

BASIC PLUS

Great for young people who aren't thinking about kids, but who want more cover, like major dental.



cover for singles and couples

EXTRAS BENEFITS

PAID AS 65% OF THE COST TO YOU UP TO THE ANNUAL LIMIT.

Hospital

INCLUSIONS examples of services covered

- ✓ Immediate treatment after an accident (see page 10 of the nib Using Your Health Cover brochure for more information)
- ✓ Removal of teeth (including wisdom teeth)
- ✓ Knee, hip & shoulder investigations
- ✓ Knee & shoulder surgery (e.g. cartilage repair)
- ✓ Removal of tonsils
- ✓ Removal of appendix
- ✓ Hernia surgery
- ✓ Digestive disorders (e.g. stomach ulcers)
- ✓ Colonoscopies & bowel surgery
- ✓ Kidney stone & gall stone removal
- ✓ Minor eye surgery (e.g. squints, pterygiums)
- ✓ Ambulance cover (see page 27 of the nib Choosing Your Health Cover brochure for more information)

EXCLUSIONS the services not covered

- ✗ Major eye surgery (e.g. cataracts)
- ✗ Major joint replacement (e.g. artificial knee/hip)
- ✗ Gastric banding & obesity surgery
- ✗ Renal dialysis
- ✗ Cosmetic surgery (to enhance appearance)
- ✗ Antenatal services performed by a midwife or physio in a public & private hospital
- ✗ Spinal fusion surgery

Restrictions apply

The following services are limited to Public Hospital Benefits (details see page 45) • Pregnancy & birth related services • Assisted reproductive services (e.g. IVF) • Infertility investigations • Heart surgery (e.g. stents, open heart surgery) • Rehabilitation programs • Psychiatric conditions (e.g. depression, eating disorders, drug & alcohol rehabilitation)

Hospital Excess Options



\$250 per admission
(capped at \$500 for singles/ \$1000 for couples per calendar year)



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Extras benefits

You get 65% of the cost back	Annual Limit (per person per calendar year)	Waiting Period
General dental e.g. oral examination, scale and clean, fillings, basic extractions.	\$500	2 months
Major dental e.g. root canal therapy, gum disease, crowns & bridges, dentures, oral surgery.	\$600	12 months
Orthodontia e.g. braces (increasing by \$100 per calendar year to a lifetime limit of \$1,000)	\$200	12 months
Optical e.g. braces (increasing by \$100 per calendar year to a lifetime limit of \$1,000)	\$250	6 months
Physiotherapy/Exercise physiology/Chiropractic/Osteopathy	\$350	2 months
Natural therapies (consultations only) Including acupuncture, herbalism, naturopathy, homeopathy, dietary, remedial massage, myotherapy, bowen therapy & shiatsu.	\$200	2 months
Pharmaceutical prescriptions Benefits paid once the maximum PBS charge has been deducted. Benefits do not apply to prescriptions dispensed to hospital inpatients.	\$200	2 months
Psychology No benefits for tests, assessments or couple/group sessions or if a benefit has already been claimed through Medicare.	\$200	2 months
Healthier lifestyle nib approved weight management, quit smoking and health management programs, first aid courses, preventative health tests.	\$150	6 months

This fact sheet must be read in conjunction with the **nib Using Your Health Cover Guide**.

Please note: Hospital services shown are examples only and intended to be used as a guide. Some procedures, drugs, surgical items and other items may not be covered by nib. Always check with nib as soon as you learn you need to go to hospital. We'll confirm if you are covered and let you know the best ways to reduce potential out-of-pocket expenses. Information is correct as at June 2012.

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