

**Circular Ref. 29/2001**

DEPARTMENT  
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CHILDREN  
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Chief Executive Officer  
Each Health Board

I am directed by the Minister for Health & Children to refer to the fees payable in respect of services provided by Orthodontists and to convey approval to the revised rates effective from **1 April 2001** as set out in the attached schedule.

Yours sincerely



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**SCHEDULE OF FEES APPLICABLE FROM 1 APRIL 2001 FOR REMOVABLE  
APPLIANCE ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT**

	IR£	€
Initial Examination Fee	39.41	50.04
Treatment Fee	210.34	267.08
<b>Fixed Appliance Orthodontic Treatment</b>		
<b>Both Arches</b>		
(a) Initial Examination	39.41	50.04
(b) Active Treatment (including construction, and fitting of appliances, maintenance, changing appliances in the course of treatment and debanding)	748.26	950.09
(c) Retention period, where applicable	<u>78.50</u> 866.17	<u>99.67</u> 1,099.80
<b>Single Arch</b>		
(a) Initial Examination	39.41	50.04
(b) Active Treatment (including construction and fitting of appliances, maintenance, changing appliances in the course of treatment and debanding.)	500.82	635.91
(c) Retention period, where applicable	<u>78.50</u> 618.73	<u>99.67</u> 785.62
The cost of appliances supplied may also be met.		