

## Private Health Information Statement - Hospital policy

### Corporate Starter Bronze Hospital Plus \$500 (Single)

#### GU Health

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 1800 249 966

#### Monthly Premium

**\$152.92<sup>#</sup>**

(before any rebate, loading or discount)

Covers only one person  
 Available in Tasmania

<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 or an insurer discount. Check with your insurer for details.

Employees/Members of organisations with arrangements with this health insurer

### Hospital cover

This policy exempts you from the Medicare Levy Surcharge.

This policy provides accident cover - check with your insurer for details.

This policy does not provide benefits for travel or accommodation (outside of hospital).

#### ✓ 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

✓ Blood	✓ Ear, nose and throat	✓ Male reproductive system
✓ Bone, joint and muscle	✓ Eye (not cataracts)	✓ Miscarriage and termination of pregnancy
✓ Brain and nervous system	✓ Gastrointestinal endoscopy	✓ Pain management
✓ Breast surgery (medically necessary)	✓ Gynaecology	✓ Skin
✓ Chemotherapy, radiotherapy and immunotherapy for cancer	✓ Hernia and appendix	✓ Tonsils, adenoids and grommets
✓ Dental surgery	✓ Joint reconstructions	R Hospital psychiatric services
✓ Diabetes management (excluding insulin pumps)	✓ Kidney and bladder	R Palliative care
✓ Digestive system	✓ Lung and chest	R Rehabilitation

This policy ✗ does not include cover for

✗ Assisted reproductive services	✗ Implantation of hearing devices	✗ Podiatric surgery (provided by a registered podiatric surgeon – limited benefits)
✗ Back, neck and spine	✗ Insulin pumps	✗ Pregnancy and birth
✗ Cataracts	✗ Joint replacements	✗ Sleep studies
✗ Dialysis for chronic kidney failure	✗ Pain management with device	✗ Weight loss surgery
✗ Heart and vascular system	✗ Plastic and reconstructive surgery (medically necessary)	

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](http://privatehealth.gov.au) for

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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.

**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
- 12 months for pregnancy and birth (obstetrics)
- 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 product covers In-Hospital Carer Benefit: 100% of cost up to \$400 per person per membership year and Home Support Services and Programs.

[For further information about this policy see](#)

<http://www.guhealth.com.au>

[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_and_accounts).

[For further information about this policy see](#)

<https://www.guhealth.com.au/forms-and-publications/fact-sheets>

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