

## CHANGES TO PRACTICE FEES

**Worongary medical centre is now a Mixed Billing Clinic. This change is required so that the Doctors can provide you and your family with highest quality healthcare.**

### **Item 23 – Standard Consultation: \$80.00**

(Immediate Medicare Rebate \$41.40)

### **Item 36 – Long Consultation: \$115.00**

(Immediate Medicare Rebate \$80.10)

*Non-Medicare card holders will incur the same fee as listed above for respective consultations.*

- We will continue offering bulk-billing for children 16 years and under, valid Health Care card/Pension card /Commonwealth seniors card holders and DVA card holders. (Mon-Fri only and some services are excluded e.g., cervical screening IUD insertion, Iron Infusions, travel medicine/vaccination, surgical procedures etc).
- Chronic Disease Management plans will continue to be Bulk billed
- Health Assessments will continue to be Bulk billed.
- Most surgical procedures will continue to be Bulk billed.

***Some services Medicare do not provide rebates for: Insurance/Medical reports and paperwork, Commercial License, Work Cover, Cosmetic Procedures***

There may be an out-of-pocket fee related to services, e.g. PAP Smear, IUD insertion, Iron Infusions, Surgical Procedures, travel medicine / vaccinations etc. The GAP fee for specific procedures will be at discretion of the treating doctor and will be advised at time of booking the procedure.

We offer immediate claiming on the same day as your appointment for valid Medicare card holders. Please make sure your bank details are registered with Medicare.

## WHY SWITCH FROM BULK TO MIXED BILLING?

The Medicare rebate has not changed over the years and unfortunately no longer covers the ever-increasing costs required to provide quality care. Medicare rebates have been frozen since 2014 and there has been a significant increase in the cost of running a practice amidst COVID and Post COVID global inflation.



WOMENS HEALTH



CHILDRENS HEALTH



MENS HEALTH



AGED CARE



MENTAL HEALTH



HEALTH ASSESSMENT

**Surgery Hours** Monday to Friday 8:00am – 5:30pm & Saturday – Closed

We are closed on Sundays and Public Holidays. After hours needs are provided by [National Home Doctor Services](#).  
To request a booking for an after-hours doctor home visit, call 13 7425.