

Bp Premier Jade SP4 Release Notes

These release notes describe the changes made to Bp Premier since version Jade Service Pack 3.

Release Date	13 October 2020
Release version	Bp Premier version Jade SP4 (1.10.4.910).
Notes last updated	13 October 2020
What is in this release?	This release of Bp Premier includes the ability to privately bill patients who fit at-risk COVID-19 criteria, in accordance with government changes on September 30. See In this release on the next page
Which version can I upgrade from?	You can upgrade to version Jade SP4 from Bp Premier version Summit (1.8.4.642) or later. To check the current program version that you have installed, select Help > About . If you are upgrading from an older version of Bp Premier such as Lava or Indigo, an <i>Upgrade Checklist</i> is available here .
Which data update do I need?	You must install the October 2020 Data Update or later before you can upgrade to version 1.10.3.908. To check the current data update that you have installed, select Help > About .
Which database and operating system versions are supported?	Supported operating systems and database have not changed since Jade SP3.
When should I upgrade?	Best Practice Software recommend running the program upgrade outside of business hours.
How do I upgrade?	Upgrade instructions are included in this document. IMPORTANT Upgrade every client in your practice network immediately after you upgrade the server.
What do I do after upgrading?	No configuration is required after upgrade.

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Upgrade to Jade SP4 1.10.4.910

IMPORTANT Before you run a program upgrade on the Bp Premier server, ensure that any workstations in remote download mode have been synchronised with the server database.

You must have the **October 2020** data update or later installed before you upgrade.

1. Back up your Bp Premier database before running the upgrade.
2. [Download](#) and [run](#) the latest Drug Update on your Bp Premier server computer.
3. Synchronise any remote clients with the Bp Premier server.
4. Log all users out of the server and all clients before you upgrade. Users may log back in after the upgrade is complete and the SQL server service has been restarted.
5. [Download and run](#) the 1.10.4.910 program update on your server and all clients.
6. Log back in to Bp Premier and resume use.

In this release

This release includes:

- Removal of prompt for bulk billing criteria for patients as previously defined in The Health Insurance (Section 3C General Medical Services - COVID-19 Telehealth and Telephone Attendances) Determination 2020 Sub-sections 5(1) and 8(4).
- Reinstatement of the ability to bill COVID-19 incentives separately allowing the practice to claim outstanding 10981/10982 items that might have been previously missed.

If you have not already upgraded to Jade SP3, you will need to familiarise yourself with our enablement materials for that release prior to upgrading to Jade SP4. Jade SP3 release notes are available [here](#).

If you are using ePrescribing in your clinic already in Jade SP3, you will be able to continue to use this feature in Jade SP4 with no further action required.

Where do I find more information?

Select **Help > Online** from Bp Premier to open the Knowledge Base online help. Search for 'escript' to view information about electronic prescribing introduced in Jade SP3.

Bug fixes and enhancements

Bp Function	Release Notes	Key
Medicare billing	COVID-19 incentives are no longer populated after running the October 2020 Data Update and the service date is before 20/04/2020 or on or after 01/10/2020.	27677

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Medicare billing	The ability to bill Covid incentive items Medicare (10981/10980) and DVA item numbers (MT88/MT99) on a separate account has been reinstated.	28213
Medicare billing	<p>In accordance with telehealth billing changes effective October 01 2020:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ The checkbox At risk of Covid-19 no longer appears in the Finalise billing screen at end of consult. ■ User is able to select a custom schedule for billing patient. The Covid prompt no longer appears when Store/Print button is selected on Invoice screen. ■ User is able to back date 10981/10982 prior to October 1, 2020. ■ User is able to bill these item numbers separately. ■ If bulk billing incentive applies to the patient, a 10990/10991 appears. 	29797
Prescribing	Ritalin LA Capsules now show the correct dose description in the Authority item field.	29138
Guidance-based requests	When ordering guidance-based request pathology, the Use again function could put the wrong test name into the eOrder message. This has been fixed.	30012
Telehealth DVA	When claiming telehealth items on the DVA schedule, a MT88/MT89 continues to be applied to the patient invoice.	30967