

MONKEYPOX MEDICINE LIST (FORMULARY)

DISCOVERY HEALTH MEDICAL SCHEME

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Overview

From time to time, there are viruses or diseases that affect world health. Each outbreak is closely monitored by the World Health Organization (WHO) and depending on the severity and spread, can be declared as a global pandemic, or as in the case of monkeypox a Public Health Emergency of International concern.

The WHO Global Outbreak Benefit is available to all members during a declared outbreak period. The benefit provides cover for approved global disease outbreaks recognised by the World Health Organization (WHO) such as COVID-19 and monkeypox. This benefit offers cover for the vaccine (where applicable and in line with national protocols), testing, diagnosis, out-of-hospital management and appropriate supportive treatment.

This document provides information about the medicine list for treatment of monkeypox as part of the WHO Global Outbreak Benefit. For more information about the full treatment basket of care, please refer to www.discovery.co.za under Medical Aid > Manage your health plan > Find important documents and certificates.

About some of the terms we use in this document

There may be some terms we refer to in the document that you may not be familiar with. Here are the meanings of these terms.

| TERMINOLOGY | DESCRIPTION |
|---------------------|---|
| Day-to-day benefits | These are the available funds allocated to the Medical Savings Account (MSA) and Above Threshold Benefit (ATB), where applicable. Depending on the plan you choose, you may have cover for a defined set of day-to-day benefits. The level of day-to-day benefits depends on the plan you choose. |
| NAPPI code | This is a unique identifier for a given medicine, surgical or consumable product. |

Monkeypox medicine list (formulary)

The following table contains the medicine on our list for supportive treatment of confirmed cases of monkeypox. You have full cover for medicine on our medicine list. If your medicine is not on our list, we cover it up to the lowest cost medicine of the same kind on our list.

| NAPPI_6 | PRODUCT NAME | STRENGTH | FORM |
|---------|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| 720577 | Disprin | | Dispersible tablet |
| 758558 | Pyralen | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 704093 | Actamol red (un-boxed) | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 707583 | Paracetamol elixir SAD (alcohol free) | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 792101 | Actamol red (boxed) | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 703820 | Feverpain | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 704450 | Painogesic | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 863742 | Feverpain (boxed) | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 889772 | Painblok (plastic bottle) | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |
| 895199 | Go-pain p | 120mg/5mL | Syrup |

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| NAPPI_6 | PRODUCT NAME | STRENGTH | FORM |
|---------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|
| 704465 | Painogesic | 500mg | Tablet |
| 745723 | Adco-napamol | 500mg | Tablet |
| 805467 | Antalgic | 500mg | Tablet |
| 757403 | Adco-prolief | 500mg | Tablet |
| 745707 | Adco-napacod 500mg/10mg | | Tablet |
| 707910 | Painamol plus | | Tablet |
| 713688 | Varipan co 8mg/500mg | | Tablet |
| 719662 | Cogesic | | Tablet |
| 787043 | Codorol | | Tablet |
| 892662 | Nucopain | | Tablet |
| 809055 | Adco-salterpyn | | Tablet |
| 823538 | Go-pain | | Tablet |
| 834440 | Spectrapain forte | | Tablet |
| 786012 | Mylan diclofenac | 25mg | Tablet |
| 893390 | A-lennon diclofenac | 25mg | Tablet |
| 718479 | Diclofenac biotech | 25mg | Tablet |
| 893391 | A-lennon diclofenac | 50mg | Tablet |
| 786020 | Mylan diclofenac | 50mg | Tablet |
| 788597 | Adco-diclofenac | 50mg | Tablet |
| 752398 | Panamor at | 50mg | Tablet |
| 787833 | Betacin | 25mg | Capsule |
| 868213 | Gulf indomethacin | 25mg | Capsule |
| 701891 | Amdocin | 25mg | Capsule |
| 700315 | Ibucine (was Ibumax) | 100mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 704781 | Ibugesic | 100mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 721335 | Inflamax Paediatric | 100mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 700316 | Ibucine (was Ibumax) | 200mg | Tablet |

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|---------|----------------------|----------|------------|
| 787426 | Betaprofen | 200mg | Tablet |
| 708536 | Ibusor | 200mg | Tablet |
| 868221 | Ibunate | 200mg | Tablet |
| 701975 | Betaprofen fc | 400mg | Tablet |
| 708290 | Bren | 400mg | Tablet |
| 700318 | Ibucine (was Ibumax) | 400mg | Tablet |
| 701654 | Ranfen | 400mg | Tablet |
| 875643 | Adco-mefenamic acid | 50mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 797014 | Fenamin | 50mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 756156 | Ponstan | 50mg/5mL | Suspension |
| 793264 | Ponac | 50mg/5mL | Suspension |

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Go to www.discovery.co.za to Get Help or ask a question on WhatsApp. Save this number 0860 756 756 on your phone and say "Hi" to start chatting with us 24/7.

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Complaints process

Discovery Health Medical Scheme is committed to providing you with the highest standard of service and your feedback is important to us. The following channels are available for your complaints and we encourage you to follow the process:

1 | STEP 1 – TO TAKE YOUR QUERY FURTHER:

If you have already contacted the Discovery Health Medical Scheme and feel that your query has still not been resolved, please complete our online complaints form on www.discovery.co.za. We would also love to hear from you if we have exceeded your expectations.

2 | STEP 2 – TO CONTACT THE PRINCIPAL OFFICER:

If you are still not satisfied with the resolution of your complaint after following the process in Step 1 you are able to escalate your complaint to the Principal Officer of the Discovery Health Medical Scheme. You may lodge a query or complaint with Discovery Health Medical Scheme by completing the online form on www.discovery.co.za or by emailing principalofficer@discovery.co.za.

3 | STEP 3 – TO LODGE A DISPUTE:

If you have received a final decision from Discovery Health Medical Scheme and want to challenge it, you may lodge a formal dispute. You can find more information of the Scheme's dispute process on the website.

4 | STEP 4 – TO CONTACT THE COUNCIL FOR MEDICAL SCHEMES:

Discovery Health Medical Scheme is regulated by the Council for Medical Schemes. You may contact the Council at any stage of the complaints process, but we encourage you to first follow the steps above to resolve your complaint before contacting the Council. Contact details for the Council for Medical Schemes: Council for Medical Schemes Complaints Unit, Block A, Eco Glades 2 Office Park, 420 Witch-Hazel Avenue, Eco Park, Centurion 0157 | complaints@medicalschemes.co.za | 0861 123 267 | www.medicalschemes.co.za

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