



# Physiotherapy & Osteopath Imaging Requests

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

Item	Description
57712	X-ray of the hip joint
57715	X-ray of the pelvic girdle
58100	X-ray of the cervical spine
58103	X-ray of the thoracic spine
58106	X-ray of the lumbosacral spine
58109	X-ray of the sacrum/coccyx
58112	X-ray of two regions of the spine
58120*	X-ray of two regions of the spine ie: cervical, thoracic, lumbosacral, sacrococcygeal
58121*	X-ray of three regions of the spine ie: cervical, thoracic, lumbosacral

*\*benefit allowable for only one of the items, per patient, per calendar year*

## Non rebatable items

Coolum Radiology welcomes non-Medicare eligible musculoskeletal ultrasound scans from physiotherapists & osteopaths where the areas being imaged are of clinical interest.

## MRI

We also accept non-Medicare eligible MRI scans of the spine and musculoskeletal areas.

Should you require additional information please contact our Referrer Liaison Officer for assistance on [connect@coolumradiology.com.au](mailto:connect@coolumradiology.com.au). All reports and images are available via electronic download or online via Radiology Connect.



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