

# Private Health Information Statement - Hospital policy

## Medibank Corporate Basic Plus Hospital Access

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**Monthly Premium**  
**\$130.15 #**

(before any rebate, loading or discount)

**Covers only one person**  
**Available in Victoria**

# You may be entitled to an Australian Government rebate on the above premium. Your premium may also include a Lifetime Health Cover loading, an age-based discount or an insurer discount. Check with your insurer for details.

This is a corporate policy which is only available to employees/members of organisations with arrangements with this health insurer.

### Hospital cover

This policy exempts you from the Medicare Levy Surcharge.

This policy can only be purchased with certain general treatment policies.

This policy provides accident cover and benefits for travel or accommodation (outside of hospital) - check with your insurer for details.

#### ✓ Covered

For information on what is covered under each category, see <https://privatehealth.gov.au/categories>

#### R Restricted

Restricted categories partially cover your hospital costs as a private patient in a public hospital. You may incur significant expenses in a private room or private hospital.

#### ✗ Not Covered

These categories are not covered by this policy.

This policy **✓ includes** cover for

✓ Dental surgery	✓ Joint reconstructions	R Hospital psychiatric services
✓ Gastrointestinal endoscopy	✓ Miscarriage and termination of pregnancy	R Palliative care
✓ Hernia and appendix	✓ Tonsils, adenoids and grommets	R Rehabilitation

This policy **✗ does not include** cover for

✗ Assisted reproductive services	✗ Digestive system	✗ Male reproductive system
✗ Back, neck and spine	✗ Ear, nose and throat	✗ Pain management
✗ Blood	✗ Eye (not cataracts)	✗ Pain management with device
✗ Bone, joint and muscle	✗ Gynaecology	✗ Plastic and reconstructive surgery (medically necessary)
✗ Brain and nervous system	✗ Heart and vascular system	✗ Podiatric surgery (provided by a registered podiatric surgeon – limited benefits)
✗ Breast surgery (medically necessary)	✗ Implantation of hearing devices	✗ Pregnancy and birth
✗ Cataracts	✗ Insulin pumps	✗ Skin
✗ Chemotherapy, radiotherapy and immunotherapy for cancer	✗ Joint replacements	✗ Sleep studies
✗ Diabetes management (excluding insulin pumps)	✗ Kidney and bladder	✗ Weight loss surgery

The benefits paid for hospital treatment will depend on the type of cover you purchase and whether your fund has an agreement in place with the hospital in which you are treated. See 'Agreement Hospitals' on [privatehealth.gov.au](https://privatehealth.gov.au/dynamic/agreementhospitals) for which hospitals have arrangements with your insurer – <https://privatehealth.gov.au/dynamic/agreementhospitals>.

Under this policy, you may have to pay out-of-pocket costs above what you get from Medicare or your private health insurer. Before you go to hospital, you should ask your doctors, hospital and health insurer about any out-of-pocket costs that may apply to you.

#### The following payments may also apply for hospital admissions

**Excess:** You will have to pay an excess on admission. This is limited to a maximum of \$500 per person per year.

**Co-payments:** No co-payments

#### The following waiting periods for hospital admissions apply to new or upgrading members

##### Waiting periods:

- 2 months for palliative care, rehabilitation and hospital psychiatric treatments, even if pre-existing
- 12 months for other pre-existing conditions
- 2 months for all other treatments

#### Gap Cover

This provider offers '[known gap](#)' or '[no gap](#)' cover for medical bills for this product.

The [Medical Costs Finder](#) lets you find out more about the cost of specialist medical services.

#### Other features of this hospital cover

Includes Accidental Injury Benefit which means any Excluded or Restricted Service will be treated as an Included Service where hospitalisation is required as a result of injuries sustained in an Accident after joining this cover. This policy offers a Private Room Promise at Members' Choice hospitals as well as no excess when having Medibank no gap treatment at contracted hospital. For more information, please see Cover Summary and Member Guide.

#### Ambulance cover

In Victoria this policy provides:

**Emergency:** Unlimited with a waiting period of 1 day.

**Call-out fees:** will be paid for each attendance, including emergency treatment without transport to hospital.

#### Other features of this ambulance cover

Cover for an ambulance when you require immediate professional attention and you need to be transported to hospital or other approved facility and your medical condition is such that you cannot be transported any other way, or where an ambulance is called but transport is not needed. Cover for air ambulance where pre-approval has been obtained from Medibank. In all cases the ambulance provider must be Medibank approved. Please contact Medibank for further details.

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