BREASTSCREEN WA AGREEMENT 2024

Between:

The Australian Medical Association (Western Australia) Incorporated; and

North Metropolitan Health Service established as a Health Service Provider pursuant to section 32(1)(b) of the *Health Services Act 2016* (WA) (Employer).

Made pursuant to:

Clause 7. Agreement Flexibility of the WA Health System – Medical Practitioners – AMA Industrial Agreement 2024 (Industrial Agreement).

Particulars:

(1) This Agreement prescribes the remuneration payable to Radiologists who provide services under the BreastScreen WA program in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement for undertaking mammographic screening radiological services and to the extent of any inconsistency this Agreement overrides the provisions of the Industrial Agreement.

(2) Any dispute between the parties or Radiologists under or in connection with this Agreement may be dealt with in accordance with the relevant dispute settling provisions of the Industrial Agreement.

(3) This Agreement will remain in force whilst the Industrial Agreement continues to apply, provided that nothing will prevent the parties agreeing in writing to amend or replace this Agreement during the life of the Industrial Agreement.

(4) A mammographic screening radiological service includes reading screening mammograms and diagnostic reads consistent with practices prior to the implementation of this Agreement. An attendance will be a notional period of four hours worked at a time or times convenient to the Radiologist and BreastScreen WA.

(5) The number of attendances for mammographic screening radiological services will be varied by the Employer having regard to the variation in the number of patients screened and type of screening undertaken.

(6) Radiologists will be paid salary and allowances in accordance with the Industrial Agreement.

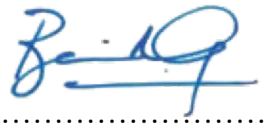
(7) In lieu of the piece rates prescribed at subclause 24(3) of the Industrial Agreement, Radiologists will be paid for all mammographic screening radiological services by way of piece rates for every service they personally perform in accordance with the following:

	On and from 03-Sept-2024	On and from 03-Sept-2025	On and from 03-Sept-2026
Screening Read	$4.35	$4.51	$4.65
Third Read	$8.62	$8.94	$9.21
Diagnostic Read	$12.01	$12.46	$12.83

(8) The total amount of payment under (7) of this Agreement will usually be made to the individual Radiologist in the pay period following the provision of the services in question.

(9) Radiologists remain entitled to the leave entitlements provided to other senior practitioners prescribed under the Industrial Agreement. A Radiologist who proceeds on paid leave, will be paid at the rates applicable at the time of taking such leave consistent with their attendances and service averaged over the preceding six months.

(10) Radiologists will be remunerated for services other than those specified in this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of the Industrial Agreement.



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