

## Dr Jenny Duncombe– Billing Policy

Effective from 9 July 2026

Dr Duncombe is a privately billing doctor.

Medicare rebates are available for eligible patients and are determined by Medicare based on the length and type of consultation.

Bulk billing is available for:

- Children under 16 years of age
- DVA Gold Card holders

All telephone consultations are billed at the same rate as in-person consultations.

For patients who are not registered with Dr Duncombe under MyMedicare, **Medicare limits the rebate for telephone consultations to a maximum of \$45.05**, regardless of consultation length. This means there may be a higher out-of-pocket cost for these appointments.

If you are unsure about your eligibility or expected fees, please speak with our reception team prior to your appointment.

### Fee List for Medicare-Rebatable Services

| Service                                    | MBS Item | Fee Charged | Medicare Rebate | Out-of-Pocket |
|--------------------------------------------|----------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|
| GASTRIC BAND ADJUSTMENT                    | 31587    | \$122.00    | \$99.70         | \$22.30       |
| Short consultation (≤6 min)                | 3        | \$51.00     | \$20.55         | \$30.45       |
| Standard consultation (6–12 min)           | 23       | \$90.00     | \$45.05         | \$44.95       |
| Extended standard consultation (12–19 min) | 23       | \$99.00     | \$45.05         | \$54.95       |
| Long consultation (20–29 min)              | 36       | \$131.00    | \$87.10         | \$43.90       |
| Extended long consultation (30-39 min)     | 36       | \$151.00    | \$87.10         | \$63.90       |

### WorkCover and Non-Medicare Services

| Service              | Fee Charged |
|----------------------|-------------|
| WorkCover (≤6 min)   | \$54.00     |
| WorkCover (6–19 min) | \$108.00    |

| Service                                                            | Fee Charged |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| WorkCover (20–39 min)                                              | \$199.00    |
| Commercial driver's licence medical                                | \$149.00    |
| Employment-related medicals (e.g. rail safety, seafarer's medical) | \$199.00    |

- WorkCover consultations must be paid in full prior to claim acceptance.
- Once a WorkCover claim number is approved and active, billing may occur directly to WorkCover
- **Commercial driver's licence and employment medicals are not eligible for Medicare rebates.**  
These must be booked as long consultations. Please contact reception when booking so appropriate nurse time can be scheduled for any required testing or physical measurements.
- **Insurance medicals and insurance-related paperwork** are individually priced and **not eligible for Medicare rebates.**  
Please contact reception directly for an individualised quote.