

DOTATATE PET MEDICARE REBATE CRITERIA

Medicare Rebates are available for PET scanning using Dotatate. Medicare requirements for accessing this rebate are very specific and can only be claimed when certain clinical conditions are present.

Additionally, for accurate localisation and staging, Dotatate PET scans often require a Diagnostic CT which should be indicated on the referral.

To assist your understanding of the Medicare Rebate criteria we have summarised the data and provided the specific Medicare Rebate Conditions.

If you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact your nearest Uniting Care Medical Imaging Clinic.

DOTATATE PET REBATABLE INDICATIONS

REQUEST TYPE	WHO CAN REFER	MEDICARE REQUIRED CRITERIA	FREQUENCY
⁶⁸ Ga-DOTA-peptide PET 61647	Specialist Consultant Physician	<p>A gastro entero pancreatic neuroendocrine tumour is suspected on the basis of biochemical evidence with negative or equivocal conventional imaging</p> <p><u>OR</u></p> <p>Both:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A surgically amenable gastro entero pancreatic neuroendocrine tumour has been identified on the basis of conventional techniques; and The study is for excluding additional disease sites 	No defined limit