

Podiatry

Imaging Requests

Medicare has set strict rules that apply to rebates for patients referred by Podiatrists. Your patient may be eligible for a Medicare rebate for the following radiographic and ultrasound requests with corresponding item numbers.

| Item | Description |
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| 57521 | X-ray of the foot, ankle, femur or lower leg |
| 57523 | X-ray of the knee |
| 57527 | X-ray of two or more regions ie: foot and ankle or, lower leg and ankle or, knee and lower leg or, knee and femur |
| 55888 | Unilateral ultrasound of the ankle or hind foot |
| 55890 | Bilateral ultrasound of the ankle or hind foot |
| 55892 | Unilateral ultrasound of the mid or forefoot |
| 55894 | Bilateral ultrasound of the mid or forefoot |
| 55844 | Ultrasound to assess a mass of the skin or subcutaneous tissues and not associated with the musculoskeletal system |

Non rebatable items

Noosa Radiology welcomes non-Medicare eligible CT and ultrasound of the lower leg from podiatrists. We also accept ultrasound guided injections of the foot and ankle.

MRI

We also accept non-Medicare eligible MRI scans of the lower leg, ankle and foot.

Should you require additional information please contact our Referrer Liaison Manager, Katrina Kellett for assistance on connect@noosaradiology.com.au or 0418 555374. All reports and images are available via electronic download or online via Noosa Radiology Connect.



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*Please indicate appropriate item number & description on the referral.



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