

Health technology R&D
(pharmaceutical, device, etc companies)

Sponsor

Who asks what?	What 'yes' means?
Therapeutic Goods Administration	
Is a new health technology safe and fit for its intended purpose?	Able to be marketed (sold) in Australia
Pharmaceutical Benefits Advisory Committee (PBAC)	
Is medicine safe, & clinically & cost effective compared to existing treatment?	Listed on Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme
Medical Services Advisory Committee (MSAC)	
Is procedure clinically & cost effective compared to existing treatment	Funded on Medical Benefits Scheme (Medicare)
Prostheses List Advisory Committee (PLAC)	
Is this prosthesis clinically & cost effective compared to existing treatment?	Funded via private health insurance arrangement on Protheses List