| **CONSULTANT PSYCHIATRIST SERVICE** | **Medicare Items** | | | **Our Fee** | **Medicare Rebate** | **Out of Pocket** | **DVA** | **Workcover** |
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| **IN PERSON** | **VIDEO** | **PHONE** |
| Referral for Consultant psychiatrist, **prepare a management plan**, more than 45 minutes.  **Referral must say** *“****Opinion & Report” or “291”*** | 291 | 92435 | - | Bulk Billed | $ 429.85 | $0.00 | $733.30 | $835 |
| Consultant psychiatrist, **review management plan**, 30 to 45 minutes | 293 | 92436 | - | Bulk Billed | $ 268.75 | $0.00 | $458.45 | $555 |
| **Initial consultation (>45)** Consultant psychiatrist, attendance, **new patient** (or has not received attendance in preceding 24 mths), more than 45 minutes. **Referral must say *“Opinion & Management”*** | 296 | 92437 | - | Bulk Billed | $247.25 | $0.00 | $421.75 | $455 |
| Follow up Consultation <15minutes | 300 | 91827 | 91837\* | $50.00 | $    41.15 | $8.85 | $70.20 | $102 |
| Follow-up Consultation 15-30minutes | 302 | 91828 | 91838\* | $95.00 | $    82.15 | $12.85 | $140.10 | $205 |
| Follow-up Consultation 30-45 minutes | 304 | 91829 | 91839\* | $150.00 | $ 126.40 | $23.60 | $215.65 | $305 |
| Follow-up Consultation 45-75 minutes | 306 | 91830 | - | $255.00 | $ 174.45 | $80.55 | $297.55 | $435 |
| Follow-up Consultation >75 minutes | 308 | 91831 | - | $280.00 | $ 202.45 | $77.55 | $345.35 | $510 |
| *\*Where the attendance is after the first attendance as part of a single course of treatment*  *\*DVA and Workcover clients do not have an out of pocket expense for appointments*  *\**Items 291 & 296 are the initial appointment item numbers.  291 - clients who don’t require ongoing psychiatric review & will be mainly managed by GP. Assessment & feedback letter provided to GP with detailed 12-month plan.  296 - Clients will/are likely to require ongoing psychiatric management by a psychiatrist. | | | | | | | | |

| **WORKCOVER – MUST BE BULK BILLED – USE MEDICARE ITEM NUMBERS**   | **ADDITIONAL ITEM NUMBERS – Less frequently used** | | | | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **SERVICE** | **IN PERSON** | **VIDEO** | **TELEPHONE** | | Consultant psychiatrist, interview of a person other than patient, in the course of initial diagnostic evaluation of patient, 20 to 45 minutes | 348 | 92458 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, interview of a person other than patient, in the course of initial diagnostic evaluation of patient, 45 minutes or more | 350 | 92459 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, interview of a person other than patient, in the course of continuing management of patient, not less than 20 minutes, not exceeding 4 attendances per calendar year | 352 | 92460 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, group psychotherapy, at least 1 hour, involving group of 2 to 9 unrelated patients or a family group of more than 3 patients, each referred to consultant psychiatrist | 342 | 92455 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, group psychotherapy, at least 1 hour, involving family group of 3 patients, each referred to consultant psychiatrist | 344 | 92456 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, group psychotherapy, at least 1 hour, involving family group of 2 patients, each referred to consultant psychiatrist | 346 | 92457 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, prepare an eating disorder treatment and management plan, more than 45 minutes | 90260 | 92162 | - | | Consultant psychiatrist, to review an eating disorder plan, more than 30 minutes | 90266 | 92172 | - |  | **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: MEDICARE ITEM NUMBERS**  **Item 291**  Professional attendance of more than 45 minutes in duration at consulting rooms by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry, if:  (a) the attendance follows referral of the patient to the consultant for an assessment or management by a medical practitioner in general practice (including a general practitioner, but not a specialist or consultant physician) or a participating nurse practitioner; and  (b) during the attendance, the consultant:  (i) uses an outcome tool (if clinically appropriate); and  (ii) carries out a mental state examination; and  (iii) makes a psychiatric diagnosis; and  (c) the consultant decides that it is clinically appropriate for the patient to be managed by the referring practitioner without ongoing treatment by the consultant; and  (d) within 2 weeks after the attendance, the consultant:  (i) prepares a written diagnosis of the patient; and  (ii) prepares a written management plan for the patient that:  (A) covers the next 12 months; and  (B) is appropriate to the patient's diagnosis; and  (C) comprehensively evaluates the patient's biological, psychological and social issues; and  (D) addresses the patient's diagnostic psychiatric issues; and  (E) makes management recommendations addressing the patient's biological, psychological and social issues; and  (iii) gives the referring practitioner a copy of the diagnosis and the management plan; and  (iv) if clinically appropriate, explains the diagnosis and management plan, and a gives a copy, to:  (A) the patient; and  (B) the patient's carer (if any), if the patient agrees  **Fee:** $505.70 **Benefit:** 85% = $429.85  (See para [AN.0.30](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.0.30), [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category) [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 293**  Professional attendance of more than 30 minutes but not more than 45 minutes in duration at consulting rooms by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry, if:  (a) the patient is being managed by a medical practitioner or a participating nurse practitioner in accordance with a management plan prepared by the consultant in accordance with item 291; and  (b) the attendance follows referral of the patient to the consultant for review of the management plan by the medical practitioner or a participating nurse practitioner managing the patient; and  (c) during the attendance, the consultant:  (i) uses an outcome tool (if clinically appropriate); and  (ii) carries out a mental state examination; and  (iii) makes a psychiatric diagnosis; and  (iv) reviews the management plan; and  (d) within 2 weeks after the attendance, the consultant:  (i) prepares a written diagnosis of the patient; and  (ii) revises the management plan; and  (iii) gives the referring practitioner a copy of the diagnosis and the revised management plan; and  (iv) if clinically appropriate, explains the diagnosis and the revised management plan, and gives a copy, to:  (A) the patient; and  (B) the patient's carer (if any), if the patient agrees; and  (e) in the preceding 12 months, a service to which item 291 applies has been provided; and  (f) in the preceding 12 months, a service to which this item applies has not been provided  **Fee:** $316.15 **Benefit:** 85% = $268.75  (See para [AN.0.30](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.0.30), [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 296**  Professional attendance of more than 45 minutes in duration by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's speciality of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance at consulting rooms if the patient:  (a) is a new patient for this consultant psychiatrist; or  (b) has not received a professional attendance from this consultant psychiatrist in the preceding 24 months;  other than attendance on a patient in relation to whom this item, or item 297 or 299 or any of items 300 to 308, has applied in the preceding 24 months  **Fee:** $290.85 **Benefit:** 75% = $218.15 85% = $247.25  (See para [AN.0.30](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.0.30), [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 297**  Professional attendance of more than 45 minutes by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's speciality of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance at hospital if the patient:  (a) is a new patient for this consultant psychiatrist; or  (b) has not received a professional attendance from this consultant psychiatrist in the preceding 24 months;  other than attendance on a patient in relation to whom this item, or item 296 or 299 or any of items 300 to 308, has applied in the preceding 24 months (H)  **Fee:** $290.85 **Benefit:** 75% = $218.15 85% = $247.25  (See para [AN.0.30](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.0.30) of explanatory notes to this Category  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 299**  Professional attendance of more than 45 minutes by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's speciality of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance at a place other than consulting rooms or a hospital if the patient:  (a) is a new patient for this consultant psychiatrist; or  (b) has not received a professional attendance from this consultant psychiatrist in the preceding 24 months;  other than attendance on a patient in relation to whom this item, or item 296 or 297 or any of items 300 to 308, has applied in the preceding 24 months  **Fee:** $347.75 **Benefit:** 75% = $260.85 85% = $295.60  (See para [AN.0.30](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.0.30) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 300**  Professional attendance by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance of not more than 15 minutes in duration at consulting rooms, if that attendance and another attendance to which item 296 or any of items 300 to 308 applies have not exceeded 50 attendances in a calendar year for the patient  **Fee:** $48.40 **Benefit:** 75% = $36.30 85% = $41.15  (See para [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $145.20  **Item 302**  Professional attendance by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance of more than 15 minutes, but not more than 30 minutes, in duration at consulting rooms, if that attendance and another attendance to which item 296 or any of items 300 to 308 applies have not exceeded 50 attendances in a calendar year for the patient  **Fee:** $96.60 **Benefit:** 75% = $72.45 85% = $82.15  (See para [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $289.80  **Item 304**  Professional attendance by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance of more than 30 minutes, but not more than 45 minutes, in duration at consulting rooms), if that attendance and another attendance to which item 296 or any of items 300 to 308 applies have not exceeded 50 attendances in a calendar year for the patient  **Fee:** $148.70 **Benefit:** 75% = $111.55 85% = $126.40  (See para [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $446.10  **Item 306**  Professional attendance by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance of more than 45 minutes, but not more than 75  minutes, in duration at consulting rooms, if that attendance and another attendance to which item 296 or any of items 300 to 308 applies have not exceeded 50 attendances in a calendar year for the patient  **Fee:** $205.20 **Benefit:** 75% = $153.90 85% = $174.45  (See para [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00  **Item 308**  Professional attendance by a consultant physician in the practice of the consultant physician's specialty of psychiatry following referral of the patient to him or her by a referring practitioner-an attendance of more than 75 minutes in duration at consulting rooms), if that attendance and another attendance to which item 296 or any of items 300 to 308 applies have not exceeded 50 attendances in a calendar year for the patient  **Fee:** $238.15 **Benefit:** 75% = $178.65 85% = $202.45  (See para [AN.40.1](http://www9.health.gov.au/mbs/fullDisplay.cfm?type=note&qt=NoteID&q=AN.40.1) of explanatory notes to this Category)  [**Extended Medicare Safety Net Cap:**](http://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Factsheet-EMSN-1Jan2023) $500.00 | | | --- | --- | | **ADDITIONAL ITEM NUMBERS WORKCOVER: Reports** | | | **Comprehensive Report** | | | **Item: 100150**  Received by insurer **within** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $688 (Tax Additional) | **Item: 10015**  Received by insurer **after** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $344 (Tax Additional) | | **Progress Report** | | | **Item: 100806**  Received by insurer **within** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $415 (Tax Additional) | **Item: 100807**  Received by insurer **after** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $207 (Tax Additional) | | **Short Report** | | | **Item: 100810**  Received by insurer **within** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $138 (Tax Additional) | **Item: 100811**  Received by insurer **after** 10 working days  **Insurer Prior Approval Required:** At request of insurer  **Fee – GST not included:** $68 (Tax Additional) | |
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