

Physiotherapy JSP Rates

The Rates are applicable for services rendered with effect 01 January 2015

'Blank': There is no fixed amount for this code. Discovery Health will pay the claimed amount subject to Discovery Health Scheme benefit rules, available funds and benefits.

R0.00: Discovery Health does not pay for this procedure code.

Please note: This document should be used for obtaining the Discovery Health rate only and does not contain billing rules and guidelines. All rates are VAT inclusive and in ZAR.

Practice Type	Procedure Code	Units	RCF	Procedure Description	DH Rate
072	72001	5.00	8.348	Infra-red, Radiant heat, Wax therapy Hot packs	41.70
072	72005	10.00	8.348	Ultraviolet light	83.50
072	72006	15.00	8.348	Laser beam	125.20
072	72007	5.00	8.348	Cryotherapy	41.70
072	72103	10.00	8.348	Galvanism, Diodynamic current, Tens.	83.50
072	72105	12.00	8.348	Muscle and nerve stimulating currents.	100.20
072	72107	10.00	8.348	Interferential Therapy.	83.50
072	72117	0.00	8.348	Appointment not kept (schemes will not necessarily grant benefits in respect of this item, it will fall into the "By arrangement with the scheme" or "Patient own account" category).	0.00
072	72201	5.00	8.348	Shortwave diathermy.	41.70

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072	72203	10.00	8.348	Ultrasound.	83.50
072	72205	5.00	8.348	Microwave.	41.70
072	72300	10.00	8.348	Vibration	83.50
072	72301	16.10	8.348	Percussion	134.40
072	72302	10.00	8.348	Massage	83.50
072	72303	20.09	8.348	Myofacial release/soft tissue mobilisation, one or more body parts	167.70
072	72304	15.00	8.348	Acupuncture	125.20
072	72305	10.00	8.348	Re-education of movement/Exercises (excluding ante- and post-natal exercises)	83.50
072	72307	10.00	8.348	Pre- and post-operative exercises and/or breathing exercises	83.50
072	72308	10.00	8.348	Group exercises (excluding ante- and post-natal exercises - maximum of 10 in a group)	83.50

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072	72309	10.00	8.348	Isokinetic treatment.	83.50
072	72310	20.00	8.348	Neural tissue mobilisation	167.00
072	72313	10.00	8.348	Ante and post natal exercises/counselling	83.50
072	72314	5.00	8.348	Lymph drainage	41.70
072	72315	10.00	8.348	Postural drainage.	83.50
072	72317	10.00	8.348	Traction.	83.50
072	72318	10.00	8.348	Upper respiratory nebulisation and/or lavage	83.50
072	72319	10.00	8.348	Nebulisation	83.50
072	72321	10.00	8.348	Intermittent positive pressure ventilation.	83.50
072	72323	5.00	8.348	Suction: Level 1 (including sputum specimen taken by suction)	41.70

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072	72325	20.09	8.348	Suction: Level 2 (Suction with involvement of lavage as a treatment in a special unit situation or in the respiratory compromised patient)	167.70
072	72327	5.00	8.348	Bagging (used on the intubated unconscious patient or in the severely respiratory distressed patient).	41.70
072	72328	15.00	8.348	Dry needling	125.20
072	72401	15.00	8.348	Spinal.	125.20
072	72402	10.00	8.348	Pre meditated manipulation	83.50
072	72405	15.00	8.348	All other joints.	125.20
072	72407	15.00	8.348	Immobilisation (excluding materials). Rule 008 does not apply.	125.20
072	72501	25.00	8.348	Rehabilitation where the pathology requires the undivided attention of the physiotherapist. Rule 008 does not apply. Duration: 30min.	208.70
072	72502	25.00	8.348	Hydrotherapy where the pathology requires the undivided attention of the physiotherapist. Rule 008 does not apply. Duration: 30min.	208.70
072	72503	55.00	8.348	Rehabilitation for Central Nervous System disorders - condition to be clearly stated and fully documented (No other treatment modality may be charged in conjunction with this). Duration: 60min.	459.20

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072	72504	15.00	8.348	EMG Biofeedback treatment	125.20
072	72505	12.00	8.348	with disabling pathology in an appropriate facility requiring specific equipment and supervision, without individual attention for the whole treatment session, no charge may be levied by facility	100.20
072	72506	20.00	8.348	Stress management	167.00
072	72507	15.00	8.348	Respiratory Re-education and Training. Duration: 30min.	125.20
072	72509	15.00	8.348	Where the pathology requires the undivided attention of the physiotherapist. (Rule 0008 does not apply.) Can only be used with codes 501, 502, 507 or 503 to indicate the completion of an additional 15 minutes	125.20
072	72701	15.00	8.348	Evaluation/counselling at the first visit only (to be fully documented)	125.20
072	72702	30.00	8.348	Complex evaluation/counselling at the first visit only (to be fully documented).	250.50
072	72703	15.00	8.348	One complete re-assessment of a patient's condition during the course of treatment. To be used only once per episode of care.	125.20
072	72704	5.00	8.348	Lung function: Peak flow (once per treatment).	41.70
072	72705	15.00	8.348	Computerised/Electronic test for lung pathology	125.20

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072	72706	15.00	8.348	Reports. To be used to motivate for therapy and/or give a progress report and/or a pre-authorisation report, where such a report is specifically required by the medical scheme.	125.20
072	72707	20.00	8.348	Physical Performance test. Must be fully documented.	167.00
072	72708	15.00	8.348	Interview, guidance or consultation with the patient or his family. To be used only once per episode of care.	125.20
072	72801	35.00	8.348	Electrical test for diagnostic purposes (including IT curve and Isokinetic tests) for a specific medical condition	292.20
072	72803	35.00	8.348	Effort test - multistage treadmill.	292.20
072	72901	10.00	8.348	Treatment at a nursing home : Relevant fee plus (to be charged only once per day and not with every hospital visit	83.50
072	72903	20.00	8.348	Domiciliary treatments : Relevant fee plus.	167.00
072	72937	10.00	8.348	Bird or equivalent freestanding nebuliser excluding oxygen at hospital per day.	83.50
072	72938	10.00	8.348	Bird or equivalent freestanding nebuliser excluding oxygen domiciliary per day.	83.50
072	72939			of VAT) at net acquisition price plus -26% of the net acquisition price where the net acquisition price of that material is less than one hundred rands; a maximum of twenty six rands where the net acquisiti	Blank

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072	72940			(exclusive of VAT) at net acquisition price plus-26% of the net acquisition price where the net acquisition price of that appliance is less than one hundred rands; a maximum of twenty six rands where the net acquisi	Blank
072	72941			Cost of appliances: Items to be charged (exclusive of VAT) at net acquisition price plus-	Blank