



Dear Colleague

FEES FOR NEW DETERMINATION I

1. This letter advises of the fees for the new Determination I.

Action for Boards

2. NHS Boards are asked to issue the Memorandum to this letter to all dentists and dental bodies corporate on their dental lists.

Yours sincerely,

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Chief Dental Officer

27 July 2023

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**DENTISTS/DENTAL BODIES CORPORATE
NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE
GENERAL DENTAL SERVICES**

FEEES FOR NEW DETERMINATION I

Background

1. As you will be aware, Scottish Government has committed to implementing NHS dental payment reform from 1 November 2023 and we are pleased to now be able to share the relevant part of the new Determination I of the Statement of Dental Remuneration (SDR) and the associated fees.
2. The intention is to provide a modernised approach which will enable dentists to have greater clinical freedom in a high trust, low bureaucracy model. The new Determination I introduces 45 items for general dentistry¹, making it simpler for both dental teams and patients to understand.
3. This has been developed through engagement with the dental profession, the CDO Advisory Group and key stakeholders. We have taken full cognisance of relevant guidance to ensure that it will support dentists moving forward to provide high quality NHS dental care for their patients which meets clinical best practice standards.

Overview of the New Determination I

4. The new Determination I presents a reduced suite of 45 items for general dentistry, whilst still retaining clinical discretion to provide a full range of care and treatment to NHS patients (a draft of the relevant part is provided as a separate attachment so that NHS dental teams have initial sight of the precise wording, including any provisos). The new treatment items will make the SDR simpler to use as fewer codes will need to be claimed to provide a course of treatment, and provisos for each item are now clearly stated within the descriptions, making it easier to see when an item can or cannot be claimed.
5. All items of treatment in the new Determination I, unless stated otherwise, can be claimed for both adults and children when clinically appropriate. There will be no distinction between the treatment available to registered and unregistered patients, therefore occasional items been removed. Discretionary items have also been removed.
6. The table below outlines the fees for each of the new treatment items and includes the 6% pay award increase. A short summary of the key elements of the new Determination I is provided at Annex A.

Item and Treatment		Fee
Section I - Oral Health Examination and Diagnosis		
1-(a)	Extensive Clinical Examination	£ 19.60
1-(b)	Review Examination	£ 9.80
1-(c)	Unscheduled care assessment and treatment	£ 19.60

¹ Orthodontic items have not been reviewed as part of this process and the item 32 items have been retained.

1-(d)	Intraoral Radiograph	£ 6.90
1-(e)	Extraoral Radiograph	£ 16.95
1-(f)	Study Models (per set)	£ 33.90
Section II - Preventive Care and Periodontal Treatment		
2-(a)	Enhanced preventive advice and treatment (including ChildSmile)	£ 19.60
2-(b)	Fissure sealants (per tooth)	£ 12.70
2-(c)	Periodontal assessment and treatment for patients with a BPE of 3 or 4 and/or interdental bone loss (standard)	£ 40.30
2-(d)	Periodontal assessment and treatment for patients with a BPE of 3 or 4 and/or interdental bone loss (enhanced)	£ 40.30
2-(e)	Additional Periodontal Appointment Supplement	£ 25.45
Section III - Restorative Treatment		
3-(a)	Filling (single surface)	£ 15.90
3-(b)	Filling (2 surfaces)	£ 22.25
3-(c)	Filling (3 or more surfaces)	£ 33.90
3-(d)	Composite Supplement	£ 10.60
3-(e)	Posterior Composite Supplement	£ 33.90
3-(f)	Endodontic Treatment (Incisor/Canine/Lower Premolar)	£ 118.70
3-(g)	Endodontic Treatment (Upper Premolar)	£ 144.15
3-(h)	Endodontic Treatment (Molar)	£ 191.85
3-(i)	Pulpotomy	£ 28.60
3-(j)	Root Canal Re-Treatment Supplement	£ 55.10
3-(k)	Internal Bleaching (per tooth)	£ 80.55
Section IV - Extra Coronal Restorations		
4-(a)	Stainless Steel Crown and Provisional Crown/Bridge	£ 45.60
4-(b)	Crown Placement	£ 186.56
4-(c)	Post and/or Core retention for crowns or bridges	£ 45.60
4-(d)	Inlay/Onlay Placement	£ 186.56
4-(e)	Replacement Veneer	£ 186.56
4-(f)	Conventional Bridge (per unit)	£ 167.50
4-(g)	Resin Retained Bridge (per unit)	£ 96.45
4-(h)	Recementing of a Resin Retained Bridge	£ 42.40
Section V - Extractions		
5-(a)	Extraction	£ 36.05
5-(b)	Surgical Extraction	£ 68.90
5-(c)	Advanced Surgical Dentistry	£ 94.34
Section VI - Sedation		
6-(a)	Sedation Assessment	£ 37.10
6-(b)	Sedation	£ 111.30

Section VII - Protheses		
7-(a)	Acrylic Denture (partial)	
		1-3 teeth £ 146.30
		4-8 teeth £ 164.30
		9+ teeth £ 177.02
7-(b)	Acrylic Denture (full) (per denture)	£ 183.40
7-(c)	Cobalt Chrome Denture	
		1-3 teeth £ 273.50
		4-8 teeth £ 336.00
		9+ teeth £ 356.15
7-(d)	Special Tray	£ 31.80
7-(e)	Addition, hard reline, or repair of a denture	£ 63.60
7-(f)	Soft reline of a denture	£ 84.80
7-(g)	Acid Etched Splint	£ 64.65
7-(h)	Laboratory made soft splint/fluoride tray/trauma retainer/ external bleaching tray (per appliance)	£ 68.90
7-(i)	Laboratory made hard splint	£ 144.15
Section VIII - Domiciliary Visit and Recalled Attendance		
8-	Domiciliary Visit and recalled attendance	£ 89.05

Moving to the new system

7. The new Determination I will be published as an amendment to the Statement of Dental Remuneration (SDR) in advance of the implementation date. The new Determination I will be effective from 1 November 2023 and all new courses of treatment opened on, or after, that date should be under the new SDR.

Open Courses of Treatment

8. Any active courses of treatment opened before 1 November 2023, but not completed must remain open until the course of treatment is complete. These claims should then be submitted for payment in the normal manner, and they will be paid at the SDR rate relevant to the date of acceptance of the treatment.

Incomplete Treatment/Balancing Fees

9. For certain items of treatment an incomplete fee can be claimed where a patient stops attending for at least 2 complete calendar months. Incomplete fees will now be paid at 70% of the item fee, rather than having different fees for different stages. If a patient later returns for treatment then a balancing fee of 30% of the item fee will be paid upon completion of the course of treatment.

10. For courses of treatment where an incomplete fee has been claimed prior to 1 November 2023, if the patient returns after 1 November then the balancing fee can be claimed.

Prior Approval

11. The prior approval limit for courses of treatment opened on, or after, 1 November 2023 will be increased to £600.

In addition, for courses of treatment started on, or after 1 November 2023, the following items will no longer require prior approval:

- composite fillings for people who are pregnant or have given birth in the last 12 months;
- splints; and
- internal bleaching.

Patient Charge

12. Patients who pay for their treatment will continue to pay 80% of the cost up to a maximum of £384 per course of treatment.

Orthodontics

13. Orthodontic items have not been reviewed as part of this stage of payment reform and claims should continue to be submitted using the existing item 32. However, as the general examination items have changed, the new extensive clinical examination item should be used to provide an orthodontic diagnostic assessment from 1 November 2023.

Educational Materials

14. We are developing an FAQ for the new Determination I. If you have questions about the new SDR please email determination1@gov.scot and these will be addressed within the FAQ. Educational guides and webinars to support dental teams in using the new Determination I will also be available and will be published on Turas in early Autumn 2023.

Review of the New SDR

15. The new Determination I is a significant change to the payment system for NHS dentistry and we intend to review its performance following implementation. We will provide more information in due course on how this will be undertaken.

Systems Suppliers

16. Work is ongoing with Practice Management Systems (PMS) to update practice management systems. Technical details regarding the rollout of updates for practice management systems will be provided directly by individual PMS suppliers in due course.

Enquiries

17. Any enquiries arising from this memorandum should be sent to: determination1@gov.scot

Primary Care Directorate
27 July 2023

Key Elements of the new Determination I

Examinations

We have made a number of changes to examinations which will enable dentists to be flexible and responsive to the oral health needs of their patients.

An extensive clinical examination can be provided to both adult and child patients once per year. This will be a detailed exam which will give the dentist the opportunity to update their patient's medical and dental history and carry out a soft tissue exam, a BPE, a TMJ assessment; as well as charting missing/present teeth, existing restorations, periodontal risk/status, oral hygiene status, and relevant non-carious tooth surface loss. Based on the patient's dental history, dentists will be able to use their clinical discretion to recommend a recall frequency of 12, 18 or 24 months for the next extensive clinical exam.

However, we recognise that some patients will need to be seen more frequently and have therefore introduced a review examination. This will allow dentists to see patients for clinical review between extensive clinical examinations for a range of circumstances, such as monitoring suspicious lesions or periodontal status. Review exams can be provided as often as clinically necessary and there is no time bar on their frequency.

We have also included an unscheduled care assessment and treatment item, recognising that the provision of urgent and unscheduled care can often be disruptive for dentists and involve treatment that cannot currently be claimed. This item will be able to be claimed when a patient needs to be seen for unscheduled care and there is no other treatment item that can be claimed, such as, treating a perio abscess, ortho problems, or incision and drainage. It will also be able to be claimed alongside another examination or treatment item if unscheduled care is required.

Periodontal Care and Treatment

We are conscious that it can be difficult to provide periodontal care which meets clinical standards within the current SDR, which is why in the revised SDR we have included standard, and enhanced, periodontal care and treatment items for patients with a BPE of 3 or 4 and/or interdental bone loss.

The standard periodontal care and treatment is the first step for patients who need specific periodontal care, and it enables the dentist to undertake supra- and sub-gingival scaling, surface instrumentation and provide more in-depth oral hygiene and lifestyle modification advice. Dentists can then review the perio status of patients after active treatment has ended and decide whether further intervention is necessary. Where further intervention is required, the enhanced periodontal care and treatment item can be used. This allows dentists to reinforce oral hygiene advice, repeat subgingival instrumentation and carry out instrumentation of deep residual pocketing.

We recognise that patients' periodontal care needs can change over time dependant on a range of factors, including patient behaviour. Therefore the new periodontal items will allow dentists to move patients between standard and enhanced periodontal care and treatment as their patients' periodontal status changes, as long as review examinations are carried out at the appropriate intervals.

Fillings

Fees for fillings will be claimable for single surface, 2 surface, or 3 or more surface fillings. Additionally, two composite supplement fees have been added:

- fillings on anterior teeth/small single surface posterior teeth; and,
- for multi-surface fillings involving the mesial or distal marginal ridge in posterior teeth, for qualifying patients as described in the new SDR.

Endodontic Treatment

We understand that the complexity of endodontic treatment can vary depending on which teeth are involved due to the number of roots which may be involved, therefore we have included different endodontic fees for certain teeth. There are fees for:

- Incisor/Canine/Lower Premolar teeth;
- Upper Premolar teeth; or
- Molar teeth.

We have also introduced a Root Canal Re-Treatment item to reflect the increased complexity of this procedure. This fee will be claimable in addition to the relevant endodontic fee.

Extractions

Based on feedback about the increased difficulty and time taken for certain extractions, such as surgical extraction of 3rd molars, we have introduced three new extraction items. These are:

- Extraction – for straightforward extractions of teeth;
- Surgical extractions – for extractions which may include: removal of buried roots; division of roots; removal of an unerupted or impacted tooth; soft tissue incision; and a muco-periosteal flap;
- Advanced surgical dentistry – for extractions of 3rd molars involving: partially impacted or unerupted teeth; raising a muco-periosteal flap; or division/decoronation of tooth/roots.

All three extraction items will include the provision of post-operative care and advice and will be claimable per tooth.

Sedation Assessment

We have introduced a sedation assessment item which will enable dentists to spend dedicated time with a patient to assess their suitability for sedation and to discuss pre and post sedation instruction and gain patient consent. This fee can be claimed even if the patient does not receive sedation for the course of treatment, to reflect the time required to provide this service for NHS patients.

Domiciliary Visit

When a dentist provides a domiciliary visit, either at a patient's home or in a care home, a domiciliary visit fee can now be claimed per location, rather than being based on the mileage for the trip. If the dentist sees more than one patient at the same location then only one fee

can be claimed. For example, if a dentist visits two patients in the same care home only one domiciliary visit fee could be claimed.

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NHS Dental Contractors

27 July 2023

Dear practitioner

I am writing to provide full details of Scottish Government's payment reform, including the new list of item of service fees, which will launch on 1 November 2023.

The new system, outlined in more detail in the PCA and Determination I, has been designed through significant engagement with contractors, followed by further discussions with BDA Scotland on fee levels. Bringing improved clinical discretion more into focus, the reform of Determination I will modernise the delivery of NHS dentistry and allow you to provide the right level of care to patients at the right time.

The fees represent an increase in what Government expects to spend on item of service. They also incorporate the DDRB recommendation of 6% on fee items and Cap/Con payments, which will also flow through to GDPA through the higher item of service payments. The pay award will be implemented with reform on 1 November and backdated payments will be made, including the value of 'bridging' payments from 1 April to 31 October 2023. I am cognisant of the wider economic backdrop and, I hope that, in looking across all payments, you will find the overall package attractive.

I recognise there remains further work to do to ensure the long term sustainability of dental businesses, and I look forward to working with you as we test and refine the system post-launch. As always, we will be looking to ensure value for money, that clinical care is delivering for patients, and that the sector is supported.

This is the biggest change to NHS dental services in many years and I anticipate you will have lots of questions. The information provided with this letter will therefore be further supported by educational material designed with NES, which will 'go live' in September.

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Finally, I thank you for the high quality and committed care you are providing to your patients, and look forward to working with you as we use this reform as a springboard to deliver sustainable and equitable NHS patient care for the long-term.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jenni Minto". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Jenni Minto
Minister for Public Health and Women's Health

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Statement of Dental Remuneration

DETERMINATION I SCALE OF FEES – [DATE]

Section I – Oral Health Examination and Diagnosis

1-(a) Extensive Clinical Examination

- Extensive clinical exam, advice, charting, and report. This should include, where appropriate:
 - a medical and dental history update;
 - charting of missing/present teeth and existing restorations;
 - appropriate charting and/or monitoring of any malocclusion;
 - a soft tissue exam;
 - a caries risk assessment;
 - a basic periodontal exam and periodontal risk/status;
 - oral hygiene status;
 - temporomandibular joint (TMJ) assessment;
 - any relevant non-carious tooth surface loss;
 - recording of information on habits affecting oral health and provision of advice (where required) on: behaviour, diet, smoking, alcohol, and drug use;
 - clinical photographs, where required.

- Based on patient's known dental history and clinical assessment the recall frequency for item 1-(a) may be 12, 18 or 24 months.

- Item 1-(a) can also be claimed, where permanent teeth are present, for a diagnostic orthodontic assessment prior to starting a course of active orthodontic treatment as part of an orthodontic claim.
 - Where active treatment will not be required a fee under item 1-(a) may still be claimed.
 - Where active treatment is required no fee will be claimable under item 1-(a) as part of an orthodontic claim if appropriate study models and radiographs are not available.

- Item 1-(a) cannot be claimed again by the same dentist within 11 complete calendar months of a previous item 1-(a) claim, except where the dentist who is responsible for a patient's general care undertakes orthodontic treatment, as long as it is submitted as part of an orthodontic claim.

A001

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

1-(b) Review Examination

- Appointment for clinical review between examinations based on patient risk factors identified in item 1-(a). This item may include, but is not limited to, reviews:
 - required between examinations;
 - of trauma following initial treatment;
 - of patients with high caries rates;
 - of suspicious lesions;
 - of periodontal status;
 - of tooth surface loss;
 - of temporomandibular joint (TMJ) dysfunction;
 - of orthodontic status following an initial diagnostic orthodontic assessment where the patient was not ready for active orthodontic treatment.
- Item 1-(b) can be claimed as clinically required but must be based on clinical risk factors.
- Item 1-(b) cannot be claimed when a patient attends for treatment as part of an open course of treatment.

A002

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

1-(c) Unscheduled care assessment and treatment

- Unscheduled assessment and/or treatment of acute conditions. This may include, but is not limited to:
 - periodontal abscess;
 - orthodontic problems;
 - incision and drainage;
 - periapical periodontitis;
 - arrest of abnormal haemorrhage;
 - all bacterial (excluding caries), viral, ulcerative and fungal conditions;
 - trauma;
 - pericoronitis;
 - denture adjustment;
 - stoning/smoothing sharp cusp/tooth;
 - recement of crown, conventional bridge, inlay, onlay or veneer.
- Item 1-(c) can be claimed:
 - when a patient needs to be seen for unscheduled care and there is no other item in Determination I that can be claimed; or
 - in addition to another examination/treatment item if unscheduled treatment is also required when a patient attends the practice, but this must be submitted as a separate claim.
- Item 1-(c) cannot be claimed:
 - for arrest of haemorrhage at the same appointment where treatment has been carried out under items 5-(a), 5-(b), or 5-(c).

- for the recementing of crowns, conventional bridges, inlays, onlays, or veneers, if these items have been provided by the same dentist, for the same tooth, within the previous 11 complete calendar months.
- in connection with items in section VII if those items have been provided within the previous 3 complete calendar months by the same dentist for the same appliance.

A003

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
 Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

1-(d) Intraoral Radiograph

- This includes:
 - periapical films
 - horizontal and vertical bite wings for posterior teeth
 - occlusal films for the floor of the mouth and/or the palate
- Item 1-(d) also includes assessment and reporting of radiographs.
- Item 1-(d) can be provided as required based on clinical need and in line with current IR(ME)R guidance.

A004

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
 Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

1-(e) Extraoral Radiograph

- This includes:
 - Panoramic (OPG) films
 - Lateral cephalogram for orthodontic assessment
- Item 1-(e) also includes assessment and reporting of radiographs.
- Item 1-(e) can be provided as required based on clinical need and in line with current IR(ME)R guidance.

A005

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
 Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

1-(f) Study Models (per set)

- Digital or cast study models for:
 - orthodontic treatment;
 - bridgework;
 - hard splints;
 - monitoring and/or treatment of tooth surface loss; or
 - where study models have been requested by the CSA.

- Item 1-(f) cannot be claimed more than once in any 11 complete calendar months, except in connection with orthodontic treatment where it can be claimed up to twice per course of treatment.

A006

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

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Section II – Preventive Care and Periodontal Treatment

2-(a) Enhanced preventive advice and treatment (including ChildSmile)

- Enhanced preventive care, advice, and treatment which must include:
 - oral hygiene instruction; and
 - tooth brushing and interdental cleaning demonstration.
- It may also include, where appropriate:
 - alcohol and smoking cessation advice;
 - dietary advice;
 - discussion of risk and medical factors including, but not limited to, medication, diabetes and pregnancy;
 - application of fluoride varnish;
 - review of plaque retentive factors;
 - Professional Mechanical Plaque Removal (PMPR) of calculus.
- Item 2-(a) cannot be claimed:
 - alongside item 2-(c) or 2-(d);
 - by the same dentist within 2 complete calendar months of a previous claim for item 2-(a).

B001

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

2-(b) Fissure sealants (per tooth)

- The application of fissure sealants, as a primary preventive measure, to pits and fissures of:
 - unfilled permanent molar teeth or hypoplastic premolars within 2 years of their eruption; or
 - unfilled retained deciduous molar teeth.
- This includes the maintenance of fissure sealants for 23 complete calendar months after application.
- For patients with special care needs or those with high caries risk, item 2-(b) can be claimed for:
 - initial fissure sealants beyond 2 years of eruption of teeth.
 - additional applications of fissure sealants after 23 complete calendar months from the last application on the same tooth.

B002 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

2-(c) Periodontal assessment and treatment for patients with a BPE of 3 or 4 and/or interdental bone loss (standard)

- Periodontal assessment must include:
 - recording of medical history, including, but not limited to: diabetes and pregnancy;

- recording of modifiable risk factors such as smoking;
 - recording of pocket charting and recession for appropriate sextants;
 - recording of plaque and bleeding scores, and plaque retentive factors;
 - radiographs (claimable under item 1-(d), if clinically necessary);
 - recording of mobility, if present;
 - charting of furcation lesions, if present;
 - providing a treatment plan to the patient and explaining the patient's role in the treatment.
- Treatment may include:
 - Professional Mechanical Plaque Removal (PMPR) with supra and sub-gingival scaling in areas up to 4mm to allow for assessment;
 - subgingival PMPR/root surface instrumentation of pockets of 4mm or more where sub-gingival deposits are present or bleed on probing and removal of retentive factors/marginal correction of restoration;
 - oral hygiene instruction;
 - tooth brushing and interdental cleaning demonstration, including asking the patient to practise;
 - lifestyle modification advice, such as: diet, physical activity, smoking cessation, alcohol consumption.
 - A periodontal review examination (under 1-(b)), with a 6 point pocket chart, must be undertaken not less than 2 complete calendar months following active treatment under a previous claim for item 2-(c) or 2-(d) before another claim can be made by the same dentist for item 2-(c).
 - Where more than one sextant is affected and requires treatment over additional appointments item 2-(e) can also be claimed.

B003

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
 Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

2-(d) Periodontal assessment and treatment for patients with a BPE of 3 or 4 and/or interdental bone loss (enhanced)

- Periodontal re-assessment must include:
 - recording of pocket charting and recession for appropriate sextants;
 - radiographs (claimable under item 1-(d), if clinically necessary);
 - recording of mobility, if present;
 - charting of bleeding on probing;
 - charting of furcation lesions, if present;
 - recording of plaque and bleeding scores, and plaque retentive factors;
 - risk factors;
 - behaviours;
 - providing a treatment plan to the patient and explaining the patient's role in the treatment.
- Treatment for managing non-responding sites may include:

- repeating subgingival instrumentation on moderate residual (4-5mm) pockets and removal of retentive factors/marginal correction of restoration;
 - instrumentation of deep residual pocketing (greater than or equal to 6mm);
 - reinforcing oral hygiene instruction, risk factor modification and behaviour change advice;
 - alternative causes for failure to respond to treatment should be considered at this stage.
- A periodontal review examination (under 1-(b)), with a 6 point pocket chart, must be undertaken not less than 2 complete calendar months following active treatment under a previous claim for item 2-(c) or 2-(d) before another claim can be made by the same dentist for item 2-(d).
 - Where more than one sextant is affected and requires treatment over multiple appointments item 2-(e) can also be claimed.

B004

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**

Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

2-(e) Additional Periodontal Appointment Supplement

- This can be claimed alongside item 2-(c) or 2-(d) where treatment over multiple appointments is required. This can only be claimed where treatment is required in more than one sextant.
- Item 2-(e) can be claimed up to a maximum of three times per course of treatment.

B005

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**

Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Section III – Restorative Treatment

3-(a) Filling (single surface)

- Clinically necessary fillings for permanent or deciduous teeth, can be provided in an appropriate material.
 - Amalgam fillings should not normally be provided for:
 - patients under 15 years of age;
 - patients with retained deciduous teeth;
 - patients who are pregnant or breastfeeding; or
 - for patients where there is a letter from a secondary care professional recommending amalgam should not be used due to the specific medical needs of the patient.
 - Amalgam fillings must not be provided in canine or incisor teeth.
 - Composite resin, synthetic resins, and glass ionomer fillings, except for sealant restorations, should not be provided for: premolar or molar teeth, under item 3-(a), where the filling involves the occlusal surface where this is for aesthetic reasons only.
- Fillings must include the provision of any linings, pulp capping or other preparatory treatment (including rubber dam) as required.
- Item 3-(a) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same surface(s) within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C001 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(b) Filling (2 surfaces)

- Clinically necessary fillings for permanent or deciduous teeth, can be provided in an appropriate material.
 - Amalgam fillings should not normally be provided for:
 - patients under 15 years of age;
 - patients with retained deciduous teeth;
 - patients who are pregnant or breastfeeding; or
 - for patients where there is a letter from a secondary care professional recommending amalgam should not be used due to the specific medical needs of the patient.
 - Amalgam fillings must not be provided in canine or incisor teeth.
 - Composite resin, synthetic resins, and glass ionomer fillings should not be provided for: premolar or molar teeth, under item 3-(b), where the filling involves the occlusal surface where this is for aesthetic reasons only.

- Fillings must include the provision of any linings, pulp capping or other preparatory treatment (including rubber dam) as required.
- Item 3-(b) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same surface(s) within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C002 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
 Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

3-(c) Filling (3 surfaces or more)

- Clinically necessary fillings for permanent or deciduous teeth, can be provided in an appropriate material.
 - Amalgam fillings should not normally be provided for:
 - patients under 15 years of age;
 - patients with retained deciduous teeth;
 - patients who are pregnant or breastfeeding; or
 - for patients where there is a letter from a secondary care professional recommending amalgam should not be used due to the specific medical needs of the patient.
 - Amalgam fillings must not be provided in canine or incisor teeth.
 - Composite resin, synthetic resins and glass ionomer fillings should not be provided for: premolar or molar teeth, under item 3-(c), where the filling involves the occlusal surface where this is for aesthetic reasons only.
- Fillings must include the provision of any linings, pulp capping or other preparatory treatment (including rubber dam) as required.
- Item 3-(c) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same surface(s) within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C003 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
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3-(d) Composite Supplement

- Additional fee for the use of composite resin under item 3-(a), 3-(b) or 3-(c).
- Item 3-(d) can be claimed for treatments involving:
 - the surface of an anterior tooth, or
 - premolar or molar tooth that does not involve the occlusal surface.

- Item 3-(d) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same surface(s) within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C004 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(e) Posterior Composite Supplement

- Additional fee for the use of composite resin under item 3-(b) or 3-(c).
- Item 3-(e) can only be claimed in connection with treatment involving the restoration of the mesial and/or distal marginal ridge of a premolar or molar tooth for:
 - patients under 15 years of age;
 - patients who are pregnant or breastfeeding; or
 - patients where there is a letter from a secondary care professional recommending amalgam should not be used due to the specific medical needs of the patient.
- Item 3-(e) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same surface(s) within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C005 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(f) Endodontic Treatment (Incisor/Canine/Lower Premolar)

- This item must include:
 - the filling of a root canal of a permanent tooth with radiopaque filling material; and
 - the provision of any necessary dressings and all other preparatory treatment and appropriate radiographs.
- Item 3-(f) can also include, where appropriate, the opening of root canal(s) for drainage, pulp extirpation, and/or incision of an abscess.
- No fee will be payable under item 3-(f) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 3-(f) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C006 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(g) Endodontic Treatment (Upper Premolar)

- This item must include:
 - the filling of a root canal of a permanent tooth with radiopaque filling material; and
 - the provision of any necessary dressings and all other preparatory treatment and appropriate radiographs.
- Item 3-(g) can also include, where appropriate, the opening of root canal(s) for drainage, pulp extirpation, and/or incision of an abscess.
- No fee will be payable under item 3-(g) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 3-(g) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C007 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(h) Endodontic Treatment (Molar)

- This item must include:
 - the filling of a root canal of a permanent tooth with radiopaque filling material; and
 - the provision of any necessary dressings and all other preparatory treatment and appropriate radiographs.
- Item 3-(h) can also include, where appropriate, the opening of root canal(s) for drainage, pulp extirpation, and/or incision of an abscess.
- No fee will be payable under item 3-(h) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 3-(h) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months of the original treatment, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C008 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(i) Pulpotomy

- Amputation of the coronal pulp/portion of the tooth of a deciduous/retained deciduous tooth.
- Item 3-(i) includes the provision of any necessary dressings and all other preparatory treatment.

C009 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

3-(j) Root Canal Re-Treatment Supplement

- This item may only be claimed alongside item 3-(f), 3-(g), or 3-(h), where a root canal re-treatment is required and the pre-operative radiograph shows evidence of an existing obturation.
- Item 3-(j) cannot be claimed for the same tooth, by the same dentist, within 11 complete calendar months of any claim for item 3-(f), 3-(g), or 3-(h), or 3-(j), unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

C010 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

3-(k) Internal Bleaching (per tooth)

- Internal bleaching for successfully root-filled, minimally restored, incisors and canines for patients who are 18 years or over at the start of the course of treatment.
- Item 3-(k) can be claimed with item 7-(h) for combination internal/external bleaching for successfully root-filled teeth.
- No fee will be payable under item 3-(k) unless appropriate pre-operative radiographs and clinical photographs are available.
- Item 3-(k) cannot be claimed alongside item 4-(a), 4-(b), 4-(c), 4-(d), 4-(f), or 4-(g), on the same tooth.

C011 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Section IV – Extra Coronal Restorations

4-(a) **Stainless Steel Crown and Provisional Crown/Bridge** (per unit)

- Stainless steel crowns can be provided:
 - for deciduous molar teeth;
 - for permanent 1st molar teeth when recommended by an orthodontist as part of a course of orthodontic treatment;
 - for permanent 1st molar teeth for molar hypomineralisation as a provisional restoration;
 - as a provisional measure on any molar as part of palliative care.
- Provisional crowns, for unscheduled care and treatment, can be provided using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary prior to providing item 4-(b) or 4-(c).
- Provisional bridges can be provided using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary.
- Item 4-(a) includes the provision of any necessary dressings, all other preparatory treatment, and the recementing/refixing of the provisional crown or bridge.
- Item 4-(a) cannot be claimed:
 - again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.
 - by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months of providing item 4-(b), 4-(c), 4-(f) or 4-(g).

D001 [TS]

Dentist's Fee:

£XX.XX

Patient's Charge:

£XX.XX

4-(b) **Crown Placement**

- Crowns can normally only be provided for patients who are 17 years or over at the start of the course of treatment, using any of the following materials:
 - cast metal;
 - porcelain bonded to metal;
 - ceramic/porcelain.
- Tooth coloured crowns should not be placed on teeth distal to the second premolar, except where a first permanent molar occupies the position of the second premolar.
- Item 4-(b) includes the provision of any necessary dressings, all other preparatory treatment, and the recementing of any provisional restoration provided as part of the course of treatment.

- No fee will be payable under item 4-(b) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 4-(b) cannot be claimed:
 - again by the same dentist, for the same tooth, if a repair or replacement is required within 11 complete calendar months, unless it is required as a result of trauma;
 - alongside item 3-(k).

D002 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Crown Placement Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 4-(b) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

D003 [TS]

Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Crown Placement Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

D004 [TS]

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

4-(c) Post and/or Core retention for crowns or bridges

- Post and/or core retention for crown or bridge using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary.
- Item 4-(c) can only be claimed in connection with items 4-(b) or 4-(f).
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D005 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

4-(d) Inlay/Onlay Placement

- Inlays/Onlays can normally only be provided for patients who are 17 years or over at the start of the course of treatment, using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary.
- Tooth coloured inlays/onlays should not be placed on teeth distal to the second premolar except where a first permanent molar occupies the position of the second premolar.

- Item 4-(d) includes the provision of any necessary dressings, all other preparatory treatment, and the recementing of any provisional restoration provided as part of the course of treatment.
- Item 4-(d) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

D006 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Inlay/Onlay Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 4-(d) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

D007 [TS]

Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Inlay/Onlay Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

D008 [TS]

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

4-(e) Replacement Veneer

- Replacement veneers can be provided for patients using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary for upper teeth anterior to the first premolar, and subject to satisfactory periapical condition, periodontal status, general standard of oral hygiene and occlusion.
- Item 4-(e) includes the provision of any necessary dressings, all other preparatory treatment, and the recementing of any provisional restoration provided as part of the course of treatment.
- Item 4-(e) cannot be claimed again, by the same dentist, for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

D009 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Replacement Veneer Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 4-(e) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

D010 [TS]

Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Replacement Veneer Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

D011 [TS]

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

4-(f) Conventional Bridge (per unit)

- Bridges can normally only be provided for patients who are 17 years or over at the start of the course of treatment, with stable dentition, at least 6 months after extraction of any tooth to be replaced by the bridge, and subject to satisfactory periapical condition of the abutment teeth, periodontal status, general standard of oral hygiene and occlusion, using the following materials:
 - cast metal;
 - porcelain bonded to metal;
 - ceramic/porcelain.
- Bridges should have an adequate retainer to pontic ratio –not more than one pontic per retainer in cantilever bridges, two pontics per retainer in fixed movable bridges, and three pontics per two retainers in other bridges.
- Bridges to replace molar teeth must be necessary for the stability of the occlusion.
- Item 4-(f) includes:
 - all preparatory treatment required, including, dressings, pulp capping, and the recementing of any provisional restoration provided as part of the course of treatment;
 - retainers;
 - pontics in a suitable material deemed clinically necessary.
- No fee will be payable under item 4-(f) unless appropriate radiographs and study models are available.
- Item 4-(f) cannot be claimed to repair or replace a bridge where the same dentist provided the original bridge for the same teeth within 11 complete

calendar months, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

D012 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Conventional Bridge Incomplete Fee (70% of fee per unit)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 4-(f) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

D013 [TS]

Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Conventional Bridge Balancing Fee (30% of fee per unit)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

D014 [TS]

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

4-(g) **Resin Retained Bridge** (per unit)

- Bridges can normally only be provided, using any suitable material deemed clinically necessary, for patients who are 17 years or over at the start of the course of treatment, with stable dentition, at least 6 months after extraction of any tooth to be replaced by the bridge, and subject to satisfactory periapical condition of the abutment teeth, periodontal status, general standard of oral hygiene and occlusion.
- Bridges should have an adequate retainer to pontic ratio – not more than one pontic per retainer in cantilever bridges, two pontics per retainer in fixed movable bridges, and three pontics per two retainers in other bridges.
- Bridges to replace molar teeth must be necessary for the stability of the occlusion.
- Item 4-(g) includes:
 - all preparatory treatment required, including , dressings, pulp capping, and the recementing of any provisional restoration provided as part of the course of treatment;
 - retainers;
 - pontics in a suitable material deemed clinically necessary.
- No fee will be payable under item 4-(g) unless appropriate radiographs and study models are available.
- Item 4-(g) cannot be claimed to repair or replace a bridge where the same dentist provided the original bridge for the same teeth within 11 complete

calendar months, unless repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

D015 [TS] Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Resin Retained Bridge Incomplete Fee (70% of fee per unit)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 4-(g) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

D016 [TS] Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Resin Retained Bridge Balancing Fee (30% of fee per unit)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

D017 [TS] Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

4-(h) Recementing of a Resin Retained Bridge

- Fee for recementing a resin retained bridge.
- Item 4-(h) cannot be claimed for the recementing of a resin retained bridge that has been provided by the same dentist, for the same tooth, within the previous 11 complete calendar months.

D018 [TS] Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Section V – Extractions

5-(a) Extraction

- Extractions of permanent or deciduous teeth for adults and children.
- Item 5-(a) includes all required post-operative care and advice, including arrest of haemorrhage, necessary sutures and their subsequent removal, except where urgent unscheduled care is required within a separate appointment in connection with item 1-(c).
- Item 5-(a) cannot be claimed alongside item 5-(b) or 5-(c) by the same dentist, for the same tooth.

E001 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

5-(b) Surgical Extraction

- Surgical extractions of permanent or deciduous teeth for adults and children, which may include:
 - removal of buried roots;
 - division of roots/root sectioning;
 - removal of an unerupted tooth, including supernumerary teeth;
 - removal of an impacted tooth, including those requiring bone removal;
 - soft tissue incision;
 - muco-periosteal flap.
- Item 5-(b) includes all required post-operative care and advice, including arrest of haemorrhage, necessary sutures and their subsequent removal, except where urgent unscheduled care is required within a separate appointment in connection with item 1-(c).
- No fee will be payable under item 5-(b) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 5-(b) cannot be claimed alongside item 5-(a) or 5-(c) by the same dentist, for the same tooth.

E002 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

5-(c) Advanced Surgical Dentistry

- Surgical extractions of 3rd molars involving:
 - partially impacted or unerupted teeth;
 - raising of a muco-periosteal flap;
 - division/decoration of tooth/roots.

- Surgical exposure of unerupted teeth for orthodontic purposes. This should include any necessary packing, suturing, and application of orthodontic appliance components.
- Oral-antral fistula/communication closure with mucoperiosteal buccal advancement flap. This should include all necessary packing and suturing.
- Item 5-(c) includes all required post-operative care and advice, including arrest of haemorrhage, necessary sutures and their subsequent removal, except where urgent unscheduled care is required within a separate appointment in connection with item 1-(c).
- No fee will be payable under item 5-(c) unless appropriate radiographs are available.
- Item 5-(c) cannot be claimed alongside item 5-(a) or 5-(b) by the same dentist, for the same tooth.

E003 [TS]

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
 Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

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Section VI – Sedation

6-(a) Sedation Assessment

- Provision of a sedation assessment, according to current conscious sedation guidelines, by those who have the appropriate knowledge, skills, training and experience.
- An assessment should include:
 - a thorough medical, dental social, anxiety, and sedation history;
 - history of prescribed and non-prescribed drugs (including recreational or illicit drugs);
 - recording of blood pressure, oxygen saturation, heart rate, Body Mass Index (BMI) physical status, and disabilities;
 - American Society of Anaesthesiologists (ASA) physical status;
 - oral examination and treatment plan;
 - pre and post sedation instructions;
 - patient consent.
- Item 6-(a) can be claimed even if a patient does not receive sedation for the course of treatment.
- Item 6-(a) cannot be claimed by the same dentist more than once per course of treatment.

F001

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

6-(b) Sedation

- Provision of sedation using either:
 - a single intravenous sedative agent; or
 - inhalation sedation (using a dedicated machine capable of delivering a fixed maximum level of nitrous oxide and a fixed minimum level of oxygen).
- Item 6-(b) can be claimed:
 - for any course of NHS treatment where, in the opinion of the dentist, the treatment could not otherwise be carried out.
 - by either: the operator/sedationist; or the sedationist, where they are working with an operator who is claiming for the course of treatment.
 - each time a patient is sedated when a course of NHS treatment is carried out over multiple appointments.

F002

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Section VII – Prosthesis

7-(a) Acrylic Denture (partial)

- Provision of a partial denture in synthetic resin, which includes:
 - all necessary backing and name tagging;
 - the provision of all necessary clasps, rests and strengtheners;
 - any adjustments needed within 3 complete calendar months after completion.

- Item 7-(a) can be claimed for a definitive denture, or a provisional denture following an extraction(s) for a patient with no existing denture. Where a patient has an existing acrylic denture that requires an addition following an extraction this should be claimed under item 7-(e).

- Item 7-(a) cannot be claimed to replace a denture where the same dentist provided the original denture for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless:
 - it is required as a result of trauma; or
 - it is to replace a provisional denture provided following an extraction carried out a minimum of 3 complete calendar months earlier.

G001 [TS]	Dentist's Fee 1-3 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee 4-8 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee 9 or more teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX

Acrylic Denture (partial) Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 7-(a) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

G002 [TS]	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 1-3 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 4-8 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 9 or more teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX

Acrylic Denture (partial) Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

G003 [TS] Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 1-3 teeth: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 4-8 teeth: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 9 or more teeth: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(b) **Acrylic Denture (full)**

- Provision of a full denture in synthetic resin, which includes:
 - all necessary backing and name tagging;
 - the provision of all necessary clasps, rests and strengtheners;
 - any adjustments needed within 3 complete calendar months after completion.
- Item 7-(b) can be claimed for a definitive denture, or a provisional denture following an extraction(s) for a patient with no existing denture.
- Item 7-(b) cannot be claimed to replace a denture where the same dentist provided the original denture for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless:
 - it is required as a result of trauma; or
 - it is to replace a provisional denture provided following an extraction carried out a minimum of 3 complete calendar months earlier.

G004 Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Acrylic Denture (full) Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 7-(b) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

G005 Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Acrylic Denture (full) Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

G006 Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(c) Cobalt Chrome Denture

- Provision of a full or partial cobalt chrome denture, which includes:
 - all necessary backing and name tagging;
 - the provision of all necessary clasps, rests and strengtheners;
 - any adjustments needed within 3 complete calendar months after completion.
- Item 7-(c) should not be provided until a minimum of 3 complete calendar months after extraction, and, for a partial cobalt chrome denture, is subject to satisfactory periapical condition of the abutment teeth, periodontal status, general standard of oral health, and occlusion.
- Item 7-(c) cannot be claimed to replace a denture where the same dentist provided the original denture for the same tooth within 11 complete calendar months, unless:
 - it is required as a result of trauma; or
 - it is to replace a provisional denture provided following an extraction carried out a minimum of 3 complete calendar months earlier.

G007 [TS]	Dentist's Fee 1-3 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee 4-8 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee 9 or more teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX

Cobalt Chrome Denture Incomplete Fee (70% of fee)

- Incomplete treatment fee for item 7-(c) can only be claimed after 2 complete calendar months since the patient last attended. Any appliances must be retained for at least 12 months after the date of payment and submitted to the CSA if requested.

G008 [TS]	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 1-3 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 4-8 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX
	Dentist's Fee for incomplete treatment 9 or more teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX

Cobalt Chrome Denture Balancing Fee (30% of fee)

- Where a patient resumes treatment after an incomplete treatment fee has been paid then only the balance of fees will subsequently be paid.

G009 [TS]	Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 1-3 teeth:	£XX.XX
	Patient's Charge:	£XX.XX

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 4-8 teeth: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

Balancing Fee for incomplete treatment 9 or more teeth: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(d) Special Tray

- Provision of a special tray in relation to dentures.
- Item 7-(d) can only be claimed alongside items 7-(a), 7-(b) and 7-(c).

G010

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(e) Addition, hard reline, or repair of a denture

- Any addition to a denture, including additional teeth, and clasps; or
- Lab or chair-side hard reline or repair of a denture.
- Item 7-(e) cannot be claimed by the same dentist within 3 complete calendar months of providing item 7-(a), 7-(b), or 7-(c) for reline of denture or addition of clasps.

G011

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(f) Soft reline of a denture

- Fee for a lab-based soft-reline of a denture.
- Item 7-(f) cannot be claimed by the same dentist within 3 complete calendar months of providing item 7-(a), 7-(b), or 7-(c).

G012

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX
Patient's Charge: £XX.XX

7-(g) Acid Etched Splint (per union)

- Provision of an acid etched splint for:
 - the splinting of avulsed, luxated or mobile teeth, designed to allow primary healing to take place; or
 - the palliative care of periodontally involved teeth for the alleviation of symptoms where it is in the interest of the patient to avoid extraction.
- Item 7-(g) includes the provision of all necessary materials and removal of splints.

G013

Dentist's Fee: £XX.XX

Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

7-(h) Laboratory made soft splint/fluoride tray/trauma retainer/external bleaching tray (per appliance)

- Provision of a laboratory processed soft occlusal appliance used for diagnostic and/or therapeutic purposes in connection with parafunctional clenching, grinding of teeth and/or temporomandibular disorder.
- Item 7-(h) includes provision of all necessary materials.
- Item 7-(h) can only be claimed for external bleaching of specific teeth in connection with item 3-(k).
- Item 7-(h) cannot be claimed by the same dentist for the same appliance/teeth within 11 complete calendar months, unless a repair or replacement is required as a result of trauma.

G014

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

7-(i) Laboratory made hard splint (per appliance)

- Provision of a laboratory processed heat-cured acrylic occlusal appliance, covering the occlusal and incisal surfaces of all the teeth in one jaw, used for diagnostic and/or therapeutic purposes.
- Item 7-(i) includes all necessary materials.
- No fee will be payable under item 7-(i) unless appropriate study models are available.
- Item 7-(i) cannot be claimed by the same dentist for the same appliance/teeth within 11 complete calendar months, unless a replacement is required as a result of trauma.

G015

Dentist's Fee: **£XX.XX**
Patient's Charge: **£XX.XX**

Section VIII – Domiciliary Visit and Recalled Attendance

8- Domiciliary visit and recalled attendance

- Additional fee per location which can be claimed when a dentist provides a domiciliary visit, either at a patient's home or at a care home; or
- Additional fee when a dentist has to open/return to the practice when it is not normally open to see a patient(s) for an emergency.

- Item 8 can be claimed in addition to all the required items of treatment that are provided.
- Item 8 cannot be claimed by GDPs providing enhanced skills in domiciliary care, unless for recalled attendance.

H001

Dentist's Fee:

£XX.XX

Patient's Charge:

£XX.XX

9- UNALLOCATED
