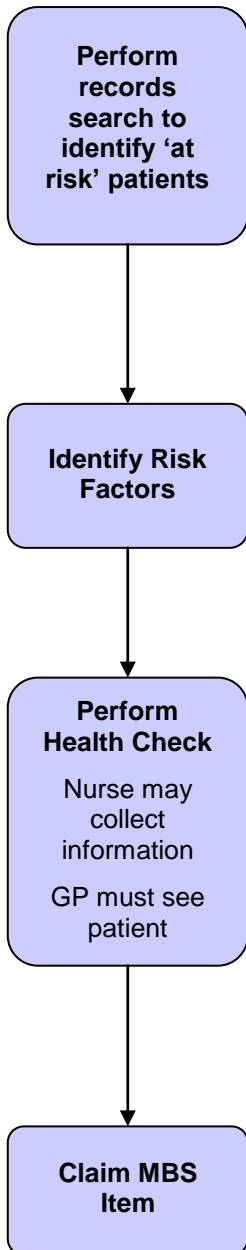


Health Assessment – Type 2 Diabetes Risk Evaluation – Items 701 / 703 / 705 / 707



701 / 703 / 705 / 707 - Time based, see MBS for complexity of care requirements of each item

Eligibility Criteria

Patients with newly diagnosed or existing diabetes are **not** eligible

Patients aged 40 to 49 years inclusive

Patients must score ≥ 15 points (high risk) on Australian Type 2 Diabetes Risk Assessment Tool (AUSDRISK)

Not for patients in hospital

Clinical Content

Explain Health Assessment process and gain consent

Evaluate the patient's high risk score determined by the AUSDRISK, which has been completed within a period of 3 months prior to undertaking Type 2 Diabetes Risk Evaluation

Update patient history and undertaking physical examinations and clinical investigations in accordance with relevant guidelines

Make an overall assessment of the patient's risk factors, and results of relevant examinations and investigations

Initiate interventions where appropriate, including referral to the subsidised Lifestyle Modification Program, and follow-up relating to management of any risk factors identified

Provide advice and information, such as Lifescripts resources, including strategies to achieve lifestyle and behaviour changes

Essential Documentation Requirements

Record patient's consent to Health Assessment

Completion of AUSDRISK is mandatory, with a score of ≥ 15 points required to claim; Update patient history

Record the Health Assessment and offer the patient a copy

Claiming

All elements of the service must be completed to claim

Requires personal attendance by GP with patient

MBS item	Name	Age Range	Recommended Frequency
701 / 703 / 705 / 707	Health Assessment – Type 2 Diabetes Risk Evaluation	40 - 49 years	Once every 3 years

MBS item 10990 (Bulk Billing Incentive) may also be claimed for eligible patients