

Supplementary material 5 - Extracted costs for antenatal care

Activity costed	Economic evaluations for National guidelines	Review articles	Primary research studies			
			Unit costs reported	Range	Mean (SD)	Comments
Estimated cost for standard midwife antenatal appointment	Not costed	£27.34 / 20 minute appointment [1], £224.99 / pregnancy for community care [2], £264.56 / pregnancy for midwife-led hospital care [2], £131.94 / hour [3]	£76.03 / appointment [4], £146.25 / appointment [5], £60.49 / appointment [6]	£27.34 - £146.25	£70.82 (£45.92)	Only 'per appointment' estimates used
Estimated cost for a standard obstetric antenatal appointment	Not costed	£114.14 / follow-up appointment [1], £515.55 / pregnancy[2]	£43.36 [7], £166.68 / appointment [4], £312.29 / appointment [8], £153.94 / appointment [5], £124.12 / appointment [6]	£43.36 - £312.29	£152.42 (£89.36)	Only 'per appointment' estimates used

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Estimated cost for any antenatal appointment	£95.75 / appointment [9]	Not costed	£115.62 / appointment [10], £103.28 / appointment [11]	£95.75 - £115.62	£104.88 (£10.03)	Only 'per appointment' estimates used
Estimated cost for a glucose tolerance test	£23.73[9]	£24.26 [3]	£26.16 [12], £13.03 [11]	£13.03 - £26.16	£21.80 (£5.94)	
Estimated cost for attendance to maternity day unit/triage	Not costed	Not costed	£150.37 / visit [13], £415.65 / visit [8], £6.56 for nurse-led or £15.49 for doctor-led triage review [14]	£6.56 - £415.65	£147.02 (£190.79)	

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Estimated cost for an antenatal inpatient admission	Not costed	Not costed	£330.84 on antenatal ward or £1115.87 on labour ward [15], £366.00 / day [16], £1403.55 / admission [17], £298.47 / day [13], £758.18 / day for first three days and £448.01 / day after this [10], £466.91 / day [18], £457.75 / day [4], £867.59/day for first five days and £414.55 / day after this [8], £414.55 / day [5], £447.12 / day [19], £1658.89 for standard antenatal stay, £304.45 for additional bed days [14]	£298.47 - £1,115.87	£524.11 (£239.07)	Only 'per day' estimates used

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Estimated cost for an ultrasound scan (sonographer)	£139.85 [9]	£74.90 / first scan and £61.83 / subsequent scans [1], £56.07 / scan [20], £42.24 / scan [21], £142.95 / 3 scans [3]	£57.66 / scan [22], £121.87 / scan [4], £120.49 / scan [11], £120.72 / scan [6], £112.21 / scan [23]	£42.24 - £139.85	£86.86 (£36.13)	Only 'per scan' estimates used
Estimated cost for an ultrasound scan (specialist)	Not costed	Not costed	£77.82/ scan [18], £127.55 / scan [8], £143.65 / scan [6]	£77.82 - £143.65	£116.34 (£34.32)	Only 'per scan' estimates used

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