

The **Home Medicines Review (Item 900)** is one of the Medicare items that can utilise the skills of the Practice staff.

1. When the Patient attends the surgery the HMR referral process can be shared

The GP

- Explains and initiates HMR
- Generates HMR referral for Community Pharmacy

Practice staff

- Records date of referral, patient name and Pharmacy
- Bills item number appropriate for that consultation
- Monitors for confirmation of referral receipt from Pharmacy



2. The Patient is contacted by the Pharmacy to arrange the home visit and interview

Pharmacist

- Conducts home visit
- Sends report GP
- Discusses findings with GP

Practice staff

- Monitors for receipt of pharmacist's report
- Documents and files report
- Recalls Patient

3. The Patient returns to the surgery for the second consultation to discuss the HMR report

The GP

- Discusses the HMR report with the patient
- Prepares medication management plan
- Sends copy to Pharmacy
- Offers copy to Patient

Practice staff

- Bills item 900
- Bills item 10990 if applicable





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