Acute Coronary Syndrome Medicare Billing PHC Remote Information

The following are billing instructions to be followed for all Medical Practitioners (Signing Doctors) using the Philips TC-50 ECG Carts to access, review or refer and sign off ECG reports via the Epiphany System.

1. Instructions for all ECGs <u>performed and reported</u> within the Remote Health Centres

All ECGs performed at the Remote Health Centres are to be billed by the respective health centre if the ECG is not referred to a Cardiologist at NT Cardiac.

The MBS item number to be used is 11700

Item Description - Twelve-lead Electrocardiography, tracing and report

2. Instructions for all ECGs performed within the Remote Health Centres but referred to NT Cardiac

For all ECGs performed at the Remote Health Centres and referred to a Cardiologist at NT Cardiac.

The MBS item number to be used is 11702

Item Description - Twelve-lead Electrocardiography, tracing only

3. NT Cardiac billing instructions for all ECGs <u>referred</u> from the Remote Health Centres

NT Cardiac Use Only for all ECGs referred from the Remote Health Centres

The MBS item number to be used is 11701

Item Description - Twelve-lead Electrocardiography, report only where the tracing has been forwarded to another medical practitioner, not in association with a consultation on the same occasion.

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