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HOSPITALS ACT 1927.

HOSPITALS (SERVICES CHARGES) REGULATIONS 1981.

DETERMINATION made by the Minister for Health.

1. This determination may be cited as the Hospitals (Services Charges for Compensable Patients) Determination 1982.
2. (1) This determination comes into operation on 1 July 1982.
(2) The Hospitals (Service Charges for Compensable Patients) Determination 1981 published in the *Government Gazette* on 1 September 1981 is revoked.
3. The charges payable in respect of compensable patients as defined in the Hospitals (Services Charges) Regulations 1981 in respect of services rendered in respect of such patients in or by a public hospital shall be in accordance with the Schedule to this Determination.

Schedule.

1. IN-PATIENTS

- (1) Accommodation, maintenance, care and other services in hospital beds but not including medical services—
- | | | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------------------|
| (a) teaching hospitals | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$200.00 per day |
| (b) hospitals other than teaching hospitals | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$140.00 per day |
- (2) Accommodation, maintenance, care and other services in hospital beds including medical services—
- | | | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|------------------|
| (a) teaching hospitals | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$250.00 per day |
| (b) hospitals other than teaching hospitals | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$190.00 per day |
- (3) Accommodation, maintenance, care and other services in nursing home beds
- | | | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|-----------------|
| | | | | | \$63.00 per day |
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2. DAY-PATIENTS

Accommodation, maintenance and services	\$35.00 per day
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3. OUT-PATIENTS

(1) Teaching Hospitals

- (a) For each individual service rendered excluding radiology, pathology and drugs and medications other than any necessary supply of drugs and medications issued at the time of the initial service
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|------|------|------|------|------|---------|
| | | | | | \$30.00 |
|------|------|------|------|------|---------|
- (b) Pathology
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|------|------|------|------|------|--|
| | | | | | \$30.00 for each request to a separate department of the laboratory to which specimens are sent. |
|------|------|------|------|------|--|
- (c) Drugs and medications other than when supplied under (a)
- | | | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|--|
| (i) Pharmaceutical items under the National Health Scheme | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$3.00 for each item on a prescription |
| (ii) All other items | .. | .... | .... | .... | At cost |
- (d) Radiology
- | | | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|---|
| | | | | | \$30.00 for each item of service rendered |
|------|------|------|------|------|---|

(2) Hospitals other than teaching hospitals

- (a) For each individual service rendered excluding drugs and medications other than any necessary supply of drugs and medications issued at the time of the initial service
- | | | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|---------|
| | | | | | \$25.00 |
|------|------|------|------|------|---------|
- (b) Drugs and medications other than when supplied under (a)
- | | | | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|--|
| (i) Pharmaceutical items under the National Health Scheme | .... | .... | .... | .... | \$3.00 for each item on a prescription |
| (ii) All other items | .... | .... | .... | .... | At cost |

RAY YOUNG,
Minister for Health.

Dated 1 July 1982.