

## GARP M – Table of Contents

GARP M provides detailed instructions and tables for the assessment of the degree of medical impairment suffered by the claimant as a result of the accepted condition(s). Medical impairment has two components:

- Physical loss of, or disturbance to, any body part or system; and
- The resultant functional loss.

### Chapter 1 to 17

Chapter 1 to 17 of GARP M contain two principal types of tables for each of these components.

Physical loss is given an IP rating against criteria in “Other Impairment” tables and functional loss is given an IP rating against criteria in “Functional Loss” tables.

Medical impairment, as measured chiefly by loss of vital functions, is addressed in twelve system specific chapters, as follows:

- Chapter 1 Cardiorespiratory Impairment
- Chapter 2 Hypertension and Non-Cardiac Vascular Conditions
- Chapter 3 Impairment of Spine and Limbs
- Chapter 4 Emotional and Behavioural
- Chapter 5 Neurological Impairment
- Chapter 6 Gastrointestinal Impairment
- Chapter 7 Ear, Nose, and Throat Impairment
- Chapter 8 Visual Impairment
- Chapter 9 Renal and Urinary Tract Function
- Chapter 10 Sexual Function, Reproduction, and Breasts
- Chapter 11 Skin Impairment
- Chapter 12 Endocrine and Haemopoietic Impairment

### Chapter 13 to 23

There are five chapters describing methods of assessing certain non-system specific conditions. They are:

- Chapter 13 Negligible Impairment
- Chapter 14 Malignant Conditions
- Chapter 15 Intermittent Impairment
- Chapter 16 Activities of Daily Living
- Chapter 17 Disfigurement and Social Impairment
- Chapter 18 Combined Values Chart
- Chapter 19 Partially Contribution Impairment
- Chapter 20 Apportionment
- Chapter 21 Paired Organs Policy
- Chapter 22 Lifestyle Effects
- Chapter 23 Calculating Permanent Impairment Compensation
- Chapter 24 Converting Weekly Sums into Lump Sums
- Chapter 25 Method of Working Out the Amount of Compensation Payable Under the MRCA for a Person with a VEA or SCRA Injury or Disease