

Private Room Fees Ground Rules



1. PRIVATE ROOMS TECHNICAL BENEFIT

For the past 3 years to recognise the work done by consultants in their private rooms where they may have invested in additional equipment or facilities to provide an enhanced experience to their patients and to avoid an admission into a hospital setting, Irish Life Health introduced a "Private Room Fee" set of codes.

This Private Room Fee was introduced for selected procedures (as outlined below) in Dermatology, Plastic Surgery, Ophthalmology, Chemotherapy and Haematology. The 2020/21 list is now being extended in 2021/22 to include certain procedure for Cardiology, Ear Nose and Throat, General Surgery, Gynaecology, Orthopaedic, Pain Management, Rheumatology, Urology and Vascular Consultants (see below).

The additional code(s) will only be paid where no hospital or other bill are involved/ received and will be paid at 100% (multiple procedures rule does not apply).

The technical charge codes may be claimed in conjunction with the professional fee of a procedure code (which is the same as an in-patient/ day case hospital professional fee rate), only when the consultant has performed the procedure in their own rooms/ suite (based on the consultant decisions regarding appropriateness and safety).

For these selected codes, when the consultant opts to undertake the procedure in the hospital, billing and claim submission remains as per usual claims submission process. Consultants are required to submit their claim form, billing both the procedure code and the appropriate "Private Rooms Technical Fee" code, specific to their discipline.

Code	Description	Comment
276699	Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
376699	Consultant Vascular Surgeon Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
441598	Consultant Haematologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	
441599	Consultant Oncologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	
456699	Consultant General Surgeon Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
596699	Consultant Gynaecologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
636699	Consultant in Pain Management Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
666599	Consultant Ophthalmologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	
811598	Consultant Dermatologist Private Rooms Technical Fee - Warts & Cryosurgery	New
811599	Consultant Dermatologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	
816699	Consultant Rheumatologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	
856598	Consultant Plastic & Reconstructive Surgeon Private Rooms Higher Technical Fee	New

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856599	Consultant Plastic & Reconstructive Surgeon Private Rooms Technical Fee	
906699	Consultant Urologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
936699	Consultant Cardiologist Private Rooms Technical Fee	New
946699	Consultant Ear Nose Throat Surgeon Private Rooms Technical Fee	New

2. DRUG INFUSION BENEFIT

In the instance that the procedure includes a specified drug, the consultant may make an application (post Covid-19 period), such as in the case of intravitreal injections or a number of infusions, for Irish Life Health to recognise the centre as a recognised centre for such treatments. Thus, subject to contract and agreement, Irish Life Health will reimburse the consultant for the drug at a specified rate, as outlined in the Irish Life Health standardised drug list.

Drugs need to be administered and invoiced in the most efficient manner to eliminate waste, abuse and error. The list is subject to change as and when drug lists, prices and information are modified (in line with the IPHA agreement).

All drugs listed in the procedure codes below will be reimbursed by Irish Life Health. Please contact consultantcontracts@irishlifehealth.ie for a comprehensive copy of the drugs available for reimbursement and the rates thereof.

3. CONDITIONS OF PAYMENT

Procedures where the "Private Rooms Technical Fee" codes may be claimed are outlined below and are subject to change based on further input and feedback from consultants. Please email consultantcontracts@irishlifehealth.ie with any queries and/ or recommendation for review on these codes.

4. PRIVATE ROOMS TECHNICAL FEE CODES

The claiming of benefit will continue on the basis of a fully completed Irish Life Health claim form from the primary treating consultant. Please note, the rules as set out beside each procedure code in the Schedule of Benefits for Professional fees, will apply.

Existing Minor Rooms based Procedures – with revised rates effective 14 June 2021. Please see payment rules in Schedule of Benefits

Code	Description	Participating Consultant Rate	Additional Rooms Fee	Total
1505	Abscess, cyst or tumour, aspiration of (I.P.)	€ 55.00	€ 85.00	€ 140.00
174334	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/ or injection; major joint or bursa (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee joint, subacromial bursa) (I.P.) - 2 aspirations / injections in same episode	€ 115.00	€ 85.00	€ 200.00
174335	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/ or injection; major joint or bursa (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee joint, subacromial bursa) (I.P.) - 3 or more aspirations / injections in same episode	€ 145.00	€ 85.00	€ 230.00
4333	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/ or injection; intermediate joint, bursa or ganglion cyst (e.g. temporomandibular acromioclavicular, wrist, elbow or ankle, olecranon bursa) (I.P.)	€ 80.00	€ 85.00	€ 165.00
4334	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/ or injection; major joint or bursa (e.g. shoulder, hip, knee joint, subacromial bursa) (I.P.)	€ 80.00	€ 85.00	€ 165.00
4332	Arthrocentesis, aspiration and/ or injection; small joint, bursa or ganglion cyst (e.g. fingers, toes) (I.P.)	€ 80.00	€ 85.00	€ 165.00
4155	Avulsion of nail plate, partial or complete, simple	€ 65.00	€ 85.00	€ 150.00
1509	Biopsy of skin, subcutaneous tissue and/ or mucous membrane, any method (e.g. punch, incision or shave), including simple closure; single lesion (I.P.)	€ 85.00	€ 85.00	€ 170.00
2520	Conjunctival wounds, repair	€ 175.00	€ 85.00	€ 260.00
1517	Destruction by cryosurgery of actinic keratosis or warts other than plantar warts with or without surgical curettement, two to fourteen lesions (I.P.)	€ 75.00	€ 40.00	€ 115.00
1516	Destruction by cryotherapy of actinic keratosis or warts other than plantar warts with or without surgical curettement, one lesion (I.P.)	€ 55.00	€ 40.00	€ 95.00

Code	Description	Participating Consultant Rate	Additional Rooms Fee	Total
405	Destruction of lesion(s) by any method, genital/ anal warts (e.g. condyloma, papilloma, molluscum contagiosum, herpetic vesicle) where performed under general anaesthetic in an Irish Life Health approved hospital (I.P.)	€ 85.00	€ 40.00	€ 125.00
1546	Enucleation or excision of lipoma	€ 135.00	€ 85.00	€ 220.00
1800	Epistaxis – anterior packing and/ or cautery (I.P.)	€ 135.00	€ 85.00	€ 220.00
49371	Excision of benign or malignant lesion(s), any area; adjacent tissue transfers or rearrangement, 4 sq. cm or less (I.P.)	€ 135.00	€ 85.00	€ 220.00
1552	Surgical excision of benign lesion or lesions from body other than face, ear, neck and/ or genitalia (includes sebaceous cysts) (I.P.)	€ 135.00	€ 85.00	€ 220.00
1554	Surgical excision of benign lesion or lesions of face, neck, ear or genitalia (includes sebaceous cysts) (I.P.)	€ 200.00	€ 85.00	€ 285.00
170555	Multiple stage surgical excision of benign lesion for congenital naevi (includes sebaceous cysts) (I.P.)	€ 200.00	€ 85.00	€ 285.00
1525	Foreign body, removal of	€ 105.00	€ 85.00	€ 190.00
2505	Foreign body, removal of, from conjunctiva	€ 85.00	€ 85.00	€ 170.00
4160	Excision of nail and nail matrix, partial or complete (e.g. ingrown or deformed nail), for permanent removal	€ 150.00	€ 85.00	€ 235.00
3120	Nail, removal of	€ 60.00	€ 85.00	€ 145.00
4210	Plantar warts, complete surgical excision, one or more (not local application, cryotherapy or curettage etc.)	€ 45.00	€ 40.00	€ 85.00
1540	Skin abscess, (superficial) incision and drainage of (I.P.)	€ 90.00	€ 85.00	€ 175.00
1641	Therapeutic phlebotomy, by the consultant physician or under the consultant physician supervision, includes appropriate advice to the patient as necessary, including file report or report to the referring doctor	€ 70.00	€ 40.00	€ 110.00
3155	Whitlow, incision and drainage	€ 60.00	€ 85.00	€ 145.00
1602	Wounds from 2.6 cm to 7.5 cm in total length, suture or staple of lacerated or torn tissue, single or multi layered closure with or without irrigation or debridement (I.P.)	€ 105.00	€ 85.00	€ 190.00
1601	Wounds up to 2.5 cm in total length, suture or staple of lacerated or torn tissue, single or multi layered closure with or without irrigation or debridement (I.P.)	€ 105.00	€ 85.00	€ 190.00

Additional Minor Rooms based Procedures - with rates effective 14 June 2021. Please see payment rules in Schedule of Benefits.

Code	Description	Payment Indicators	Speciality	Room Based Participating Professional Fee	Additional Tech incl Fee See Codes above	Total Non Hospital Fee
5008	Cardiac ultrasound, (echocardiography) for patients on cytotoxic chemotherapy	Diagnostic, Out-patient	Cardiology	€ 92.79	€ 85.00	€ 177.79
5021	Major consultant consultation including tilt table testing, alone or in combination with the administration of provocative agents (e.g. Isoproterenol), with continuous ECG monitoring and intermittent blood pressure monitoring for the evaluation of cardiac function in patients with recurrent unexplained neurocardiogenic syncope who have an inconclusive history and physical examination, as well as negative non- invasive tests of cardiac structure and function (not payable for any other indication except as stated above)	Side Room	Cardiology	€ 253.81	€ 85.00	€ 338.81
5036	Trans-thoracic echocardiography for congenital or acquired cardiac anomalies in children under 16; limited study for patients where the cardiac anatomy is known (e.g. follow up of valve stenosis) or in the evaluation or follow up of patients with predominantly non-cardiac problems (e.g. pre or post cancer chemotherapy, severe renal disease, overwhelming sepsis), where the assessment of myocardial and valvular function or exclusion of pericardial effusion is required	Diagnostic, Side Room	Cardiology	€ 95.75	€ 85.00	€ 180.75
5037	Trans-thoracic echocardiography, initial assessment of an infant or child, for the diagnosis or exclusion of complex congenital or acquired cardiac anomalies or where a detailed follow up examination is indicated. Also for adults with congenital heart disease assessed by a consultant Paediatric Cardiologist	Diagnostic, Side Room	Cardiology	€ 128.40	€ 85.00	€ 213.40
5091	Cardioversion	Day Care	Cardiology	€ 262.32	€ 85.00	€ 347.32
5108	Cardiac ultrasound, (echocardiography)	Diagnostic	Cardiology	€ 92.79	€ 85.00	€ 177.79
5109	Echocardiography, transoesophageal, real-time with image documentation (2D) (with or without M-mode recording), including probe placement, image acquisition, interpretation and report	Diagnostic	Cardiology	€ 180.19	€ 85.00	€ 265.19

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5132	Foetal echocardiography for the diagnosis or exclusion of cardiac anomalies in the foetus, including detailed segmental analysis, assessment of visceral situs (2D), M -mode, Doppler (PW & colour flow), assessment of myocardial function, regurgitation - including image acquisition, interpretation and report	Diagnostic, Side Room	Cardiology	€ 128.40	€ 85.00	€ 213.40
1670	Excision/ repair external ear; soft tissue lesion(s), polyp/ polyps or repair of split ear lobe(s) or other trauma, one or both ears	Side Room	ENT	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94
1671	Debridement of ear canal and microinspection of tympanic membrane unilateral or bilateral, requiring the use of an operating microscope and a hospital operating theatre e.g. in chronic otitis media or keratosis obturans (not for routine syringing, cleaning or the removal of impacted cerumen) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	ENT	€ 152.53	€ 85.00	€ 237.53
1675	Drainage external ear, abscess or haematoma	Day Care	ENT	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1700	Foreign body, removal from ear, under general anaesthetic (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	ENT	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
1805	Epistaxis – posterior packing and/ or cautery (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	ENT	€ 287.64	€ 85.00	€ 372.64
1820	Polypectomy, single (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	ENT	€ 117.67	€ 85.00	€ 202.67
1904	Nasal/ sinus endoscopy (using an endoscope), diagnostic, unilateral or bilateral (this code is not payable for planned routine follow-ups to any other ENT procedure e.g. for splint, removal, washout, healing check etc.) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	ENT	€ 105.17	€ 85.00	€ 190.17
1990	Cauterisation and/ or ablation, mucous of turbinates, unilateral or bilateral, any method, superficial (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	ENT	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2030	Laryngoscopy, flexible/ rigid under topical anaesthesia (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	ENT	€ 147.09	€ 85.00	€ 232.09

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2113	Full pulmonary function studies for the diagnosis and assessment of obstructive or restrictive lung disease (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	ENT	€ 115.73	€ 85.00	€ 200.73
2122	Initial nasal CPAP titration for sleep apnoea together with a second nasal CPAP titration procedure performed for sleep apnoea during the same admission (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	ENT	€ 252.77	€ 85.00	€ 337.77
2144	Nasal CPAP titration for sleep apnoea (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	ENT	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94
2148	Multiple Sleep Latency Testing (MSLT) or maintenance of wakefulness testing, recording, analysis and interpretation of physiological measurements of sleep during multiple trials to assess sleepiness		ENT	€ 135.10	€ 85.00	€ 220.10
309012	Debridement of post-mastoidectomy cavity and micro-inspection of tympanic membrane, unilateral and/ or bilateral, in a hospital theatre via microscope		ENT	€ 155.87	€ 85.00	€ 240.87
50	Paracentesis abdominis		General Surgery	€ 104.46	€ 85.00	€ 189.46
192	Capsule endoscopy	Diagnostic, Side Room, Monitored Anaesthesia Care	General Surgery	€ 159.17	€ 85.00	€ 244.17
461	Reduction of prolapsed colostomy stoma		General Surgery	€ 150.30	€ 85.00	€ 235.30
488	Ano-rectal manometry	Diagnostic, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 129.65	€ 85.00	€ 214.65
506	Haemorrhoids, injection and/ or banding (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 105.17	€ 85.00	€ 190.17
515	Imperforate anus, simple incision		General Surgery	€ 105.68	€ 85.00	€ 190.68
530	Proctoscopy or sigmoidoscopy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic, Sedation	General Surgery	€ 93.70	€ 85.00	€ 178.70
535	Proctoscopy or sigmoidoscopy, with biopsy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic, Sedation	General Surgery	€ 93.70	€ 85.00	€ 178.70

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536	Diagnostic flexible sigmoidoscopy and biopsies (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic, Sedation	General Surgery	€ 93.70	€ 85.00	€ 178.70
1046	Excision of lesion of mucosa and submucosa, vestibule of mouth, with simple repair (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 171.06	€ 85.00	€ 256.06
1047	Excision of lesion of mucosa and submucosa, vestibule of mouth, complex, with or without excision of underlying muscle (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	General Surgery	€ 270.20	€ 85.00	€ 355.20
1055	Cyst or benign tumour on lip, excision of (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1058	Epithelioma of lip, lip shave	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
1095	Tuberculous caseous glands or sinuses, curettage of		General Surgery	€ 223.35	€ 85.00	€ 308.35
1100	Laceration of palate, repair of		General Surgery	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
1115	Abscess of salivary gland, incision and drainage		General Surgery	€ 188.49	€ 85.00	€ 273.49
1125	Parotid or submandibular duct, dilatation of		General Surgery	€ 104.97	€ 85.00	€ 189.97
1140	Salivary calculus, removal of	Day Care	General Surgery	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
1152	Thyroid cyst(s) aspiration/ fine needle biopsy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 88.25	€ 85.00	€ 173.25
1170	Frenectomy (tongue tie)	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 128.78	€ 85.00	€ 213.78
1180	Growths of tongue, diathermy to	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 104.97	€ 85.00	€ 189.97
1185	Excision biopsy, oral cavity (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1190	Abscess, incision and drainage of	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1191	Breast cyst(s) aspiration/ fine needle biopsy (diagnostic or therapeutic) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	General Surgery	€ 87.44	€ 85.00	€ 172.44
1195	Percutaneous core needle biopsy of breast with or without ultrasound guidance (for fine needle biopsy use procedure code 1191) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	General Surgery	€ 147.09	€ 85.00	€ 232.09
1310	Open superficial lymph node biopsy	Day Care	General Surgery	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
1311	Biopsy or excision of lymph node(s); by needle, superficial (e.g. cervical, inguinal, axillary)	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 88.25	€ 85.00	€ 173.25

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1320	Axillary or inguinal lymph nodes, incision of abscess	Side Room	General Surgery	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
494351	Incision and drainage of axillary or inguinal lymph node abscess		General Surgery	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
2160	Cervix, local excision of lesion (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 105.68	€ 85.00	€ 190.68
2170	Cervix, suture of (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2171	Cervical cerclage (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2172	Cerclage of cervix, during pregnancy through abdominal incision (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 299.62	€ 85.00	€ 384.62
2175	Cervix, cautery of (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 104.46	€ 85.00	€ 189.46
2181	Colposcopy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	Gynaecology	€ 134.44	€ 85.00	€ 219.44
2182	Colposcopy with Lletz procedure for lesion removal and/ or laser therapy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 223.35	€ 85.00	€ 308.35
2183	Colposcopy and diagnostic biopsy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	Gynaecology	€ 171.06	€ 85.00	€ 256.06
2184	Colposcopy and therapeutic loop electrode biopsy(s) of the cervix (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 181.95	€ 85.00	€ 266.95
2209	Chorionic villus sampling with ultrasound guidance	Diagnostic, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 240.79	€ 85.00	€ 325.79
2211	Amniocentesis, with ultrasound guidance	Diagnostic, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 176.50	€ 85.00	€ 261.50
2216	Advanced foetal ultrasound, real time with image documentation, detailed foetal and maternal anatomical examination, only payable following referral by the initial Obstetrician for a documented suspected abnormality identified by a prior ultrasound (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	Gynaecology	€ 145.38	€ 85.00	€ 230.38
2225	Dilatation and curettage (diagnostic or therapeutic) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 287.64	€ 85.00	€ 372.64
2246	Hysteroscopy with insertion of intrauterine device for menorrhagia (not for contraceptive purposes) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94

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2247	Insertion of intrauterine device for menorrhagia, not for contraceptive purposes (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 75.90	€ 85.00	€ 160.90
2377	Endoscopic periurethral injection of bulking agents that are approved by FDA for urinary incontinence. Benefit is payable for a maximum of 3 treatments (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Gynaecology	€ 282.19	€ 85.00	€ 367.19
2385	Bartholin's gland cyst, excision of	Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 270.20	€ 85.00	€ 355.20
2390	Bartholin's or Skene's gland, abscess of, incision and drainage (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2395	Caruncle, vulvovaginal, removal of (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2425	Cysts or simple tumours of the vulva or vagina, excision of	Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2430	Hymenotomy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2435	Hymenectomy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Gynaecology	€ 186.30	€ 85.00	€ 271.30
598513	Termination by one of more vaginal suppositories (including delivery of foetus and secundines) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Gynaecology	€ 293.92	€ 85.00	€ 378.92
2490	Conjunctival flap		Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2500	Conjunctival cyst/ granuloma, one or more excision of	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2508	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Beovu for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)		Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2509	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Beovu for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2510	Pterygium removal	Day Care	Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2512	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2513	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14

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2516	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2517	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2518	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (branch RVO or central RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2519	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (branch RVO or central RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
2521	Symblepharon division		Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2527	Conjunctival biopsy	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2528	Intravitreal injection of a pharmacological agent with or without paracentesis. Only for use where the intravitreal agents are not listed separately in this schedule (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2531	Removal of sutures (late stage) post corneal grafting; corneal/ sclera	Side Room, Local Anaesthetic	Ophthalmology	€ 156.53	€ 85.00	€ 241.53
2535	Corneal surface removed and EDTA application	Side Room, Monitored Anaesthesia Care	Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2540	Corneal tattooing		Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2541	Intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with macular oedema following either Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion (BRVO) or Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2543	Intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with inflammation of the posterior segment of the eye presenting as non-infectious uveitis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2546	Corneal scraping	Day Care	Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2547	Corneal biopsy		Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46

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2548	Ulcer/ recurrent erosion, surgical treatment/ cautery with or without pricking, with or without debridement, with or without cryotherapy, one or more treatments, per episode of illness	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
2551	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2552	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2553	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2554	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2559	Intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) (bilateral) for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 296.14	€ 85.00	€ 381.14
2561	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2562	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.59	€ 85.00	€ 281.59
2563	Intravitreal injection of Eylea (aflibercept) (bilateral) for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 296.14	€ 85.00	€ 381.14
2564	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41
2567	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41

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2568	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41
2569	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41
2571	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to central retinal vein occlusion (CRVO) or branch retinal vein occlusion (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41
2572	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to central retinal vein occlusion (CRVO) or branch retinal vein occlusion (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 198.41	€ 85.00	€ 283.41
2575	Foreign body, removal of, from cornea	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2591	Botulinum injection for blepharospasm or to induce ptosis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 270.54	€ 85.00	€ 355.54
2592	Repair of ectropion; suture or thermo cauterization	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 280.18	€ 85.00	€ 365.18
2601	Repair of entropion; suture or thermo cauterization	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 252.77	€ 85.00	€ 337.77
2605	Epilation, trichiasis, correction of, by other than forceps (e.g. electrosurgery, cryotherapy, laser surgery), unilateral or bilateral. (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 169.23	€ 85.00	€ 254.23
2610	Injury to eyelid, repair (superficial)	Side Room, Local Anaesthetic	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2621	Excision of chalazion, papilloma, dermoid or other cyst or lesion, single, involving skin, lid margin, tarsus, and/ or palpebral conjunctiva (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 180.36	€ 85.00	€ 265.36
2622	Excision of chalazions, papilloma's, dermoids or other cysts or lesions, one or both eyelids, involving skin, lid margin, tarsus and/ or palpebral conjunctiva (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Local Anaesthetic	Ophthalmology	€ 246.05	€ 85.00	€ 331.05
2626	Canthotomy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 94.63	€ 85.00	€ 179.63

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2648	YAG laser capsulotomy, post cataract surgery, one or more treatments (details of previous cataract surgery must be provided on the claim form)	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 251.61	€ 85.00	€ 336.61
2678	Left eye, intravitreal injection of Jetrea (Ocriplasmin) in adults for the treatment of vitreomacular traction (VMT), including when associated with macular hole of a diameter less than or equal to 400 microns. Claimable once only per lifetime (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 202.75	€ 85.00	€ 287.75
2679	Right eye, intravitreal injection of Jetrea (Ocriplasmin) in adults for the treatment of vitreomacular traction (VMT), including when associated with macular hole of a diameter less than or equal to 400 microns. Claimable once only per lifetime (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 202.75	€ 85.00	€ 287.75
2756	Removal of D.C.R. tube	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 94.63	€ 85.00	€ 179.63
2760	Lacrimal abscess, (dacrocystitis) incision	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 159.95	€ 85.00	€ 244.95
2761	Lacrimal sac, syringing and probing, unilateral or bilateral (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 159.95	€ 85.00	€ 244.95
2764	Probing of nasolacrimal duct, with or without irrigation; with insertion of tube or stent (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Ophthalmology	€ 252.77	€ 85.00	€ 337.77
2766	Punctal closure with cautery or controller	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 159.95	€ 85.00	€ 244.95
2768	3 snip operation of lacrimal punctum	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
2769	Correction of everted punctum: cautery only	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2773	Lacrimal canaliculi and sac, probing with or without syringing, one or both eyes (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Ophthalmology	€ 150.30	€ 85.00	€ 235.30
2775	Lacrimal sac, syringing (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
2872	Post operative adjustment(s) of suture(s)	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 167.00	€ 85.00	€ 252.00
2873	Botulinum toxin injection to extraocular muscles	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 270.54	€ 85.00	€ 355.54
2874	Muscle biopsy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Ophthalmology	€ 234.91	€ 85.00	€ 319.91
2875	Retrobulbar, orbital floor, subconjunctival, subtenons and facial nerve injections (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98

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2880	Examination of eye under general anaesthetic (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care, Diagnostic	Ophthalmology	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
2926	Fluorescein angiography (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Diagnostic	Ophthalmology	€ 95.75	€ 85.00	€ 180.75
2927	Tensilon (Edrophonium) test	Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 60.12	€ 85.00	€ 145.12
669514	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669518	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669520	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Lucentis for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (branch RVO or central RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669541	Left eye, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with macular oedema following either Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion (BRVO) or Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
669542	Right eye, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with macular oedema following either Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion (BRVO) or Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
669543	Bilateral, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with macular oedema following either Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion (BRVO) or Central Retinal Vein Occlusion (CRVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669544	Right eye, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with inflammation of the posterior segment of the eye presenting as non-infectious uveitis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14

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669545	Bilateral, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with inflammation of the posterior segment of the eye presenting as non-infectious uveitis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669546	Left eye, intravitreal implantation of Ozurdex (Dexamethasone) for treatment of adult patients with inflammation of the posterior segment of the eye presenting as non-infectious uveitis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 195.14	€ 85.00	€ 280.14
669551	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Avastin for treatment of visual impairment due to diabetic macular oedema (DME) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669555	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of neovascular (wet) age-related macular degeneration (AMD) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669569	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Avastin for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to retinal vein occlusion (RVO) (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669573	Bilateral, intravitreal injection of Eylea (Aflibercept) for the treatment of visual impairment due to macular oedema secondary to central retinal vein occlusion (CRVO) or branch retinal vein occlusion (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Ophthalmology	€ 291.26	€ 85.00	€ 376.26
669580	Left eye, implantation of 190mcg Iluvien flucinone acetone device (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.10	€ 85.00	€ 281.10
669581	Right eye, implantation of 190mcg Iluvien flucinone acetone device (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Ophthalmology	€ 196.10	€ 85.00	€ 281.10
1385	Muscle biopsy	Diagnostic, Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 147.09	€ 85.00	€ 232.09
1390	Nerve biopsy	Diagnostic	Orthopaedic	€ 279.41	€ 85.00	€ 364.41
1425	Tenotomy	Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
3115	Manipulation for treatment of dislocation of metacarpophalangeal joint (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 166.44	€ 85.00	€ 251.44
3125	Nails, removal of all	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 215.10	€ 85.00	€ 300.10
3126	Debridement and repair of nail bed, for simple crush injuries	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 105.70	€ 85.00	€ 190.70

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3130	Application of plaster of paris casts as a separate procedure not associated with concurrent surgery (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 105.70	€ 85.00	€ 190.70
3184	Injection, therapeutic (e.g. local anaesthetic corticosteroid for the relief of symptoms of carpal tunnel syndrome) under ultrasound guidance (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 120.24	€ 85.00	€ 205.24
3230	Nerve block for pain control, wrist joint	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 107.99	€ 85.00	€ 192.99
3250	Sympathetic block	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
3315	Drainage of elbow joint		Orthopaedic	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
3325	Fracture forearm (greenstick), closed reduction and plaster of paris		Orthopaedic	€ 293.92	€ 85.00	€ 378.92
3365	Closed treatment of elbow dislocation (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Orthopaedic	€ 222.67	€ 85.00	€ 307.67
3610	Aspiration, sacro-iliac joint	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 102.43	€ 85.00	€ 187.43
3615	Biopsy of sacro-iliac joint region	Diagnostic	Orthopaedic	€ 197.45	€ 85.00	€ 282.45
3620	Injection of sacro-iliac joint region (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 110.05	€ 85.00	€ 195.05
3817	Removal of fixator device, tibia	Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 256.79	€ 85.00	€ 341.79
3985	Synovial biopsy, ankle	Diagnostic, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 144.95	€ 85.00	€ 229.95
4025	Manipulation and plaster fixation	Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 151.05	€ 85.00	€ 236.05
4030	Manipulation and strapping	Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 151.05	€ 85.00	€ 236.05
4107	Percutaneous skeletal fixation of metatarsal fracture with manipulation		Orthopaedic	€ 250.32	€ 85.00	€ 335.32
4161	Initial pledget insertion for infected ingrown toenail, under general anaesthetic, in children under 16 years of age (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 99.26	€ 85.00	€ 184.26
4263	Chemodenervation of muscle(s); extremity(ies) and/ or trunk muscle(s) (e.g. for dystonia, cerebral palsy, multiple sclerosis)	Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 156.45	€ 85.00	€ 241.45
4321	Arthrocentesis, one or more injections at the same session, children aged 12 to 16; small, intermediate or large joint (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 104.66	€ 85.00	€ 189.66
4322	Arthrocentesis, children aged under 12; less than 4 injections at the same session to knee, wrist, elbow, ankle and/ or shoulder joint (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 104.66	€ 85.00	€ 189.66

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4323	Arthrocentesis, children aged under 12; 4 or more injections at the same session to knee, wrist, elbow, ankle and/ or shoulder joint (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 178.53	€ 85.00	€ 263.53
4324	Arthrocentesis, children aged under 12; less than 4 injections at the same session, using image guidance, to hip, finger and/ or toe joint (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 156.45	€ 85.00	€ 241.45
4326	Arthrocentesis, children aged under 12; 4 or more injections at the same session, using image guidance, to hip, finger and/ or toe joints (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Orthopaedic	€ 238.27	€ 85.00	€ 323.27
4331	Injection, tendon sheath, ligament, or ganglion cyst (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Orthopaedic	€ 99.26	€ 85.00	€ 184.26
3540	Epidural injection (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Pain Management	€ 273.88	€ 85.00	€ 358.88
3541	Caudal epidural (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 269.11	€ 85.00	€ 354.11
3542	Epidural injection, of anaesthetic substances and/ or therapeutic substances, diagnostic or therapeutic under radiological guidance one or more levels at the same session (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 299.49	€ 85.00	€ 384.49
5038	Refilling and maintenance of implantable pump or reservoir including access to pump port (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 156.45	€ 85.00	€ 241.45
5586	Destruction by neurolytic agent (chemodenervation of muscle endplate); muscles enervated by facial nerve (e.g. for blepharospasm, hemifacial spasm)		Pain Management	€ 144.32	€ 85.00	€ 229.32
5614	Peripheral nerve lesioning including pulsed radiofrequency or electrical stimulation (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 221.19	€ 85.00	€ 306.19
5615	Peripheral nerve block for pain control using nerve stimulator or ultrasound guidance (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 202.84	€ 85.00	€ 287.84
5620	Sympathetic block, under image guidance (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 306.16	€ 85.00	€ 391.16
5624	Injection, anaesthetic agent, intercostal nerve, single (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 86.59	€ 85.00	€ 171.59
5625	Injection, anaesthetic agent, intercostal nerve, multiple, regional block (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 123.00	€ 85.00	€ 208.00

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5880	Electromyography (EMG)	Diagnostic, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 194.43	€ 85.00	€ 279.43
5881	Electromyography (EMG) study, rectal mucosal sensitivity testing	Diagnostic, Side Room	Pain Management	€ 194.43	€ 85.00	€ 279.43
4415	Adjustment of lip margin		Reconstructive Surgery	€ 210.40	€ 85.00	€ 295.40
4420	Adjustment of scars, secondary		Reconstructive Surgery	€ 210.40	€ 85.00	€ 295.40
4538	Treatment of superficial wound dehiscence; simple closure with or without packing (single layer closure)		Reconstructive Surgery	€ 192.05	€ 85.00	€ 277.05
4544	Keloids and hypertrophic scars intralesional injection of triamcinolone, extensive, seven or more lesions or one lesion larger than 5 sq.cm where general anaesthetic is medically necessary; by consultant Plastic Surgeon registered with Irish Life Health only (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 159.95	€ 85.00	€ 244.95
4555	Accessory auricles, removal	Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 210.40	€ 85.00	€ 295.40
4920	Fracture of nose, digital closed reduction	Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 104.66	€ 85.00	€ 189.66
4925	Fracture of nose, instrumental closed reduction	Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 156.45	€ 85.00	€ 241.45
4926	Fracture of nose, instrumental closed reduction with plaster of paris fixation	Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 217.10	€ 85.00	€ 302.10
4937	Excision of benign or malignant lesion(s), any area; adjacent tissue transfers or rearrangement, where the is the requirement for more than 1 layer of deep or deep dermal sutures for effective closure	Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 215.79	€ 85.00	€ 300.79
4942	Skin graft (pinch, split thickness, epidermal, dermal or tissue culture or free flap excised from a distant site and harvested as a graft from non-adjacent skin) for repair when direct wound closure or adjacent tissue transfer is not possible; with codes 4937 or 4938. (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure. Benefit shown is payable in full with code for the primary procedure)		Reconstructive Surgery	€ 192.05	€ 85.00	€ 277.05

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4943	Skin graft (pinch, split thickness, epidermal, dermal or tissue culture or free flap excised from a distant site and harvested as a graft from non- adjacent skin) for repair when direct wound closure or adjacent tissue transfer is not possible; with code 4939. (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure. Benefit shown is payable in full with code for the primary procedure) (see note after procedure 4946)		Reconstructive Surgery	€ 215.79	€ 85.00	€ 300.79
4983	Botox for hyperhydrosis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 92.79	€ 85.00	€ 177.79
45461	Keloids and hypertrophic scars intralesional injection of triamcinolone; up to and including the sixth lesions, under 12 in an Irish Life Health approved hospital (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 95.75	€ 85.00	€ 180.75
212013	Wounds up to 2.5 cm in total length, suture of lacerated or torn facial tissue, single or multi layered closure with or without irrigation or debridement (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 201.51	€ 85.00	€ 286.51
212014	Wounds from 2.6 cm to 7.5 cm in total length, suture of lacerated or torn facial tissue, single or multi layered closure with or without irrigation or debridement (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 302.27	€ 85.00	€ 387.27
444546	Enucleation or excision of lipoma (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 161.03	€ 85.00	€ 246.03
1507	Angioma of skin and subcutaneous tissue or mucous surfaces, excision and repair of	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1531	Biopsies of the skin, subcutaneous tissue and/ or mucous membrane including simple closure (I.P.) (the areas biopsied must be specified on the claim form)	Independent Procedure	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 117.10	€ 85.00	€ 202.10
1550	Malignant melanoma, wide excisional biopsy	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 308.74	€ 85.00	€ 393.74
1560	Incision and drainage of pilonidal abscess		Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 151.13	€ 85.00	€ 236.13
1575	Basal cell carcinoma/ squamous cell carcinoma/ nonmelanoma - simple excision	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 311.61	€ 85.00	€ 396.61
1578	Wounds or ulcers requiring debridement when it is medically necessary to perform the procedure under general anaesthetic (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98

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1582	Each additional layer (stage) after the first layer (stage) claimed under 1581, up to 5 tissue blocks	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 241.58	€ 85.00	€ 326.58
1584	Each additional layer (stage) after the first layer (stage) claimed under code 1583, up to 5 tissue blocks	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 219.13	€ 85.00	€ 304.13
1591	Hydradenitis suppurativa, excision and suture	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 261.68	€ 85.00	€ 346.68
1596	Each additional block after the first 5 tissue blocks, any layer (stage), (Benefit is payable in full in conjunction with 1581 to 1584)	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 70.82	€ 85.00	€ 155.82
1603	Wounds greater than 7.5cm in total length, suture or staple of lacerated or torn tissue, single or multi layered closure with or without irrigation or debridement (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 117.67	€ 85.00	€ 202.67
1663	Drainage of abscess or haematoma, (deep tissues) requiring general anaesthetic		Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 171.06	€ 85.00	€ 256.06
4281	Bone marrow aspiration	Diagnostic, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 95.75	€ 85.00	€ 180.75
4282	Bone marrow biopsy	Diagnostic, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 145.66	€ 85.00	€ 230.66
4287	Bone marrow aspiration and biopsy	Diagnostic, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 192.05	€ 85.00	€ 277.05
4546	Keloids and hypertrophic scars (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 92.79	€ 85.00	€ 177.79
158711	Laser treatment to port wine stains only, one to three sessions – per session fee	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 110.51	€ 85.00	€ 195.51
254105	Genital biopsy (male or female) (I.P.)	Independent procedure, Side room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 100.20	€ 85.00	€ 185.20
825000	Biopsies of the skin, subcutaneous tissue and/ or mucous membranes, any method multiple lesions (I.P.)	Independent procedure	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 116.90	€ 85.00	€ 201.90
671	Subcutaneous testosterone implantation for hypogonadotrophic hypogonadism	Side Room	Urology	€ 111.13	€ 85.00	€ 196.13
672	Drainage of intra-scrotal abscess (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Urology	€ 176.50	€ 85.00	€ 261.50
681	Injection of corpora cavernosa with pharmacologic agent(s) (e.g. papaverine, phentolamine)	Side Room	Urology	€ 105.68	€ 85.00	€ 190.68

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688	Biopsy of penis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care, Diagnostic	Urology	€ 135.10	€ 85.00	€ 220.10
695	Prepuce, dorsal incision of	Day Care	Urology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
696	Release of priapism (needle drainage)		Urology	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
830	Evaluation of a new patient initiating peritoneal dialysis during a hospital admission, includes insertion of temporary intraperitoneal catheter, and the initial dialysis session (once only per member, use procedure code 831 for subsequent in-patient exchanges)		Urology	€ 264.76	€ 85.00	€ 349.76
831	For each subsequent peritoneal dialysis exchange during an overnight hospital stay		Urology	€ 104.71	€ 85.00	€ 189.71
836	Bladder, instillation of anticarcinogenic agent (Mitomycin C)	Side Room	Urology	€ 123.06	€ 85.00	€ 208.06
839	Bladder, instillation of therapeutic agent for interstitial cystitis	Side Room	Urology	€ 122.76	€ 85.00	€ 207.76
843	Bladder, instillation of anticarcinogenic agent (BCG medac)	Side Room	Urology	€ 123.06	€ 85.00	€ 208.06
844	Trials of micturition for urinary retention post-surgery (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Urology	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94
846	Botulinum toxin injection to bladder wall (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Urology	€ 212.46	€ 85.00	€ 297.46
881	Cystoscopy with removal of JJ stent	Day Care	Urology	€ 206.00	€ 85.00	€ 291.00
882	Cystoscopy, with or without biopsy, including stress testing for female stress urinary incontinence or male post prostatectomy incontinence (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Urology	€ 269.11	€ 85.00	€ 354.11
896	Change of cystostomy tube (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Urology	€ 93.70	€ 85.00	€ 178.70
898	Percutaneous suprapubic cystostomy (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room, Local Anaesthetic	Urology	€ 135.10	€ 85.00	€ 220.10
936	Percutaneous tract formation for renal stone removal by another consultant (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Urology	€ 246.23	€ 85.00	€ 331.23
1015	Urethral dilatation (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Urology	€ 104.97	€ 85.00	€ 189.97

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1029	Complex uroflowmetry (using calibrated electronic equipment); for evaluation of bladder outlet obstruction and uncomplicated urge incontinence with or without ultrasound, with post void residual ultrasound screening (including counselling and clinical direction)	Side Room	Urology	€ 123.91	€ 85.00	€ 208.91
1031	Complex cystometrogram using calibrated electronic equipment and urethral pressure profile studies (minimum of 2 fills), with measurement of post-voiding residual urine by ultrasound	Side Room	Urology	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94
1250	Arterial biopsy (temporal artery, biopsy, bilateral under local anaesthetic)	Diagnostic, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 193.94	€ 85.00	€ 278.94
1416	Thrombin injection into groin for pseudoaneurysm (including ultrasound guidance)		Vascular Surgery	€ 270.20	€ 85.00	€ 355.20
1455	Sclerosing operation on varicose vein(s), one leg (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 104.71	€ 85.00	€ 189.71
1460	Sclerosing operation on varicose veins, both legs (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1466	Reoperation, femoral-popliteal or femoral (popliteal)-anterior tibial, posterior tibial, peroneal artery or other distal vessels (payable in full with code for main procedure)		Vascular Surgery	€ 229.89	€ 85.00	€ 314.89
1500	Venous pressure and blood volume studies	Diagnostic	Vascular Surgery	€ 93.70	€ 85.00	€ 178.70
1502	Ligation of single varicose vein in thigh or calf (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
1526	Stab avulsion of varicose vein(s), one leg (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 105.68	€ 85.00	€ 190.68
1527	Stab avulsion of varicose vein(s), both legs (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Side Room	Vascular Surgery	€ 157.98	€ 85.00	€ 242.98
4504	Nipple - areola tattooing performed by a consultant (one or more visits)	Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 329.04	€ 85.00	€ 414.04
4920	Fracture of nose, digital closed reduction	Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 104.66	€ 85.00	€ 189.66

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4938	Excision of benign or malignant lesion(s), any area; adjacent tissue transfer or rearrangement, where there is the requirement for quilting or mattress sutures for effective closure	Side Room	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 533.87	€ 85.00	€ 618.87
4983	Botox for hyperhydrosis (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 92.79	€ 85.00	€ 177.79

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1576	Basal cell carcinoma/ squamous cell carcinoma/ non melanoma, excision and graft or local flap	Side Room	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 684.70	€ 125.00	€ 809.70
1551	Malignant melanoma, wide excisional biopsy with flap or graft repair	Day Care	Skin & Subcutaneous	€ 661.32	€ 125.00	€ 786.32
4963	Excision of lesion including scalp rotation flap (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 517.90	€ 125.00	€ 642.90
4964	Excision of lesion including cheek rotation flap (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 785.48	€ 125.00	€ 910.48
4966	Excision of lesion including cervicofacial rotation flap (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 785.48	€ 125.00	€ 910.48
4967	Excision of lesion including forehead flap (I.P.)	Independent Procedure, Day Care	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 838.35	€ 125.00	€ 963.35
4539	Secondary closure of wound or dehiscence, as a result of burn, includes excision of granulation and scar tissue; suturing in several layers, extensive site (I.P.)	Independent Procedure	Reconstructive Surgery	€ 582.64	€ 125.00	€ 707.64

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