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FEES POLICY

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OUR PHILOSOPHY is to provide a variety of services including alternative/complementary health service to increase choices for women.

OUR POLICY is to provide low-cost or no-cost services to women in recognition of the difficult financial circumstances many women are experiencing.

Prices as of July 2011:

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| Medical & Nursing service: | Bulk-billed to Medicare Note: Ordinary Pap smear screening is bulk-billed to Medicare, but costs apply to alternative screening options such as Thin-prep pap smears (approx \$50 payable to the pathology service). |
| Counselling (Generalist) | Free (Short to medium-term counselling). Donations appreciated |
| Homeopathy: | Free service to women with Health Care Card or on low income, small charge for remedies |
| Massage: | \$40.00 for 1 hour or \$30 Concession |
| Reflexology Ear Candling | \$40.00 for 1 hour or \$30 Concession Please enquire |
| Naturopathy | \$40 for 1 hour consultation or \$30 Concession plus cost of medicines if required |
| Pelvic Floor Chair Incontinence Therapy Service | Bulk-billed to Medicare but donations of \$2-\$5 requested to support the provision of this service |

Groups or workshops run by centre workers generally will be free, occasionally a small fee will be charged to cover cost of guest speakers, morning tea etc.

There will be some charges for products such as the pill, emergency contraception, condoms, Canestan cream, etc, but these products are lower in price than elsewhere, and are GST free.

Illawarra Women's Health Centre is a registered charity and Deductible Gift Recipient. Women who make a donation will be issued with a Tax Deductible Receipt for donations of \$2.00 and above, acknowledging their generous contribution.