

# Private Health Information Statement - Combined policy

## Basic Plus Everyday Essentials

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**Monthly Premium**

**\$425.60<sup>#</sup>**

(before any rebate, loading or discount)

Covers 2 adults (and no-one else)

Available in Victoria

Closed to new members

<sup>#</sup> 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.

## Hospital cover

This policy exempts you from the Medicare Levy Surcharge.

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	✓ Tonsils, adenoids and grommets	R Rehabilitation
✓ Hernia and appendix	R Hospital psychiatric services	
✓ Joint reconstructions	R Palliative care	

This policy ✗ does not include cover for

✗ Assisted reproductive services	✗ Ear, nose and throat	✗ Miscarriage and termination of pregnancy
✗ Back, neck and spine	✗ Eye (not cataracts)	✗ Pain management
✗ Blood	✗ Gastrointestinal endoscopy	✗ 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
✗ Dialysis for chronic kidney failure	✗ Lung and chest	
✗ Digestive system	✗ Male reproductive system	

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) 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 of \$500 per 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

This policy only provides full benefits for appendix removal, surgical removal of wisdom teeth, removal of tonsils and adenoids, knee and shoulder reconstructions and investigations and treatment for injuries sustained in an accident after joining this cover

## General Treatment Cover

At Members' Choice extras providers you may get more for your cover. This includes 100% back on a dental check up, scale and clean each year and great optical deals. See <https://www.medibank.com.au/health-insurance/find-provider/#/>.

This policy  includes General treatment (Extras) cover for

Note, for items marked with an asterisk \*: A 12 month waiting period applies to surgical tooth removal. Benefit payable for exercise physiology is \$16.00 for individual consultation and \$10.00 for group consultation.

Treatment	Waiting period (months)	Benefit limits (per 12 months unless otherwise stated)	Examples of maximum benefits
General dental*	2	\$400 per person (combined limit for general dental, major dental & endodontic)	Periodic oral examination - \$22.50 Scale & clean - \$43.60 Fluoride treatment - \$13.00 Surgical tooth extraction - \$93.00
Major dental	12		Full crown veneered - \$400.00
Endodontic	12		Filling of one root canal - \$115.10
Optical	6	\$200 per person	Single vision lenses & frames - 100% of charge Multi-focal lenses & frames - 100% of charge
Physiotherapy	2	\$400 per person (combined limit for physiotherapy, chiropractic, acupuncture, chinese medicine, dietetics/dietary advice, exercise physiology & other services)	Initial visit - \$38.20 Subsequent visit - \$30.50
Chiropractic	2		Initial visit - \$38.20 Subsequent visit - \$26.90
Acupuncture	2		Initial visit - \$31.80 Subsequent visit - \$23.50
Remedial massage	2	\$100 per person	Initial visit - \$37.80 Subsequent visit - \$25.50
Chinese medicine	2	Combined limit - see Physiotherapy	Initial visit - \$16.00 Subsequent visit - \$16.00

Dietetics/dietary advice	2	Combined limit - see Physiotherapy	Initial visit - \$40.90 Subsequent visit - \$25.70
Exercise physiology*	2	Combined limit - see Physiotherapy	Initial visit - \$16.00 Subsequent visit - \$10.00

This policy **X does not include** General treatment (Extras) cover for

<b>X</b> Blood glucose monitors	<b>X</b> Orthodontic	<b>X</b> Other treatments - check with your insurer
<b>X</b> Hearing aids	<b>X</b> Podiatry	
<b>X</b> Non PBS pharmaceuticals	<b>X</b> Psychology	

## 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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