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Home Visit Fees

Please ensure you have registered for the Extended Medicare Safety Net, which reduces your out of pocket expenses. Your rebate increases to approximately 80% of the total fee.

If you have had IVF or paid for a private Obstetrician, you will have likely met the Extended Medicare Safety Net (EMSN).

	Private Fee	Approx Medicare Rebate
Initial Home Visit (1-2 hours) Fee for Mum	250.00	82.90 - 197.90*
Follow-up Home Visit (up to 1 hour) Fee for Mum	150.00	42.85 - 82.90*
Fee for Baby	Bulk Billed (No out of pocket cost as long as Medicare details are provided within 30 days of appointment)	

*Rebate amount will depend on the division of time needed for mum and baby

Home Lactation Visits Can Include:

- Full postnatal wellbeing check for mum
- Baby weight and check-up
- Breastfeeding consultation
- Full oral functional assessment (including checking for oral ties)
- Support with expressing and storing milk
- Help with settling and sleep
- Arranging investigations, medications or referrals as needed

All Home Lactation Visits will include a short Bulk-Billed follow up phone or video consultation.

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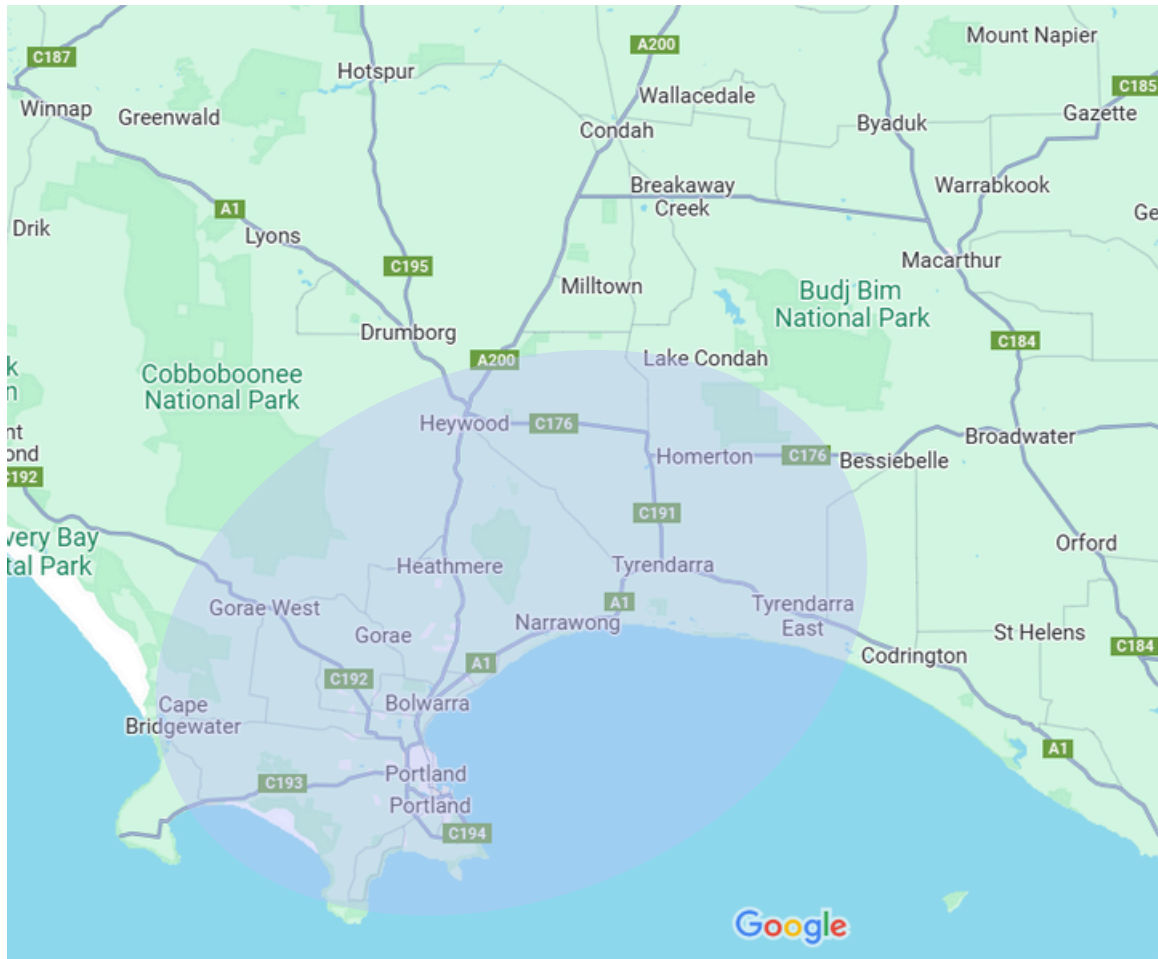


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Travel Fees


Due to rising costs, there is an additional travel fee for longer distances.





For home visits within the shaded area shown, no additional fee applies.


Outside of this area, there will be an additional fee (distance calculated from Heywood or Tyrendarra depending on the direction travelled):

- Up to 20km - \$30
- 20 - 40km - \$50
- 40 - 60km - \$70
- 60 - 80km - \$90
- 80 - 100km - \$110

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Telehealth Video Consultation Fees

These appointments are available for babies up to 12 months old.

Medicare rebates apply if the mother has been seen face to face in the past 12 months.

These are long appointments of 1-2 hours.

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Private Fee for Mum	250.00	82.90-197.90*
Fee for Baby	Bulk Billed (No out of pocket cost as long as Medicare details are provided within 30 days of appointment)	


*Rebate amount will depend on the division of time needed for mum and baby

Telehealth Video Consultations Can Include:


- Breastfeeding support
- Sleep and settling
- Mental health support
- Neurodiversity supportive care advice
- Arranging investigations, medications or referrals as needed


Unfortunately, I cannot do a comprehensive assessment of oral function or ties without a face-to-face examination.

All Long Telehealth Consultations will include a short Bulk-Billed follow-up phone or video consultation.

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