

BANKMED

ANNEXURE B5: BANKMED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (WITH SAVINGS)

Schedule of benefits with effect from 1 January 2026

STATUTORY PRESCRIBED MINIMUM BENEFITS Notwithstanding any provisions to the contrary in this schedule, the Scheme will fund: • 100% of the diagnosis, treatment and care costs of the Statutory Prescribed Minimum Benefits (PMBs), subject to PMB regulations, if those services are obtained from a Designated Service Provider (DSP) in South Africa; or • the relevant Scheme Rate for the diagnosis, treatment and care costs of the Statutory Prescribed Minimum Benefits if a beneficiary voluntarily accesses PMBs via a non-DSP in South Africa, when provision is made for a DSP according to this schedule; or • 100% of cost for involuntary use of a non-DSP in South Africa, subject to PMB regulations. Pre-authorisation, medicine formularies and Scheme protocols (also known as “Care Plans”, “Baskets of Care”, or “Treatment Baskets”) may apply. Diagnosis costs are only regarded as a PMB if the result of diagnostic investigations confirms a PMB diagnosis. When insured limits are specified in this schedule, the limit will first be utilised for the payment of the relevant claims, and thereafter continued funding will apply for PMB claims only, subject to PMB Regulations. Where a benefit is indicated as “payable from Savings” or as “no benefit” in this schedule, insured benefits shall nevertheless be provided for PMBs in South Africa, subject to PMB regulations. PMB claims shall not be funded from Savings. Additional arrangements pertaining to PMBs (subject to PMB regulations) are set out in the Preamble to Annexure B and in Annexure D (Claims Procedure and General Provisions Regarding Benefits).
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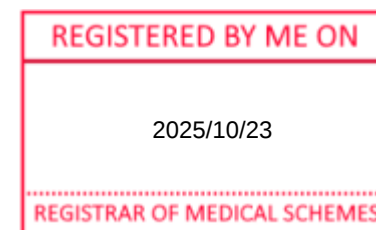
STATUTORY PRESCRIBED MINIMUM BENEFITS PRO RATING OF BENEFITS FOR MEMBERS JOINING DURING THE COURSE OF A FINANCIAL YEAR Beneficiaries admitted during the course of a financial year are entitled to the benefits set out in this schedule, with the maximum benefits being adjusted in proportion to the period of membership calculated from the date of admission to the end of the financial year (rule 16.1.5), except for stated wellness and preventative care benefits, which shall not be subject to pro-ration.

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
OVERALL ANNUAL LIMIT		Unlimited	This plan has no overall annual limit.
HOSPITAL NETWORK/DSPs	Hospital Network DSPs are applicable on this plan. Reduced benefits apply for accommodation and associated fees charged by non-DSP hospitals, subject to PMB regulations. Hospital Network DSPs on this plan are: Contracted private hospitals/facilities (restricted network) as communicated to members from time to time.		
HOSPITALISATION Hospital Network DSPs Deductibles apply to a <u>specified list</u> of conditions/procedures as set out in Appendix 3 All admissions at network DSP Other hospitals (non-DSPs) PMB admission: involuntary use of non-DSP (deductible does not apply) PMB admission: voluntary use of non-DSP (deductible applies to all admissions) Non-PMB admission (deductible applies to all admissions)	100% of cost 100% of cost 100% of Scheme Rate 100% of Scheme Rate	Unlimited (at general ward rates) Unlimited (at general ward rates) Unlimited (at general ward rates) Unlimited (at general ward rates)	Benefits subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Emergencies must be authorised within 24 hours of admission. REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES
Deductibles payable on admission Healthcare services reflected in Appendix 3	Beneficiary responsible for a Deductible in respect of the hospital account for certain hospital events, unless the admission is related to a Prescribed Minimum Benefit diagnosis typically as a result of an emergency. The Deductible will apply regardless of the whether the procedure attracting the deductible was the primary reason for the admission or not.		

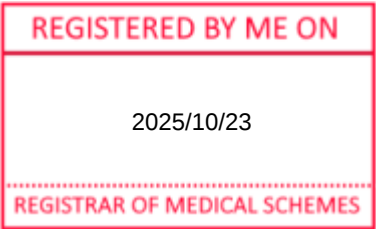
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Benefits provided on admission to:			
1. Hospital Network DSPs			
- Ward Fees (general ward rate) - ICU and high care unit fees - Theatre fees - Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials and equipment consumed / utilised in hospital - Outpatient services - Recovery beds	100% of cost REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	Unlimited	In accordance with a per diem or negotiated rate. Facility fees charged by hospitals for outpatient visits that do not result in authorised admissions to be paid from out of hospital specialist consultations and procedures limit.
Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in the theatre (at hospital network DSPs)	100% of cost	Unlimited	
2. Other hospitals (non-DSPs)			
- Ward Fees (general ward rate) - ICU and high care unit fees - Theatre fees - Outpatient services - Recovery beds	100% of Scheme Rate	Unlimited	PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations. Facility fees charged by hospitals for outpatient visits that do not result in authorised admissions to be paid from out of hospital specialist consultations and procedures limit.
Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in hospital (at non-DSP hospitals)	100% of cost	Unlimited	
3. Unattached Theatre Units (Private)			
- Theatre fees - Recovery beds	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Unlimited	The unattached theatre must be registered with the Department of Health.
Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in hospital (at unattached theatre unit)	100% of cost	Unlimited	

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
OUTPATIENT CONSULTATIONS WITH GPs/SPECIALISTS AT HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS AND OUTPATIENT UNITS	See General Practitioners/ Specialists: out of hospital consultations in rooms	See General Practitioners/ Specialists: out of hospital consultations in rooms	Regarded as out of hospital GP/Specialist consultations in rooms, unless resulting in an authorised hospital admission.
HOME-BASED HEALTHCARE For clinically appropriate chronic and acute treatment and conditions, where treatment is possible at home	100% of Scheme Rate	Subject to the Scheme's preferred provider (where applicable) and the treatment meeting the Scheme's treatment guidelines and clinical and benefit criteria.	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Basket of care as set by the Scheme.
TO TAKE OUT DRUGS	100% of cost	Limited to PMBs and a maximum of 7 days' supply per admission	Benefit for medicine supplied by the hospital when a patient is discharged. If procedure took place in a day surgery facility, a maximum of a seven-day supply will be funded from Insured Benefits if obtained from a retail pharmacy on the date of discharge only.
AMBULANCE SERVICES	100% of cost via the Scheme's DSP 100% of Scheme Rate through a non-DSP	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. No benefit for services outside the borders of South Africa.
BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS Blood products, materials, apparatus and operator's fees	100% of cost REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.

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ORGAN AND BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTS			Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. The organ recipient must be a Bankmed beneficiary for benefits to apply. Benefits for Specialists will be as specified elsewhere this schedule. No benefit for travelling and non-hospital accommodation expenses.
Hospitalisation, and organ and patient preparation	Benefits as for hospitalisation	Benefits as for hospitalisation	
Medication (in and out of hospital)			
• Medication via designated pharmacy (DSP)	100% of cost	Unlimited	
• Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)	80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee	Unlimited	
• Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)	100% of cost	Unlimited	
Harvesting and transporting of organs, and other donor costs	100% of cost	Unlimited	



HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
ONCOLOGY (CHEMOTHERAPY AND RADIOTHERAPY) In and out of hospital consultations, treatment and materials Associated Medicine/Drugs For medicines administered in-rooms: (Injectable and infusional chemotherapy) - Medication via the Oncology Pharmacy Designated Service Provider (DSP) (Courier pharmacy) - Medication via a non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) - Medication via a non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP) Excludes medicines administered in-hospital and medicines administered in-rooms by a dispensing provider.	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 ***** REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES 100% of cost 80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee 100% of cost	Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited	Subject to: - Pre-authorisation and PMB regulations - Evidence-based medicine, cost-effectiveness and affordability - Scheme's oncology baskets of care, formularies and/or protocols - Meeting Scheme's Clinical Entry Criteria - Peer-review by external panel of specialists as appointed by the Scheme Subject to: - Pre-authorisation and PMB regulations - Evidence-based medicine, cost-effectiveness and affordability - Scheme's oncology baskets of care, formularies and/or protocols - Meeting Scheme's Clinical Entry Criteria - Peer-review by external panel of specialists as appointed by the Scheme - Medication must be dispensed through a designated service provider. Where a non-network provider is used, funding will be approved up to a maximum of 80% of the Scheme Medicine Reference price and the balance will be for the member's own pocket - Generic substitution and/or switching to cost-effective therapeutic equivalents (drug utilisation review)

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For medicines scripted and dispensed at a retail pharmacy or via a courier pharmacy (scripted by treating provider): (Supportive medication, oral chemotherapy and hormonal therapy) - Medication via the Oncology Pharmacy Designated Service Provider (DSP) - Medication via a non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) - Medication via a non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)	100% of cost 80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee 100% of cost	Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited	
RENAL DIALYSIS Procedures and Treatment Associated Medicine/Drugs - Medication via designated courier pharmacy (DSP) - Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) - Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost 80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee 100% of cost	Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION (WHO) RECOGNISED DISEASE OUTBREAKS Benefit for out-of-hospital management and appropriate supportive treatment of global World Health Organisation (WHO) recognised disease outbreaks: Out-of-hospital healthcare services related to COVID-19: - Screening consultation with a nurse or GP - Defined basket of pathology - Defined basket of x-rays and scans - Consultations with a nurse or GP - Supportive treatment - Contact tracing	Over and above the PMB requirements. Up to a maximum of 100% of the Scheme Rate. Cover for testing is subject to NICD protocol and referral. Subject to the Scheme's preferred provider (where applicable), protocols and the condition and treatment meeting the Scheme's entry criteria and guidelines.	Up to a 100% of the Scheme Rate for registered healthcare providers.	Basket of care as set by the Scheme Out-of-hospital healthcare services related to COVID-19: - Screening consultation with a nurse or GP: unlimited - Defined basket of pathology: unlimited tests per person per year subject to appropriate clinical referral for testing for registered healthcare providers except where covered as PMB.
PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH Hospitalisation and associated in hospital services (hospital network rules apply) Midwife care and delivery Birthing facilities GPs and Specialists	As specified elsewhere in this schedule 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP As specified elsewhere in this schedule	As specified elsewhere in this schedule Unlimited Unlimited (Cost of disposables limited to R1 500 per case) As specified elsewhere in this schedule	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Benefits for hospitalisation and other in hospital services as specified elsewhere in this schedule. Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Only available where hospital services are not used (except for registered active birthing units). Benefits for General Practitioners and Specialists as specified elsewhere in this schedule.

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HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
WELLNESS AND PREVENTATIVE CARE BENEFITS (VACCINATIONS AND SCREENING)			Benefits in this section do not contribute to the depletion of any insured limits specified elsewhere in this schedule. Associated consultation fees are not provided for in this section, unless indicated. See General Practitioners (GPs): out of hospital consultations and procedures in rooms for consultation benefits.
Contraception: oral contraceptives, devices and injectables	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	R2 615 pbpa	For female beneficiaries only. Oral contraceptives limited to one prescription or repeat prescription per beneficiary per month.
Influenza vaccine	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	One pbpa	
Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	Three doses pb	For male and female beneficiaries aged 9 to 25 years and limited to a total course of three doses (depending on product and age).
Cholesterol screening, blood sugar screening and blood pressure measurements	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	R415 pbpa	At clinics, pharmacies or Bankmed GP Network GPs' consulting rooms.
HIV Counselling and Testing (HCT)	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited	HCT DSPs: Bankmed GP Network GPs, Bankmed Pharmacy Network and contracted HCT providers rendering onsite services at employer groups, subject to PMB regulations.
Mammogram REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 ***** REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	One pbpa	For beneficiaries aged 40 years and older; Benefits for beneficiaries younger than 40 years, subject to motivation and prior approval.

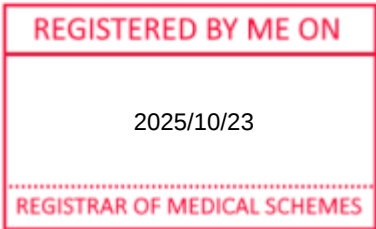
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Breast MRI (breast cancer risk only)	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	One pbpa	For high-risk beneficiaries only. Subject to clinical entry criteria and pre-authorisation.
Cervical Cancer Screening: Pap smear, or;	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	One pbpa	One associated nurse, Bankmed GP Network GP or Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network consultation per beneficiary covered as an additional insured benefit, limited to R655 pbpa.
Cervical Cancer Self-Sampling Kit	100% of Scheme Rate for test code	One pbpa	One per beneficiary per annum. Beneficiaries may select one of either a pap smear or cervical cancer self-sampling screening kit only, not both.
Bone densitometry Prostate specific antigen	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	One pbpa One pbpa	For beneficiaries aged 50 years and older; Benefits for beneficiaries younger than 50 years, subject to motivation and prior approval. Should member not meet clinical entry criteria, and they are younger than age 50, the member may claim the bone densitometry test from their Radiology Benefit. Where the Radiology Benefit is exhausted, this test may be claimed from available Medical Savings Account.
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Colorectal Cancer Screening: Faecal occult blood test, or:	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	One pbpa	For beneficiaries aged 50 years and older; Benefits for beneficiaries younger than 50 years, subject to motivation and prior approval.
Colorectal Cancer Self-Sampling Kit	100% of Scheme Rate for test code	One pbpa	Limited to one per qualifying beneficiary per annum. Limited to beneficiaries aged 50 years and older.

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Tuberculosis (TB) screening Childhood vaccinations (BCG, Oral Polio, Rotavirus, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Acellular Pertussis, Inactivated Polio and Haemophilus influenza type B, Hepatitis B, Measles, Pneumococcal vaccine) Pneumococcal vaccine Personal Health Assessment (PHA) REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP 100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price 100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price 100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	One chest x-ray pbpa Subject to EPI guidelines Limited as follows: Limited to one pbpa	Beneficiaries may select one of either a faecal occult or colorectal cancer self-sampling screening kit only, not both. For TB screening requested by private nurse practitioners rendering onsite services at employer groups; All other TB screenings subject to available out of hospital radiology and/or pathology benefits, and PMB regulations. For immunisations administered in accordance with the Department of Health's Expanded Programme on Immunisation (EPI) guidelines for children up to 12 years. - One vaccination every five years for adults 60 years and older. - One vaccination every five years for beneficiaries younger than 60 years, who have been diagnosed with Asthma, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Disease, or HIV/Aids. One assessment pbpa. Benefit limited to Bankmed GP Network GPs, Bankmed Pharmacy Network and contracted providers rendering onsite services at employer groups; subject to completion and follow up of the assessment. Applies to members and beneficiaries aged 16 years and older only.

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Post-Personal Health Assessment (PHA): Additional Consultations for Dietician and Biokineticist	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to two dietician visits per year plus two Biokineticist visits per year. First visit to dietician and biokineticist to take place within 6 weeks of the PHA and second visit within 12 months of the PHA, otherwise funded from day-to-day benefits	Limited to medium and high-risk members and/or members with a Body Mass Index (BMI) of 30 and more. Members identified and risk-rated using results from the PHA, therefore subject to completion of the PHA. Clinical Entry Criteria applies. Applies to members and beneficiaries aged 16 years and older only.
Post-Personal Health Assessment (PHA): Additional Consultation for Bankmed Network GP	100% of cost at a DSP Not covered at a non-DSP	Limited to one Bankmed Network GP visit pbpa Visit to Bankmed Network GP to take place within 6 weeks of the PHA, otherwise funded from day-to-day benefits.	Limited to high-risk members. Members identified and risk-rated using results from the PHA, therefore subject to completion of the PHA. Clinical Entry Criteria applies. Applies to members and beneficiaries aged 16 years and older only.
Bankmed Mental Wellbeing Assessments			Free online assessment via www.bankmed.co.za ; There is no limit on the number of assessments per beneficiary per annum.
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HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Mental Health 'At Risk' Benefit: Additional Consultation for Bankmed Network GP or Network Psychologist	100% of cost at a DSP Not covered at a non-DSP	Limited to one consultation per qualifying beneficiary Visit to Bankmed Network GP or Network Psychologist to take place within 6 weeks of the Online Mental Wellbeing Assessment, otherwise funded from day-to-day benefits.	Limited to high-risk members. Consultations limited to Bankmed Network GPs and Bankmed Network psychologists. Members identified and risk-rated using results from the Online Mental Wellbeing Assessment, therefore subject to completion of the Online Mental Wellbeing Assessment. Clinical Entry Criteria applies.
New-born Screening Test	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to one per beneficiary	Testing limited to services provided within the borders of South Africa. Test funded only if performed within 72 hours of birth.
New-born Hearing Test	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to one per beneficiary	Testing limited to service provided by a registered Audiologist. Only the test is funded. Should the provider charge a consultation fee, the consultation fee will be funded from available consultation benefits. Test only funded if performed within eight weeks of birth. Thereafter funded from standard benefits.
REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES			

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
T21 Chromosome Test or Non-Invasive Prenatal Test (NIPT) (Member may have either of the two tests, not both) REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to one per pregnancy	Subject to the Scheme's protocols and clinical entry criteria. One assessment per beneficiary per pregnancy. Testing limited to services provided within the borders of South Africa. Applies to high-risk beneficiaries aged 35 years and older at delivery. If member does not meet clinical entry criteria, the screening test is covered from the available balance in the member's Medical Savings Account on this Plan.
Amniocentesis	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to one per pregnancy	Subject to gynaecologist referral. One assessment per beneficiary per pregnancy. Testing limited to services provided within the borders of South Africa.
Dementia Screening and Assessment Benefit	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Limited to one consultation and comprehensive cognitive assessment per qualifying beneficiary per year	One assessment per qualifying pbpa. Testing limited to service provided by a registered Occupational Therapist. Where an Occupational Therapist is not available, the member may consult a Bankmed Network psychologist for the assessment. Only the consultation and assessment are funded. Should the provider charge for additional services, these services will be funded from standard available benefits, where relevant. Applies to members and beneficiaries aged 65 years and older only.
Child Obesity Screening	100% of cost at a DSP Not covered at a non-DSP	Limited to one pbpa	One assessment pbpa. Applies to beneficiaries who are 9 years old to 15 years old only.

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Child Obesity Screening: Additional Consultations for Dietician and Biokineticist 	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Limited to two dietician visits per year plus two Biokineticist visits per year First visit to dietician and biokineticist to take place within 6 weeks of the Child Obesity Screening and second visit within 12 months of the Child Obesity Screening, otherwise funded from day-to-day benefits	Limited to medium and high-risk beneficiaries based on Body Mass Index (BMI). Beneficiaries identified and risk-rated using results from the Child Obesity Screening, therefore subject to completion of the Child Obesity Screening. Clinical Entry Criteria applies. Applies to beneficiaries who are aged 9 years to 15 years only.
Child Obesity Screening: Additional Consultation for Bankmed Network GP	100% of cost at a DSP Not covered at a non-DSP	Limited to one Bankmed Network GP visit. Visit to Bankmed Network GP to take place within 6 weeks of the Child Obesity Screening, otherwise funded from day-to-day benefits.	Limited to high-risk beneficiaries. Beneficiaries identified and risk-rated using results from the Child Obesity Screening, therefore subject to completion of the Child Obesity Screening. Clinical Entry Criteria applies. Applies to beneficiaries who are 9 years old to 15 years old only.
Preventative Childhood Dental Check	100% of cost at a DSP Not covered at a non-DSP	Limited to two per child per annum. At Bankmed Dental Network practitioner only, and according to Scheme approved formulary.	Limited to beneficiaries who are age 3 years old to 17 years old only.

HEALTHCARE SERVICE		BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
RADIOLOGY				
In Hospital		100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited	
Out of hospital		100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	R5 255 pfpa (including a sub-limit of R3 330 pfpa for out of hospital pathology)	Thereafter subject to available Savings
PATHOLOGY				
In Hospital	REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited	
Out of hospital		100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	R3 330 pfpa (and further subject to out of hospital radiology limit of R5 255 pfpa)	Thereafter subject to available Savings
MRI / CT SCANS AND RADIONUCLIDE SCANS				
In Hospital and out of hospital		100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation (both in and out of hospital).
HIV/AIDS PROGRAMME Additional benefits subject to registration on HIV/Aids Programme. These additional benefits do not contribute to the depletion of other insured benefits provided by the Scheme.				Beneficiaries who do not register on the HIV/Aids Programme will be entitled to all other benefits as specified in this schedule, with continued funding for PMBs, subject to PMB regulations, after depletion of the relevant sub-limits.
Consultations and pathology		100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Subject to benefits available in Scheme's Basket of Care	

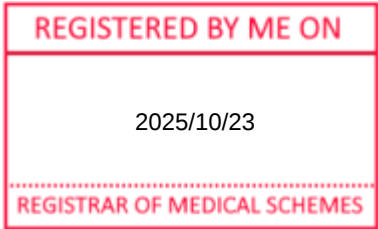
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Associated Medicine/Drugs - Medication via Bankmed Pharmacy Network (DSP) - Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) - Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)	100% of cost 80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee 100% of cost	Unlimited Unlimited Unlimited	Bankmed Pharmacy Network for HIV/Aids medication: as communicated to registered beneficiaries from time to time. A motivation is required for the use of a non-DSP for medication. Subject to Scheme's approved formulary. Scheme's Medicine Reference Price applies to non-formulary medication.
INTERNAL PROSTHESIS Combined limit for all internal prostheses items Internal prosthesis sub-limits: Hip joint prostheses, knee joint prostheses and shoulder joint prostheses REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES Spinal fusions Cardiac stents	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R95 065 pbpa R63 265 per prosthesis per admission if prosthesis is not supplied by the Scheme's network provider. If supplied by the Schemes network provider, unlimited (not subject to combined limit for all internal prosthesis items) R64 050 R94 690	Benefits subject to clinical motivation, the application of clinical / funding protocols, Scheme approval and PMB regulations. Defined as appliances placed in the body as an internal adjuvant, during an operation. Combined limit for all internal prosthesis items, excluding pacemakers and defibrillators; Sub-limits may apply depending on the prosthesis required. All sub-limits as indicated are further subject to the combined limit for all internal prosthesis items, excluding pacemakers, defibrillators. The sub-limits are not "in addition to" the combined limit. Dental implants of any nature are not included in the definition of internal prosthesis. The prostheses accumulate to the limit. The balance of the hospital and related accounts do not accumulate to the annual limit.

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Grafts Cardiac Valves Non-specified items	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R51 260 R53 915 R29 540	
SPINAL CARE (SPINAL CARE PROGRAMME) In-hospital and out-of-hospital management for spinal care and surgery. Limited to a defined list of clinically appropriate procedures which include Lumbar Fusion, Cervical Fusion, Laminectomy, Laminotomy	100% of cost for the hospital account at a network facility. Network does not apply to any admissions related to trauma. 100% of the Scheme Rate for the hospital account if performed at a non-network facility. 100% of cost for related accounts at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for related accounts at a non-DSP	Unlimited	Subject to authorisation and the treatment meeting the Scheme's treatment guidelines and clinical criteria. Subject to PMB regulations. Unlimited at a network provider for in-hospital treatment Basket of care as set by the Scheme for out-of-hospital conservative treatment
PACEMAKERS AND DEFIBRILLATORS REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 ***** REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost of device if preferred provider used 100% of Scheme Rate if non-preferred provider used	Unlimited	Subject to clinical motivation, the application of clinical/funding protocols and Scheme approval.

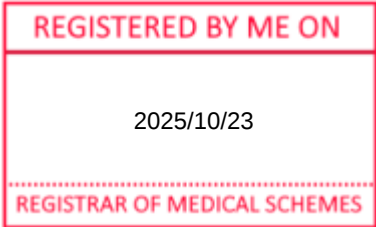
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Other chronic appliances - Other chronic appliances includes Braces/Callipers/Surgical boots (in combination), Lumbar Sacral Corsets, Splints, Compression hose, "Be-sure" products, Heel pads/insoles/metatarsal bars, CPAP machines, Sleep apnoea monitor for infants (hire thereof), Suction machine and catheters, Nebulisers, Glucometers, Peak flow meters - Purchase of: Crutches, Wheelchairs, Walking frames, Toilet/bath risers, Commodes, Urinal bottles, Bed pans	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R9 535 pbpa Limit may be extended to R13 950 for beneficiaries requiring a CPAP machine Sub-limits apply as follows: R1 175 for arch supports (per pair) R1 765 for shoe insoles (per pair)	Commodes: one every 36 months Wheelchairs: one every 36 months Walking frames: one every 24 months Surgical compression stockings: two pairs per 12-month period Sling/clavicle brace: one every 24 months Portable oxygen: one every 48 months Arch supports: one pair every 24 months Shoe insoles: one pair every 24 months CPAP machine: one every 36 months Humidifier: one every 36 months
Appliances for acute conditions	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Subject to available Savings	For conditions not covered under the post-surgery appliance benefit and the chronic appliances benefit. Repairs and maintenance of any appliances provided under any of these benefit categories.
BLOOD PRESSURE MONITORS, NEBULISERS AND GLUCOMETERS (Combined limit with medical and surgical appliances: other chronic appliances) REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R9 535 pbpa Sub-limits apply as follows: R1 605 pbpa for blood pressure monitors R2 265 pbpa for nebulisers R1 130 pbpa for glucometers	Benefits available on doctor's prescription without additional motivation or Scheme approval. Frequency limits apply: Blood pressure monitors: one every 36 months Nebulisers: one every 36 months Glucometers: one every 36 months

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HEARING AIDS (SUPPLY AND FITMENT)	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R37 880 per beneficiary every 24 months	Frequency limits apply: Benefit only available where the beneficiary has not claimed for hearing aid/s in the previous calendar year. Rolling limit every 24 months. No benefit for replacement batteries.
HEARING AID REPAIRS	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R1 965 pbpa	
BONE ANCHORED HEARING AIDS	90% of Scheme Rate	R202 605 pfpa	
COCHLEAR IMPLANTS			Once in a lifetime benefit.
Hospitalisation	Benefits for hospitalisation as specified elsewhere in this schedule	As specified	Subject to pre-authorisation and Scheme protocols.
Pre-operative evaluation and associated preparation costs	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R22 525 pb per lifetime	Funding only available in recognised Centres of Excellence.
Cochlear implant device	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R472 240 pb per lifetime	Once in a lifetime benefit available to:
Intra-operative audiology testing	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R1 175 pb per lifetime	- Children under 8 years of age - Persons over the age of 8 diagnosed as suffering from profound bilateral sensory neural hearing loss
Post-operative evaluation costs	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R47 300 pb per lifetime	
UPGRADE OR REPLACEMENT OF SPEECH PROCESSORS	100% of Scheme Rate	R244 000 pb over a three-year cycle	Subject to clinical motivation, the application of clinical / funding protocols and Scheme approval.
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Post-hospital psychiatric consultation within 30 days of discharge from hospital (excluding day cases) for a psychiatric admission (Related to Major Depression, Schizophrenia and Bipolar Mood Disorder only) REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP Psychiatrist	Limited to three consultations per beneficiary per annum	An additional consultation will be granted as an insured benefit, per beneficiary visiting a psychiatrist within 30 days of discharge, following an authorised psychiatric hospital admission (excluding day cases). PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations. In the event that the member exceeds the three consultation limit (following three hospital admissions), the consultations will be subject to the standard psychiatry, clinical psychology and related occupational therapy benefit limits, thereafter, available funds in the Medical Savings Account.
MENTAL HEALTH INTEGRATED DISEASE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME Disease Management for specified mental health conditions for members registered on the Scheme's Mental Health Integrated Disease Management Programme	In addition to the cover provided for under the PMB regulations, up to 100% of the Scheme Rate for services covered in the Scheme's basket of care if referred by the Scheme's DSP. 100% of Scheme Rate for services performed by the Scheme's DSP.	Limited to the basket of care set by the Scheme.	Subject to the treatment meeting the Scheme's treatment guidelines and managed care criteria. Subject to PMB regulations.
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY: PSYCHIATRIC CONSULTATIONS / SESSIONS Hospitalisation and in-hospital consultations / sessions	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R88 835 pbpa (Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations /sessions in hospital)	Subject to pre-authorisation. Continued benefits for PMBs subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.

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Out of hospital 	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R6 505 pbpa (Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations/sessions out of hospital) Combined limit may be extended to R15 505 for Depression and/or Bipolar Mood Disorder, subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations	PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations. When benefits are exceeded, all other non-PMB treatment will be subject to available Savings.
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY: NON-PSYCHIATRIC CONSULTATIONS / SESSIONS In hospital Out of hospital	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Unlimited R2 870 pfpa	Subject to pre-authorisation. Thereafter subject to available Savings.
PHYSIOTHERAPY In hospital Post-hospitalisation treatment (within 6 weeks of discharge from hospital or approved day surgery facility) Out of hospital	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP 100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Unlimited R3 280 pbpa Subject to available Savings	Subject to pre-authorisation. Following pre-authorised admission; Available Savings will be utilized where insured benefits have been exhausted.

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SPEECH THERAPY, AUDIO THERAPY AND AUDIOLOGY In and out of hospital	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R2 955 pfpa	Thereafter subject to available Savings.
ADDITIONAL BENEFITS FOR BENEFICIARIES WITH NEURODEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS - Occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations/sessions (out of hospital) - Occupational therapy: non-psychiatric consultations/sessions (out of hospital) - Physiotherapy (out of hospital) - Speech therapy (out of hospital)	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	As approved	Additional discretionary insured benefits may be granted for beneficiaries with neurodevelopmental disorders, subject to clinical motivation and Scheme approval. The quantum of additional benefits, if approved, shall be decided on a case-for-case basis, and granted at 100% of the Scheme Rate or contracted rate, whichever applies. These discretionary benefits are in addition to any other insured benefits normally applicable to these services, as specified elsewhere in this schedule.
OTHER AUXILIARY SERVICES In and out of hospital - Chiropody/Podiatry (consultations) - Dietetics/Nutritional Assessments - Orthotics (consultations) - Massage - Chiropractors - Herbalists - Naturopaths - Family planning clinics - Homeopaths - Biokineticists (fitness assessments)	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES	Subject to available Savings	Frequency limits apply: Foot orthotics: one every 24 months If prescribed by a medical practitioner and provided that the supplier of service is registered as such in terms of any law. The fees must have been incurred for a definite complaint and treatment must be for curative purposes only.

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CHRONIC MEDICATION Medication via DSP (Bankmed Network GP and Bankmed Pharmacy Network) Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)	Subject to Scheme approved Chronic Medicine List 100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price 80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price 100% of cost	R29 915 pbpa	Benefits for chronic medication, drugs and injection material subject to: • Prior application and approval of the Scheme • Each prescription or repeat prescription being limited to one month's supply per beneficiary • Such motivations and reports by appropriate Medical practitioners, as are required by the Scheme • PMB regulations • Scheme approved Chronic Medicine List Dispensing fee limited to the contracted dispensing fee applicable to Bankmed GP Network GPs and Bankmed Pharmacy Network (DSPs). Continued benefits for PMBs, subject to PMB Regulations.
PRESCRIBED ACUTE MEDICATION	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	Subject to available Savings	
SELF-MEDICATION (OVER THE COUNTER MEDICINE) AND PHARMACY ADVISED THERAPY (PAT)	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	Subject to available Savings	Covering medicines which a pharmacist is entitled to prescribe and dispense.
HOMEOPATHIC MEDICATION 	Benefits as for prescribed acute/chronic medication	Benefits as for prescribed acute/chronic medication	On doctor's prescription only, and limited to items with NAPPI codes. No self-medication/PAT benefit for homeopathic medicines.

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SPECIALISTS			
In hospital consultations, operations and procedures	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation. PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.
Out-of-hospital consultations in rooms	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Subject to available Savings	Benefit includes the cost of vaccination and injection material administered by the Specialist, except where indicated as a specified benefit under Vaccinations and Screening.
Out-of-hospital procedures in rooms	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.
GENERAL PRACTITIONERS (GPs)			
In hospital consultations	100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	In-hospital benefits are subject to pre-authorisation. PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.
In hospital operations and procedures	100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 125% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES
Out of hospital consultations in rooms	100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Subject to available Savings	
Out of hospital procedures in rooms	100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 125% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	
			Includes the cost of vaccination and injection material administered by the GP, except where indicated as a specified benefit under Vaccinations and Screenings.

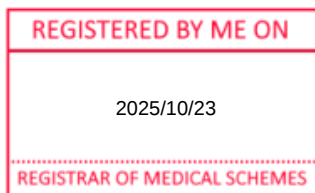
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Post hospital GP consultation within 30 days of discharge from hospital (excluding day cases) Virtual GP consultation	100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs 100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	One per authorised admission (excluding day cases) Limited to three consultations pbpa	An additional consultation will be granted as an insured benefit, per beneficiary visiting a GP within 30 days of discharge, following an authorised hospital admission (excluding day cases). PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations. Subject to member and/or beneficiary having a prior consulting relationship with the GP. Verification notes to be submitted by claiming GP.
MAXILLO FACIAL AND ORAL SURGERY Primary Treatment Benefits cover: • Treatment of cysts, tumours and salivary gland conditions including complications. • Intra and extra-oral drainage of abscesses and surgery to infected bone • Treatment of trauma including fractures of jaws and facial structures as well as associated skeletal complications. • Treatment of conditions of the temporo-mandibular (jaw) joint, excluding orthognatic surgery • Surgical extraction of teeth, removal of roots, and associated complications where there is no need for reflecting of a flap and removing of bone including suturing • Surgical extraction and exposure of impacted teeth • Repair of cleft palate, cleft lip and associated soft tissue repair	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation. Hospital and general anaesthesia costs associated with dental treatment and oral surgery are subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES

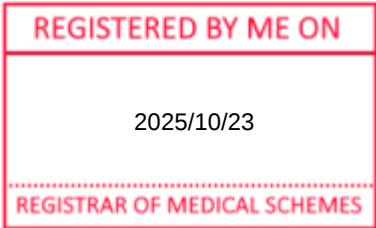
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
Elective Treatment Benefits cover: - Orthognatic surgery (surgical repositioning of jaws) - Surgical placement and exposure of implants excluding the cost of all components and transmucosal healing abutments - Surgical preparation of jaws for prosthetics - Functional corrections of malocclusions	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation.
EXTRACTION OF IMPACTED WISDOM TOOTH/ TEETH IN-ROOMS PMB: In-rooms: Designated Service Provider (DSP) (deductible does not apply) PMB: In-rooms: Non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP) (deductible applies in all instances) PMB: In-rooms: Non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP) (deductible does not apply) Non-PMB: In-rooms: Bankmed Network Provider Used (deductible applies in all instances) Non-PMB: In-rooms: Bankmed Network Provider Not Used (deductible applies in all instances)	100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of cost for Bankmed Dental Network: DSPs 80% of Scheme Rate Deductible applies 100% of cost 100% of Scheme Rate Deductible applies 80% of Scheme Rate Deductible applies	Unlimited (In-room tariffs) Unlimited (In-room tariffs) Unlimited (In-room tariffs) Unlimited (In-room tariffs) Unlimited (In-room tariffs)	Benefits subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Deductibles apply as set out in Appendix 3. REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES

HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
PREVENTATIVE AND BASIC DENTISTRY Preventative and Basic Dentistry not covered in-hospital. Subject to PMB regulations. Benefits for all members and beneficiaries: - First dental examination per beneficiary per financial year - Scale and Polish - Limited x-rays to support diagnosis - Restorations (fillings) - Basic root canal therapy (including emergency root canal therapy) - Routine extractions - Full and partial dentures (restricted to plastic) and clasps - Repairing of dentures Additional benefits for children below the age of 16 years: - Topical fluoride treatment - Fissure sealant on first and second permanent molar teeth but subject to a maximum of 8 molar teeth per beneficiary per lifetime	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Unlimited Sub-limits apply as follows: One dental exam pbpa Two pbpa Fillings: Amalgam and resin only Plastic dentures only Two topical fluoride treatments per child per year (age 15 years and younger). One topical fluoride treatment per year for all other beneficiaries. Limited to 8 molar teeth pb per lifetime	REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES
ADVANCED DENTISTRY Caps, crowns, bridges and cost of endosteal and ossea-integrated implants	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	M = R7 120 pbpa M+ = R11 925 pfpa	Once exhausted, subject to available Savings

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ORTHODONTICS	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R11 925 pfpa	Subject to orthodontic quotation and prior approval of the Scheme. Once exhausted, subject to available Savings. Benefits are not available for metal inlays in anterior teeth.
ALL OTHER DENTAL SERVICES • Second and subsequent examination in the same financial year • X-rays • Composite restorations/fillings • Metal/ceramic and/or resin restorations/inlays • Crowns and bridges • Bleaching of endodontically treated teeth • Periodontal treatment (includes both consultation, non-surgical and surgical procedures) • Prosthodontics • Complete/partial dentures other than plastic including soft bases • Miscellaneous prosthetic procedures e.g. rebases, adjustment and relines • Restorative/Prosthodontic phase of implants • Oral surgery • Other surgical procedures i.e. Biopsy/soft tissue injuries • Bite plate for TMJ dysfunction • Other general services not classified but included in the Scheme Rate as relevant services	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Subject to available Savings	Placement of ossea-integrated implants is an insured benefit. REGISTERED BY ME ON 2025/10/23 REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES

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OPTOMETRY Subject to the Optometry Benefit Management program and clinical necessity			
Consultations	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Limited as follows:	Benefit only available every two years, and limited to one eye test or one re-examination or one composite examination per beneficiary every 24 months from previous date of service.
Frames and Extras	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Subject to available Savings	Extras subject to pre-authorisation and clinical necessity. One frame per beneficiary every 24 months from previous date of service.
Prescription Lenses Clear standard / generic - single vision, bifocal or multi-focal lenses	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Limited as follows:	One pair of standard /generic lenses per beneficiary every 24 months from previous date of service.
Readymade Readers	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Two pairs at R130 a pair, pb every two years paid from available Savings	Readymade readers via optometrists and Pharmacies as an OTC benefit subject to benefit availability
Contact Lenses	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R2 190 pbpa	Clear contact lenses. A beneficiary may not claim for spectacles (lenses or frame) AND contact lenses in the same benefit year OR contact lenses within 24 months from previous date of service after receiving spectacles (lenses or frame).
Fitting of contact lenses	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP		One contact lens dispensing and/or assessment per beneficiary every 12 months
Other optometric services Refractive surgery/excimer laser treatment, hospitalisation and associated costs	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	Subject to available Savings	Benefit via a network ophthalmologist. Includes the cost of hospitalisation, medication and all other associated services.



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Sunglasses		No benefit	No benefit for sunglasses / prescription sunglasses / spectacles with a tint > 35%.
CLAIMS FOR SERVICES RENDERED OUTSIDE THE BORDERS OF SOUTH AFRICA 	As per Annexure D	As per Annexure D	Foreign claims covered at the relevant Scheme Rate and/or Rand limit normally allowed for an equivalent non-PMB claim in South Africa. In the case of internal prosthesis and/or medical and surgical appliances, funding will be limited to the amount or rate at which the Scheme would normally fund or procure such device within the borders of South Africa. No benefits for emergency/ambulance transport outside the borders of South Africa. Medical motivation and prior approval required for elective/non-emergency surgery outside the borders of South Africa.
BENEFIT LIMITS EXHAUSTED/ ABOVE SCHEME RATE PORTIONS OF CLAIMS			All benefits are covered at the specified rate (percentage benefit) up to the annual limit, as per this schedule. Once specified limits are exceeded, continued benefits are paid at the specified rate (percentage benefit), from available Savings (except for PMBs, which are covered at 100% of cost, subject to PMB Regulations, after specified sub limits are depleted). Above Scheme Rate portions of claims are not automatically paid from Savings. Members may, however, apply in writing to have the above Scheme Rate portions of claims automatically paid from available Savings.

LEGEND:

Contracted rate	=	The rate determined in terms of an agreement between the Scheme and a service provider or group of service providers in respect of payment of relevant services
Cost	=	The net cost (after discount) charged for a relevant health service or, in respect of a contracted or negotiated service, the contracted rate. In respect of surgical items and procedures provided in hospital, “cost” shall be the nett acquisition price (also see Annexure B)
DSP	=	Designated Service Provider (may also be referred to as Preferred Provider or Contracted Provider in this schedule): A healthcare provider or group of providers contracted by the Scheme as preferred provider/s to provide diagnosis, treatment and care to beneficiaries in respect of one or more prescribed minimum benefit conditions
M	=	Member without dependants
M+	=	Member plus dependants
pb	=	per beneficiary
pbpa	=	per beneficiary per annum
pfpa	=	per family per annum
pmpa	=	per member per annum
PMB	=	Prescribed Minimum Benefits - a set of minimum benefits to be funded by all medical schemes as per the Medical Schemes Act and Regulations, in respect of the Prescribed Minimum Benefit Conditions (A Prescribed Minimum Benefit Condition is “a condition contemplated in the Diagnosis and Treatment Pairs and Chronic Disease List conditions listed in Annexure A of the Regulations, or any emergency medical condition”)
Scheme Medicine Reference Price	=	the maximum price that the Scheme shall pay for a drug or a class of drugs, where cost-effective alternatives exist. In the event that a member voluntarily chooses a drug that is more expensive than an alternative available drug that falls within the Scheme Medicine Reference Price, the price difference shall be a co-payment payable by the member at point of sale, subject to PMB regulations, where applicable
Scheme Rate	=	the rate at which health services are reimbursed by the Scheme in accordance with the applicable benefit schedule and shall be determined by the Scheme from time to time

