Private Health Information Statement - Hospital policy

Suncorp Health Insurance Silver Advantage Hospital Plus \$500 Excess

Suncorp Health Insurance

https://www.suncorp.com.au/health 13 11 55 Underwritten by nib Health Funds Ltd. Monthly Premium \$503.80 [#] (before any rebate, loading or discount) Covers two adults & dependants (3 or more people, only 2 of whom are adults) Available in NSW & ACT

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 and other dependants up to and including the age of 20, students up to and including the age of 31, as well as persons with a disability who qualify as a child or other dependant or student in these age ranges.

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.

X Not Covered

These categories are not covered by this policy.

This policy **✓** includes cover for

✓ Back, neck and spine	✓ Eye (not cataracts)	\checkmark 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	✓ Sleep studies
\checkmark Dialysis for chronic kidney failure	\checkmark Kidney and bladder	\checkmark Tonsils, adenoids and grommets
✓ Digestive system	✓ Lung and chest	R Hospital psychiatric services
✓ Ear, nose and throat	✓ Male reproductive system	

This policy **X** does not include cover for

X Assisted reproductive services

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X Pregnancy and birth
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X Weight loss surgery

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 – <u>https://privatehealth.gov.au/dynamic/agreementhospitals</u>.

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 \$1000 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 does not offer any 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

We do not have a preferred-provider-network-arrangement, but operate a MediGap scheme aiming to eliminate the 'gap' payments for specialist fees in hospital. When a specialist chooses to participate in MediGap, they agree not to charge an out-of-pocket expense for your procedure. We do this by building a network of specialists who may agree to receive a higher benefit from us than they would ordinarily receive. In exchange they do not charge you an out-of-pocket expense. Ask your specialist if they'll MediGap for you!

For further information about this policy see https://my.nib.com.au/product-collateral/122

Ambulance cover

In NSW & ACT this policy provides:

Emergency: Unlimited with a waiting period of 1 day.

Call-out fees: will be paid for each attendance, including emergency treatment without transport to hospital.

Other features of this ambulance cover

All our health covers include unlimited emergency ambulance (1 day waiting period on all emergency ambulance). Emergency ambulance is when you need immediate transport by a State or Territory ambulance to get to a hospital or other facility for urgent medical treatment. No annual limits for emergency ambulance apply.

For further information about this policy see <u>https://my.nib.com.au/product-collateral/122</u>

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