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SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT

MENTAL HEALTH ACT 1990

Order under section 287A
revoking and varying approvals as accredited persons

I, ROBYN KRUK, Director-General of the NSW Department of Health, acting pursuant to section 287A of the Mental Health Act 1990 and section 47 of the Interpretation Act 1987, do hereby vary my earlier order made under section 287A of the Mental Health Act and published in Government Gazette No. 97 of 13 June 2003 at page 5710:

- (i) by **revoking** the appointment of Stephen PERRY (of Northern Sydney Area Health Service) as an Accredited Person for the purposes of the Mental Health Act 1990; and
- (ii) by **deleting** the name Eilene MASON (of Greater Murray Area Health Service) and by substituting instead the name Eileen MASON; and
- (iii) by **deleting** references wherever occurring in Column 2 of that Order to "Far West Area Mental Health Service" and "Hunter Area Mental Health Service" as the respective employer of a named Accredited Person, and by inserting instead "Far West Area Health Service" and "Hunter Area Health Service" as the respective employer of those named persons.

Signed at Sydney this 26th day of June 2003.

ROBYN KRUK

Director-General

HEALTH SERVICES ACT 1997

ORDER AMENDING THE SCALE OF FEES FOR HOSPITAL AND OTHER HEALTH SERVICES

Pursuant to section 69 of the Health Services Act 1997, I, ROBYN KRUK, Director-General of the Department of Health, as the duly appointed delegate of the Minister for Health, do by this Order hereby amend the currently applying Scale of Fees for hospital services and other health services to the extent and in the manner set forth in the attached Schedule to take effect on and from 1 July 2003.

ROBYN KRUK,
Director-General

SCHEDULE**AMENDMENT OF SCALE OF FEES**

- (a) **delete** from Part 1 in its entirety item 1A. relating to “ACCOMMODATION CHARGES”, and insert instead, the following matter:

	Daily Fee \$
1A. ACCOMMODATION CHARGES –	
In respect of patients admitted to NSW public hospitals and receiving public hospital services pursuant to the Australian Health Care Agreement.	
1A.1. Public Patients –	
1A.1.1 treated by a doctor nominated by the hospital	Nil
1A.1.2 accommodated in a shared room (single room accommodation without charge can continue to be provided on the grounds of medical need)	Nil
1A.2. Private Patients (Overnight Stay)	
1A.2.1 treated by a doctor nominated by the patient and accommodated in a shared room	250
1A.2.2 treated by a doctor nominated by the patient and accommodated at the patient’s request, in a single room or as sole occupant of a shared room.	420
1A.3. Private Patients (Same Day Patient)	
Band 1	180
Band 2	203
Band 3	224
Band 4	250

Note:

These bands are as categorised by the Commonwealth under the National Health Act 1953.

1A.4. Ineligible Patients

Metropolitan (referral) hospital	
- Critical care patient	1,925
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	775
Metropolitan (non-referral) hospital	
- Critical care patient	1,120
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	580
Non-Metropolitan hospital	
- Critical care patient	890
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	540
Psychiatric hospital inpatient	325
Other hospital inpatient	180

With the exception of:

- 1 A visitor to Australia who holds a temporary entry permit, and who has applied for but has not yet been issued with an entry permit granting permanent residence.
- 2 A Norfolk Island resident who is admitted to a public hospital under the Norfolk Island Health Care Scheme (refer item 1A.8.).
- 3 A person who is admitted to a public hospital under the Asylum Seeker Assistance Scheme (ASAS) (refer item 1A.9.).
- 4 Persons entitled to free public hospital treatment under the terms of a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement between Australia and their country.

Note:

The classification of an individual treating hospital is the same as that shown in any "Order Notifying Classification of Hospitals" made from time to time by the Director-General of the Department of Health pursuant to clause 18 of the Workers Compensation (General) Regulation 1995.

1A.5. Compensable Patients	Daily Fee
(other than Workers Compensation or Motor	Motor
Vehicles (Third Party) Insurance) -	
Metropolitan (referral) hospital	
- Critical care patient	1,925
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	775
Metropolitan (non-referral) hospital	
- Critical care patient	1,120
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	580
Non-Metropolitan	
- Critical care patient	890
- Inpatient (other than critical care patient)	540
Psychiatric hospital inpatient	325
Other hospital inpatient	180

These rates do not apply to persons treated pursuant to schemes under Workers Compensation Act 1926, Workers Compensation Act 1987, Motor Vehicles (Third Party Insurance Act) 1942, Transport Accidents Compensation Act 1987, Motor Accidents Act 1988 or the Motor Accidents Compensation Act 1999.

Note:

The classification of an individual treating hospital is the same as that shown in any "Order Notifying Classification of Hospitals" made from time to time by the Director-General of the Department of Health pursuant to clause 18 of the Workers Compensation (General) Regulation 1995.

1A.6. Veterans' Affairs Patients

Veterans' Affairs Patients	Nil
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1A.7. Nursing Home Type Patients

1A.7.1 Elect to be treated by hospital nominated doctors –

Shall be charged a patient contribution:

(on a fortnightly basis): not exceeding the equivalent to 87.5% of any Commonwealth Standard Rate Pension and 87.5% of any maximum Rent Assistance payable to a person; or

(on a daily basis, where appropriate): one fourteenth of the fortnightly amount already referred to.

1A.7.2 Elect to be treated by doctor of choice –

Shall be charged on a daily basis, an amount equivalent to the patient contribution calculated on a daily basis in accordance with sub paragraph 1A.7.1, plus an amount determined in writing from time to time by the Minister for Health of the Commonwealth, or the Minister's delegate, pursuant to paragraph (bj) of Schedule 1 of the National Health Act 1953.

	Daily Fee \$
1A.8. Norfolk Island Residents admitted to a public hospital under the Norfolk Island Health Care Scheme:	
Accommodation in a shared room	442
Accommodation in a single room	541
Same Day Admission	378
Accommodation as a critical care patient	1,120
Accommodation as a compensable patient	Applicable rates under 1A.5.
1A.9. Patients admitted to a public hospital under the Asylum Seekers Assistance Scheme:	
Accommodation in a shared room	442
Accommodation in a single room	541
Same Day Admission	378
Accommodation as a critical care patient	1,120

- (b) **delete** from Part 1 in its entirety item 1D. relating to “TREATMENT FEE ”, and insert instead, the following item:

1D. TREATMENT FEE –

Treatment fee applicable to ineligible inpatients, other than compensable patients, in addition to the current applicable accommodation charge (refer item 1A.4.), in situations where the ineligible inpatient receives medical treatment under arrangement with a public hospital rather than an individual practitioner.

Daily Fee
\$
205

with the exception of:

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2. A Norfolk Island resident who is admitted to a public hospital under the Norfolk Island Health Care Scheme (refer item 1A.8.).
3. A person who is admitted to a public hospital under the Asylum Seeker Assistance Scheme (refer item 1A.9.)
4. Persons entitled to free public hospital treatment under the terms of a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement between Australia and their country.

Note:

The above daily fee is applicable irrespective of the number of treating practitioners.

- (c) **delete** in its entirety “PART 4 – NON-ADMITTED PATIENT CHARGES” and insert instead the following matter:

PART 4 - NON-ADMITTED PATIENT CHARGES

4A. Ineligible Patients

	Occasion of Service Fee
	\$
Metropolitan - Referral hospital (excluding physiotherapy)	90
Metropolitan - Non-referral hospital (excluding physiotherapy)	70
Non metropolitan hospital (excluding physiotherapy)	60

Psychiatric hospital (excluding physiotherapy)	60
Other hospital (excluding physiotherapy)	60
Physiotherapy Services provided to Non- Admitted Patients (apply to all hospital classifications)	
Initial consultation & treatment	55
Standard treatment consultation	45
Initial consultation & treatment, two distinct areas	85
Two distinct areas treated	67.50
Initial consultation & treatment, three distinct areas treated	112.50
Three distinct areas treated	90
Extended treatment	90
Treatment in classes (ie more than one person treated at same time)	34
Other aspects of treatment not covered above eg case conferencing and employer consultations (rate per hour)	112.50

With the exception of:

1. A visitor to Australia who holds a temporary entry permit, and who has applied for but has not yet been issued with an entry permit granting permanent residence.
2. Persons entitled to free public hospital treatment under the terms of a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement between Australia and their country.

Note:

An "occasion of service", in relation to a non-admitted patient occasion of service, has the same meaning as it has for the purposes of the NSW Department of Health Reporting System (DOHRS) activity reporting as amended from time to time.

4B. Compensable (other than Workers Compensation or Motor Vehicles (Third Party) Insurance) -	Occasion of Service Fee \$
Metropolitan (referral hospital)	90
Metropolitan (non-referral hospital)	70
Non Metropolitan hospital	60
Psychiatric hospital	60
Other hospital	60
Physiotherapy Services provided to Non- Admitted Patients (apply to all hospital classifications)	
Initial consultation & treatment	55
Standard treatment consultation	45
Initial consultation & treatment, two distinct areas	85
Two distinct areas treated	67.50
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New South Wales

Public Sector Employment and Management (NSW businesslink) Order (No 2) 2003

under the

Public Sector Employment and Management Act 2002

MARIE BASHIR, Governor

I, Professor Marie Bashir AC, Governor of the State of New South Wales, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of Chapter 4 of the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 2002*, make the following Order.

Dated, this 25th day of June 2003.

By Her Excellency's Command,

BOB CARR, M.P.,
Premier

Clause 1 Public Sector Employment and Management (NSW businesslink) Order (No 2) 2003

Public Sector Employment and Management (NSW businesslink) Order (No 2) 2003

under the

Public Sector Employment and Management Act 2002

1 Name of Order

This Order is the *Public Sector Employment and Management (NSW businesslink) Order (No 2) 2003*.

2 Commencement

This Order is taken to have commenced on 20 June 2003.

3 Transfer of branch

The businesslink Regional branch is removed from the Department of Community Services and added to the Department of Housing.

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