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Rationale:

Section 33(3) of the Ministry of Health Act 2013 (“the Act”) confers discretion on the Ministry of Health (“the Ministry”) to develop and apply a system of charges for health services provided that it is based on “user pays” principles. It also empowers the Ministry to verify identity by requiring production of a patient’s passport or other means of identification.

Section 7(3) of the Act states that the Ministry has the power to provide any health service, or to arrange for and provide health services by or through a health service provider, subject to any approved government policy, and any requirement relating to payment or reimbursement of costs of such services by the patient.

Section 29 of the Act provides the general provision for protecting the rights of the Patient specifically general principles relating to medical records and health information.

Section 33(2) of the Act confers a power on the Minister of Health to approve fees and charges for any service provided by or on behalf of the Ministry under the Act.

Health Service User Categories

Category	Description	Note
I	Cook Islanders	1
	Non-Cook Islanders who hold Permanent Residency status or Honorary Resident status.	2
	Non-Cook Islanders who are <u>married</u> to a Cook Islander, or permanent resident and have resided for more than six months consecutively in the Cook Islands.	2,3
	Expatriate Workers who have resided and paid taxes in the Cook Islands for more than six months consecutively.	4
	Spouse and children of expatriate workers who have resided for more than six months in the Cook Islands consecutively will fall under category I.	
	Non - Cook Islands women who are pregnant and give birth in the Cook Islands to a baby from a partner who is a Cook Islander.	5
II	All Visitors to the Cook Islands including the following: a. Tourists b. Short term consultants (less than 6 months) c. Any other person that does not fit into Category I	6,7

Note: All health service users when registering for Health services must show their Passport.

1. Must show their passport- if you are not born in the Cook Islands or do not have the Cook Islands official immigration stamp on your passport then you must provide proof of your Cook Islands heritage.
2. Must show Permanent Residency/ Honorary Residency certificate or Passport for Permanent / honorary Residency Stamp. Children of Permanent residents are included in category I.
3. Must show Marriage Certificate.
4. Must show proof of permanent employment with a valid work permit and RMD number.
5. Partner must be a Cook Islander and acknowledge parentage in writing before the birth of the child. If the child's Birth Certificate shows a Cook Islander as the father, this will be sufficient proof for a Non-Cook Islands woman to receive a refund of appropriate costs incurred in giving birth and to remain in this category. Note that a birth certificate must be given to the Ministry of Health to verify parentage within 14 days of birth.
6. Must show Proof of health insurance.
7. Must show passport.
- * Anyone 16 years of age and over and at secondary school must show proof of enrolment.

Payment of Fees:

Fees must be paid at the time services are provided.

All patients are encouraged to settle all outstanding accounts for health services provided. Time payments can be scheduled and it is expected that 50% of the account will be settled before discharge.

Exemptions:

The following Cook Islanders and Permanent Residents are exempt from charges:

1. Persons 60 years and older;
2. The Infirm and destitute;
3. Chronic disability;
4. Pa Enea residents; and
5. Persons 16 years and under plus 16 years and over who are students at secondary school.

Definitions:

1. 16 years and under- the date of turning 16 years and under.
2. 60 years and over- the date of turning 60 and over.
3. Infirm and destitute- A person registered with the Cook Islands Ministry of Internal Affairs and currently receiving welfare payments;
4. Permanent Resident- a person who has the status of a permanent resident of the Cook Islands pursuant to Article 76A of the Cook Islands constitution (as enacted by section 13 of the Constitution Amendment (No.9) Act 1980-81.
5. Cook Islander- a person belonging to the part of the Polynesian race indigenous to the Cook Islands; and includes any person descended from a Cook Islander.
6. Honorary Resident- a person who has the status of a Honorary Resident of the Cook Islands pursuant to the Laws of the Cook Islands.
7. Chronic disability- where a person's disabilities limit them from providing an income for themselves.
8. Pa Enea- All islands of the Cook Islands outside of Rarotonga
9. Expatriate – a person temporarily or permanently residing in a country other than that of their citizenship.

Note: Costs were set with “user pays” principles in mind having regard to the labour and resources expended on the services provided.

ALL ALCOHOL RELATED MOTOR VEHICLE CRASHES- consultations and admissions will carry an additional charge regardless of Patient Category or Status and whether they live in Rarotonga or the Pa Enea. If the Patient was not directly responsible for the motor vehicle crash then the recovery for costs becomes a civil case. A medical report will be provided to the patient to facilitate their claim. It is the patient's responsibility to provide the evidence.

SECTION ONE
RAROTONGA HOSPITAL

Rarotonga hospital Health Services fee Schedule

Note: All prices are given in New Zealand Dollars (NZD)

Consultations	Age Range	Category I	Category II
Rarotonga	0 – one day before 16 yrs	No charge	20
	16 – 59	5	40
	60 yrs over	No charge	20
Outer Islands	0 – one day before 16 yrs	No charge	20
	16 – 59		40
	60 yrs over		20
Health Specialist Visits	All ages	No charge	50*
Alcohol related **	All ages	40	100
Patients referred by Private Practitioners	16-59	5 per visit	***
	others	No charge	
Dressing charges per new wound	as above age bracket range	5	20
Electro Cardio Gram (ECG)	All ages	No charge	20

* Category II patients who sees a visiting Health specialist pays \$50 for the consultation and extra for each procedure as per the Operative surgery section and Gynaecology surgical procedures for additional costs.

** This is additional to usual consultation fees. The blood alcohol count must be above 80mmol/L.

*** Refer to category II fees and Operative surgery section and Gynaecology surgical procedures for additional costs.

ADMISSIONS

Admissions (fees per day)	Age Range	Category I	Category II
Rarotonga Hospital General ward	0 - 16 yrs	No charge	100
	17 - 59 yrs	5	
	60 yrs over	No charge	
Outer Islands	All ages	No charge	50

Alcohol related*	All ages	50	100
Rarotonga Hospital High Dependency Unit	All ages	10	1,000
Rarotonga Hospital High Dependency Unit Alcohol related	All ages	100	1,500
Rarotonga Hospital Compassionate care	All ages	10 per day and 50 per week (prepaid)	Not eligible

* Additional to usual admission fees

REPORTS

Assessments/Reports	Type	Category I	Category II
Medical (full health check)	-	150	200
Insurance	-	150	200
Police	-	150	200
Medical/Insurance/Police	Alcohol related	150	350
Coroners	-	150	350
Other Medical and Mental health reports	-	20	200
Patient notes	-	1 per page	1 per page
Ministry of Health official seal	-	25	25

Note: Information provided electronically by email or on flash-drive will carry the same costs as above.

Cook Islands Health Immigration Medical Report

Time to do report	Immediate	Within 5 working days	Within 10 working days	Each child of applicant under 16
Fee	300	150	100	50

Ambulance services	Type	Category I & II b. and c.	Category II a.
Acute/Emergency call - 999	One way	No charge	800
Transport to and from hospital for all ages	One way	20	50
Special events - local*	Standby on site	100 per day	
Special events - international*	Standby on site	200 per day	

* Emergencies will always be prioritized

INPATIENT SERVICES	Category I	Category II
OBSTETRICS & GYNAECOLOGY SERVICES		
Ante Natal Visits	No Charge	No Charge
Maternity Delivery ¹ : inpatient costs- includes medication, food and beverage, housekeeping and linen service, medical consumables, pathology tests, baby book and nursing care while in hospital)	No Charge*	500 one off charge
Outer Islands Patient Referrals: Obstetrics: Includes medical and nursing care, food and beverage, housekeeping and linen service, medical consumables, pathology tests and nursing care while in hospital.	No charge	500 one off charge
Consultation with Gynaecologist	5 per visit	40 per visit

* \$30 will be charged for the "Tamariki Ora" baby book.

¹ Also refer to Operative surgery section and Gynaecology surgical procedures for additional costs.

Operative surgery – schedule of fees

A range of surgical procedures are provided at Rarotonga Hospital. These procedures are classified into six price bands to reflect complexity, duration, support services, and anaesthetic and surgical consumables required.

Surgical services	Age Range	Category I	Category II
Circumcisions	All Ages	10	100

The Following fees are for CATEGORY II Health service users ONLY.

Surgical services	Band	Price
Simple tumours and cysts removal	Band 1	500
Gastroscopy, Colonoscopy	Band 2	1,000
Simple Tonsillectomy, Dilatation and Curettage	Band 3	1,500
Achilles tendon repair	Band 4	2,000
Hernia, Appendicectomy, Laparotomy, Diagnostic Laparoscopy.	Band 5	2,500
Complicated hernia, Cholecystectomy, Hysterectomy	Band 6	3,500

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
1.0 General Surgery		
1.1 Breast		
Open breast biopsy	500	200
Breast – Simple Mastectomy, unilateral	1,000	400
Breast – Simple Mastectomy, bilateral	2,000	600
Breast: Male – Unilateral mastectomy	500	200
Breast: Male – Bilateral mastectomy	1,000	400

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
Extended simple mastectomy with Axillary Dissection – unilateral	1,500	500
Extended simple mastectomy with Axillary Dissection – Bilateral	3,000	1000
1.2 Gastrointestinal		
Anal sphincterotomy	500	200
Perianal Fistulectomy and other drainage procedures	510	200
Anal dilatation	250	100
Haemorrhoidectomy including sigmoidoscopy	500	200
Sigmoidoscopy including consultation	500	
Sigmoidoscopy with biopsy	500	200
Sigmoidoscopy +/- perianal fistulectomy	1,000	400
Colonoscopy +/- biopsy	500	
Freeing of minor abdominal adhesions	500	200
Laparoscopic freeing of minor abdominal adhesions	500	200
Appendicectomy	2,500	400
Laparoscopic appendicectomy	3500	800
Left hemicolectomy with anastomosis	5,000	800
Right hemicolectomy with anastomosis	5,000	800
Colostomy – formation	2,500	600
Colostomy – closure	2,500	600
Cholecystectomy – open	3,500	400
Laparoscopic cholecystectomy	3,500	400
Laparoscopic cholecystectomy – converted to open	3,700	450
Laparoscopic cholecystectomy and Nissan Repair	4,500	1000
Gastroscopy (with or without biopsy)	500	
Gastroscopy and colonoscopy	1,000	
Laparotomy	2,500	800
Laparotomy including appendicectomy	2,500	800
Small bowel resection	3,000	800
Excision of pilonidal sinus	1,500	200
1.3 Head and Neck		
Unicraniotomy (Burrhole)	4000	1200
Bilateral Craniotomy	6000	1400
Craniectomy	5,500	1200
Glands – suprahyoid dissection of neck (selective-supramohyoid)	2,500	600

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
Lymph node dissection neck (other)	3,500	600
Excision of submandibular gland	2,500	400
Excision of thyroglossal cyst or fistula	2,500	400
Total thyroid lobectomy – unilateral	3,500	600
1.4 Hernia		
Repair of umbilical hernia – under 10 years	2,000	200
Repair of minor umbilical hernia – adult	2,500	200
Repair of major umbilical hernia – adult	3,000	400
Repair of epigastric hernia	2,500	200
Repair of incisional hernia	3,000	200
Repair of complicated incisional hernia	3,500	400
Unilateral hernia – inguinal repair	2,500	200
Unilateral hernia – femoral repair – femoral	2,500	200
Bilateral hernia – inguinal repair	3,000	600
Bilateral hernia – femoral repair	3,000	600
Inguinal herniotomy – under 3 years	2,000	200
Bilateral herniotomies – under 3 years	2,500	300
Laparoscopic Injurious Hernia repair	2,500	300
1.5 Skin and Superficial structures		
Abscess – small or cellulites requiring incision and drainage under local anaesthetic	500	200
Abscess – large or extensive cellulites requiring incision and drainage	800	30
Aspiration cyst/needle biopsy	200	
Biopsy of skin and subcutaneous tissue	100	50
Excision superficial cyst / tumour (small)	100	50
Excision superficial cyst / tumour (large)	150	100
Tumour: benign and malignant requiring wide excision	200	100
Tumour: benign and malignant wide excision with skin graft	250	200
Removal of foreign body with general anaesthetic	350	200
Excision of ganglion – wrist/hand	500	200
Excision of ganglion – other	500	200
Aspiration of small haematoma	100	
Drainage of haematoma	100	200
1.6 Varicose Veins		
Unilateral varicose veins – minor resection	1,000	200

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
Bilateral varicose veins – minor resection	1,000	200
Unilateral varicose veins – major resection	2,000	400
Bilateral varicose veins – major resection	2,000	400
Unilateral varicose veins – strip & local excision and operation for perforators	2,500	600
Bilateral varicose veins – strip & local resection and operation for perforators	2,800	800
Unilateral varicose veins – incompetent perforators	1,000	200
Bilateral Varicose veins – incompetent perforators	1,000	200
Unilateral varicose veins – short saphenous	1,000	200
Bilateral varicose veins – short saphenous	1,000	200
1.7 Miscellaneous		
Axillary node dissection	1,000	200
Inguinal node dissection	1,500	300
Hydrocoele – excision of	1,000	200
Hydrocoele – child with herniotomy	800	200
Unilateral orchidopexy	1,500	200
Bilateral orchidopexy	2,000	400
2.0 OTOLARYNGOLOGY		
2.1 Throat		
Tonsillectomy alone – adult	1,000	200
Tonsillectomy along – child	1,500	200
Tonsillectomy with antral lavage – adult	2,000	400
Tonsillectomy with antral lavage – child	2,000	400
Tonsillectomy with cautery of turbinates – adult	2,500	500
Tonsillectomy with cautery of turbinates – child	2,500	500
Tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy – child	2,500	500
3.0 Urology		
3.1 Scrotum		
Hydrocoele repair, epididymal cyst excision, spermatocele, epididymectomy - unilateral	2,000	200
Hydrocoele repair, epididymal cyst excision, spermatocele, epididymectomy – bilateral	2,000	200
Hydrocele – child : including herniotomy	1,500	200
Radical orchidectomy	2,000	400
Testicular biopsy	1,000	200

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
Bilateral scrotal orchidectomies	2,000	400
Orchidopexy – unilateral	2,000	400
Orchidopexy – bilateral	2,000	400
Testicular torsion – fixation	2,000	400
3.2 Clinic Procedures		
Catheterisation	100	
Catheterisation with instillation of drugs	150	100
Urethral dilatation	200	
4.0 Gynaecology		
Vulval biopsy – office	300	
Multiple vulval biopsy	400	50
Simple excision vulval lesion – unilateral	1,000	200
Simple excision vulval lesion – bilateral	1,000	200
Warts – vulval cauterization	1,000	200
Bartholin’s cyst / abscess surgery	1,500	200
Fenton’s procedure	1,000	200
Incision of hymen	1,000	200
Caesarean section	1000	200
4.2 Vagina		
Excision of vaginal lesion	1,000	200
Anterior colporrhaphy	2,000	200
Posterior colporrhaphy	2,000	200
Posterior colporrhaphy and enterocele	2,000	400
Anterior and posterior colporrhaphy	2,000	400
Laparoscopic pelvic floor repair	4,000	800
4.3 Cervix		
Colposcopy with biopsy	200	
Letz Biopsy	400	100
Cone Biopsy	400	100
4.4 Uterus		
Laparotomy – exploratory	2,000	400
Endometrial biopsy (Pipelle)	250	
Endometrial biopsy (GA)	2,000	400
Hysteroscopy D & C	2,000	200
Hysteroscopy and removal of endometrial polyp with D & C	2,500	400

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
4.5 Urogynaecology		
Cystoscopy	1,000	200
5. Ophthalmology		
5.1 Lids and Adnexae		
Minor eyelid surgery	200	
Eye Irrigation	20	
6.0 Orthopaedic		
6.1 Ankle and Foot		
Ankle/Foot Open reduction and internal fixation (ORIF)	3000	400
Amputation of toe – MTP joint	1,000	200
Amputation of toe – IP joint	2,500	400
Arthrodesis – great toe	500	200
Hammer toe repair	1,000	200
Hallux valgus – unilateral	1,000	200
Hallux valgus – bilateral	1,500	200
Hallux rigidus – bilateral	1,500	200
Correction of hallux valgus by osteotomy – first metatarsal, unilateral	2,000	400
Correction of hallux valgus by osteotomy – first metatarsal, bilateral	2,000	400
Ingrown toe nail – radical excision/wedge resection: unilateral	500	200
Ingrown toe nail – radical excision/wedge resection: bilateral	800	200
Repair of foot tendon – primary suture (flexor or extensor)	1,000	200
Repair of foot tendon – secondary suture (flexor or extensor)	4,500	800
Neurectomy – foot	1,000	200
Repair ruptured Achilles tendon – open, primary	2,000	200
Repair ruptured Achilles tendon – secondary	2,000	200
Achilles tendon reconstruction (tenotomy, percutaneous, Achilles tendon)	2,500	400
Incision of tendon sheath	500	200
6.2 Elbow		
Elbow Fracture (ORIF)	2000	400
Radial head excision	2,000	400
Epicondylitis release	1,000	200
Transposition of ulnar nerve	1,500	200
Ulnar nerve release – elbow	1,500	200

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
6.3 General		
Excision bursa	1,000	200
Excision exostosis – superficial	1,000	200
Excision of exostosis – deep bone	1,000	200
6.4 Knee		
Repair of patellar tendon – primary	1,500	200
Repair of patellar tendon – secondary	1,500	200
Patellectomy + Patellar Tension band wiring procedures	1,500	200
Repair recurrent dislocating patella	1,500	200
Arthroscopy knee – diagnostic	1,500	200
Arthroscopy and meniscectomy	2,000	400
Arthroscopy knee and arthroscopic procedure	1,000	200
6.5 Lower Leg		
Tibia/Fibular ORIF + IM Rodding	3000	800
Repair flexor tendon leg – primary	1,000	200
Repair flexor tendon leg – secondary	1,000	200
Repair extensor tendon leg – primary	1,000	200
Repair extensor tendon leg – secondary	1,000	200
Osteotomy – proximal tibia	2,000	400
Tendon lengthening	1,000	200
Decompression fasciotomy (compartment syndrome)	1,000	200
6.6 Nervous System		
Suture of major peripheral nerves – arm/leg	2,000	400
Suture of digital nerve – hand/foot	1,000	200
6.7 Wrist / Hand		
Forearm Fractures (ORIF)	2500	400
Amputation – finger or thumb, any joint	500	200
Primary repair of flexor or thumb, any joint	1,000	200
Secondary repair of flexor tendon – hand	2,000	400
Extensor tendon repair – hand	1,000	200
Extensor tendon repair – finger	1,000	200
Tenolysis extensor tendon – hand/finger	1,000	200
Tenolysis flexor Tendon – finger/palm	1,000	200

Surgical procedure	Surgeons Fee	Anaesthetists Fee
Tenolysis flexor or extension tendon – wrist / forearm	1,000	200
Secondary repair of flexor tendon – wrist / forearm	2,000	400
Secondary repair of extensor tendon – wrist / forearm	1,500	200
Tenotomy – hand / finger eg: for trigger finger	1,000	200
Tenotomy – flexor / extensor tendon wrist / forearm	1,000	200
Repair of mallet finger	1,000	200
Excision of ganglion – wrist / hand	1,000	200
Carpal tunnel release	1,000	200
Bilateral carpal tunnel	1,000	200
Minor Dupuytren's contracture release – per hand	1,500	200
Major Dupuytren's contracture release – per hand	1,500	200
Excision of neuroma – cutaneous nerve	1,000	200
7.0 Hip/Femur (Thigh bone)		
ORIF (Open reduction and Internal Fixations)/ Intramedullary Rodding (IM)	4000	1000
Hemiarthroplasty (Uncemented and Cemented)	4500	1000
8.0 Other Surgical Procedures		
External fixations procedures	2000	500
Upper Limb – above elbow plaster	200	
Upper Limb – below elbow plaster	200	
Lower Limb – above knee plaster	800	
Lower Limb – below knee plaster	400	
Removal of metal – minor	400	100
Removal of metal – major	400	100
Manipulation of joint under general anaesthetic	200	100

SECTION TWO

LABORATORY

PATHOLOGY CHARGES

The Following fees are for CATEGORY II Health service users.

Tissue specimen for processing, staining and microscopy			
Area	Procedure	Fee Schedule (NZD)	
1.0 Histology	Small – eg. Skin lesions, appendix	300	
	Medium – eg. Uterine curreting, cysts biopsy	300	
	Large – eg Uterines, ovarian, breast	600	
2.0 Cytology	Cervical smear for papanicolau stain	50	
	Other specimen for cytology	50	
3.0 Haematology	FBC	8	
	FBC + Blood Film	15	
	ESR	9	
	INR	11	
	Prothrombin time/ Ratio	11	
	Prothrombin time	11	
	APTT	11	
	Bleeding Time	10	
	Clotting Time	10	
	Malarial screen	13	
	Filarial screen	13	
	Reticulocyte Count	8	
	Platelet count manual	9	
4.0 Immunohaematology/ Blood bank services	ABO Grouping	5	
	RH typing	5	
	HepBsAg	12	
	HIV	12	
	HIV confirmation	20	
	TPHA Syphilis	12	
	ASOT	12	
	Blood for blood transfusion	250	
	Platelet Concentrate for Blood transfusion	300	
	Dengue serology	20	
	CT/ CC (Chlamydia test)	130	
	Antibody Screen	72	
	Influenza immuno-fluorescence microscopy	50	
	5.0 Biochemistry	Renal Profile	
		Urea	3
Creatinine		3	
Electrolytes		10	
Uric acid		3	
Liver Function			
AST		3	
ALP		3	

Tissue specimen for processing, staining and microscopy		
Area	Procedure	Fee Schedule (NZD)
	Total Bilirubin	3
	Direct Bilirubin	3
	Gamma GT	3
	ALT	3
	Protein	
	Total Protein	3
	Albumin	3
	CRP – C Reactive Protein	4.50
	CSF protein	4
	Urinary Protein	4
	Urinary Micro-albumin Urine	4.50
	Diabetes	
	Blood glucose	3
	Glucose Tolerance Test	9
	HbA 1c	6
	Cardiac Studies	
	CK	3
	LDH	3
	Troponin-T	7.50
	Digoxin	7
	Lipid Profile	
	Cholesterol	3
	Triglyceride	3
	HDL-Cholesterol	4
	LDL-Cholesterol	4
	Other Tests	
	Amylase	4
	Lipase	4
	Calcium	3
	Magnesium	3
	Phosphate	3
	Rheumatoid Factor	
	Blood Alcohol	20
	Anaemia Studies	
	Serum ferritin	6
	Serum Folate	7
	Vitamin B12	6
	Serum Iron	3
	Thyroid Function Test	
	Thyroid Stimulating Hormone	5
	FT3	5
	FT4	5
	Sex Hormones	
	Luteinising Hormone LH	28
	Follicle Stimulating Hormone FSH	
	Prolactin Hormone	25
	Tumour Studies	

Tissue specimen for processing, staining and microscopy		
Area	Procedure	Fee Schedule (NZD)
	PSA	6
	AFP	6
	Total Beta HCG	7
	Therapeutic Drugs	
	Acetaminophen	7
	Carbamazepine	7
	Gentamicin	7
	Lithium	7
	Phenobarbital	7
	Phenytoin	7
	Valproate	7
6.0 Microbiology	Urinary Ph, glucose, albumin (dipstick method)	5
	Mid Stream Urinalysis	20
	Urine HCG test (Pregnancy test)	5
	Urogenital swab for STI investigation	40
	Throat swabs for Culture & Sensivities	40
	Pus/ Wound for Culture & Sensivities	40
	Ear swab for Culture & Sensivities	40
	Eye swab for Culture & Sensivities	40
	Other swabs for culture & Sensivities	40
	Apirates for Culture & Sensitivites	50
	CSF – cell count, differential, culture	45
	Fungal elements	10
	Parasites - faecal	60
	Occult blood - faecal	10
	Semen Analysis	50
	Blood Culture	50
	Food, juice and water test	45
	TB Zn Smear	10
	TB Culture and Sensitivites	30
	Mantoux skin test	10
7.0 Other Laboratory Charges*	Food, water and juice Bacteriological Analysis	45

*Other laboratory costs may be included that are not listed.

SECTION THREE
RADIOLOGY

Radiology (X-ray) Charges

The Following fees are for CATEGORY II Health service users.

Examination	Adults	Children (Under 16)
1.0 Upper Limbs		
1. Fingers	30	25
2. Hands/Wrist	35	20
3. Forearm	35	20
4. Elbows	35	20
5. Humerus	35	20
6. Shoulders	40	20
2.0 Lower Limbs		
1. Toes	30	15
2. Foot	35	20
3. Calcaneum	35	20
4. Ankle	35	20
5. Leg	35	20
6. Knee	35	20
7. Femur	40	20
3.0 Abdominal		
1. Abdomen	50	25
4.0 Pelvic		
1. Sacrum	35	20
2. Pelvis	40	20
3. Hips	50	25
5.0 Head		
1. Skull	40	20
2. Facial	45	25
3. Mandible	45	25
4. PNS/Nasal	35	20
5. Orbits	45	20
6. IAM	40	20
7. Optic Foramina	40	20
8. Mastoid	45	20
9. TMJ	40	20
6.0 Chest		

1. Chest (Routine PA)	50	25
2. Ribs (PA & Oblq Chest)	75	30
3. Chest Lat (PA & Lat Chest)	75	30
7.0 Spine		
1. C/Spine	35	20
2. T/Spine	40	20
3. L/Spine	50	25
8.0 Breast		
1. Mammogram	50	
2. Breast Ultrasound	70	40
3. Ultrasound guided biopsy	100	
9.0 Ultrasound		
1. Abdomen/pelvis	60	30
2. MSK	60	30
3. Small Parts	60	30
4. Vascular	80	40
5. Non-Dr Requests	5	5

Other Charges

An extra \$5.00 will be charged if patient request per film otherwise all images will be emailed to the required correspondence.

Radiology	Type	Category I	Category II
REQUEST PER FILM	All ages	5	5
Outer Islands	All ages	No charge	No charge
Alcohol related*	All ages	\$30.00	\$60.00

* Additional to usual radiology fees

SECTION FOUR

COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Community Health Services Fees:

FOOD SAFETY

1.0 Food Establishment (Annual License)	Rarotonga	Pa Enea
Retail Shops	40	20
Wholesale Shops	100	50
Café	80	40
Restaurant	80	40
Bakery	60	30
Mobile/ Caravan	60	30
Takeaway/fast food outlet	60	25
Manufacturing & Packaging	120	60
Seasonal (all food products including fish)	20	10
Special Inspection (case or further investigations)	50	50
Market owner fee	100	No charge
Club houses/bar	50	No charge

2.0 Food Analysis/ Laboratory Tests per sample	Local Test	Overseas Lab
Fruit	45	*supplier pays full costs
Vegetable	45	
Solid (Meat product, chicken, fish, goat, eggs)	45	
Liquid (Milk, drinks, alcohol)	45	
Water	45	
Others	45	

3.0 Meat Inspection (Post Mortem) – Swine/ Pig	Rarotonga	Pa Enea
Carcass	10	5
Viscera	10	5

4.0 Meat Inspection (Post Mortem) – Goat	Rarotonga	Pa Enea
Carcass	10	5
Viscera	10	5

5.0 Meat Inspection (Post Mortem) – Poultry/ Chicken	Rarotonga	Pa Enea
Carcass	10	5
Viscera	10	5

6.0 Meat Inspection (Post Mortem) – Cattle	Rarotonga	Pa Enea
Carcass	10	5
Viscera	10	5

7.0 Slaughter House/ Abattoir	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Permanent	100	50

VECTOR CONTROL SERVICES: Destruction of Disease Bearing Insects

8.0 House Spraying (Inside and Outside)	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Residential	70	30

8.1 House Spraying (Outside only)	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Residential	35	20

9.0 Business Establishment (inside and outside)	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Commercial (offices, banks, halls, church, schools, stadium, auditorium)	165	School, hall and church 30
		All others 80
Industrial	165	80
Tourist Accommodation Under 10 rooms per unit-	70	70
10-50 rooms	150	70
Over 50 rooms	200	70

10.0 Business Establishment (outside only)	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Commercial (offices, banks, halls, church, schools, stadium, auditorium)	50	40
Industrial	50	40
Tourist Accommodation	50	40

11.0 Aerial Spraying (Fogging)	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Residential	35	20
Commercial	70	40
Industrial	70	40
Tourist accommodation	70	40

12.0 Oiling	Rarotonga	Pa Enuā
Man made Habitat	20	10
Other	20	10

13.0 Chemicals	Rarotonga	Pa Eua
Rat poison (per cake)	1	1
Key aqua (per 1.5 L)	95	95
Arandee Spray 150g	20	20
Exemptions- (Dengue cases, MOH, MCH)		

PORT HEALTH SERVICES

14.0 Vessel Sanitation Control Certificate/ Vessel Sanitation Control Exemption Certificate	Rarotonga	Pa Eua
Up to 500 tonnage	150	No Charge
600 – 1,000 tonnage	350	
1,000 and over	600	

15.0 Seaport Clearance Fees	Rarotonga and Pa Eua	
	Normal Hours	After Hours
Liner/Cruiser	30	70
Cargo	30	70
Tanker	30	70
Military	30	70
Fishing Vessel	30	70
Yacht/Catamaran	25	40
Vaka	25	40
Other	25	40

16.0 WASTE MANAGEMENT

Domestic	
100-200	55
1000-2000	100
2000+	150
Commercial	
5000-10,000	200
10,000+	500
Annual auditing of septic tanks (W.O.F)	50
Registration (Sewerage and Sanitation Board)	
Plumber	50
Installer	50
Annual renewal fee	20

17.0 Water Safety

Water sample requests	45
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18.0 Immunisation

Immunisation Certificate Records	
All immunisation certificates include MOH seal.	15
Category I Adults vaccination	10
Category II Adults vaccination	20
16 years and under vaccinations	free

Note: Medical/ health clearance for expatriate workers report refer to Report in section one above at page 9.

SECTION FIVE
DENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

CATEGORY EXEMPTIONS FOR DENTAL HEALTH SERVICES:

OLD AGE COOK ISLANDS PENSIONERS (60 years plus)	
Full Upper & Full Lower dentures	Half Price
Employed 60 yrs & over (still employed)	Full Price
Repair	Full Price
Gold Work	Full Price
Other Treatment	Free

CHILDREN (under 16 years)	
Denture Work	Half Price
Orthodontic	Half Price
Endodontic	Full Price
Gold Work	Full Price
Other Treatment	Free

DENTAL SERVICES

The Following fees are for CATEGORY I & II Health service users.

Note: All prices are given in New Zealand Dollars (NZD)

1.0 BASIC TREATMENT DETAILS	Category I	Category II
Examination	10	25
Scaling & Prophylaxis	40	60
Each X-ray (OPG)	15	40
- Intra-Oral	5	15
Each X-ray (referrals)	20	45
Temporary dressings (if any)	20	40
Topical medicament (fluoride, desensitizing gel etc)- per tooth		
- Full arch with tray	15	35
	20	40

1.0 BASIC TREATMENT DETAILS	Category I	Category II
Re-cement crown or inlay	20	35
Each Pin	10	25
Each Post	20	45
Fissure sealant/ tooth	15	30
Bleaching-per tooth - Internal	25	55
-external (full arch) with tray	60	240
Relief of Pain (not covered)	20	50
After Hours	50	100
Prescription/Sick Sheet	5	40
Any consecutive visit	5	10

Extended Treatment		
2.0 RESTORATIONS	I	II
GLASS IONOMERS (GIC)		
Anterior - Surface Classification		
CL I	15	35
CL V	20	40
CL III	25	45
Premolars - Surface Classification		
CL I	25	45
CL II	30	50
CLV	25	45
Compound	35	60
Molars - Surface Classification		
CL I	25	40
CL II	35	60
Compound	45	85

3.0 COMPOSITE	I	II
Anterior - Surface Classifications		
CL I	30	40
CL III	40	50
CL IV	40	60
Veneer	45	65
Crown	50	120
Premolars – Surface Classifications		
CL I	30	60
CL II	40	65
CL V	20	40
Cusps Restoration	30	45
Crown	50	120

Molars – Surface Classifications		
CL I	35	55
CL II	40	60
CL V	20	40
Cusp Restoration	35	50
Full Crown	55	130

4.0 AMALGAM	I	II
Premolars - Surface Classifications		
CL I	25	55
CL II	30	60
Compound	35	70
Complex		
Cusps Restorations	30	60
Overlay	40	70
Molars - Surface Classifications		
CL I	25	55
CL II	35	65
Compound	45	80
Complex		
4 or more surfaces (includes overlays)	50	100

5.0 PROVISIONAL CROWNS – In House	I	II
Polycarbonate preformed crown	50	100
Stainless steel preformed crown	50	100
Temporary Crown & Bridge	50	100

6.0 CAST METAL RESTORATIONS – In House	I	II
Gold		
Inlays	200	300
Veneers	350	450
Crown	500	750

7.0 CROWN AND BRIDGE WORK SENT TO OVERSEAS LAB	I	II
Gold		
Onlay	210	350
Post & Core	100	200
Crown	350	450
Bridge (per unit)	350	450
Porcelain Fused to Metal (PFM)		
Single Crown	500	800
Bridge (per unit)	500	800
All Ceramic		
Veneer		
On-lay	400	700
Inlay	180	260
Single Crown	150	220
Bridge (per unit)	500	800
	500	800

8.0 ENDODONTIC THERAPY	I	II
Pulp capping	20	45
Pulpotomy	25	55
Root canal fillings: Anterior	70	200
Premolars	100	300
Molars	150	400
Apicetomy	50	200
First appointment-Stabilization	50	100
Irrigation/Medication/Temporary	25	50

9.0 PERIODONTAL THERAPY	I	II
Extensive scaling and cleaning – 3 hours minimum 1 Hour/ quadrant scaling	50	100
Gingivectomy – half an hour	60	150
Flap operations fees (based on time)	65	125
Crown Lengthening	65	125
Ridge Preservation	100	200
Implants	NA	

Note: Implant technology is currently not available here

10.0 EXTRACTIONS	I	II
One or two teeth	30	70
Each additional tooth	15	25
Surgical removal of impacted tooth	60	180
Extraction performed under GA: First tooth	65	150
Additional tooth	20	40

11.0 ORAL SURGERY	I	II
Removal of pathological tissues: (Cyst, neoplasm etc)	65	250
Fracture cases	200	450
Check Up	15	35
Re-adjust	30	85
Dry socket/ Incision	15	25
Removal of wires	15	30
Alveo-plasty		
Minor	15	45
Major	40	80

12.0 PROSTHETIC DENTURES	I	II
Full Upper & Full Lower Denture	300	800
Full Upper or Full Lower	150	400
Partial Denture – 1 tooth	60	190
Each additional tooth	25	45
Each clasp	15	25
Mouth Guards	35	80
Full Reconditioning Denture	150	300
Metal Partial Denture		

Metal Framework (only)	200	400
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13.0 ORTHODONTIC	I	II
Removable Appliances		
Upper Anterior Bite Plate	40	120
Lower Occlusal Bite Plate	40	120
Upper Removable Appliance (eg: adams clasps, finger springs/occlusal bite plate includes assorted acrylic)	60	160
Screws (expansion)		
Repairs	20	60
	20	60
Fixed Appliances		
Nance Holding Arch		
Quad Helix	60	160
Lower Lingual Arch (fit bands \$10 per band)	60	180
Space Maintainer	40	80
	20	60
Brackets & NTI Wire, fit bands (per arch)	300	1000
Functional Appliances		
Bionators & Functional Appliances		
Twin Block		
Sleep Apnoea Appliances	150	250
	150	250
Retainers	40	80
Hawley		
Upper (Wrap Around Wire)		
Proformer/VFS	40	80
	40	80
	20	40

14.0 DENTAL REPAIRS	I	II
Simple repair	30	70
Multiple repair	35	90
Reline: Cold Cure	30	150
With Flasking	55	170
Rebase: Cold Cure with flasking	55	170
Tooth Replacement	20	30

15.0 GOLD WORK ON DENTURE/ DIRECT	I	II
Inlay (minimum)	150	250
¾ Crown	200	300
Full crown	300	500
Veneer Half	150	250
Full Veneer	180	280

