

SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION 35.28**HEALTHCARE (FEES) REGULATIONS**

1st May, 2004

LEGAL NOTICE 201 of 2004, as amended by Legal Notices 407 of 2007 and 105 of 2024.

1. The title of these regulations is the Healthcare Fees Regulations. Citation.

2. (1) These regulations shall not apply in respect of -
- (a) a person who is or who has been a citizen of Malta; or
 - (b) any child under the age of eighteen years, of a person referred to under paragraph (a); or
 - (c) a person being a citizen or a national of a country outside the European Union holding a valid employment licence issued in accordance with the Immigration Act and is complying with the conditions thereof; Cap. 217.
 - (d) a citizen of a country which has a reciprocal health care agreement in force with Malta, in respect of such care and treatment to which such citizen would be entitled under the terms of such agreement or any understanding or agreed minutes subsequent thereto; or
 - (e) a person who is a citizen or a national of a country outside the European Union who enjoy freedom of movement in terms of article 44 of the Constitution of Malta; or
 - (f) a person who is a citizen or a national of a country outside the European Union who is in Malta in an advisory or consultative capacity to the Government on an invitation of the same or who is otherwise rendering a service to a government department or to a parastatal body and who is certified as such by the Minister, responsible for that department or body, as the case may be, and any dependant of such person; or
 - (g) any person who is a citizen or national of a country outside the European Union who is undertaking a course of studies at any one of the following institutions: the University of Malta, the Malta College of Arts, Science & Technology and the Institute of Tourism Studies.

Applicability.
Amended by:
L.N. 105 of 2024.

(2) Persons who produce the documentation required by the Department of Health Services in terms of the Community Regulations on the application of social security schemes in force, shall not effect any payment of the fees referred to under this regulation:

Provided that the Department of Health Services shall have the right to obtain a full refund of all the fees from the Member State concerned or an institution thereof.

Fees.

Amended by:
L.N. 407 of 2007.
Substituted by:
L.N. 105 of 2024.

Exceptions.

Added by:
L.N. 105 of 2024.

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L.N. 105 of 2024.

3. The fees which may be charged to patients that make use of any service in any hospital or any other institution under the Department of Health Services shall be as listed in the Schedule.

4. The Minister responsible for health may in special cases, or in cases of genuine hardship, reduce or waive any fees which are to be charged in accordance with the provisions of these regulations.

Schedule (regulation 3)

1. Accommodation fees per bed night

Department of Surgery

- Surgery Ward.....	€368
- Fairyland Ward.....	€395
- Urology Ward.....	€481
- Burns Ward.....	€432
- ENT Ward.....	€389
- Day-care Ward.....	€237
- Surgical High Dependency Unit	€1,513

Department of Medicine

- Medical Ward.....	€458
- Infectious Diseases Unit.....	€551
- Medical Investigation and Treatment Unit or Medical High Dependency Unit.....	€1,513
- Day-care Ward.....	€260

Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics

- Obstetrics Ward.....	€356
- Gynaecology Ward.....	€304
- Central Delivery Suite.....	€495
- Day-care Ward.....	€168

Department of Orthopaedics

- Orthopaedic Ward.....	€385
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Department of Cardiology

- Medical Ward.....	€464
- Catheterization laboratory Ward.....	€660
- Cardiac Care Unit.....	€784

Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery

- Surgical Ward.....	€948
- Cardiac Intensive Care Unit.....	€1,945

Department of Ophthalmology

- Ophthalmic Ward.....	€198
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Department of Anaesthesia

- Intensive Therapy Unit.....	€1,422
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Department of Neurosciences

- Surgical Ward.....	€615
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- Medical Ward..... €601

Mental Health Services

- Ward..... €458:

Provided that the fee for any special medication or medicine or other surgical operation or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the above-mentioned fees

2. Care and treatment of new outpatients cases fees

Department of Surgery and sub-specialties €104

Department of Medicine €107

Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics €176

Department of Orthopaedics €78

Department of Cardiology €242

Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery €163

Department of Ophthalmology €61

Department of Primary Health Care €107

Department of Neurosciences €124

Medically Assisted Procreation €24,428 - €31,297:

Provided that the fee for any special medication or medicine or other surgical operation or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the above-mentioned fees.

3. Follow up care and treatment of outpatients fees

Department of Surgery and sub-specialties €70

Department of Medicine €72

Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics €118

Department of Orthopaedics €52

Department of Cardiology €161

Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery €109

Department of Ophthalmology €40

Department of Primary Health Care €72

Department of Primary Health Care €55

Treatment Clinic

Department of Neurosciences €83:

Provided that the fee for any special medication or medicine or other surgical operation or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the above-mentioned fees.

4. Surgical operations per episode fees

Department of Surgery

- Minor.....	€100 - €617
- Intermediate.....	€618 - €1,177
- Major.....	€1,178 - €2,642
- Major +.....	€2,643 - €4,004
- Complex Major.....	€4,005 - €5,574

Department of Medicine

- Minor.....	€100 - €485
- Intermediate.....	€486 - €728

Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics

- Minor.....	€100 - €703
- Intermediate.....	€704 - €1,557
- Major.....	€1,558 - €3,918
- Major +.....	€3,919 - €5,615
- Complex Major.....	€5,616 - €7,513

Department of Orthopaedics

- Minor.....	€100 - €627
- Intermediate.....	€628 - €1,566
- Major.....	€1,567 - €4,124
- Major +.....	€4,125 - €5,492
- Complex Major.....	€5,493 - €7,998

Cardiology Department

- Minor.....	€100 - €1,291
- Intermediate.....	€1,292 - €1,912
- Major.....	€1,913 - €3,250
- Major +.....	€3,251 - €5,216
- Complex Major.....	€5,217 - €7,132

Department of Cardiothoracic Surgery

- Minor.....	€100 - €1,239
- Intermediate.....	€1,240 - €1,965
- Major.....	€1,966 - €7,670
- Major +.....	€7,671 - €11,734
- Complex Major.....	€11,735 - €18,273

Department of Ophthalmology

- Minor.....	€100 - €1,052
- Intermediate.....	€1,053 - €1,366
- Major.....	€1,367 - €2,068
- Major +.....	€2,069 - €2,383
- Complex Major.....	€2,384 - €3,085

Department of Neurosciences

- Minor.....	€100 - €497
- Intermediate.....	€498 - €746
- Major.....	€747 - €2,983
- Major +.....	€2,984 - €4,972
- Complex Major.....	€4,973 - €6,962:

Provided that the cost of any prosthesis or implant shall be charged in addition to the relative operation fee:

Provided further that the fee for any special medication or medicine or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the above-mentioned fees.

5. Fees for the following investigations, procedures and health services

for an ambulance (one way).....	€195
for an ambulance (two way).....	€273
for a physiotherapy session.....	€48
for an ECG.....	€85
for a Stress ECG.....	€214
for an Echo-cardiogram	€273
for an X-ray.....	€31
for an Ultrasound.....	€57
for a CT scan.....	€113
for a PET CT scan.....	€352
for an MRI.....	€185:

Provided that the fee for any special medication or medicine or other surgical operation or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the above-mentioned fees.

6. Admittance and discharge of patients in a health centre or ambulatory or emergency or day care facilities in any hospital or any other institution of the Department of Health Services fees

for a discharge.....	€110
for a ward admittance.....	€150
for a HDI / ITU admittance.....	€285:

Provided that the fee for any special medication or medicine or other surgical operation or medical investigation, shall be charged in addition to the admittance or discharge fee.

7. The fees for any other medication, medicine, surgical procedure, medical investigation or any other procedure not included under the preceding headings shall be charged at cost."

