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Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules 2017 (No. 2)

The Department has identified that, due to an internal systems issue, details relating to the benefits applied to 35 Human Tissue billing codes are incorrect.

To correct these errors, the *Private Health Insurance (Prostheses) Amendment Rules 2017 (No. 2)* will commence on 28 March 2017.

The details of the corrections will be available on the [Prostheses webpage](#), in order for hospitals and insurers to complete their own systems updates prior to the benefits coming into effect.

Any queries regarding this matter should be emailed to [Prostheses Section](#) or to the Prostheses Hotline on (02) 6289 9463.

NB: Please note that information contained within this circular is provided as a courtesy notification only. It is the responsibility of industry members to ensure they are operating in compliance with the Private Health Insurance Act 2007 and all other relevant Commonwealth legislation.

If you require further information, please call 02 6289 9853 (24 hour answering machine) or email the enquiry to privatehealth@health.gov.au.

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