

Bone Mineral Density DEXA, Body Composition & Sarcopenia Referral

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Address:			Telepho	ne:		
			Medicar	re No.:		
			Medicar	re Expiry:		
DOB:			Gender:	:		
BILLING D	ETAILS:	O Private O Bulk-Bill / DVA				
REQUEST	ED TEST:	O Bone Mineral Density	O Spi	ne	O Hip	O Forearm
(please sel	ect one)	O Body Composition(no Medicare rebate)	🔿 Sar	copenia	O Fat mass	O Visceral Adipose Tissue
		O Vertebral Fracture Assessment		4		O Spine
		O Orthopedic Prosthetic Assessment	O Kne	ee	🔘 Нір	
CLINICAL INDICATIONS: (please select one)		O Baseline / Follow-up (not covered by Medicare)				
		Item 12306 (one service in a 2 year period):				
		O Presumed osteoporosis following minimal trauma fracture				
		\bigcirc Monitoring of low bone mineral density (T-score < -2.5 or Z-score < -1.5)				
		Item 12312 (one service in a 1 year period):				
		O Prolonged corticosteroid therapy (>7.5mg)				
		 Cushing's syndrome Hypogonadism M/F (if F: < 45 y/o and lasting > 6/12) 				
		Item 12315 (one service in a 2 year period):				
		O Primary hyperparathyroidism	100).	O Hyperthyroidism		
		Malabsorption		O Chronic liver disease		
		O Rheumatoid arthritis	Oc		onic renal disea	ase
		Item 12321 (one service in a 1 year period): Monitor response to significant change in Rx for osteoporosis after 12months of treatment				
		Patients over 70 years of age:				
		Item 12320 (one service in a 5 year period):				
		 Initial Screening Previous test results with a T-score of -1.5 and above 				
		OR				
		Item 12322 (one service in a 2 year period):				
		O Previous test results with a T-score between -2.5 and -1.5				
CLINICAL	NOTES:					
REFERRER DETAILS: Name:			Signatu		re:	
Provider No	- ·					
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Phone:				Date:		
Copy of rep	oort to:			Fax:		

Email Referral



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Instructions for your DEXA or Body Composition Scan

REMEMBER TO BRING TO YOUR APPOINTMENT:

Your Referral Medicare Card Concession/DVA Carı Any previous DEXA/BMD scans Please arrive 10 minutes before your booked appointment time.

WE ACCEPT ALL RADIOLOGY REFERRALS

1. How long will the scan take?

The scan will take approximately 20 minutes.

2. Do I need to prepare for the scan?

No fasting is required for the scan. Medication should be taken as normal except for **calcium**. Do not take calcium tablets for **24 hrs** prior to your test.

It is helpful but not essential to wear clothing which is loose and free of metallic attachments such as buttons, zippers, buckles and fasteners.

You cannot have the test if you are **pregnant**.

If you have had a CT, MRI, X-ray or Nuclear Medicine scan with contrast within the last **2 weeks** please let staff know at the time of booking.

3. Will the procedure be uncomfortable?

There are no injections, tunnels or confined spaces. You will be lying on a scanning table with a small scanning arm over the top. You must be able to weight bear/stand to get onto the scanning table.

4. When will my doctor have the results?

The results will then be sent to your doctor within 24 hours, either faxed or electronically via Healthlink. If the results need to mailed it will take 3 days.

5. What if I am unable to attend my appointment?

If for any reason you are unable to attend it is important you or someone else please contact us on **(03) 9041 6633** and we can reschedule to a time that is more convenient.

6. Where can I park?

There is free parking underneath the building. There is free 2hr parking next door at the Swinburne Community Activity Centre.

Ground Floor, Suite 1/124-126 Camberwell Rd Hawthorn East VIC 3123

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