

GEMS TARIFF FILE FOR NON-CONTRACTED ORAL HYGIENIST WITH EFFECT FROM 1 JANUARY 2020

TARIFF CODE	DESCRIPTION	TARIFF VALUE
	Reimbursement for the tariff codes for procedures performed within the scope of practice for oral hygienist will be subject to scheme rules, managed care rules and benefit limits.	
	In calculating the GEMS Tariff, the following rounding method is used: Values R10 and below rounded to the nearest cent, R10+ rounded to the nearest 10cent. Modifier values are rounded to the nearest cent. When new item prices are calculated, e.g. when applying a modifier, the same rounding scheme should be followed.	
	ALL GEMS TARIFFS ARE VAT INCLUSIVE.	
	Funding for these tariff codes is subject to the managed care protocols and billing rules, scheme rules and benefit limits.	
8099	Dental laboratory service	R0,00
8154	Oral examination	R116,20
8164	Limited oral examination	R90,50
8106	Special report	R0,00
8107	Intraoral radiograph - periapical	R87,00
8108	Intraoral radiographs - complete series	R699,60
8109	Infection control/barrier techniques	R20,30
8110	Sterilized instrumentation	R51,80
8111	Dental testimony	R0,00
8112	Intraoral radiograph - bitewing	R0,00
8113	Intraoral radiograph - occlusal	R0,00
8115	Extraoral radiograph - panoramic	R348,80
8116	Extraoral radiograph - cephalometric	R0,00
8117	Diagnostic models	R72,30
8119	Diagnostic models mounted	R181,90
8120	Treatment plan completed	R0,00
8121	Oral and/or facial image (digital/conventional)	R93,30
8123	Caries susceptibility tests (By Arrangement)	R0,00
8129	Office/hospital visit – after regularly scheduled hours	R0,00



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8131	Emergency dental treatment	R0,00
8139	Appointment not kept /30min	R0,00
8140	House/extended care facility/hospital call	R184,80
8145	Local anaesthetic - per visit	R20,00
8149	Nutritional counselling	R0,00
8150	Tobacco counselling	R0,00
8151	Oral hygiene instruction (not to be billed together with 8153)	R0,00
8153	Oral hygiene instruction - each additional visit (not to be billed together with 8151)	R0,00
8155	Polishing - complete dentition	R111,70
8157	Re-burnishing and polishing of restorations - complete dentition	R101,90
8158	Enamel microabrasion	R0,00
8159	Prophylaxis - complete dentition	R203,60
8160	Removal of gross calculus	R0,00
8161	Topical application of fluoride - child	R111,70
8162	Topical application of fluoride - adult	R111,70
8163	Dental sealant	R83,10
8165	Sedative filling Placement of temporary filling	R116,20
8166	Application of desensitising resin, per tooth	R76,70
8167	Application of desensitising medicament, per visit	R89,60
8168	Behaviour management	R0,00
8169	Occlusal guard	R0,00
8171	Mouth guard	R118,70
8173	Space maintainer - fixed, per abutment	R0,00
8175	Space maintainer - removable	R0,00



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8176	Periodontal screening	R0,00
8177	Oral hygiene instruction (periodontally compromised patient)	R154,70
8178	Oral hygiene instruction - each additional visit (periodontally compromised patient)	R83,50
8179	Polishing - complete dentition (periodontally compromised patient)	R116,90
8180	Prophylaxis - complete dentition (periodontally compromised patient)	R218,00
8222	Temporary re cementation of crown/bridge	R0,00
8223	Temporary re cementation of inlay/onlay	R0,00
8228	ART restorations	R0,00
8265	Tissues conditioning per arch (including soft self-cure reline)	R159,70
8273	Impression to repair or modify a denture or other intra-oral appliance	R0,00
8304	Rubber dam per arch	R79,70
8308	External bleaching - per arch	R0,00
8309	Home bleaching - instructions and applicator	R0,00
8310	Supply of bleaching materials	R0,00
8311	Home bleaching - subsequent visit	R0,00
8325	Internal bleaching - per tooth	R0,00
8327	Internal bleaching - each additional visit	R0,00
8367	Resin - one surface, posterior	R0,00
8551	Occlusal adjustment major	R0,00
8553	Occlusal adjustment minor	R0,00
8590	Implant maintenance procedures - per implant	R0,00
8725	Provisional splinting - extracoronal (wire plus resin) - per sextant	R275,00
8727	Provisional; splinting - intra coronal - per tooth	R0,00
8733	Periodontal packs	R0,00



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8735	Suture Removal	R0,00
8737	Root planing - four or more teeth per quadrant	R408,80
8739	Root planing - one to three teeth per quadrant	R325,10
8773	Cost of intrapocket chemotherapeutic agent	R0,00
8815	Tracing and analysis of extra-oral film	R31,20
8819	Relieving trauma caused by intra-and extra-oral appliances This is done by cutting the distal ends of the arch wire etc. Used by oral hygienist only under the instruction of a dentist and dental specialist The instruction must be recorded in the patient file.	R0,00
8820	Placement of pre activated orthodontic appliances. Used by oral hygienist only under the instruction of a dentist and dental specialist The instruction must be recorded in the patient file.	R0,00
8823	Removal of orthodontic attachments and bands. Used by oral hygienist only under the instruction of a dentist and dental specialist The instruction must be recorded in the patient file.	R0,00
8825	Placement of elastics and ligature wires. Used by oral hygienist only under the instruction of a dentist and dental specialist The instruction must be recorded in the patient file.	R0,00
8829	Re cementing orthodontic retainers. Used by oral hygienist only under the instruction of a dentist and dental specialist The instruction must be recorded in the patient file.	R0,00
9099	Unlisted dental procedure or service (By report)	R0,00