

VLCA practice fee change notification 2025-26

As part of the PHO agreement, we are required to notify Health New Zealand/Te Whatu Ora of the co-payment fees charged to **enrolled patients** for **standard GP consults**, at our practices receiving Very Low Cost Access (VLCA) funding under our PHO.

From **1 July 2025 the maximum thresholds** for standard GP consult **co-payments** (for enrolled your enrolled patients) have been increased as follows:

Age Group	CSC holders (GST incl.)		Non-CSC holders (GST incl.)	
Enrolled persons aged 0 – 13 years*	\$0.00		\$0.00	
Enrolled persons aged 14 – 17 years	\$	(\$13.50 max)	\$	(\$13.50 max)
Enrolled persons aged 18+ years	\$	(\$20.00 max)	\$	(\$30.50 max)

If you plan to make any changes to your co-payment fees, can you please advise us of your new fees by **completing the shaded cells** in the table above, and **returning this form to** practice.support@pinnacle.health.nz

Practice Name:

Date new fees will take effect:

Signed Name:
(on behalf of the practice)

Note – please remember to update your [Healthpoint](#) listing as this feeds directly to our [pinnacle](#) website.