

Practitioner Services



***Dental
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APRIL 2009 CODE/ITEM GUIDE							
MAXIMUM PATIENT CHARGE - £384							
	CODE	FEE	PATIENT CHARGE		CODE	FEE	PATIENT CHARGE
EXAMINATION				APICECTOMY X-rays to be available			
1A Clinical examination	0101	£8.02	£0.00	15C Incisor	1521	£40.89	£32.71
1B Extensive clinical examination	0111	£12.03	£0.00	Premolar	1522	£56.22	£44.97
1C Full case assessment	0121	£25.05	£0.00	Upper molar	1523	£66.24	£52.99
1D Care and treatment summary	0131	£3.96	£3.16	Additional fee for retrograde	1541	£8.77	£7.01
X-RAYS - Registered/Occasional				VENEERS			
2A[1] / 49 Small	0201 / 4901	£3.96	£3.16	16 <u>321/123</u>	1601	£102.06	£81.64
2A[2] / 49 Medium	0202 / 4911	£5.21	£4.16	Additional fee for 1st veneer	1600	£7.87	£6.29
2A[3] / 49 Large	0203 / 4921	£8.27	£6.61	INLAYS			
2A[4] / 49 Panorol	0204 / 4931	£12.28	£9.82	17A[1] Single surface	1701	£66.24	£52.99
2A[5] Ceph [ORTHO]	0205	£18.14	£14.51	2 surfaces	1702	£93.55	£74.84
STUDY MODELS				2 surfaces involving the incisal	1703	£85.03	£68.02
2B Upper + Lower	0211	£17.74	£14.19	3 surfaces	1704	£124.16	£99.32
Duplicate set	0212	£11.12	£8.89	CROWNS			
Single	0213	£8.77	£7.01	17B[1] Precious metal	1711	£110.58	£88.46
PHOTOGRAPHS				17B[2] NON precious metal	1712	£85.03	£68.02
3	0301	£3.96	£3.16	17C Porcelain jacket crown	1716	£83.32	£66.65
SCALING X-rays to be available for 10C				17D[1] Bonded precious	1721	£126.77	£101.41
10A Single visit	1001	£12.63	£10.10	17D[2] Bonded non-precious	1722	£113.84	£91.07
10B Two or more visits	1011	£30.56	£24.44	17E Acrylic	1726	£67.99	£54.39
10B Incomplete [first visit]	1000 01	£15.28	£12.22	Additional fee for 1st crown or inlay	1700	£7.87	£6.29
10C Intensive and	1021	£38.93	£31.14	POSTS			
5 - 9 teeth	"	£47.55	£38.04	17F[2] Metal alloy post	1732	£35.22	£28.17
10 - 16 teeth	"	£56.22	£44.97	17F[3] Prefabricated post	1733	£18.39	£14.71
17 or more teeth	"	£62.98	£50.38	17F[4] Pin / screw	1734	£8.77	£7.01
Additional fee for sextants	1022	£7.87	£6.29	TEMPORARY CROWN			
FILLINGS				17G WITHOUT post	1742	£14.68	£11.74
14A[1] Single surface	1401	£8.57	£6.85	WITH post	1743	£20.69	£16.55
14A[2] Two surfaces	1402	£12.63	£10.10	RE-CEMENT - Registered / Occasional			
14A[3] Mesial/Occlusal or Distal/Occlusal	1403	£16.63	£13.30	17K / 51C Inlay	1781 / 5111	£10.57	£8.45
14A[4] Mesial/Occlusal/Distal	1404	£22.00	£17.60	Crown	1782 / 5112	£10.57	£8.45
14B Tunnel	1411	£16.63	£13.30	BRIDGES X-rays and/or study models to be available			
Double filling	1412	£22.00	£17.60	18A[4] Retainer	1807	£134.13	£107.30
14C[1] Resin	1421	£16.13	£12.90	Bonded precious	1808	£122.31	£97.84
Double filling	1420	£25.05	£20.04	Bonded non-precious			
Acid etch	1422	£5.21	£4.16	18C[4] Pontic	1825	£76.21	£60.96
One angle	1423	£1.05	£0.84	Bonded precious	1826	£66.24	£52.99
Incisal edge	1424	£8.57	£6.85	Bonded non-precious			
Two angles	1425	£12.28	£9.82	18D Maryland retainer	1831	£38.93	£31.14
Cusp tip	1426	£14.68	£11.74	Pontic	1832	£74.46	£59.56
14C[2] Glass ionomer	1427	£20.04	£16.03	TEMPORARY BRIDGE			
Double filling	1431	£6.76	£5.40	18F[1] Lab produced	1851	£17.34	£13.87
SEALANT RESTORATIONS				18F[2] Other	1852	£6.46	£5.16
14H Sealant only	1481	£7.87	£6.29	RE-CEMENT BRIDGE			
14I Resin	1482	£11.12	£8.89	18G[1] Maryland	1861	£28.91	£0.00
14J Resin + ionomer	1483	£16.63	£13.30	18G[2] Any other bridge	1862	£15.33	£0.00
14G Single filling	1461	£14.68	£11.74	EXTRACTIONS - Registered / Occasional			
Double filling	1462	£21.80	£17.44	21 / 52 1 tooth	2101 / 5201	£7.87	£6.29
MAXIMUM FILLING FEES				" 2 teeth	"	£14.28	£11.42
Combinations of materials WITHOUT pins / acid etch / cusp tip	1470	£30.56	£24.44	" 3 or 4 teeth	"	£22.00	£17.60
Combinations of materials WITH pins / acid etch or cusp tip	1471	£34.02	£27.21	" 5 - 9 teeth	"	£28.91	£23.12
ROOT TREATMENTS X-rays to be available				" 10 - 16 teeth	"	£38.93	£31.14
15A Incisor	1501	£46.30	£37.04	" 17 or more teeth	"	£47.55	£38.04
Upper premolar	1502	£63.03	£50.42	Additional fee for visits	2121 / 5206	£6.46	£5.16
Lower premolar	1503	£54.61	£43.68				
Molar	1504	£96.85	£77.48				
15B Vital pulpotomy	1511	£18.39	£14.71				

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					CODE		FEE		PATIENT CHARGE					
SURGICAL EXTRACTIONS - VISIT fee not applicable / X-rays to be available					EASING		Upper		Lower					
22A		Soft tissue only		2201	£22.00	£17.60	28B		2831	2832	£11.52	£9.21		
Bone removal on 1, 2 or 3s				2202	£30.56	£24.44	RELINES							
4, 5, 6, 7 or 8s				2203	£37.53	£30.02	28C[1]		2851	2852	£38.93	£31.14		
Impacted wisdom teeth							28C[2]		2853	2854	£44.24	£35.39		
Upper NO DIVISION				2204	£38.93	£31.14	28C[3]		2855	2856	£59.68	£47.74		
Lower " "				2206	£46.00	£36.80	ADDITIONS							
Upper WITH DIVISION				2205	£49.25	£39.40	28D[1] Clasp		2861	2862	£32.27	£25.81		
Lower " "				2207	£54.51	£43.60	28D[2] Tooth		2863	2864	£27.16	£21.72		
							28D[3] Gum		2865	2866	£27.16	£21.72		
POST OPERATIVE TREATMENT														
23A[1]		Arrest of haemorrhage		2301	£25.05	£0.00	Maximum addition fee - per denture							
23A[2]		Remove sutures		2302	£7.87	£0.00	Combinations of 2 or more additions with or without repairs							
23B		Septic socket		2311	£7.87	£6.29	Maximum fee applies per denture				2880 19	£46.00	£36.80	
GENERAL ANAESTHETIC - Deleted 01/04/2001					ORTHODONTIC APPLIANCE									
SEDATION					25A[1]		WITH ITEM 21							
1 - 4 teeth				2551	£25.05	£20.04	32A[1]		3201	3202	£120.65	£96.52		
5 - 9 teeth				2552	£28.91	£23.12	32A[2]		3203	3204	£115.69	£92.55		
10 - 16 teeth				2553	£34.02	£27.21	32A[3]		3205	3206	£338.36	£270.68		
17 or more teeth				2554	£42.39	£33.91	32A[4]		3207	-	£207.48	£165.98		
Maximum				2560	£84.78	£67.82	32A[5]		3211	3212	£88.54	£70.83		
25A[2]		WITH OTHER ITEMS [adults only]					Extra-oral traction		3221	3223	£49.25	£39.40		
< £10				2555	£25.05	£20.04	Anchorage		3222	3224	£49.25	£39.40		
£10.01 - £25				2556	£46.00	£36.80	RETENTION							
£25.01 - £50				2557	£66.24	£52.99	32B[1]		First period		3231	£30.56	£24.44	
>£50				2558	£84.78	£67.82			Additional period		3232	£15.33	£12.26	
					25C[1]		Deleted 13/08/01		RETENTION APPLIANCES					
25C[2]		Inhalation		2573	£17.74	£9.62	32B[2]		Removable		3233	3234	£59.68	£47.74
Fee paid for 2573 is calculated as Inhalation @ £12.03 plus Supplement @ £5.71. The patient will only pay 80% of Inhalation									Fixed		3235	3236	£67.99	£54.39
25C[2]		Injection		2574	£28.91	£17.19			Pressure		3237	3238	£48.35	£38.68
Fee paid for 2574 is calculated as Injection @ £21.49 plus Supplement @ £7.42. The patient will only pay 80% of Injection					REPAIRS									
32C[1]				3241	£25.05	£0.00	32C[2]		3242	3248	£30.56	£0.00		
32C[2]				3243	£38.93	£0.00	32C[3]		3243	-	£38.93	£0.00		
32C[3]				3244	£52.76	£0.00	32C[4]		3244	3249	£52.76	£0.00		
32C[4]				3245	£7.57	£0.00	IMPRESSION							
													£0.00	
ACRYLIC DENTURES					REPLACEMENT APPLIANCES - REG 9 charge is decided by the NHS Board									
27B[1]		Full Upper + Lower		2730	£173.81	£139.04	32E[1]		Space maintainer		3281	£47.55	£38.04	
27B[2]		Full		2731	£108.43	£86.74	32E[2]		Removable		3282	£64.64	£51.71	
27B[3]		Partial		2733	£67.99	£54.39	32E[3]		Simple fixed		3283	£66.24	£52.99	
1 - 3 teeth				2735	£90.09	£72.07	32E[4]		Multiband		3284	£124.16	£99.32	
4 - 8 teeth				2735	£107.17	£85.73	32E[5]		Functional		3285	£76.56	£61.24	
9 or more teeth				2735										
Note 2738 maximum denture code no longer applies: Use Upper/Lower codes.					DOMICILIARY VISITS - Registered/Occasional									
					- supporting observations should be given									
27C[1]		Full		2741	£153.17	£122.53	35 / 57A		< 10 miles		3501 / 5701	£35.77	£0.00	
27C[2]		Part plate design		2743	£156.53	£125.22			10 - 40 miles		3502 / 5702	£49.25	£0.00	
1 - 3 teeth				2747	£171.71	£137.36			over 40 miles		3503 / 5703	£64.64	£0.00	
4 - 8 teeth				2747			RE-OPEN SURGERY - Registered/Occasional							
9 or more teeth				2747			35 / 57B		< 1 mile		3511 / 5711	£42.39	£0.00	
27C[3]		Single bar		2744	£165.00	£132.00			over 1 mile		3512 / 5712	£69.75	£0.00	
1 - 3 teeth				2748	£180.18	£144.14	ITEM 36 - MISCELLANEOUS TREATMENTS							
4 or more teeth				2748			36A		Pathological exam		3601	£12.03	£9.62	
27C[4]		Multi bar		2745	£171.71	£137.36	36B		Grinding		3611	£2.81	£2.24	
1 - 3 teeth				2749	£192.25	£153.80	36D		Sensitive cement		3631	£5.21	£4.16	
4 or more teeth				2749			PRESCRIPTION - Registered/Occasional - cannot claim with treatment items							
REPAIRS					36E / 48							3641 / 4801	£4.36	£3.48
28A[1]		Denture		2801	£16.38	£0.00	ACUTE INFECTION - Registered/Occasional							
28A[2]		Clasp		2803	£23.80	£0.00	37 / 56				3701 / 5601	£7.57	£6.05	
28A[4]		Impression		2821	£7.57	£0.00								
MAXIMUM REPAIR					Do not use occasional codes [items 47-60] for referral or partner/associates patients									
Upper		2810 01		2810 01	£37.53	£0.00								
Lower		2820 01		2820 01	£37.53	£0.00								

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APRIL 2009 DISCRETIONARY FEE LIST

These are the more commonly used discretionary fee items. The code + fee should be entered onto the GP17 and the treatment detailed in 'Observations'. All other discretionary fees must be obtained by contacting Practitioner Services on 0131 275 6300. Enter on the GP17 as previously described.

DESCRIPTION	CODE NO	FEE	PATIENT CHARGE
RE-CEMENT VENEER	4003 03	£14.53	£11.62
SCALING - Incomplete 10B [1st Visit only]	1000 01	£15.28	£12.22
OPERCULECTOMY	2221 39	£21.50	£17.20
RE-CEMENTING A CROWN + PROVIDING A NEW POST			
1. Cast metal alloy core + post [F2]	1771 24	£62.53	£50.02
2. Radix Anchor or Kurer Crown Saver "	"	£62.53	£50.02
3. Prefabricated post [F3]	1771 23	£45.65	£36.52
4. Pinned core [F4]	1771 21	£30.76	£24.60
Removal of Crown prior to repair	1771 11	£15.83	£12.66
Removal of Post prior to repair	1744 01	£16.08	£12.86
REPAIR OF A PORCELAIN USING A SPECIAL PORCELAIN REPAIR KIT			
1 unit	1771 14	£25.05	£20.04
2 units	1771 15	£37.78	£30.22
3 units Maximum	1771 16	£50.31	£40.24
Incomplete Cast precious metal core + post [F2]	6599 02	£26.76	£21.40
RE-CEMENTING A BRIDGE + PROVIDING A NEW POST			
1. Cast precious metal core + post [B1]	1871 11	£60.68	£0.00
2. Cast non-precious metal alloy core + post [B2]	1871 12	£49.70	£0.00
3. Radix Anchor or Kurer Crown Saver "	"	£49.70	£0.00
4. Prefabricated post [B3]	1871 13	£42.84	£0.00
5. Pinned core [B4]	1871 10	£33.22	£0.00
RE-CEMENTING A BRIDGE + PROVIDING 2 NEW POSTS			
1. Cast precious metal core + post [B1]	1871 26	£97.00	£0.00
2. Cast non-precious metal alloy core + post [B2]	1871 27	£74.76	£0.00
3. Radix Anchor or Kurer Crown Saver "	"	£74.76	£0.00
4. Prefabricated post [B3]	1871 28	£61.23	£0.00
5. Pinned core [B4]	1871 25	£41.99	£0.00
REPAIR TO PORCELAIN BY RE-BONDING PORCELAIN IN A LAB			
1 unit	1871 07	£37.73	£0.00
2 units	1871 08	£56.52	£0.00
3 units Maximum	1871 09	£75.26	£0.00



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DESCRIPTION				CODE NO	FEE	PATIENT CHARGE
REPAIR TO PORCELAIN USING A SPECIAL PORCELAIN REPAIR KIT						
1 unit				1871 14	£25.05	£0.00
2 units				1871 15	£37.73	£0.00
3 units				Maximum 1871 16	£50.21	£0.00
Sectioning / Removal of Bridge				1871 01	£23.00	£0.00
Repair of Bridge using a Porcelain Veneer				1871 23	£109.93	£0.00
REPAIRS INVOLVING METALWORK [SOLDERING/WELDING]						
Repair fee [Fracture / Re-fix tooth]				2801 01	£16.38	£0.00
Impression fee				2821 01	£7.57	£0.00
Metalwork fee				2811 07	£22.35	£0.00
Total					£46.30	
Repair fee [Clasp]				2803 01	£23.80	£0.00
Impression fee				2821 01	£7.57	£0.00
Metalwork fee				2811 07	£22.35	£0.00
Total					£53.72	
ADDITIONS INVOLVING METALWORK [SOLDERING/WELDING]						
Addition [Tooth]				2863 01	£27.16	£21.72
Metalwork fee				2871 15	£22.35	£17.88
Total					£49.51	£39.60
Addition [Clasp]				2861 01	£32.27	£25.81
Metalwork fee				2871 15	£22.35	£17.88
Total					£54.62	£43.69
Note - Do not claim an impression fee as this is already included in the Addition fee						
Stripping Fee				2871 14	£23.00	£18.40
Reconstruction of a metal denture				Upper 1-3 teeth 2733 01-03	£67.99	£54.39
<div>Note When reconstructing a metal denture involving stripping, claim the stripping fee code 2871 14 and add the fee for the denture corresponding to the number of teeth involved. Example To reconstruct a partial upper denture involving 5 teeth: Add 2871 14 to 2733 05: £23.00 + £90.09 = £113.90</div>				4-8 teeth 2733 04-08	£90.09	£72.07
				9+ teeth 2733 09-15	£107.17	£85.73
				Lower 1-3 teeth 2735 01-03	£67.99	£54.39
				4-8 teeth 2735 04-08	£90.09	£72.07
				9+ teeth 2735 09-15	£107.17	£85.73
				ANAESTHETICS - For treatment other than item 21 use codes as detailed below		
GENERAL ANAESTHETIC		Deleted from the statement of dental remuneration		24A3 [CHILD]	24A2 [ADULT]	
SEDATION						
TREATMENT VALUE		25A3 [CHILD]	25A2 [ADULT]	FEE	PATIENT CHARGE [ADULT only]	
UP TO	£10.00	2561 01	2555 01	£25.05	£20.04	
£10.01 -	£25.00	2561 02	2556 01	£46.00	£36.80	
£25.01 -	£50.00	2561 03	2557 01	£66.24	£52.99	
OVER	£50.00	2561 04	2558 01	£84.78	£67.82	



APRIL 2009 INCOMPLETE METAL DENTURES

CODES AND FEES

Key: F = Full; P = Partial
Examples: F / - is a full upper denture and - / P is a partial lower denture

62E - 25%		
6240 01	F / F	£43.45
6241 01	F / -	£27.11
6242 01 - 03	P / -	£17.00
6242 04 - 08	P / -	£22.52
6242 09 or more	P / -	£26.79
6243 01	- / F	£27.11
6244 01 - 03	- / P	£17.00
6244 04 - 08	- / P	£22.52
6244 09 or more	- / P	£26.79

62F - 50%		
6250 01	F / F	£86.91
6251 01	F / -	£54.22
6252 01 - 03	P / -	£34.00
6252 04 - 08	P / -	£45.05
6252 09 or more	P / -	£53.59
6253 01	- / F	£54.22
6254 01 - 03	- / P	£34.00
6254 04 - 08	- / P	£45.05
6254 09 or more	- / P	£53.59

62G - 70%		
Horseshoe / Plate		
6261 01	F / -	£107.22
6263 01 - 03	P / -	£109.57
6263 04 - 08	P / -	£120.20
6263 09 or more	P / -	£124.96
6262 01	- / F	£107.22
6266 01 - 03	- / P	£109.57
6266 04 - 08	- / P	£120.20
6266 09 or more	- / P	£124.96

62H - 85%		
Horseshoe / Plate		
6271 01	F / -	£130.19
6273 01 - 03	P / -	£133.05
6273 04 - 08	P / -	£145.95
6273 09 or more	P / -	£151.74
6272 01	- / F	£130.19
6276 01 - 03	- / P	£133.05
6276 04 - 08	- / P	£145.95
6276 09 or more	- / P	£151.74

62I - 95%		
Horseshoe / Plate		
6281 01	F / -	£145.51
6283 01 - 03	P / -	£148.70
6283 04 - 08	P / -	£163.12
6283 09 or more	P / -	£169.59
6282 01	- / F	£145.51
6286 01 - 03	- / P	£148.70
6286 04 - 08	- / P	£163.12
6286 09 or more	- / P	£169.59

Skeleton - Single Connecting Bars		
6264 01 - 03	P / -	£115.50
6264 04 or more	P / -	£126.13
6267 01 - 03	- / P	£115.50
6267 04 or more	- / P	£126.13

Skeleton - Single Connecting Bars		
6274 01 - 03	P / -	£140.25
6274 04 or more	P / -	£153.15
6277 01 - 03	- / P	£140.25
6277 04 or more	- / P	£153.15

Skeleton - Single Connecting Bars		
6284 01 - 03	P / -	£156.75
6284 04 or more	P / -	£171.17
6287 01 - 03	- / P	£156.75
6287 04 or more	- / P	£171.17

Skeleton - Multiple Connecting Bars		
6265 01 - 03	P / -	£120.20
6265 04 or more	P / -	£134.58
6268 01 - 03	- / P	£120.20
6268 04 or more	- / P	£134.58

Skeleton - Multiple Connecting Bars		
6275 01 - 03	P / -	£145.95
6275 04 or more	P / -	£163.41
6278 01 - 03	- / P	£145.95
6278 04 or more	- / P	£163.41

Skeleton - Multiple Connecting Bars		
6285 01 - 03	P / -	£163.12
6285 04 or more	P / -	£182.64
6288 01 - 03	- / P	£163.12
6288 04 or more	- / P	£182.64



APRIL 2009 INCOMPLETE ACRYLIC DENTURES

CODES AND FEES

Key: F = Full; P = Partial
Examples: F / - is a full upper denture and - / P is a partial lower denture

62A - 25%		
6200 01	F / F	£43.45
6201 01	F / -	£27.11
6202 01 - 03	P / -	£17.00
6202 04 - 08	P / -	£22.52
6202 09 or more	P / -	£26.79
6203 01	- / F	£27.11
6204 01 - 03	- / P	£17.00
6204 04 - 08	- / P	£22.52
6204 09 or more	- / P	£26.79

62B - 50%		
6210 01	F / F	£86.91
6211 01	F / -	£54.22
6212 01 - 03	P / -	£34.00
6212 04 - 08	P / -	£45.05
6212 09 or more	P / -	£53.59
6213 01	- / F	£54.22
6214 01 - 03	- / P	£34.00
6214 04 - 08	- / P	£45.05
6214 09 or more	- / P	£53.59

62C - 66 2/3%		
6220 01	F / F	£115.87
6221 01	F / -	£72.29
6222 01 - 03	P / -	£45.33
6222 04 - 08	P / -	£60.06
6222 09 or more	P / -	£71.45
6223 01	- / F	£72.29
6224 01 - 03	- / P	£45.33
6224 04 - 08	- / P	£60.06
6224 09 or more	- / P	£71.45

62D - 95%		
6230 01	F / F	£165.12
6231 01	F / -	£103.01
6232 01 - 03	P / -	£64.59
6232 04 - 08	P / -	£85.59
6232 09 or more	P / -	£101.81
6233 01	- / F	£103.01
6234 01 - 03	- / P	£64.59
6234 04 - 08	- / P	£85.59
6234 09 or more	- / P	£101.81

Please note:

- ✓ From 01/12/98 the maximum denture code/fee no longer applies - use upper and lower codes.
- ✓ When a patient returns to have a denture fitted, submit a GP17 to Practitioner Services requesting a balance fee to be paid.
- ✓ Do not enter item 27 codes when claiming incomplete dentures.
- ✓ Practitioners are reminded that they must observe the requirements of narratives and provisos in the statement of dental remuneration for each item.



ALLOWANCES, PAYMENTS AND GRANTS - APRIL 2009/10

Figures correct at time of press, subject to change (please refer to the current Statement of Dental Remuneration). You can also access the allowances guide on our web site at www.psd.scot.nhs.uk/professionals/dental/allowances.html and selecting the latest allowance guide.

CLAIM FORMS FOR ALLOWANCES		PAYMENTS SUMMARY			QUALIFYING CRITERIA FOR PAYMENTS/ALLOWANCES
ALLOWANCE	FORM	PAID	PAYMENT DURATION	MAXIMUM	PAYMENT CRITERIA
GOLDEN HELLO ALLOWANCE ON FIRST HAVING NAME INCLUDED ON A DENTAL LIST FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF TRAINING	GP 219	Annually (half maximum paid each year)	N/A	£10,000 over 2 years (non-designated area**) or £20,000 over 2 years (designated area*)	1) Name included in dental list for the first time within 3 months of completing training; 2) provide at least 4 sessions of General Dental Service (GDS) each week for 3 years after first payment; 3) NHS earnings for 3 years after first payment must be at least 80%; 4) must remain on a dental list for 3 years after first payment; 5) provide the full range of GDS for 3 years after first payment, and 6) claim must be made within 2 months of name being included in dental list.
GOLDEN HELLO ALLOWANCE ON FIRST HAVING NAME INCLUDED ON A DENTAL LIST OR ON NAME BEING INCLUDED AFTER A BREAK OF 5 YEARS	GP 227	Annually (half maximum paid each year)	N/A	£5,000 over 2 years (non-designated area**) or £10,000 over 2 years (designated area*)	1) Name included in dental list for the first time or being included in a list having not been on such a list for 5 years; 2) provide at least 4 sessions of GDS each week for 3 years after first payment; 3) NHS earnings for the 3 years after first payment must be at least 80%; 4) provide the full range of GDS for 3 years after first payment; 5) must remain on a dental list for 3 years after first payment, and 6) claim must be made within 3 months of name being included or re-included in dental list.
PRACTICE IMPROVEMENTS GRANT - NEW VOCATIONAL TRAINING PRACTICE	GP 220	As appropriate	N/A	Up to £10,000 (Invoices of work required)	1) No dentist has provided vocational training at the premises during the 5 years prior to applying; 2) dentist has been assessed by NHS Education for Scotland (NES) as suitable to become a trainer pending improvements to the practice; 3) grant only for items identified by NES as needing upgrading; 4) receipts are required for improvements made; 5) surgery must continue to be used for vocational training or for GDS for 3 years, and 6) multiple claims can be made for practices with more than 1 Vocational Trainee (VT) as long as each VT has their own room at the practice and that NES have approved improvements to all rooms.
PRACTICE IMPROVEMENTS GRANT - EXISTING VOCATIONAL TRAINING PRACTICE	GP 221	As appropriate	N/A	Up to £10,000 (Invoices of work required)	1) Practice requires improvements to continue to meet VT standards; 2) grant only for items identified by NES as needing upgrading; 3) receipts are required for improvements made; 4) surgery must continue to be used for vocational training for 3 years, and 5) multiple claims can be made for practices with more than 1 VT as long as each VT has their own room at the practice and that NES have approved improvements to all rooms.
LONG TERM SICKNESS PAYMENT	GP 202	Weekly	22 Weeks	£349.00 per week	1) Name included in dental list for at least 2 years, and 2) earnings of at least £27,400 or an NHS percentage of 90% or more.
REIMBURSEMENT OF NON-DOMESTIC RATES	GP 212	Annually/ monthly	N/A	N/A	1) Dentist is the rate payer; 2) the dentist's name is included on the dental list of the NHS Board where the premises are located; 3) gross earnings of the premises in preceding financial year are at least £27,400, and 4) should be claimed within 6 months of the date the rates are due to be paid.
CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ALLOWANCE	GP 214	As appropriate	N/A	£1,386.60*** per year	1) Name on a dental list, and 2) earnings of at least £27,400 or NHS percentage of 90%.
REMOTE AREAS ALLOWANCE	GP 215	Annually	N/A	£9000 per year	1) Name on a dental list; 2) dentist provides GDS in an area that has less than 0.5 persons per hectare, and 3) payment is abated based on the proportion which NHS earnings bore to total earnings.
CLINICAL AUDIT ALLOWANCE	GP 217	As appropriate	N/A	£978.15 (£65.21 per hour)	1) Name on a dental list; 2) first project undertaken is one of not less than 5 hours, and 3) maximum amount applies over a 3 year period.
SEDATION PRACTICE ALLOWANCE	GP223	Annually	N/A	Relative analgesia £3000 per year Intravenous sedation £2000 per year	1) Practice undertook in the year prior to the claim at least 40 sedation treatments, of which at least 30 must be intravenous; 2) practice has been satisfactorily inspected within the 3 years prior to the claim; 3) only one allowance is payable. If both treatments used, £3000 is payable if at least 20 relative analgesic treatments are carried out, and £2000 is payable if less than 20 relative analgesic treatments are carried out, and 4) claim must be submitted within 3 months of the start of the financial year.
GENERAL DENTAL PRACTICE ALLOWANCE - All Practices	This is an automated payment. However, if you are a part-time or whole time equivalent dentist please complete a GP229	Quarterly	N/A	6% of previous quarter's gross earnings	1) Name on a dental list; 2) practice has been satisfactorily inspected within the 3 years prior to the claim, and 3) payment is made to one designated dentist, and dentist should inform Practitioner Services.
GENERAL DENTAL PRACTICE ALLOWANCE - NHS Committed Practices					
ADDITIONAL 6%†		Quarterly	N/A	6% of previous quarter's gross earnings	1) Name on a dental list; 2) practice has been satisfactorily inspected within the 3 years prior to the claim; 3) payment is made to one designated dentist, and dentist should inform Practitioner Services; 4) NHS Commitment criteria is applied; 5) An average of 500 registered patients of which at least 100 are fee paying adults; 6) average gross earnings of at least £50,000, and 7) the practitioner must notify Practitioner Services of any other circumstance affecting qualification (for orthodontic practices' criteria see†).
RENT REIMBURSEMENT OF DENTAL PRACTICE COSTS Only payable when the practice is eligible for the additional 6% <div>OwnedLeasehold</div>		Quarterly	N/A	Market rental value	1) Subject to valuation, and 2) received only if practice is NHS Committed.
		Quarterly	N/A	Lower of market/actual rental value	
ADDITIONAL 3%		Quarterly	N/A	3% of previous quarter's gross earnings	
PARTIAL RENT REIMBURSEMENT OF DENTAL PRACTICE COSTS Only payable when the practice is eligible for the additional 3% <div>OwnedLeasehold</div>		Quarterly	N/A	Market rental value	1) Name on a dental list; 2) practice has been satisfactorily inspected within the 3 years prior to the claim; 3) payment is made to one designated dentist, and dentist should inform Practitioner Services; 4) an average of 500 registered patients, and 5) the practitioner must notify Practitioner Services of any other circumstance affecting qualification.
		Quarterly	N/A	Lower of market/actual rental value	
MATERNITY LEAVE PAYMENT	GP 203	Weekly	26 Weeks	£1399.00 per week	1) Name included in dental list for at least 2 years, and 2) earnings of at least £27,400 in 2008/09.
ADOPTIVE LEAVE PAYMENT	GP226	Weekly	26 Weeks	£1399.00 per week	1) Name included in dental list for at least 2 years, and 2) earnings of at least £27,400 in 2008/09.
PATERNITY LEAVE PAYMENT	GP 225	As appropriate	2 Weeks	£1399.00 per week	1) Name included in a dental list for at least 2 years; 2) earnings of at least £27,400 in 2008/09 or NHS percentage of 90%, and 3) dentist's wife or partner has given birth.
SENIORITY PAYMENT	GP 99	Quarterly	From age 55 until paid superannuation benefit	£3893.60 per quarter	1) Aged 55 and over; 2) pensionable earnings of £235,000 in the last 10 years; 3) 2 postgraduate sessions in the previous 15 months; 4) payment is made 1 quarter in arrears, so if you turn 55 in May, this will be paid in the September schedule and not the next available schedule, and 5) seniority payments can only be back-dated for 1 quarter.
COMMITMENT PAYMENT	No form #	Quarterly	N/A	£1406.00 per quarter	1) Qualifying earnings of £27,800; 2) Eligibility is determined prior to each quarter, and 3) paid to a separate list number of practitioner's choice. For further information on eligibility see Determination IX of the Statement of Dental Remuneration.

ALL ABOVE CLAIM FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM YOUR LOCAL NHS BOARD
Commitment payments and the General Dental Practice Allowance are calculated automatically in the majority of cases. You are not required to send a form.

* Designated area = Borders, Dumfries & Galloway, Fife, Grampian, Highland, Orkney, Shetland and Western Isles NHS Boards and within the area of Ayrshire & Arran NHS Board, the Isle of Arran; **non-designated area is defined as areas other than designated areas described ; *** Additional payments apply: max. additional payment for remote island dentist = £2773.20; max. additional payment for remote mainland dentist = £1386.60. †Orthodontic/Specialist practices must have 1) an average gross earnings of £75,000; 2) an average of 500 referrals, and 3) an average of 100 item 1(c) claims to qualify for 6%.

USING THE TABLE

Identify the exam being claimed in left-hand side of the table and cross-reference along the table to ensure a previously claimed exam has not been paid within the stated time period.

EXAMPLE

If you wish to claim an item 1(a) exam, and you previously claimed an item 1(c) you would need to wait 5 complete calendar months.

HISTORICAL CLAIM AND TIME-BAR PERIOD

You cannot claim an <div>Item 1a</div> <div>If you have carried out an →</div>	Item 1a	Item 1b	Item 1c	Item 1a Trauma
Item 1a	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 5 complete calendar months	No time-bar
Item 1b	In the last 23 complete calendar months	In the last 23 complete calendar months	In the last 23 complete calendar months	No time-bar
Item 1c	No time-bar	No time-bar	In the last 23 complete calendar months (see note 8)	No time-bar

INFORMATION NOTES

- 1
- Time-bar checks are carried out against a history for the same dentist.
- 2
- The same dentist is defined as the original dentist, a partner/principal/associate, or another dentist with whom the original dentist has a financial arrangement.
- 3
- The examination time-bar is calculated based on the acceptance date of the claims.
- 4
- The time-bars do not apply if the examination is a result of trauma. The trauma box must be ticked and observations given.
- 5
- Only one fee is payable under Item 1 on a claim except when the second Item 1 claim is a trauma examination.
- 6
- To calculate complete calendar months, for example 5 calendar months, add 6 months, the time bar will expire on the first day of the sixth month. For example: Claim on 18/03/2002, the next claim is possible on or after 01/09/2002.
- 7
- If a patient returns after their registration has lapsed, the 23 month time-bar for Item 1(b) or 1(c) examinations still applies.
- 8
- The Item 1(c) time-bar does not apply when the total fee for treatment claimed exceeds £600.00
- 9
- Item 1(a) is most likely to be claimed for a regular patient, when the dentist is familiar with the patient's oral health.
- 10
- Item 1(b) is most likely to be claimed for a patient who is new to the practice. Charting of the patient's periodontal status must be reported in the patient record.
- 11
- Item 1(c) may be claimed in connection with Item 10(c); Item 18; when treatment is of special complexity involving Items 16, 17; in dentate cases involving Item 27(b) and 27(c), and when the total fee for treatment claimed exceeds £600.00.
- 12
- One additional Item 1(a) may be claimed for patients who are pregnant or who have borne children in the past 12 complete calendar months.

USING THE TABLE

Identify the exam being claimed in the left-hand side of the table and cross-reference along the table to ensure a previously claimed exam has not been paid within the stated time period.

EXAMPLE

If you wish to claim an item 1(b) Orthodontic exam, and you previously claimed an item 1(c) you would need to wait 23 complete calendar months.

HISTORICAL CLAIM AND TIME-BAR PERIOD

You cannot claim an <div>Item 1a Orthodontic</div> <div>If you have carried out an →</div>	Item 1a Orthodontic	Item 1b Orthodontic	Item 1c Orthodontic
Item 1a Orthodontic	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 5 complete calendar months
Item 1b Orthodontic	In the last 23 complete calendar months	In the last 23 complete calendar months	In the last 23 complete calendar months
Item 1c Orthodontic	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 5 complete calendar months	In the last 23 complete calendar months

INFORMATION NOTES

- 1
- Orthodontic examination fees can only be paid for a patient who has an established or developing malocclusion.
- 2
- An Item 1(c) examination is only payable when study casts and radiographs (if appropriate) are available, and are recorded as available on the claim; the referring dentist or hospital may provide models or radiographs for the orthodontist.
- 3
- An item 1(a) and an item 1(c) are not payable where there are no permanent teeth present.
- 4
- An Item 1(c) claim on a GP17(0) does not bar simultaneous claims for Items 1(a) or 1(b) on GP17 forms when the dentist is also responsible for the patient's general care.
- 5
- Orthodontic examinations must be made using GP17(0) forms, with the appropriate information detailed.



ITEM 10 - PERIODONTAL TREATMENT TIME-BARS

USING THE TABLE

Identify the exam being claimed in left-hand side of the table and cross-reference along the table to ensure a previously claimed exam has not been paid within the stated time period.

EXAMPLE

If you wish to claim an item 10(b), and you previously claimed an item 10(c) you would have to wait 9 complete calendar months.



HISTORICAL CLAIM AND TIME-BAR PERIOD

You cannot claim an	If you have carried out an →	Item 10a	Item 10b	Item 10c
Item 10a	No time-bar (normally 2 complete calendar months)	No time-bar	No time-bar	No time-bar
Item 10b	No time-bar	No time-bar	9 complete calendar months	9 complete calendar months
Item 10c	No time-bar	No time-bar	9 complete calendar months	9 complete calendar months

INFORMATION NOTES

- 1 Time-bar checks are carried out against a history for the same dentist.
- 2 The same dentist is defined as the original dentist, a partner/principal/associate, or another dentist with whom the original dentist has a financial arrangement.
- 3 The time-bars for item 10 are calculated based on the acceptance date of the historical claim to the completion date of the current claim.
- 4 Only one item 10 is payable per course of treatment.
- 5 Treatment under item 10 is inclusive of oral hygiene instruction, therefore a fee under item 6 cannot be claimed at the same time.
- 6 Item 10(a) is only payable in conjunction with an item 1(a), (b) or (c) exam or where an exam was claimed within the previous 11 complete calendar months.
- 7 Item 10(b) is only payable in conjunction with an item 1(a), (b) or (c) exam or where an exam was claimed within the previous 11 complete calendar months.
- 8 Item 10(c) is only payable in conjunction with an item 1(c) exam or where an item 1 (c) exam was claimed within the previous 23 complete calendar months.
- 9 Item 10(c) - radiographs must be available and recorded as available on the claim.



APRIL 2009 COMBINATION CODES - GENERAL*

COMBINATION OF REPAIRS	REGISTERED	OCCASIONAL	FEE	CHARGE
UPPER				
Re-fixing a clasp + 1 fracture	2805 01	5505 01	£29.51	£0.00
Re-fixing a clasp + 2 fractures	2805 02	5505 02	£35.22	£0.00
Re-fixing a clasp + 3 or more fractures	2805 03 - 05	5505 03 - 05	£37.53	£0.00
LOWER				
Re-fixing a clasp + 1 fracture	2806 01	5506 01	£29.51	£0.00
Re-fixing a clasp + 2 fractures	2806 02	5506 02	£35.22	£0.00
Re-fixing a clasp + 3 or more fractures	2806 03 - 05	5506 03 - 05	£37.53	£0.00
MAXIMUM REPAIR FEE "PER DENTURE"				
Upper / -	2810 01	5507 01	£37.53	£0.00
- / Lower	2820 01	5508 01	£37.53	£0.00
COMBINATIONS OF ADDITIONS + REPAIRS				
1 addition [clasp] with 1 repair [fracture] [balance fee**]	2880 01 2880 02	5560 01 5560 02	£32.27 £13.73	£25.81 £0.00
1 addition [tooth] with 1 repair [fracture]	2880 03 2880 04	5560 03 5560 04	£27.16 £16.38	£21.72 £0.00
1 addition [gum] with 1 repair [fracture]	2880 05 2880 06	5560 05 5560 06	£27.16 £16.38	£21.72 £0.00
1 addition [clasp] with 2 or more repairs [balance fee**]	2880 07 2880 08	5560 07 5560 08	£32.27 £13.73	£25.81 £0.00
1 addition [tooth] with 2 or more repairs [balance fee**]	2880 09 2880 10	5560 09 5560 10	£27.16 £18.84	£21.72 £0.00
1 addition [gum] with 2 or more repairs [balance fee**]	2880 11 2880 12	5560 11 5560 12	£27.16 £18.84	£21.72 £0.00
1 addition [clasp] with re-fix clasp [balance fee**]	2880 13 2880 14	5560 13 5560 14	£32.27 £13.73	£25.81 £0.00
1 addition [tooth] with re-fix clasp [balance fee**]	2880 15 2880 16	5560 15 5560 16	£27.16 £18.84	£21.72 £0.00
1 addition [gum] with re-fix clasp [balance fee**]	2880 17 2880 18	5560 17 5560 18	£27.16 £18.84	£21.72 £0.00
Any 2 additions with or without repairs - Maximum Fee	2880 19	5560 19	£46.00	£36.80

* Found in proviso for item 28/55

** Maximum fee payable under item 28 is £46.00

Please note - no fee for impression can be paid with addition



APRIL 2009 COMBINATION CODES - ORTHODONTIC

COMBINATION OF REPAIRS	REGISTERED	OCCASIONAL	FEE	CHARGE
UPPER				
32[C][2] + 1 repair under 32[C][1]	3252 01		£38.43	£0.00
32[C][2] + 2 or more repairs under 32[C][1]	3252 02		£46.30	£0.00
32[C][2] + 3 or more repairs under 32[C][1] Maximum	3252 03 - 05		£46.69	£0.00
LOWER				
32[C][2] + 1 repair under 32[C][1]	3253 01		£38.43	£0.00
32[C][2] + 2 or more repairs under 32[C][1]	3253 02		£46.30	£0.00
32[C][2] + 3 or more repairs under 32[C][1] Maximum	3253 03 - 05		£46.69	£0.00
Please note - for item 32, the dentist must have fitted an appliance before any fee is payable.				
UPPER				
55[E][2] + 1 repair under 55[E][1]		5593 01	£38.43	£0.00
55[E][2] + 2 or more repairs under 55[E][1]		5593 02	£46.30	£0.00
55[E][2] + 3 or more repairs under 55[E][1] Maximum		5593 03 - 05	£46.69	£0.00
LOWER				
55[E][2] + 1 repair under 55[E][1]		5594 01	£38.43	£0.00
55[E][2] + 2 or more repairs under 55[E][1]		5594 02	£46.30	£0.00
55[E][2] + 3 or more repairs under 55[E][1] Maximum		5594 03 - 05	£46.69	£0.00
MAXIMUM REPAIR FEE PER APPLIANCE				
Upper / -	3250 01	5595 01	£46.69	£0.00
- / Lower	3251 01	5596 01	£46.69	£0.00



FREE REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT

The treatments below can be repaired or replaced with no charge to the patient:

FILLINGS	ROOT FILLINGS	INLAYS	PINLAYS	CROWNS
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Repairs and replacements must be:

- ✓ carried out within 12 months of the original treatment;
- ✓ be like for like, for instance same surface and same material as original.

Free repairs and replacements may not be supplied if:

- ✓ within 12 months, private treatment has been carried out on the restored tooth;
- ✓ if the treatment was intended to be temporary;
- ✓ if it is at the insistence of the patient, but against the advice of the dentist;
- ✓ another dentist has carried out occasional (other than temporary) treatment within 12 months;
- ✓ the dentist thinks that restoring the tooth by repairing or replacing would not work, and that different treatment is needed;
- ✓ it is needed due to trauma.

Can the practitioner claim for this treatment?

Yes, unless they consider the failure was due to some fault on their part, the practitioner can make a claim.

Other conditions may apply, and we recommend you familiarise yourself with the regulations in: UK Statutory Instruments: 1996 No. 177 (s.14) The National Health Service (General Dental Services) (Scotland) Regulations 1996 (page 27, paragraph 7).

You can view the regulations on-line

Go to www.opsi.gov.uk/stat.htm **

1. Under '1996' select 'Nos 100-199';
2. Select '177(14) The National Health Service (General Dental Services)(Scotland) Regulations 1996';
3. Under SCHEDULES select 1. Terms of condition for dentists;
4. Under PART II select 7. Repair or replacement of restorations.

**Web site addresses are subject to change.



MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Maximum patient charge - £384

Prior approval limit - £350

Payments will arrive in your bank account on the 20th of each month (or the Friday before, if the 20th falls on a weekend).



Closing date for each schedule month (Example below is for June paid July 2009)

GP17 paper claims: 4.45pm on the last working day of the month if it falls Monday - Thursday;
4.15pm on the last working day of the month if it falls on a Friday.

So for the June 2009 schedule the GP17 paper claim cut-off would be 4.45pm on Tuesday 30 June 2009.

Electronic Data Interchange (EDI): 7th of the following month (7 July 2009 in this example)*

*Subject to change. Please check your broadcast messages.

Helpdesk

Tel 0131 275 6300

Mon-Thurs 8.45am - 4.45pm & Fri 8.45am - 4.15pm

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