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PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE (PROSTHESES) AMENDMENT RULES 2009 (No. 3)

Purpose

The purpose of this Circular is to inform stakeholders of an amendment to the *Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules (No. 2)*. The amended *Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules (No. 3)* was registered on 8 October and will commence on the 26 October 2009. A consolidated list of amendments is listed below.

Amendments to Part A

The Amendment Rules amend Part A of the Schedule to the Rules as follows:

- changing the 'Minimum Benefit' of three (3) items:

Billing Code	Amendment
LM082	Minimum benefit changed to \$286.00 (from \$120.00)
OE007	Minimum benefit changed to \$130.00 (from \$95.00)
OE008	Minimum benefit changed to \$730.00 (from \$600.00)

- Inserting a 'Maximum Benefit' of one (1) item:

Billing Code	Amendment
JJ736	Maximum benefit of \$2,500 inserted

- changing the 'Product Name' of three (3) items:

Billing Code	Amendment
OE007	Product Name changed to 'NexFix MTP Fusion System'
OE009	Product Name changed to 'NexFix MTP Fusion System'
OE010	Product Name changed to 'NexFix MTP Fusion System'

- changing the 'Size' of one (1) items:

Billing Code	Amendment
LM082	Size changed to '2mm diam. X11mm length to 2mm x 16 mm'

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