Medication Benefits

The Scheme covers members on both Option A and Option B and their dependents for various types of medication, including prescribed, dispensed for acute; or a chronic condition including over the counter medicines.

Prescribed

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A drug or medicine that legally requires a letter or prescription from a medical Practitioner for a pharmacy or any place that dispenses medicine to make it available to the member and or his or her dependents.

Acute

This is medicines that have been issued by the GP but not added to a member's repeat prescription records). For the member to get additional medicines, they require a visit to their GP for a review before it is added onto their repeat prescription.

Dispensed

Dispensing refers to the process of preparing and giving medicine to a named person on the basis of a prescription.

Over-the-counter medicine

This is medicine that may be sold at pharmacies or other shops without a doctor's prescription.

Highlights

Option A

- We have added additional Chronic Medication to cover:
 - Depression, GORD & Gout

Option B

- We have improved the Formulary List (Medication List)
- We have added additional Chronic Medication to cover:
 - Eczema, Depression, GORD, Gout & Menopause

Conditions

- Members will pay 25% co-payment (payment by the member of a portion of the cost incurred) if they use a pharmacy that is not on the Scheme's list of service providers or if they use out-of-formulary medication or medicines that are outside of those recommended by the Scheme.
- To access Chronic medication, your treating doctor will need to call **0860 33 33 87** to register your Chronic Medication.



Medication Benefits

2022 BENEFITS OPTION A





Medication is subject to the Scheme's medicine list (formulary).



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 Over the Counter Limit:
R2 000 per family per year. Included with dispensed or acute medication limit.

Over the Counter Sub Limit: R170 per script beneficiary per claim.

2022 BENEFITS OPTION B

Benefit available **R5 170**, per beneficiary per annum as follows:



Medication is subject to the Scheme's medicine list (formulary).



Over the Counter Limit: • R2 900 per family per year

Included with dispensed or acute medication limit.



Over the Counter Sub Limit: R210 per script beneficiary per claim.

