

**BANKMED**

**ANNEXURE B5: BANKMED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN (WITH SAVINGS)**

**Schedule of benefits with effect from 1 January 2024**

**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 (previously known as “Care Plans” and now known as “Baskets of Care”) 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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**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

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<b>OVERALL ANNUAL LIMIT</b>		Unlimited	This plan has no overall annual limit.
<b>HOSPITAL NETWORK/DSPs</b>	<p>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.</p> <p>Hospital Network DSPs on this plan are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contracted private hospitals/facilities (restricted network) as communicated to members from time to time.</li> </ul>		
<p><b>HOSPITALISATION</b></p> <p><b>Hospital Network DSPs</b>            Deductibles apply to a <u>specified list</u> of conditions/procedures as set out in Appendix 3</p> <p>All admissions at network DSP</p> <p><b>Other hospitals (non-DSPs)</b></p> <p>PMB admission: involuntary use of non-DSP (deductible does not apply)</p> <p>PMB admission: voluntary use of non-DSP (deductible applies to all admissions)</p> <p>Non-PMB admission (deductible applies to all admissions)</p>	<p>100% of cost</p> <p>100% of cost</p> <p>100% of Scheme Rate</p> <p>100% of Scheme Rate</p>	<p>Unlimited (at general ward rates)</p> <p>Unlimited (at general ward rates)</p> <p>Unlimited (at general ward rates)</p> <p>Unlimited (at general ward rates)</p>	<p>Benefits subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.            Emergencies must be authorised within 24 hours of admission.</p> <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div>
<p><b>Deductibles payable on admission</b>            Healthcare services reflected in Appendix 3</p>	<p>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.</p>		

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<p><b>Benefits provided on admission to:</b></p> <p><b>1. Hospital Network DSPs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ward Fees (general ward rate)</li> <li>• ICU and high care unit fees</li> <li>• Theatre fees</li> <li>• Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials and equipment consumed / utilised in hospital</li> <li>• Outpatient services</li> <li>• Recovery beds</li> </ul> <p>• Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in the theatre (at hospital network DSPs)</p> <p><b>2. Other hospitals (non-DSPs)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ward Fees (general ward rate)</li> <li>• ICU and high care unit fees</li> <li>• Theatre fees</li> <li>• Outpatient services</li> <li>• Recovery beds</li> </ul> <p>• Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in hospital (at non-DSP hospitals)</p> <p><b>3. Unattached Theatre Units (Private)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Theatre fees</li> <li>• Recovery beds</li> </ul> <p>• Ward and theatre drugs, dressings, materials, equipment and disposables consumed / utilised in hospital (at unattached theatre unit)</p>	<p>100% of cost</p> <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p>100% of cost</p> <p>100% of Scheme Rate</p> <p>100% of Scheme Rate</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>In accordance with a per diem or negotiated rate.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>The unattached theatre must be registered with the Department of Health.</p>

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<b>OUTPATIENT CONSULTATIONS WITH GPs/SPECIALISTS AT HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS AND OUTPATIENT UNITS</b>	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.
<b>HOME-BASED HEALTHCARE</b> 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.
<b>TO TAKE OUT DRUGS</b>	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.
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<b>AMBULANCE SERVICES</b>	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.
<b>BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS</b> Blood products, materials, apparatus and operator's fees	100% of cost	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.
<b>ORGAN AND BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTS</b>  <b>Hospitalisation, and organ and patient preparation</b>  <b>Medication (in and out of hospital)</b>	Benefits as for hospitalisation	Benefits as for hospitalisation	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.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medication via designated pharmacy (DSP)</li> </ul>	100% of cost	Unlimited	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul>	80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee	Unlimited	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul> <p><b>Harvesting and transporting of organs, and other donor costs</b></p>	<p>100% of cost</p> <p>100% of cost</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	
<p><b>ONCOLOGY (CHEMOTHERAPY AND RADIOTHERAPY)</b></p> <p><b>In and out of hospital consultations, treatment and materials</b></p> <p><b>Associated Medicine/Drugs</b></p> <p><b>For medicines administered in-rooms:</b> (Injectable and infusional chemotherapy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medication via the Oncology Pharmacy Designated Service Provider (DSP) (Courier pharmacy)</li> <li>Medication via a non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)</li> <li>Medication via a non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <div data-bbox="824 598 1198 826" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p>100% of cost</p> <p>80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee</p> <p>100% of cost</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Subject to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Pre-authorisation and PMB regulations</li> <li>- Evidence-based medicine, cost-effectiveness and affordability</li> <li>- Scheme's oncology baskets of care, formularies and/or protocols</li> <li>- Meeting Scheme's Clinical Entry Criteria</li> <li>- Peer-review by external panel of specialists as appointed by the Scheme</li> </ul> <p>Subject to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Pre-authorisation and PMB regulations</li> <li>- Evidence-based medicine, cost-effectiveness and affordability</li> <li>- Scheme's oncology baskets of care, formularies and/or protocols</li> <li>- Meeting Scheme's Clinical Entry Criteria</li> <li>- Peer-review by external panel of specialists as appointed by the Scheme</li> <li>- 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</li> </ul>

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<p>Excludes medicines administered in-hospital and medicines administered in-rooms by a dispensing provider.</p> <p><b>For medicines scripted and dispensed at a retail pharmacy (scripted by treating provider):</b> (Supportive medication, oral chemotherapy and hormonal therapy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medication via the Oncology Pharmacy Designated Service Provider (DSP)</li> <li>Medication via a non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)</li> <li>Medication via a non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul>	<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTERED BY ME ON</p> <p style="margin: 0;">2023/10/25</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed red;"/> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>100% of cost</li> <li>80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee</li> <li>100% of cost</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> </ul>	<p>balance will be for the member's own pocket</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Generic substitution and/or switching to cost-effective therapeutic equivalents (drug utilisation review)</li> </ul>
<p><b>RENAL DIALYSIS</b></p> <p><b>Procedures and Treatment</b></p> <p><b>Associated Medicine/Drugs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medication via designated courier pharmacy (DSP)</li> <li>Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)</li> <li>Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>100% of cost at a DSP</li> <li>100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</li> <li>100% of cost</li> <li>80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price plus dispensing fee</li> <li>100% of cost</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> <li>Unlimited</li> </ul>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.</p>

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<p><b>WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION (WHO) RECOGNISED DISEASE OUTBREAKS</b></p> <p>Benefit for out-of-hospital management and appropriate supportive treatment of global World Health Organisation (WHO) recognised disease outbreaks:</p> <p>Out-of-hospital healthcare services related to COVID-19:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Screening consultation with a nurse or GP</li> <li>- Defined basket of pathology</li> <li>- Defined basket of x-rays and scans</li> <li>- Consultations with a nurse or GP</li> <li>- Supportive treatment</li> <li>- Contact tracing</li> </ul>	<p>Over and above the PMB requirements.</p> <p>Up to a maximum of 100% of the Scheme Rate.</p> <p>Cover for testing is subject to NICD protocol and referral.</p> <p>Subject to the Scheme’s preferred provider (where applicable), protocols and the condition and treatment meeting the Scheme’s entry criteria and guidelines.</p>	<p>Up to a 100% of the Scheme Rate for registered healthcare providers.</p>	<p>Basket of care as set by the Scheme</p> <p>Out-of-hospital healthcare services related to COVID-19:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Screening consultation with a nurse or GP: unlimited</li> <li>- 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.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH</b></p> <p><b>Hospitalisation and associated in hospital services (hospital network rules apply)</b></p> <p><b>Midwife care and delivery</b></p> <p><b>Birth facilities</b></p> <p><b>GPs and Specialists</b></p>	<p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p>	<p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited (Cost of disposables limited to R1 375 per case)</p> <p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Benefits for hospitalisation and other in hospital services as specified elsewhere in this schedule.</p> <p>Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.</p> <p>Subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations. Only available where hospital services are not used (except for registered active birthing units).</p> <p>Benefits for General Practitioners and Specialists as specified elsewhere in this schedule.</p>

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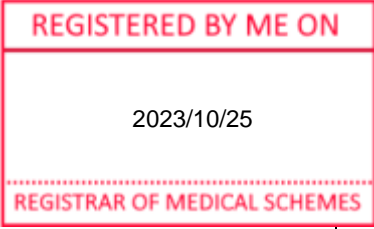
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<p><b>Radiology and Pathology</b></p> <p><b>Additional insured benefits at or subject to referral by a Bankmed Network GP and subject to registration on the Scheme’s Maternity Programme (Baby and Me):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 6 ante-natal consultations per pregnancy</li> <li>• 3 x 2D ultrasounds per pregnancy</li> <li>• R1 690 per pregnancy for ante-natal and post-natal classes</li> <li>• Additional pathology benefits subject to Baby and Me Basket of Care</li> </ul>	<p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>As specified elsewhere in this schedule</p> <p>As specified</p> <p>As specified</p> <p>As specified</p> <p>As specified</p>	<p>Benefits for Radiology and Pathology specified elsewhere in this schedule.</p> <p>Additional insured consultations covered at the applicable rate for General Practitioner/ Specialist consultations in rooms as specified elsewhere in this schedule.</p> <div data-bbox="1585 587 1957 815" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div> <p>Additional insured pathology subject to Care Plan.</p>
<p><b>ALTERNATIVES TO HOSPITALISATION</b></p> <p><b>Frail Care Facilities</b></p> <p><b>Step-down facilities</b></p>	<p>100% of cost</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>R550 per beneficiary per day</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Frail care facilities: Subject to pre-authorization. Available to permanently chronic sick or geriatric patients for accommodation in a registered nursing home or hospital. No Benefits for accommodation in old age homes. Available as alternative to home nursing not in addition hereto.</p> <p>Step-down facilities: Subject to pre-authorization and available only as an alternative to hospitalisation. Such service</p>

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<p><b>Home nursing services</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>R435 per beneficiary per day</p>	<p>follows pre-authorised hospitalisation or operation and is in lieu of further hospitalisation. The facility must be registered with the Department of Health.</p> <p>Home nursing services: Subject to pre-authorisation. Rendered at the patient's residence by a registered nurse or a person from a registered nursing institution. For such periods as the Scheme may determine as reasonable.</p>
<p><b>REGISTERED PRIVATE NURSE PRACTITIONERS</b> (registered with the S. A. Nursing Council or its legal successor)</p> <p><b>Procedures</b></p> <p><b>Consultations</b></p> <p><b>HomeCare Services</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Three pbpa from the Insured Benefit Thereafter subject to available Savings</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>For procedures not requiring admission to a day surgery facility or hospital; Includes the cost of vaccination and injection material administered by the Practitioner.</p> <p>For procedures not requiring admission to a day surgery facility or hospital. Subject to Scheme Clinical Entry Criteria. Subject to preauthorisation.</p>
<p><b>ADVANCED ILLNESS BENEFIT</b></p>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation and the treatment meeting the Scheme's guidelines and managed care criteria.</p>

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<p><b>WELLNESS AND PREVENTATIVE CARE BENEFITS (VACCINATIONS AND SCREENING)</b></p> <p><b>Contraception: oral contraceptives, devices and injectables</b></p> <p><b>Influenza vaccine</b></p> <p><b>Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine</b></p> <p><b>Cholesterol screening, blood sugar screening and blood pressure measurements</b></p> <p><b>HIV Counselling and Testing (HCT)</b></p> <p><b>Mammogram</b></p>	<div data-bbox="824 256 1191 485" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p> <p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p> <p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>R2 395 pbpa</p> <p>One pbpa</p> <p>Three doses pb</p> <p>R380 pbpa</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>One pbpa</p>	<p>Benefits in this section do not contribute to the depletion of any insured limits specified elsewhere in this schedule.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>For female beneficiaries only. Oral contraceptives limited to one prescription or repeat prescription per beneficiary per month.</p> <p>For male and female beneficiaries aged 9 to 25 years and limited to a total course of three doses (depending on product and age).</p> <p>At clinics, pharmacies or Bankmed GP Network GPs' consulting rooms.</p> <p>HCT DSPs: Bankmed GP Network GPs, Bankmed Pharmacy Network and contracted HCT providers rendering onsite services at employer groups, subject to PMB regulations.</p> <p>For beneficiaries aged 40 years and older; Benefits for beneficiaries younger than 40 years, subject to motivation and prior approval.</p>

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<p><b>Breast MRI (breast cancer risk only)</b></p> <p><b>Pap smear</b></p> <p><b>Bone densitometry</b></p> <p><b>Prostate specific antigen</b></p> <p><b>Faecal occult blood test</b></p> <p><b>Tuberculosis (TB) screening</b></p> <p><b>Childhood vaccinations (BCG, Oral Polio, Rotavirus, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Acellular Pertussis, Inactivated Polio and Haemophilus influenza type B, Hepatitis B, Measles, Pneumococcal vaccine)</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <div data-bbox="826 612 1200 839" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p>	<p>One pbpa</p> <p>One pbpa</p> <p>One pbpa One pbpa One pbpa</p> <p>One chest x-ray pbpa</p> <p>Subject to EPI guidelines</p>	<p>For high-risk beneficiaries only. Subject to clinical entry criteria and pre-authorisation.</p> <p>One associated nurse, Bankmed GP Network GP or Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network consultation per beneficiary covered as an additional insured benefit, limited to R600 pbpa.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>For immunisations administered in accordance with the Department of Health's Expanded Programme on Immunisation (EPI) guidelines for children up to 12 years.</p>

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<b>Pneumococcal vaccine</b>	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price 	Limited as follows:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One vaccination every five years for adults 60 years and older.</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>
<b>Herpes Zoster Virus vaccine (Reduces the rate of herpes zoster [shingles])</b>	100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price	Limited as follows:	One vaccination every five years for adults 60 years and older.
<b>Personal Health Assessment (PHA)</b>	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Limited to one pbpa	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 18 years and older only.
<b>Personal Health Assessment (PHA) Additional Consultations for Dietician and Biokineticist</b>	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 18 years and older only.

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<p><b>Bankmed Mental Wellbeing Assessments</b></p> <p><b>New-born Screening Test</b></p> <p><b>New-born Hearing Test</b></p> <div data-bbox="226 560 600 788" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">REGISTERED BY ME ON</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2023/10/25</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p><b>T21 Chromosome Test or Non-Invasive Prenatal Test (NIPT)</b> (Member may have either of the two tests, not both)</p> <p><b>Amniocentesis</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP</p>	<p>Limited to one per beneficiary</p> <p>Limited to one per beneficiary</p> <p>Limited to one per pregnancy</p> <p>Limited to one per pregnancy</p>	<p>Free online assessment via <a href="http://www.bankmed.co.za">www.bankmed.co.za</a>; There is no limit on the number of assessments per beneficiary per annum.</p> <p>Testing limited to services provided within the borders of South Africa. Test funded only if performed within 72 hours of birth.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Subject to gynaecologist referral. One assessment per beneficiary per pregnancy. Testing limited to services provided within the borders of South Africa.</p>

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<b>DIABETES MANAGEMENT</b> For members registered on the Scheme's Disease Management Programme	100% of cost for services covered in the Scheme's Basket of Care if referred by the Scheme's DSP and member utilises the Scheme's DSP as their service provider.  100% of Scheme Rate if non-DSP used.	Unlimited	Basket of Care set by the Scheme, subject to PMB regulations.
<b>DISEASE MANAGEMENT FOR CARDIO-METABOLIC RISK SYNDROME</b> Disease Management for cardiometabolic risk syndrome for members registered on the Scheme's Disease Management Programme	Up to a maximum of 100% of the Scheme Rate. Subject to authorisation and/or approval and the treatment meeting the Scheme's clinical entry criteria, treatment guidelines and protocols.	Limited to the basket of care set by the Scheme.	Subject to authorisation and/or approval and the treatment meeting the Scheme's clinical entry criteria, treatment guidelines and protocols.
<b>RADIOLOGY</b>  <b>In Hospital</b>  <b>Out of hospital</b>	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP  100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited  R4 810 pfpa (including a sub-limit of R3 050 pfpa for out of hospital pathology)	Thereafter subject to available Savings
<b>PATHOLOGY</b>  <b>In Hospital</b>  <b>Out of hospital</b>	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP  100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited  R3 050 pfpa (and further subject to out of hospital radiology limit of R4 810 pfpa)	Thereafter subject to available Savings

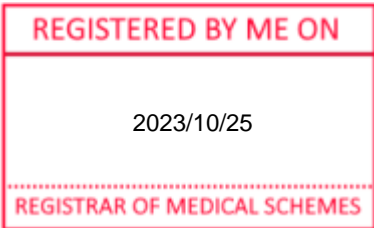
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<b>MRI / CT SCANS AND RADIONUCLIDE SCANS</b>  <b>In Hospital and out of hospital</b>	100% of cost for DSP 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP	Unlimited	Subject to pre-authorisation (both in and out of hospital).
<b>HIV/AIDS PROGRAMME</b> Additional benefits subject to registration on HIV/Aids Programme. These additional benefits do not contribute to the depletion of other insured benefits provided by the Scheme.  <b>Consultations and pathology</b>  <b>Associated Medicine/Drugs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medication via Bankmed Pharmacy Network (DSP)</li> <li>Medication via non-DSP (voluntary use of non-DSP)</li> <li>Medication via non-DSP (involuntary use of non-DSP)</li> </ul>	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	Subject to benefits available in Scheme's Basket of Care  Unlimited  Unlimited  Unlimited	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.  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.
<b>INTERNAL PROSTHESIS</b>  <b>Combined limit for all internal prostheses items</b>  <b>Internal prosthesis sub-limits:</b>  <b>Hip joint prostheses, knee joint prostheses and shoulder joint prostheses</b>	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	R87 055 pbpa  R57 935 per prosthesis per admission if prosthesis is not supplied by the Scheme's network	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

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<p><b>SPINAL CARE (SPINAL CARE PROGRAMME)</b> <b>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</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for the hospital account at a network facility. Network does not apply to any admissions related to trauma.</p> <p>100% of the Scheme Rate for the hospital account if performed at a non-network facility.</p> <p>100% of cost for related accounts at a DSP</p>	<p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Subject to authorisation and the treatment meeting the Scheme's treatment guidelines and clinical criteria.</p> <p>Subject to PMB regulations.</p> <p>Unlimited at a network provider for in-hospital treatment</p> <p>Basket of care as set by the Scheme for out-of-hospital conservative treatment</p>

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	100% of Scheme Rate for related accounts at a non-DSP		
<b>PACEMAKERS AND DEFIBRILLATORS</b>	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.
<b>INTRAOCULAR LENSES FOR CATARACT SURGERY</b> (Permanent, implantable lenses, inclusive of basic and specialised lens varieties)	Up to a maximum of 100% of the Scheme Rate Scheme Rate is equal to the negotiated and agreed lens price plus 25% mark-up		Subject to pre-authorisation and the treatment meeting the Scheme's criteria. Covered in full when supplied by the Scheme's preferred suppliers, otherwise covered up to the Scheme Rate for the lens. Scheme Rate is equal to the negotiated and agreed lens price plus 25% mark-up Where the provider marks up the lens cost in excess of the agreed rate, the Scheme will not be responsible for the shortfall.
<b>EXTERNAL PROSTHESIS</b> Artificial limbs and eyes	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R29 700 pfpa	Subject to clinical motivation, the application of clinical/funding protocols and Scheme approval. Benefit includes the repair of the prosthesis.
<b>MEDICAL AND SURGICAL APPLIANCES</b>  <b>Post-surgery appliances</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purchase or hire of: Braces, Splints, Slings, Corsets, Cervical collars, Post-op footwear (sandals and boots), Air-casts, Pressure garments, Compression hose, Cushions, Mastectomy brassiere/breast prosthesis.</li> <li>• Hire of: Wheelchairs, Walking frames, Crutches, Traction equipment, Toilet/bath riser, Bath swivel stool</li> </ul>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP  	R8 730 pbpa	Benefits subject to a doctor's prescription, the application of clinical and funding protocols, and Scheme approval.  Additional benefits may be provided for wheelchairs, subject to motivation, from occupational therapist and/or physiotherapist, a minimum of two cost quotations and Scheme approval.  <b>Frequency limits apply:</b> Surgical/moonboot: one every 24 months Crutches: one set every 24 months Brace callipers: one set every 24 months Rigid back brace: one every 24 months

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<p><b>Chronic appliances</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oxygen and oxygen delivery systems, i.e. items required for its delivery and administration (e.g. delivery tube, nasal cannulas and mask)</li> </ul> <p><b>Chronic appliances</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stoma products, including indwelling catheters and colostomy bags</li> </ul> <p><b>Other chronic appliances</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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</li> <li>Purchase of: Crutches, Wheelchairs, Walking frames, Toilet/bath risers, Commodes, Urinal bottles, Bed pans</li> </ul> <p><b>Appliances for acute conditions</b></p>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <div data-bbox="837 644 1211 874" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center; margin: 10px auto; width: fit-content;"> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTERED BY ME ON</p> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 5px 0 0 0;">2023/10/25</p> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>R27 420 pbpa</p> <p>R27 420 pbpa</p> <p>R8 730 pbpa Limit may be extended to R12 775 for beneficiaries requiring a CPAP machine</p> <p>Sub-limits apply as follows: R1 075 for arch supports (per pair) R1 620 for shoe insoles (per pair)</p> <p>Subject to available Savings</p>	<p>Wig: one every 24 months Breast prosthesis bra: no limit on number of bras that may be purchased in 12 months; Rand limit applies for post-surgery appliances Breast prosthesis: one/two per 24 months (one/two is patient dependent) 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</p> <p>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.</p>
<p><b>BLOOD PRESSURE MONITORS, NEBULISERS AND GLUCOMETERS</b> (Combined limit with medical and surgical appliances: other chronic appliances)</p>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>R8 730 pbpa Sub-limits apply as follows:  R1 470 pbpa for blood pressure monitors</p>	<p>Benefits available on doctor's prescription without additional motivation or Scheme approval.</p> <p><b>Frequency limits apply:</b> Blood pressure monitors: one every 36 months Nebulisers: one every 36 months</p>

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		R2 075 pbpa for nebulisers  R1 035 pbpa for glucometers	Glucometers: one every 36 months
<b>HEARING AIDS (SUPPLY AND FITMENT)</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R34 685 per beneficiary every 24 months	<b>Frequency limits apply:</b> 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.
<b>HEARING AID REPAIRS</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R1 800 pbpa	
<b>BONE ANCHORED HEARING AIDS</b>	90% of Scheme Rate	R185 530 pfpa	
<b>COCHLEAR IMPLANTS</b>			Once in a lifetime benefit.
<b>Hospitalisation</b>	Benefits for hospitalisation as specified elsewhere in this schedule	As specified	Subject to pre-authorisation and Scheme protocols.
<b>Pre-operative evaluation and associated preparation costs</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R20 625 pb per lifetime	Funding only available in recognised Centres of Excellence.
<b>Cochlear implant device</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R432 450 pb per lifetime	Once in a lifetime benefit available to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Children under 8 years of age</li> <li>• Persons over the age of 8 diagnosed as suffering from profound bilateral sensory neural hearing loss</li> </ul>
<b>Intra-operative audiology testing</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R1 075 pb per lifetime	
<b>Post-operative evaluation costs</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R43 315 pb per lifetime	
<b>UPGRADE OR REPLACEMENT OF SPEECH PROCESSORS</b>	80% of Scheme Rate	R161 470 pb over a three-year cycle	Subject to clinical motivation, the application of clinical / funding protocols and Scheme approval.

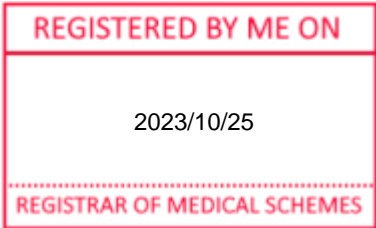
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<p><b>PSYCHIATRY, CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY, &amp; RELATED OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY</b></p> <p><b>Hospitalisation:</b></p> <p><b>Hospital Network DSPs</b></p> <p>All admissions at network DSP</p> <p><b>Other hospitals (non-DSPS)</b></p> <p>PMB admission: involuntary use of non-DSP</p> <p>PMB admission: voluntary use of non-DSP</p> <p>Non-PMB admission</p> <p><b>In-hospital consultations / sessions</b></p> <p><b>Out of hospital consultations / sessions</b></p>	<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network Psychiatric facilities (DSPs)</p> <p>100% of cost</p> <p>80% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>80% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p>	<p>R81 350 pbpa (Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations /sessions in hospital)</p> <p>R5 955 pbpa (Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations /sessions out of hospital)</p> <p>Combined limit may be extended to R14 200 for Depression and/or Bipolar Mood Disorder, subject to pre- authorisation and PMB regulations</p>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation. Continued benefits for PMBs subject to pre- authorisation and PMB regulations. PMBs limited to 80% of Scheme Rate for non- DSPs, subject to PMB regulations. Cover for 21 days in hospital in line with PMB regulations, with dual accumulation to the rand limit.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Cover for 15 out-of-hospital psychotherapy sessions for PMBs, in line with PMB regulations with dual accumulation to the rand limit.</p>

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<p><b>Post-hospital psychiatric consultation within 30 days of discharge from hospital (excluding day cases) for a psychiatric admission</b> (Related to Major Depression, Schizophrenia and Bipolar Mood Disorder only)</p>	<p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSP Psychiatrist</p> <div data-bbox="831 406 1205 635" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>.....</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div>	<p>Limited to three consultations per beneficiary per annum</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p><b>MENTAL HEALTH INTEGRATED DISEASE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME</b> Disease Management for specified mental health conditions for members registered on the Scheme's Mental Health Integrated Disease Management Programme</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>Limited to the basket of care set by the Scheme.</p>	<p>Subject to the treatment meeting the Scheme's treatment guidelines and managed care criteria. Subject to PMB regulations.</p>
<p><b>OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY: PSYCHIATRIC CONSULTATIONS / SESSIONS</b></p> <p><b>Hospitalisation and in-hospital consultations / sessions</b></p> <p><b>Out of hospital</b></p>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>R81 350 pbpa (Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations /sessions in hospital)</p> <p>R5 955 pbpa</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.</p>

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		(Combined limit with occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations/sessions out of hospital) Combined limit may be extended to R14 200 for Depression and/or Bipolar Mood Disorder, subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations	When benefits are exceeded, all other non-PMB treatment will be subject to available Savings.
<b>OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY: NON-PSYCHIATRIC CONSULTATIONS / SESSIONS</b>  <b>In hospital</b>  <b>Out of hospital</b>	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 630 pfpa	Subject to pre-authorisation.  Thereafter subject to available Savings.
<b>PHYSIOTHERAPY</b>  <b>In hospital</b>  <b>Post-hospitalisation treatment (within 6 weeks of discharge from hospital or approved day surgery facility)</b>  <b>Out of hospital</b>	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 000 pbpa  Subject to available Savings	Subject to pre-authorisation.  Following pre-authorised admission; Available Savings will be utilized where insured benefits have been exhausted.
<b>SPEECH THERAPY, AUDIO THERAPY AND AUDIOLOGY</b> <b>In and out of hospital</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R2 705 pfpa	Thereafter subject to available Savings.

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<p><b>ADDITIONAL BENEFITS FOR BENEFICIARIES WITH NEURODEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Occupational therapy: psychiatric consultations/sessions (out of hospital)</li> <li>• Occupational therapy: non-psychiatric consultations/sessions (out of hospital)</li> <li>• Physiotherapy (out of hospital)</li> <li>• Speech therapy (out of hospital)</li> </ul>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;"> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTERED BY ME ON</p> <p style="margin: 0;">2023/10/25</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed red;"/> <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div>	<p>As approved</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p><b>OTHER AUXILIARY SERVICES In and out of hospital</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chiropody/Podiatry (consultations)</li> <li>• Dietetics/Nutritional Assessments</li> <li>• Orthotics (consultations)</li> <li>• Massage</li> <li>• Chiropractors</li> <li>• Herbalists</li> <li>• Naturopaths</li> <li>• Family planning clinics</li> <li>• Homeopaths</li> <li>• Biokineticists (fitness assessments)</li> </ul>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>Subject to available Savings</p>	<p><b>Frequency limits apply:</b> Foot orthotics: one every 24 months</p> <p>If prescribed by a medical practitioner and provided that the supplier of service is registered as such in terms of any law.</p> <p>The fees must have been incurred for a definite complaint and treatment must be for curative purposes only.</p>



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<p><b>CHRONIC MEDICATION</b></p> <p><b>Medication via DSP</b> (Bankmed Network GP and Bankmed Pharmacy Network)</p> <p><b>Medication via non-DSP</b> (voluntary use of non-DSP)</p> <p><b>Medication via non-DSP</b> (involuntary use of non-DSP)</p>	<p>Subject to Scheme approved Chronic Medicine List</p> <p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p> <p>80% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p> <p>100% of cost</p>	<p>R27 395 pbpa</p>	<p>Benefits for chronic medication, drugs and injection material subject to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prior application and approval of the Scheme</li> <li>• Each prescription or repeat prescription being limited to one month's supply per beneficiary</li> <li>• Such motivations and reports by appropriate Medical practitioners, as are required by the Scheme</li> <li>• PMB regulations</li> <li>• Scheme approved Chronic Medicine List</li> </ul> <p>Dispensing fee limited to the contracted dispensing fee applicable to Bankmed GP Network GPs and Bankmed Pharmacy Network (DSPs).</p> <p>Continued benefits for PMBs, subject to PMB Regulations.</p>
<p><b>PRESCRIBED ACUTE MEDICATION</b></p>	<p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p>	<p>Subject to available Savings</p>	
<p><b>SELF-MEDICATION (OVER THE COUNTER MEDICINE) AND PHARMACY ADVISED THERAPY (PAT)</b></p>	<p>100% of Scheme Medicine Reference Price</p>	<p>Subject to available Savings</p>	<p>Covering medicines which a pharmacist is entitled to prescribe and dispense.</p>
<p><b>HOMEOPATHIC MEDICATION</b></p>	<p>Benefits as for prescribed acute/chronic medication</p>	<p>Benefits as for prescribed acute/chronic medication</p>	<p>On doctor's prescription only, and limited to items with NAPPI codes.</p> <p>No self-medication/PAT benefit for homeopathic medicines.</p>

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**REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES**

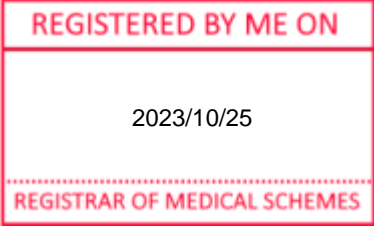
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
<p><b>SPECIALISTS</b></p> <p><b>In hospital consultations, operations and procedures</b></p> <p><b>Out-of-hospital consultations in rooms</b></p> <p><b>Out-of-hospital procedures in rooms</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Subject to available Savings</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation. PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.</p> <p>Benefit includes the cost of vaccination and injection material administered by the Specialist, except where indicated as a specified benefit under Vaccinations and Screening.</p> <p>PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.</p>
<p><b>GENERAL PRACTITIONERS (GPs)</b></p> <p><b>In hospital consultations</b></p> <p><b>In hospital operations and procedures</b></p> <p><b>Out of hospital consultations in rooms</b></p> <p><b>Out of hospital procedures in rooms</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 125% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 125% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p>	<p>Unlimited</p> <p>Unlimited</p> <p>Subject to available Savings</p> <p>Unlimited</p>	<p>In-hospital benefits are subject to pre-authorisation. PMBs limited to 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs, subject to PMB regulations.</p> <div data-bbox="1592 868 1964 1098" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p>Includes the cost of vaccination and injection material administered by the GP, except where indicated as a specified benefit under Vaccinations and Screenings.</p>

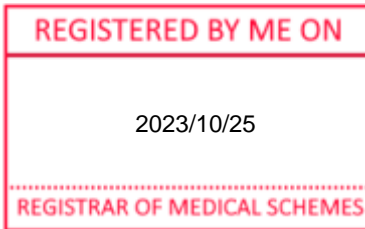
HEALTHCARE SERVICE	BASIS OF COVER	ANNUAL LIMITS	CONDITIONS/REMARKS
<p><b>Post hospital GP consultation within 30 days of discharge from hospital (excluding day cases)</b></p> <p><b>Virtual GP consultation</b></p>	<p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <p>100% of cost for Bankmed Network GPs: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p>	<p>One per authorised admission (excluding day cases)</p> <p>Limited to three consultations pbpa</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>Subject to member and/or beneficiary having a prior consulting relationship with the GP. Verification notes to be submitted by claiming GP.</p>
<p><b>MAXILLO FACIAL AND ORAL SURGERY</b></p> <p><b>Primary Treatment</b> Benefits cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treatment of cysts, tumours and salivary gland conditions including complications.</li> <li>• Intra and extra-oral drainage of abscesses and surgery to infected bone</li> <li>• Treatment of trauma including fractures of jaws and facial structures as well as associated skeletal complications.</li> <li>• Treatment of conditions of the temporo-mandibular (jaw) joint, excluding orthognatic surgery</li> <li>• 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</li> <li>• Surgical extraction and exposure of impacted teeth</li> <li>• Repair of cleft palate, cleft lip and associated soft tissue repair</li> </ul>	<p>100% of cost for Bankmed Prestige A&amp;B Specialist Network: DSPs 100% of Scheme Rate for non-DSPs</p> <div data-bbox="826 831 1200 1059" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div>	<p>Unlimited</p>	<p>Subject to pre-authorisation. Hospital and general anaesthesia costs associated with dental treatment and oral surgery are subject to pre-authorisation and PMB regulations.</p>



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fissure sealant on first and second permanent molar teeth but subject to a maximum of 8 molar teeth per beneficiary per lifetime</li> </ul>		Limited to 8 molar teeth pb per lifetime	
<b>ADVANCED DENTISTRY</b> 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 = R6 520 pbpa M+ = R10 920 pfpa	Once exhausted, subject to available Savings
<b>ORTHODONTICS</b>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP	R10 920 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.
<b>ALL OTHER DENTAL SERVICES</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Second and subsequent examination in the same financial year</li> <li>X-rays</li> <li>Composite restorations/fillings</li> <li>Metal/ceramic and/or resin restorations/inlays</li> <li>Crowns and bridges</li> <li>Bleaching of endodontically treated teeth</li> <li>Periodontal treatment (includes both consultation, non-surgical and surgical procedures)</li> <li>Prosthodontics</li> <li>Complete/partial dentures other than plastic including soft bases</li> <li>Miscellaneous prosthetic procedures e.g. rebases, adjustment and relines</li> <li>Restorative/Prosthodontic phase of implants</li> <li>Oral surgery</li> <li>Other surgical procedures i.e. Biopsy/soft tissue injuries</li> <li>Bite plate for TMJ dysfunction</li> <li>Other general services not classified but included in the Scheme Rate as relevant services</li> </ul>	100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP  <div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p><b>REGISTERED BY ME ON</b></p> <p>2023/10/25</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</b></p> </div>	Subject to available Savings	Placement of ossea-integrated implants is an insured benefit.

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<p><b>OPTOMETRY</b> Subject to the Optometry Benefit Management program and clinical necessity</p> <p><b>Consultations</b></p> <div data-bbox="421 331 788 555" style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">REGISTERED BY ME ON</p> <p style="text-align: center;">2023/10/25</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed red;"/> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">REGISTRAR OF MEDICAL SCHEMES</p> </div> <p><b>Frames and Extras</b></p> <p><b>Prescription Lenses</b> Clear standard / generic - single vision, bifocal or multi-focal lenses</p> <p><b>Readymade Readers</b></p> <p><b>Contact Lenses</b></p> <p><b>Fitting of contact lenses</b></p> <p><b>Other optometric services</b> Refractive surgery/excimer laser treatment, hospitalisation and associated costs</p>	<p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p> <p>100% of cost at a DSP 100% of Scheme Rate at a non-DSP</p>	<p>100% of Scheme Rate</p> <p>Subject to available Savings</p> <p>100% of Scheme Rate</p> <p>Two pairs at R120 a pair, pb every two years paid from available Savings</p> <p>R2 005 pbpa</p> <p>Subject to available Savings</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>Extras subject to pre-authorization and clinical necessity. One frame per beneficiary every 24 months from previous date of service.</p> <p>One pair of standard /generic lenses per beneficiary every 24 months from previous date of service.</p> <p>Readymade readers via optometrists and Pharmacies as an OTC benefit subject to benefit availability</p> <p>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). One contact lens dispensing and/or assessment per beneficiary every 12 months</p> <p>Benefit via a network ophthalmologist. Includes the cost of hospitalisation, medication and all other associated services.</p>

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Sunglasses		No benefit	No benefit for sunglasses / prescription sunglasses / spectacles with a tint > 35%.
<b>CLAIMS FOR SERVICES RENDERED OUTSIDE THE BORDERS OF SOUTH AFRICA</b>  	As per Annexure D	As per Annexure D	<p>Foreign claims covered at the relevant Scheme Rate and/or Rand limit normally allowed for an equivalent non-PMB claim in South Africa.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p>
<b>BENEFIT LIMITS EXHAUSTED/ ABOVE SCHEME RATE PORTIONS OF CLAIMS</b>			<p>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).</p> <p>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.</p>



**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