

# Regulatory Fee Revision for Health Products (effective 2 April 2019)



HSA would like to update healthcare professionals on the fee revision for health products. These fees, which are incurred by the industry, form a small proportion of the overall cost in bringing health products into the market.

## Fee changes

There are regulatory fees in place to help cover the cost of registration, licensing, notification and permits of therapeutic products, medical devices, Chinese proprietary medicines, cosmetic products, oral dental gums and retail pharmacies. The majority of these fees have remained unchanged since 2006, and they need to be adjusted taking into consideration the rising operating costs and inflation.

The fee increase averaging 3% will be implemented from 2 April 2019. A minimum increase of \$1 applies for low fee items. For fee items requiring more complex regulatory review and work, the increase will be capped at \$200 to minimise the impact on industry stakeholders.

Some of the fee changes which may be of interest to healthcare professionals include:

- Special Authorisation Route for the Import and Supply of Unregistered Medical Devices - An Increase from \$150 to \$155, which allows multiple imports for a year
- New or annual renewal of a Retail Pharmacy Licence - An increase from \$500 to \$515.

For enquiries on the fee revision, please email us at: [contact\\_hprg@hsa.gov.sg](mailto:contact_hprg@hsa.gov.sg).

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