150.00		150.00		150.00		
15	Assistive Devices & Prosthesis									
1510	Assistive Devices & Prosthesis - Item Fee	Item	Varies							
1520	Prosthetic Devices- Item Fee	Item	Varies							
1530	Dental Items – Item Fee	Item	Varies							
16	Cosmetic Surgery									
1610	Cosmetic Surgery Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		1830.00		1830.00		2090.00		
1611	Cosmetic Surgery Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	1055.00							
1612	Cosmetic Surgery Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1581.00							
1620	Cosmetic Surgery Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		4115.00		4115.00		4704.00		
1621	Cosmetic Surgery Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	1250.00							
1622	Cosmetic Surgery Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1875.00							
1630	Cosmetic Surgery – Cat C – Facility Fee	Procedure		6646.00		6646.00		7596.00		
1631	Cosmetic Surgery Cat C – General medical practitioner	Procedure	2113.00							
1632	Cosmetic Surgery Cat C – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	3170.00							
1640	Cosmetic Surgery Cat D – Facility Fee	Procedure		11226.00		11226.00		12829.00		
1641	Cosmetic Surgery Cat D – General medical practitioner	Procedure	2371.00							
1642	Cosmetic Surgery Cat D – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	3489.00							
17	Laboratory Services									
1700	Drawing of Blood	Contact		22.00		22.00		22.00		
1710	Laboratory Test	Varies								
18	Radiation Oncology (Refer to proposed list)									
1800	Radiation Oncology (NHRPL less VAT)	Item	Varies							
19	Nuclear Medicines									

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				LEVEL 1		LEVEL 2		LEVEL 3		
				R	c	R	c	R	c	
1900	Itemisation of Isotopes	Item	Varies							
1910	Nuclear Medicine Cat A - Facility Fee	Procedure		437.00		437.00		437.00		
1912	Nuclear Medicine Cat A: Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	218.00							
1920	Nuclear Medicine Cat B- Facility Fee	Procedure		963.00		963.00		963.00		
1922	Nuclear Medicine Cat-B Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	478.00							
1930	Nuclear Medicine Cat C- Facility Fee	Procedure		1 561.00		1 561.00		1 561.00		
1932	Nuclear Medicine Cat C - Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	781.00							
1940	Nuclear Medicine Cat D- Facility Fee	Procedure		2 175.00		2 175.00		2 175.00		
1942	Nuclear Medicine Cat-D Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1087.00							
1950	Positron Emission Tomography (PET) Cat E – Facility Fee	Procedure		3987.00		3987.00		3987.00		
1952	Positron Emission Tomography (PET) Cat E - Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	1993.00							
20	Ambulatory Procedures									
2010	Ambulatory Procedure Cat A – Facility Fee	Procedure		86.00		86.00		105.00		
2011	Ambulatory Procedure Cat A – General medical practitioner	Procedure	31.00							
2012	Ambulatory Procedure Cat A – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	62.00							
2013	Ambulatory Procedure Cat A – Nursing practitioner	Procedure	19.00							
2014	Ambulatory Procedure Cat A – Allied Health Worker	Procedure	19.00							
2020	Ambulatory Procedure Cat B – Facility Fee	Procedure		86.00		86.00		105.00		
2021	Ambulatory Procedure Cat B – General medical practitioner	Procedure	44.00							
2022	Ambulatory Procedure Cat B – Specialist medical practitioner	Procedure	69.00							
2023	Ambulatory Procedure Cat B- Nursing Practitioner	Procedure	24.00							
2024	Ambulatory Procedure Cat B- Allied Health Worker	Procedure	24.00							
21	Blood and Blood Products									
2100	Blood and Blood Products	Varies								
22	Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy									
2200	Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy– Facility Fee (Flat Fee)	Session		270.00		270.00		270.00		
2210	Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy– Facility Fee	Session		902.00		902.00		902.00		
2211	Hyperbaric Oxygen therapy - General medical practitioner	Session	381.00							
2212	Hyperbaric Oxygen therapy – Specialist medical practitioner	Session	381.00							
2220	Emergency Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy – Facility Fee	Session		910.00		910.00		910.00		
2221	Emergency Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy – General medical practitioner	Session	555.00							
2222	Emergency Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy – Specialist medical practitioner	Session	555.00							
23	Consumables (Not included in Facility Fee) Buy-outs									
2300	Consumables not included in the facility fee	Item	Varies							
24	Autopsies									
2410	Autopsy– Facility Fee	Per case		56.00		56.00		69.00		
2411	Autopsy- General Practitioner	Per case	63.00							
2412	Autopsy- Specialist Practitioner	Per case	146.00							