

Chronic Disease Management Plan

Formerly Enhanced Primary Care Plan

The Chronic Disease Management (CDM) Medicare items on the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) enable GPs to plan and coordinate the health care of patients with chronic or terminal medical conditions, including patients with these conditions who require multidisciplinary, team-based care from a GP and at least two other health or care providers. The items are designed for patients who require a structured approach to their care.

How can I access the Chronic Disease Management Plan?

Please make an appointment to discuss your eligibility with your GP.

What Allied Health professionals might I be able to access through a Chronic Disease Management Plan?

- Aboriginal health worker
- Audiologists
- Chiropractors
- Diabetes Educators
- Dieticians
- Exercise Physiologists
- Mental Health Nurses
- Occupational Therapists
- Osteopaths
- Physiotherapists
- Podiatrists
- Psychologists
- Speech Pathologists

Fact Sheet for further information

[http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/D38484960A44DEF8CA2576720000E4EE/\\$File/Fact%20sheet-%20Chronic%20Disease%20Management%20items.pdf](http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/D38484960A44DEF8CA2576720000E4EE/$File/Fact%20sheet-%20Chronic%20Disease%20Management%20items.pdf)