

Australian Government

NATIONAL HEALTH ACT 1953


Determination made under subsections 73AAG (6) and (7)
(HIB 30/2006)

I, VERONICA HANCOCK, delegate of the Minister for Health and Ageing, acting pursuant to subsections 73AAG (6) and (7) of the *National Health Act 1953* (the Act), AMEND the determination under subsections 73AAG (6) and (7) of the Act dated 12 September 2006 (Determination Number HIB 22/2006) (the Determination) as set out below.

1. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 12 of 778, the Billing Code EL033 and the contents of all fields associated with it.
2. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 13 of 778, the text under the heading "Product Name" for Billing Code AB002 and replace it with "ATS medical open pivot heart valve model 500FA standard flexi-cuff aortic valve series, ATS medical open pivot heart valve model 500DM standard flexi-cuff mitral valve series".
3. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 14 of 778, the text under the heading "Product Name" for Billing Code AB064 and replace it with "ATS medical open pivot heart valve model 501DA advanced performance (AP) aortic valve series, ATS medical open pivot heart valve model 501DM advanced performance (AP) mitral valve series".
4. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 15 of 778, the Billing Code AC002 and the contents of all fields associated with it.
5. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 15 of 778, the amount under the heading Benefit Amount/Minimum Benefit Amount for Billing Code EL031 and replace it with \$4900.00; then insert under the heading Maximum Benefit Amount \$5144.00.
6. Delete from Part A – Prostheses, at page 16 of 778, for Billing Code MC005, the contents of all fields associated with it and insert the wording under the appropriate fields as per the table below:

Billing Code	Product Name	Description	Size	MinBenefit	MaxBenefit
MC005	Medtronic Duran Annuloplasty Ring; Duran Ancore Ring 620R; Duran Ancore Chordal Model 620R	Annuloplasty Devices - Models 610R & 620R Silicone / Barium Sulphate, Dacron	Model 610R 25-35mm & Model 620R 23-35mm	\$1900.00	

This and the following 34 pages form Determination HIB 30/2006 signed by the delegate of the Minister for Health and Ageing on **5** October 2006 under subsections 73AAG (6) and (7) *National Health Act 1953* amending Determination HIB 22/2006 dated 12 September 2006.



 Witness
 5/10/2006

This determination commences on 13 October 2006.

Dated this 5th day of October 2006.

Veronica Hancock

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