

DR MANISHA DOOHAN

**PREGNANCY AND DELIVERY FEE SCHEDULE**

This document contains information about the cost of your pregnancy care with your Specialist Obstetrician and the team at West Coast Obstetrics and Gynaecology. We endeavour to provide you with professional healthcare throughout your pregnancy, birth, and postpartum period to ensure the best possible outcome for you and your baby.

The fees you pay allow us to provide you with the following:

- Access to a Specialist Obstetrician (SJOG Accredited Specialist Obstetrician if your specialist is unavailable)
- 24 hours a day Obstetric cover at SJOG Murdoch Hospital from your booking to your 6-week post-delivery visit
- Contributes to a very large indemnity fee compulsory for all Obstetric practices.

Please make sure to register with Medicare for the “Medicare Safety Net” in order to get the full advantage of their rebates

For inpatient services - I am a **NO GAP PROVIDER** so there will be no extra out of pocket expense for my services in hospital.

**THESE FEES DO NOT COVER OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED EXTERNALLY BY SJOG MURDOCH, THE ANAESTHETIST, THE PAEDIATRICIAN, A SURGICAL ASSISTANT, PATHOLOGY, RADIOLOGY OR IN OFFICE PROCEDURES.**

MBS code	Service	Appointment Schedule	Fee	Estimated Rebate (Medicare)
16401	New Obstetrics	<b>Initial (1<sup>st</sup>) Appointment</b> <i>(Includes first midwife appt at 16-17 weeks gestation)</i>	370	79.65
16500	Follow Up Antenatal	<b>21, 32, 36, 38, 39, 40, 41 week gestation</b>	150 <i>(per visit)</i>	43.95
	Midwife Consult	<b>24, 34 week gestation</b>	65	No-Rebate
16590	Pregnancy Management Fee	<b>28 week gestation</b>	2500	347.05
16500	VBAC/TOLAC Counselling Appointment <i>(VBAC/TOLAC patients only)</i>	<b>As required</b> <b>21 weeks gestation</b>	350	43.95
<b><u>DELIVERY CHARGED TO PRIVATE HEALTH FUND</u></b> <b><u>(Please see below Delivery Fee if you DO NOT have Medicare and/or Private Health)</u></b>				
16407	6 week Postnatal Check & Screen		150	66.80
<b>Other Fees – Charged If Required</b>				
16514	CTG <i>(if required)</i>	<b>As required</b>	90	34.15
	Breast Expression Kit	<b>As required</b>	19	No-Rebate
	Script Refills	<b>As required</b>	15	No-Rebate
	Delivery Fee <i>(For Non Medicare and/or Non Private Health Patients)</i>	<b>32 weeks gestation</b>	2800	No-Rebate

### **WHAT IS THE PREGNANCY MANAGEMENT FEE?**

Medicare defines it as a fee for the planning and management of a pregnancy with a private obstetrician.  
This fee is charged by **ALL** private obstetricians.

It reimburses the obstetrician for providing round the clock care (by Dr Manisha Doohan or a SJOG Accredited Specialist Obstetrician, if Dr Manisha Doohan is unavailable) and recognising the implications of on-call obstetrics being unpredictable. This fee also helps cover the costs of the large indemnity and insurance cover obstetricians must have in place.

**The pregnancy management fee of \$2500 is charged at your 28-week appointment.**

### **WHAT IS THE DELIVERY DEPOSIT/FEE:**

This fee is charged to **ALL PATIENTS WITHOUT MEDICARE BENEFITS OR PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE**. It covers the costs for Dr Manisha Doohan to deliver your baby at SJOG Murdoch (or a SJOG Accredited Specialist Obstetrician if Dr Manisha Doohan is unavailable).

The delivery deposit/fee will be partially or completely covered by your private health insurance depending on your cover. Please check the following two (2) item numbers with your insurance company – 16519 or 16522, you will only be charged one (1) of the two (2) item numbers depending on the pregnancy and delivery risk factors.

**The delivery deposit/fee of \$2800 is charged at your 32-week appointment.**

This fee can be claimed by the patient from their health fund once the baby is born.

**\*\* PLEASE NOTE: THESE FEES DO NOT COVER CONSULTATION FEES WITH DR DOOHAN AND THE MIDWIFE OR OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED EXTERNALLY BY SJOG MURDOCH, THE ANAESTHETIST, THE PAEDIATRICIAN, A SURGICAL ASSISTANT, PATHOLOGY, RADIOLOGY OR IN OFFICE PROCEDURES\*\***

If you would like to discuss other fees not associated with Dr Manisha Doohan's fees,  
Please contact the numbers below.

SJOG Murdoch – 1300 863 566

Murdoch Paediatrics and Baby Matters – 08 9313 5649

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTION, PLEASE ASK DR MANISHA DOOHAN AT YOUR INITIAL APPOINTMENT OR OUR RECEPTION STAFF**

## APPOINTMENT SCHEDULE

### 8-10 WEEKS

Prenatal Screening Options Appointment: We will discuss foetal screening options for genetic abnormalities and taking care of yourself in early pregnancy etc.

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 16-17 WEEKS

Booking in Appointment: Antenatal pack discussed and information given on parent education (classes will go over everything in detail) we touch on the basics in appointments.

Discuss any results/review

**This appointment is with the Midwife**

### 21 WEEKS

Discuss any results including 20 week Anatomy scan/review. **VBAC/TOLAC Counselling (if required)**

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 24 WEEKS

Discuss and results/review

**This appointment is with the Midwife**

### 28 WEEKS

Signs and stages of labour. Discuss any results including 28 week bloods/review.

**For VBAC PATIENTS ONLY** (Vaginal Birth After Caesarean) counselling provided at this appointment.

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 32 WEEKS

Discuss what to expect assisted and caesarean section if needed. Discuss any results/review.

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 34 WEEKS

Pain relief options, Breast feeding supports. Discuss any results/review.

**This appointment is with the Midwife**

### 36 WEEKS

Perineal massage and tears, Breast feeding – Information and supports postnatally, Antenatal breast expression (if required – fees apply). Discuss any results including 36 week bloods and GBS Swab/review

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 38 WEEKS

Discuss and results/review

**This appointment is with the Specialist**

### 39 WEEKS

Discuss and results/review

**This appointment is with the Specialist (if required)**

### 40 WEEKS

Discuss and results/review

**This appointment is with the Specialist (if required)**