

HEALTHMAN PAEDIATRIC COSTING GUIDE 2011

COMPARATIVE TARIFFS



Code	Terminology	Average Duration Professional	2011 HMan Tariffs (VAT incl.)	HMan RCF	2011 GEMS Tariffs (VAT Incl.)	GEMS RCF	2011 Discovery Tariffs (VAT incl.)	DH RCF	DH Prem A In Hos	DH Prem A Out Hos	DH Prem B	DH Exec Plan	DH Classic Rate
		Units	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Consultations:													
See the Notes below for All Tariffs													
0107	Newborn Attendance -Visit in Ward	33	972.30	29.464	476.40	14.436	469.30	14.221	638.20	755.60	685.20	1,407.90	1,013.70
0109	Hospital follow-up visit	15	442.00	29.464	216.50	14.436	152.90	10.193	207.90	246.20	223.20	458.70	330.30
0111	Hospital Visit(exl. Neonates)	22.5	662.90	29.464	324.80	14.436	229.40	10.196	312.00	369.30	334.90	688.20	495.50
0113	Newborn Attendance - Emergency at all hours	45	1,325.90	29.464	649.60	14.436	639.90	14.220	870.30	1,030.20	934.30	1,919.70	1,382.20
0129	Prolonged first/follow-up consultation : 15 min	15	442.00	29.464	216.50	14.436	213.30	14.220	290.10	343.40	311.40	639.90	460.70
0132	Repeat Script	5	147.30	29.464	72.20	14.436	71.10	14.220	96.70	114.50	103.80	213.30	153.60
0145	Consultation : Away from doctor's room	6	176.80	29.464	86.60	14.436	85.40	14.233	116.10	137.50	124.70	256.20	184.50
0146	Unscheduled consultation: Emergency (cons.room)	8	235.70	29.464	115.50	14.436	113.70	14.213		183.10	166.00	341.10	-
0147	Unscheduled consultation:Emergency(not cons.room)	14	412.50	29.464	202.10	14.436	199.10	14.221	270.80	320.60	290.70	597.30	430.10
0148	Elective after-hours services(+50%)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0149	Emergency after-hours services(+25%)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0173	Hospital Consultation	15	442.00	29.464	375.30	25.020	370.60	24.707	504.00		541.10	1,111.80	800.50
0174	Hospital Consultation	30	883.90	29.464	375.30	12.510	370.60	12.353	504.00		541.10	1,111.80	800.50
0175	Hospital Consultation	45	1,325.90	29.464	375.30	8.340	370.60	8.236	504.00		541.10	1,111.80	800.50
0176	Hospital Consultation	52.5	1,546.90	29.464	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0190	Consultation	15	442.00	29.464	375.30	25.020	389.30	25.953	-	626.80	568.40	1,167.90	-
0191	Consultation	30	883.90	29.464	375.30	12.510	389.30	12.977	-	626.80	568.40	1,167.90	-
0192	Consultation	45	1,325.90	29.464	375.30	8.340	389.30	8.651	-	626.80	568.40	1,167.90	-
0193	Consultation	52.5	1,546.90	29.464	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0199	Chronic Medicine Forms	21.43	631.40	29.464	309.40	14.436	304.70	14.218	414.40	490.60	444.90	914.10	658.20
Procedures:													
0019	a) Surgery on neonates (up to and including 28 days after birth) and low birth weight infants (less than 2500g) under general anaesthesia (excluding circumcision): per fee for procedure + 50% for surgeons and a 50% increase in anaesthetic time units for anaesthesiologists b) Neonates requiring intensive care: Per fee for the intensive care items (section 4.7.2) +50% for neonatologists and/or paediatricians		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0201	Cost of material in treatment		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0202	Setting of sterile tray:	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
0205	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down or push-in)	12	353.60	29.464	107.30	8.941	105.70	8.806	143.70	170.10	154.30	317.00	228.30
0206	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (push-in)	6	176.80	29.464	53.60	8.941	52.80	8.806	71.90	85.10	77.10	158.50	114.10
0207	Intravenous treatment: Intravenous infusions (cut-down)	8	235.70	29.464	71.50	8.941	70.40	8.806	95.80	113.40	102.90	211.30	152.20
0209	Umbilical artery cannulation at birth	18	530.30	29.464	160.90	8.941	158.50	8.806	215.60	255.20	231.40	475.50	342.40
0210	Collection of blood specimen(s)	3.25	95.80	29.464	29.10	8.941	28.60	8.806	38.90	46.10	41.80	85.90	61.80
0211	Exchange transfusion: First and subsequent (including after-care)	80	2,357.10	29.464	715.30	8.941	704.50	8.806	958.10	1,134.20	1,028.50	2,113.40	1,521.70
0220	Allergy: Skin-prick tests: Immediate hypersensitivity testing	1.9	56.00	29.464	17.00	8.941	16.70	8.806	22.80	26.90	24.40	50.20	36.10
0255	Drainage of subcutaneous abscess	20	589.30	29.464	178.80	8.941	176.10	8.806	239.50	283.60	257.10	528.40	380.40
0300	Stitching of soft-tissue injuries: Stitching of wound	14	412.50	29.464	125.20	8.941	123.30	8.806	167.70	198.50	180.00	369.90	266.30
0307	Excision and repair by direct suture	27	795.50	29.464	241.40	8.941	237.80	8.806	323.40	382.80	347.10	713.30	513.60
1063	Removal of foreign bodies from nose: At rooms	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1117	Laryngeal intubation	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1132	Bronchoscopy: Diagnostic bronchoscopy without removing foreign object	65	1,915.10	29.464	-	-	572.40	8.806	778.50	921.50	835.70	1,717.20	1,236.40
1134	Bronchoscopy: Bronchoscopy with laser	75	2,209.80	29.464	670.60	8.941	660.50	8.806	898.20	1,063.30	964.30	1,981.40	1,426.60
1136	Nebulisation (in rooms)	12	353.60	29.464	107.30	8.941	105.70	8.806	143.70	170.10	154.30	317.00	228.30
1137	Bronchial lavage		-	29.464	-	-	-	8.806	-	-	-	-	-

1141	Insertion of intercostal catheter (under water drainage)	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1143	Paracentesis chest: Diagnostic	8	235.70	29.464	71.50	8.941	70.40	8.806	95.80	113.40	102.90	211.30	152.20
1145	Paracentesis chest: Therapeutic	13	383.00	29.464	116.20	8.941	114.50	8.806	155.70	184.30	167.10	343.40	247.30
1186	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration	30	883.90	29.464	268.20	8.941	264.20	8.806	359.30	425.30	385.70	792.50	570.60
1187	Exhaled nitric oxide determination (not for under 4-year old children)	4.9	144.40	29.464	-	-	43.10	8.806	58.70	69.50	63.00	129.40	93.20
1188	Flow volume test: Inspiration/expiration/pre- and post bronchodilator	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1189	Forced expirogram only	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1190	Determination of resistance to airflow	45.31	1,335.00	29.464	405.10	8.941	399.00	8.806	542.60	642.40	582.50	1,197.00	861.80
1192	Peak expiratory flow only	5	147.30	29.464	44.70	8.941	44.00	8.806	59.90	70.90	64.30	132.10	95.10
1202	Insertion of central venous catheter via peripheral vein in neonates	40	1,178.60	29.464	357.60	8.941	352.20	8.806	479.00	567.10	514.30	1,056.70	760.80
1204	Intensive care: Category 1: Cases requiring intensive monitoring	30	883.90	29.464	268.20	8.941	264.20	8.806	359.30	425.30	385.70	792.50	570.60
1205	Intensive care: Category 2: Cases requiring active system support	100	2,946.40	29.464	894.10	8.941	880.60	8.806	1,197.60	1,417.80	1,285.70	2,641.80	1,902.10
1206	Intensive care: Category 2: (Subsequent days)	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1207	Intensive care: Category 2: After two weeks, per day	30	883.90	29.464	268.20	8.941	264.20	8.806	359.30	425.30	385.70	792.50	570.60
1208	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients: First day	137	4,036.50	29.464	1,224.90	8.941	1,206.40	8.806	1,640.70	1,942.30	1,761.40	3,619.30	2,605.90
1209	Intensive care: Category 3	58	1,708.90	29.464	518.60	8.941	510.70	8.806	694.60	822.30	745.70	1,532.20	1,103.20
1210	Intensive care: Category 3: Cases with multiple organ failure or Category 2 patients w Subsequent days	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1211	Cardio-respiratory resuscitation 50 units per 30 minutes	150	4,419.60	29.464	1,341.10	8.941	1,320.90	8.806	1,796.40	2,126.60	1,928.50	3,962.70	2,853.10
1212	Ventilation: First day	75	2,209.80	29.464	670.60	8.941	660.50	8.806	898.20	1,063.30	964.30	1,981.40	1,426.60
1213	Ventilation: Subsequent days, per day	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1214	Ventilation: After two weeks, per day	25	736.60	29.464	223.50	8.941	220.20	8.806	299.40	354.40	321.40	660.50	475.50
1215	Insertion of arterial pressure cannula	25	736.60	29.464	223.50	8.941	220.20	8.806	299.40	354.40	321.40	660.50	475.50
1216	Insertion of Swan Ganz catheter for haemodynamics monitoring	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1217	Insertion of central venous line via peripheral vein	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1218	Insertion of central venous line via subclavian or jugular veins	25	736.60	29.464	223.50	8.941	220.20	8.806	299.40	354.40	321.40	660.50	475.50
1219	Hyperalimentation (daily tariff)	15	442.00	29.464	134.10	8.941	132.10	8.806	179.60	212.70	192.90	396.30	285.30
1227	Prolonged neonatal resuscitation	20	589.30	29.464	178.80	8.941	176.10	8.806	239.50	283.60	257.10	528.40	380.40
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	176.80	29.464	53.60	8.941	52.80	8.806	71.90	85.10	77.10	158.50	114.10
1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1236	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	530.30	29.464	160.90	8.941	158.50	8.806	215.60	255.20	231.40	475.50	342.40
1239	24hour ambulatory ECG monitoring (Holter): Interpretation	27	795.50	29.464	-	-	237.80	8.806	323.40	382.80	347.10	713.30	513.60
1273	Insertion of temporary pacemaker (modifier 0005 not acceptable)	120	3,535.70	29.464	-	-	1,056.70	8.806	1,437.10	1,701.30	1,542.80	3,170.20	2,282.50
1585	24 Hour oesophageal pH studies: Interpretation	27	795.50	29.464	241.40	8.941	237.80	8.806	323.40	382.80	347.10	713.30	513.60
1780	Gastric and duodenal intubation	8	235.70	29.464	71.50	8.941	70.40	8.806	95.80	113.40	102.90	211.30	152.20
1800	Peritoneal lavage	20	589.30	29.464	178.80	8.941	176.10	8.806	239.50	283.60	257.10	528.40	380.40
1967	With ureteric meatotomy: Unilateral or bilateral	15	442.00	29.464	134.10	8.941	132.10	8.806	179.60	212.70	192.90	396.30	285.30
1995	Percutaneous aspiration of bladder	10	294.60	29.464	-	-	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1996	Bladder catheterisation: Male (not at operation)	6	176.80	29.464	53.60	8.941	52.80	8.806	71.90	85.10	77.10	158.50	114.10
1997	Bladder catheterisation: Female (not at operation)	3	88.40	29.464	-	-	26.40	8.806	35.90	42.50	38.60	79.30	57.10
2712	Electro-encephalography: Interpretation	24	707.10	29.464	214.60	8.941	211.30	8.806	287.40	340.30	308.60	634.00	456.50
2713	Spinal (lumbar) puncture. For diagnosis, drainage of spinal fluid	18.4	542.10	29.464	164.50	8.941	162.00	8.806	220.40	260.90	236.60	486.10	350.00
3273	Pure tone audiometry (air conduction)	6.5	191.50	29.464	58.10	8.941	57.20	8.806	77.80	92.20	83.60	171.70	123.60
3275	Impedance audiometry (tympanometry)	6.5	191.50	29.464	58.10	8.941	57.20	8.806	77.80	92.20	83.60	171.70	123.60
3628	Renal tract	50	1,473.20	29.464	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3633	Neonatal head scan	50	1,473.20	29.464	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3719	Bone marrow: Aspiration	5.6	165.00	29.464	57.90	10.342	57.00	10.180	77.50	91.80	83.20	171.00	123.10
3720	Bone marrow trephine biopsy	21.7	639.40	29.464	224.30	10.337	220.90	10.180	300.40	355.70	322.50	662.70	477.20
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	80.50	8.941	80.50	8.941	79.30	8.806	107.80	127.60	115.70	237.80	171.20
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	116.20	8.941	116.20	8.941	114.50	8.806	155.70	184.30	167.10	343.40	247.30
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	426.10	8.522	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	426.10	8.522	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
Cardiology Procedures:													
1196	Detemination of resistance to airflow, oscillary or plethysmographic methods	45.31	1,335.00	29.464	405.10	8.941	394.60	8.708	536.60	635.20	576.10	1,183.70	852.20
1211	Cario-respetyory resuscitation: Prolonged attendance in cases of emergency, 50 clinical procedure units per half an hour or part thereof for the firs hour per practitioner, thereafter 25 procedure units per half an hour up to a maximum of 150 clinical procedure units per practitioner. Resuscitation fee includes all necessary additional procedures.	-	-	29.464	-	8.941	-	8.806	-	-	-	-	-
1230	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without effort	6	176.80	29.464	53.60	8.941	52.80	8.806	71.90	85.10	77.10	158.50	114.10

1231	Physician's fee for interpreting an ECG: Without and with effort	10	294.60	29.464	89.40	8.941	88.10	8.806	119.80	141.80	128.60	264.20	190.20
1232*	Electrocardiogram: Without effort	9	675.80	8.395	80.50	8.941	79.30	8.806	107.80	127.60	115.70	237.80	171.20
1233*	Electrocardiogram: Without and with effort	13	975.50	8.395	116.20	8.941	114.50	8.806	155.70	184.30	167.10	343.40	247.30
1235*	Multi-stage treadmill test	60	4,503.10	8.395	536.40	8.941	528.40	8.806	718.60	850.70	771.40	1,585.10	1,141.30
1236*	Electrocardiogram without effort: Under 4 years	18	1,350.80	8.395	160.90	8.941	158.50	8.806	215.60	255.20	231.40	475.50	342.40
1247	Cardioversion for arrhythmias (any method) with doctor in attendance	65	1,915.10	29.464	581.10	8.941	572.40	8.806	778.50	921.50	835.70	1,717.20	1,236.40
1248	Paracentesis of pericardium	50	1,473.20	29.464	447.00	8.941	440.30	8.806	598.80	708.90	642.80	1,320.90	951.00
1250	Endomyocardial biopsy	70	2,062.50	29.464	625.80	8.941	616.40	8.806	838.30	992.40	900.00	1,849.30	1,331.50
1288	Cardiac catheterisation for congenital heart disease: All ages above 1 year old	210	6,187.40	29.464	1,877.50	8.941	1,849.30	8.806	2,515.00	2,977.30	2,699.90	5,547.80	3,994.40
1289	Paediatric cardiac catheterisation: Infants below the age of one year	263	7,749.00	29.464	2,351.40	8.941	2,316.00	8.806	3,149.70	3,728.70	3,381.30	6,947.90	5,002.50
1290	Use of balloon procedures including: First paediatric cardiologist (33)	300	8,839.10	29.464	2,682.20	8.941	2,641.80	8.806	3,592.80	4,253.30	3,857.00	7,925.40	5,706.30
1290	Use Baloon procedures including: First paediatric cardiologist (33) Atrial septoscopy, Pulmonary valve valvulopscopy, Aortic valve valvulopscopy, Closure atrail septal defect, Closure of patient ductus arteriousus	300	2,682.20	8.941	2,682.20	8.941	2,641.80	8.806	3,592.80	4,253.30	3,857.00	7,925.40	5,706.30
1291	Use of balloon procedure as in item 1290: Second paediatric cardiologist (33)	160	1,430.50	8.941	1,430.50	8.941	1,409.00	8.806	1,916.20	2,268.40	2,057.10	4,226.90	3,043.40
3620*	Cardiac examination plus Doppler colour mapping	50	400.10	8.002	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3621*	Cardiac examination (MMode)	25	200.10	8.002	213.10	8.522	209.90	8.394	285.40	337.90	306.40	629.60	453.30
3622*	Cardiac examination: 2 Dimensional	50	426.10	8.522	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3623*	Cardiac examination + effort	10	85.20	8.522	85.20	8.522	83.90	8.394	114.20	135.10	122.60	251.80	181.30
3624*	Cardiac examinations + contrast	10	85.20	8.522	85.20	8.522	83.90	8.394	114.20	135.10	122.60	251.80	181.30
3625*	Cardiac examinations + doppler	50	426.10	8.522	426.10	8.522	419.70	8.394	570.80	675.70	612.80	1,259.10	906.60
3636	Trans-oesophageal echocardiography including passing the device	100	852.20	8.522	852.20	8.522	839.40	8.394	1,141.60	1,351.40	1,225.50	2,518.20	1,813.10
3637	Colour Doppler (may be added onto any other regional exam)	78	664.70	8.522	664.70	8.522	654.70	8.394	890.40	1,054.10	955.90	1,964.20	1,414.20

Note:

1. The Healthman tariff for codes that relate to equipment have been retained at GEMS rate*
2. Tariffs may differ due to rounding
3. Above codes are the most frequently used codes and is not all inclusive of all the codes
4. Increases from 2010 is as follow:
 - a. GEMS = 2010 Scheme Tariff +6.5%
 - b. HealthMan Tariff = 2010 Tariff +6.5%
 - c. Discovery Health = 2010 Tariff +4.9% (Note that this increase is for the DH Rate only)
5. Discovery Premier A Procedure Rates have NOT been split between In-Hospital & Out-Hospital. Use as appropriate.
6. Discocery Governance Rates is not included and will be communicated seperately

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