

Private Health Information Statement - Combined policy

Silver Plus Advantage 500 & Base Extras

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Monthly Premium
\$526.14[#]
(before any rebate, loading or discount)

Covers one adult & dependants, including non-student dependants (2 or more people, only one of whom is an adult)

Available in Tasmania
Closed to new members

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 policy covers children, students up to and including the age of 24 and non-students up to and including the age of 24, as well as persons with a disability who qualify as a child, student or non-student in these age ranges.

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>

 **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

 Back, neck and spine	 Eye (not cataracts)	 Miscarriage and termination of pregnancy
 Blood	 Gastrointestinal endoscopy	 Pain management
 Bone, joint and muscle	 Gynaecology	 Pain management with device
 Brain and nervous system	 Heart and vascular system	 Palliative care
 Breast surgery (medically necessary)	 Hernia and appendix	 Plastic and reconstructive surgery (medically necessary)
 Cataracts	 Implantation of hearing devices	 Podiatric surgery (provided by a registered podiatric surgeon – limited benefits)
 Chemotherapy, radiotherapy and immunotherapy for cancer	 Insulin pumps	 Rehabilitation
 Dental surgery	 Joint reconstructions	 Skin
 Diabetes management (excluding insulin pumps)	 Joint replacements	 Tonsils, adenoids and grommets
 Dialysis for chronic kidney failure	 Kidney and bladder	 Hospital psychiatric services
 Digestive system	 Lung and chest	
 Ear, nose and throat	 Male reproductive system	

This policy  does not include cover for

 Assisted reproductive services	 Sleep studies
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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 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 and \$500 per policy per year.

Excess payments do not apply to hospital admissions for dependants.

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

Phoenix Health Hospital Cover features include... *Access Gap – Where your Doctor agrees to participate in our Access Gap Program, you can eliminate or reduce your out-of-pocket costs that you may have otherwise incurred towards your hospital procedure. *Hospital Care Programs – supporting you beyond a hospitalisation, you have access to programs designed to support your health and wellbeing before and after a hospital admission. *Full Ambulance Cover – medically required emergency and non-emergency Ambulance treatment and transport is covered on all of our Hospital Covers, Australia-wide.

General Treatment Cover

This health insurer does not operate a preferred provider scheme.

This policy  **includes** General treatment (Extras) cover for

Treatment	Waiting period (months)	Benefit limits (per 12 months unless otherwise stated)	Examples of maximum benefits
General dental	2	\$500 per person	Periodic oral examination - \$29.20 Scale & clean - \$55.20 Fluoride treatment - \$19.20
Optical	6	\$150 per person	Single vision lenses & frames - 80% of charge Multi-focal lenses & frames - \$80.00
Non PBS pharmaceuticals	2	\$200 per person	Per eligible prescription - \$30.00
Physiotherapy	2	\$250 per person	Initial visit - \$40.00 Subsequent visit - \$29.60
Chiropractic	2	\$250 per person (combined limit for chiropractic & osteopathy)	Initial visit - \$32.00 Subsequent visit - \$24.00
Osteopathy*	2		Initial visit - \$32.00 Subsequent visit - \$24.00

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

✗ Acupuncture	✗ Major dental	✗ Remedial massage
✗ Blood glucose monitors	✗ Orthodontic	✗ Other treatments - check with your insurer
✗ Endodontic	✗ Podiatry	
✗ Hearing aids	✗ Psychology	

Ambulance cover

Ambulance cover is provided by the State government for residents of Tasmania. This may include cover whilst interstate, except for South Australia and Queensland where no cover applies. In other states please check with Ambulance Tasmania - [https://www.health.tas.gov.au/ambulance/fees and accounts](https://www.health.tas.gov.au/ambulance/fees%20and%20accounts).

For further information about this policy see

<https://phoenixhealthfund.com.au/covers-by-life-stage/>

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