

# INSULIN INITIATION

The WellSouth Insulin Initiation programme is available for people with Type 2 Diabetes: who meet the following criteria.

Use of this programme should be in conjunction with the Southern Health Pathway for starting Insulin in Type 2 Diabetes. For more information visit [Health Pathways](#)

### Eligibility:

Patient must be:

- Enrolled in WellSouth
- Enrolled in Careplus / or had a CLIC Comprehensive Health Assessment
- Diagnosed Type 2
- Have had two HBA1C readings >64 mmol/mol (8%)
- On appropriate oral medication
- Compliant with medications
- 18 years or over

### Exclusions:

- Patients under 18 years of age
- Patients non compliant with medication
- Patients with non Type 2 Diabetes

### Claiming

- Claiming is via the WellSouth PHN portal

Insulin Initiation	New Registration
	New Follow-Up

- It is expected that the programme will allow for multiple consultations over a six (6) month duration at no cost to the patient
- Service codes for your PMS— please set these up prior to using the programme

Code	Amount	Description
<b>WPIIR</b>	<b>\$450.00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>WPIIF</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>Follow-up</b>

- A single upfront fee of **\$450 (Incl. GST)** is paid to the practice upon registration

It is strongly recommended that all people with Diabetes should be offered training in self management .\*\* Consider referral to a DESMOND programme, if not already attended.

*Reference: MOH: 2018 Cardiovascular Disease Risk Assessment and Management for Primary Care*