

# proMediCare

Please read this insurance policy carefully to ensure that you understand the terms and conditions and that this policy meets your requirements. If there are any changes that may affect the insurance cover provided, please notify us immediately.



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## Cover

In consideration of the payment of the premiums, the Company agrees to indemnify or compensate the Insured, details of which are set out in the Proposal Form and Policy Schedule, in the manner and extent of the Schedule of Benefits selected for hospital and surgical expenses in respect of illnesses or injuries incurred during the Period of Insurance.

The Policy Schedule, Conditions, Exclusions and Endorsements and Memoranda shall be read together as one contract and any word or expression to which a specific meaning has been attached in any part shall bear the same meaning wherever it appears.

The Proposal made to the Company by the in connection with this insurance shall be the basis of and shall form part of this contract.

## Geographical Cover

The benefits of the Policy (Scheme) are worldwide, 24 hours.

## Policy Period

Insurance shall commence from the date specified on the Policy Schedule.

The Plan is an annual contract, renewable each year on the due date, subject to the option and renewal terms offered by the Company.

## Eligible Persons

Persons eligible to be covered in the Scheme are:

- a) Insured and legal spouse below 65 years old
- b) Children (unmarried and unemployed) between 15 days old and below 18th birthday

## Additions of Covered Persons

Family members of the Insured who are eligible to be covered shall from time to time be included into the policy if

- a) the Insured requests such inclusion
- b) upon evidence of insurability satisfactory to the terms and standards of acceptability by the Company
- c) payment of required premium

## Successor Insured

If the Insured dies while the Policy is in force, the Insured's spouse who is a Covered Person shall automatically become the Insured and all future references to the Insured shall thereafter mean the spouse.



## Definitions

Term	Meaning
1. Accident	An event of violent, accidental, external and visible nature which shall independently of any other cause be the sole cause of bodily injury
2. Dependants	The insured employee's legal spouse aged under 65 and all unmarried and unemployed children who are aged between 15 days old and below 18th birthday. For those in full-time tertiary institutions, the age limit will be extended to their 24th birthday.
3. Hospital	An establishment duly constituted and registered as a hospital for the care and treatment of sick and injured persons, as bed-paying patients, and which <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) has facilities for diagnosis and major surgery</li> <li>b) provides 24 hours a day nursing services by registered graduate nurses</li> <li>c) is under the supervision of a physician, and</li> <li>d) is not primarily a nature cure clinic, a place for alcoholics or drugs addicts, a nursing, rest or convalescent home or similar establishment, or home for the aged</li> </ul>
4. Illness	A physical condition, marked by a pathological deviation from the normal healthy state
5. Injury	Bodily injury caused by force or violent, external and visible means
6. Maximum Each Injury or Illness	All claims arising from the same cause including any and all complications therefrom except that if the employee or dependent completely recovers after a period of 14 clear days continuously following the latest discharge from hospital any subsequent treatment shall be considered a new injury or illness
7. Physician/Surgeon	A person qualified by degree in Western Medicine and legally licensed and duly qualified to practice medicine and surgery authorised in the geographical area of his practice
8. Physician's Visit	A physician's visit to the hospital bedside of an Insured Person for treatment of a non-surgical disability
9. Pre-Existing Illness	Any condition which existed or have developed symptoms or there exist manifestation of illness or medical treatment have been sought on drugs and medicine have been prescribed before the effective date of cover in respect of any Insured Person of which the Insured Person was aware or should reasonably have been aware or based on normal medically accepted physical or pathological development of the illness or illnesses



Term	Meaning
<b>10. Surgical Fees</b>	All of the fees payable to Surgeon(s) for the operations performed including the surgeon's visits to the patient, pre- surgical assessment and normal post-surgical care up to a maximum of 91 days from the date of operation or discharge from hospital
<b>11. Waiting Period</b>	The duration of time between the beginning of an insured person's disability and the commencement of the insurance, and is applied only when the person is first insured. This shall not be applicable after the first year of insurance



## 1. Description of Benefits

### a) Hospital Room and Board

charges for room and board accommodation inclusive of meals and general nursing services for each day of confinement as a patient in the hospital

### b) Intensive Care Unit

payable when necessitated by an intensive care phase of critical illness or injury subject to a maximum of 20 continuous days per any one disability. The number of days for which charges incurred are payable in respect of daily room and board and ward charges for intensive care unit shall not in the aggregate exceed the maximum number of days provided under hospital room and board benefits

### c) Hospital Miscellaneous Services

hospital charges for operating room x-ray examinations medicines dressings ordinary splints and plaster casts electrocardiograms basal metabolism tests laboratory tests intravenous infusions blood transfusions physiotherapy and other customary services rendered or supplied during the confinement period

### d) Surgical Fees

fees actually charged for the operation by the surgeon including the surgeon's hospital visit to the patient and post-operative care up to a maximum of 91 days from the date of operation. The maximum level payable as benefit is assessed according to the amount provided by the chosen Plan in relation to the Schedule of Surgical Benefits, depending on the nature of operation performed. Day surgery is also subject to the usual interpretation.

If two or more procedures are performed through a single incision, reimbursement for

charges for all such procedures shall not exceed the amount specified for the one surgical procedure performed for which the largest amount is payable.

If surgery for a disability is performed in various stages over a period of time, then all surgical fees charged in the various stages will be aggregated in computing the maximum amount payable under the Schedule of Surgical Benefits.

Eligible surgical fees below S\$500 are covered in full.

### e) Anaesthetist Fees

charges will be reimbursed at up to 25% of the surgical reimbursement. Eligible anaesthetist fees of less than S\$75 are covered in full

### f) Diagnostic Services

charges for specialist's opinion or advice or for diagnostic x-rays and laboratory examinations or tests which are recommended by a licensed physician because of illness or injury incurred within 91 days prior to hospital confinement or surgical operation. Payment will not be made for clinical treatments (including medications and subsequent consultations after an illness is diagnosed), or if the insured employee or dependant is not subsequently hospitalised or surgically treated after such consultations or examinations

### g) In-Hospital Physician's Visits

fees charged by the physician for treatment or visits made to a patient, for whom a full day's room charge is made by the hospital for non-surgical treatment

### h) Post-Hospitalisation Treatment

expenses for follow-up treatment of the specific medical condition for which the



Insured Person received in-hospital treatment by the same physician up to a period of 91 days immediately following discharge from hospital

**i) Emergency Outpatient Accidental Treatment**

charges for services and medical supplies provided by the hospital or clinic for emergency treatment of an injury as a result of an accident and received as an outpatient within 24 hours after the accident. When such emergency treatment for an injury is obtained from Registered Chinese bone-setter, charges up to S\$250 are covered. Eligible expenses incurred thereafter for follow-up treatment by the same medical practitioner, will be reimbursed up to 31 days from the date of the accident

**j) Ambulance Fees**

charges for ambulance services (inclusive of charges for attending medical personnel) to and/or from the hospital. Payment will not be made if the insured employee or dependent is not hospitalised

**k) Mobility Aids**

The following items and their accessories if prescribed by a physician for a disability: crutches, canes, walkers, manual wheelchairs.

All these should be necessary to assist the Insured Person following discharged from the Hospital up to the maximum amount as specified in the Schedule of Benefits

## 2. Exclusions

The following treatments directly or indirectly, conditions, activities, items, and their related expenses and any complications relating thereto are excluded from this insurance and the Company shall not be liable for:

- a)** pre-existing illness or injuries contracted before the inception date of this Policy
- b)** illnesses which commence within a period of 30 days, except for accidental injuries (this waiting period is applied the first time the person is insured)
- c)** charges which are not for actual, necessary and reasonable expenses incurred in the treatment of the illness or injury
- d)** outpatient treatment not related to in-patient treatment or day surgery, except as a result of an accident
- e)** costs resulting from abuse of drugs or alcohol, self-inflicted injuries, criminal act of the Insured Person and sexually transmitted diseases, or treatment which in anyway arises from, is attributable to, or is consequential upon Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), AIDS related Complex Syndrome (ARCS) and all diseases caused by and/or related to the virus HIV positive, and any communicable diseases requiring isolation or quarantine by law
- f)** treatment for injuries or diseases arising from or consequent upon war (whether declared or undeclared), riot, civil commotion, civil war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities, rebellion, mutiny, revolution, insurrection or military or usurped power confiscation or nationalisation by or under the order of any government or public or local authority nuclear energy (nuclear reactions radiation contamination) illegal act and full-time service in any of the uniform groups except reservist duty or training
- g)** routine medical examination (including vaccinations, the issue of medical certificates and attestations), routine eye and ear examinations, refractive errors of the



eyes, cosmetic or plastic surgery and the provision of appliances including spectacles, special braces, hearing aids, lenses, wheelchairs and any prosthetic devices

- h)** dental care and treatment (including oral surgeries) except emergency treatment to sound natural teeth damaged during an accident
- i)** pregnancy including childbirth, caesarean operation, abortion, ectopic pregnancy, hydatidiform mole, miscarriage (except as a result of an accident), treatments against infertility, sterilisation and contraception
- j)** treatments relating to birth defects, congenital abnormalities and hereditary conditions
- k)** charges for private nursing, consultation with a general practitioner, routine health checks, precautionary services, acupuncture and inoculation and charges for telephone, television, newspapers and other ineligible non- medical items whilst as an in-patient
- l)** services or treatment of any institution that is mainly long-term care facility like convalescent and nursing homes, nature cure clinics, spa, hydro-clinic or sanatorium and establishments that provides only incidental or limited hospital services
- m)** treatments arising from any geriatric, psycho-geriatric, psychiatric conditions or physiotherapy
- n)** acquisition of any organ itself and all expenses incurred by the donor
- o)** treatment by a family member
- p)** treatment that is not scientifically/medically recognised

- q)** expenses recoverable from a third party, including Workmen's Compensation Insurance or Social Security Organisation

- r)** treatment for obesity, weight reduction and weight improvement

### **Sanction Limitation and Exclusion Clause**

This Policy shall not be deemed to provide any cover or benefit, or pay any claim, to the extent that the provision of such cover or benefit or payment of such claim would expose the Company to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under the United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom, United States of America or any jurisdiction applicable to the Company.

### **3. Termination of Cover**

Cover ceases for the insured persons:

- a)** on the date of termination of the policy
- b)** on the renewal date of this Policy next occurring after an insured person ceases to be eligible as defined herein

The liability of this policy shall cease on the last day of the cover for the insured person or dependent.

### **4. Cancellation**

This policy may be cancelled by either the Company or the Insured by giving 30 days' notice in writing. No premium will be refunded if claims have already been made by the Insured.



Pro-rata refund of premium will be made to the Insured if the policy is cancelled by the Company during its currency.

Cancellation shall be without prejudice to any claim originating prior to the effective date of cancellation.

If the Insured terminates the policy, the premium charged will be based on the following:

Period of Cover	Premium Charged
1 month	3 months rate
2 months	4 months rate
3 months	6 months rate
4 & 5 months	7 months rate
6 & 7 months	9 months rate
8 months	1 full year premium

### Premium Payment

This policy is deemed to have lapsed automatically if no premium is received within 30 days from the commencement or renewal date of the policy. Notwithstanding the termination of the policy, the Insured shall be liable for the payment of all premiums due while the policy has been in force including the grace period.

### Notice and Proof of Claim

Written notice of claim must be given to the Company within 31 days after occurrence of any hospitalisation or surgery covered by the Scheme.

The Company upon receipt of such notice shall furnish the Insured such forms as are usually required for the filing of proof of illness or injury. Affirmative proof of illness or injury must be submitted to the Company at the expense of the Claimant.

### Currency Exchange Rates

In the event of hospitalisation outside Singapore, bills rendered in terms of currency other than Singapore dollars, will be converted to the currency of Singapore dollars on the basis of quoted exchange rate (open market rate if a free market, official rate if not a free market) in effect on the date of discharge from hospital of the Claimant.

### Other Insurance

If an employee or dependant included in this Scheme carries other insurance covering injury or illness that is also covered by this policy, the Claimant must inform the Company of such duplicate cover at the time of claiming. The total benefit payable for each claim, for which more than one insurance policy is applicable, shall not exceed the total of eligible expenses incurred.

### Legal Proceedings

The parties hereto agree that the Laws of Singapore shall govern and control in the event of any conflict or dispute between the parties with regard to the Plan and that the parties submit themselves to the exclusive venue and jurisdiction of the courts of Singapore for the resolution of any conflict or dispute.

### Alterations

No alteration to this Policy shall be valid unless authorised and endorsed by the Company.

### Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 2001

A person who is not a party to this Policy Contract shall have no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 2001 to enforce any of its terms.

### Non-Guaranteed Premium

Premiums payable for this coverage are not guaranteed and may be revised at policy renewal at the full discretion of the Company.

### Change of Occupations/Country of Residence



In the event of a change in occupation/country of residence of the Insured, the Insured shall notify the Company in writing of the new occupation/country of residence. The Company shall increase or reduce the premium rates according to the risk classification for the new occupation/country of residence.

### Right to Return Policy

In the event that the Insured is not satisfied with the Policy for any reason, it may be returned to the Company for cancellation within fourteen days of receipt and

- a) any premium paid or billed will be refunded in full
- b) this Policy is deemed to be voided from inception and
- c) the Company shall not be liable for any claims occurring prior to the return of the Policy

This condition shall however only apply to policies issued in the name of the Insured Person. This Policy document is deemed to have been received by the Insured 3 days after the Company has dispatched it.

### Premium Warranty Clause

Notwithstanding anything herein contained to the contrary and subject only and without prejudice to Clause 2 hereinafter set out it is hereby declared and agreed that it is a condition precedent to liability under this Policy, Renewal Certificate Endorsement or Cover Note that any premium due must be paid and actually received in full by the Company, the registered broker or registered agent through whom this policy was effected

- a) When the period of insurance is 60 days or more within SIXTY (60) days from the
  - i) INCEPTION date of the coverage under the Policy Renewal Certificate or Cover Note or

- ii) EFFECTIVE date of the coverage stated on each Endorsement if any issued under the Policy Renewal Certificate or Cover Note when the effective date of coverage stated on the Endorsement is on or after the issuance date of the Endorsement or

- iii) ISSUANCE date of each Endorsement if any issued under the Policy Renewal Certificate or Cover Note where the effective date of coverage under the Endorsement is before the issuance date

OR

- b) where the total premium under any single Policy exceeds S\$50,000 and the Company has allowed payment of that premium by instalments within SIXTY (60) days from the

- i) INCEPTION date of the cover under the Policy Renewal Certificate or Cover Note for the first instalment and thereafter from the agreed dates on which the subsequent instalments become payable and

- ii) EFFECTIVE date of coverage of any Endorsement issued under such Policy for the first instalment and thereafter from the agreed dates on which the subsequent instalments become payable

OR

- c) when the period of insurance is LESS than SIXTY (60) days, within the period of insurance specified in the Policy Endorsement Renewal Certificate or Cover Note

In the event any of the abovementioned premium is not paid in full to the company, registered broker or registered agent as described above in



the manner and within the time stipulated above (the premium warranty period) the cover under this Policy Renewal Endorsement or Cover note shall be deemed to have terminated from the expiry of the premium warranty period and the company shall be discharged from all liability therefrom but without prejudice to any liability incurred before that date and the company will be entitled to a pro-rata time on risk premium subject to a minimum of S\$25.

Coverage for your policy is automatic and no further action is required from you. For more information on the types of benefits that are covered under the scheme as well as the limits of coverage, where applicable, please contact us ([servicecenter@libertyinsurance.com.sg](mailto:servicecenter@libertyinsurance.com.sg)) or visit the GIA/LIA or SDIC web-sites ([www.gia.org.sg](http://www.gia.org.sg) or [www.lia.org.sg](http://www.lia.org.sg) or [www.sdic.org.sg](http://www.sdic.org.sg)).

### **Policy Owners' Protection Scheme**

This policy is protected under the Policy Owners' Protection Scheme which is administered by the Singapore Deposit Insurance Corporation (SDIC).



## Schedule of Surgical Benefits

The limits for any surgical procedure will be determined by the amounts shown herein. If the operation is not shown in this table, the Company reserves the right to determine the limit for such operation which is consistent with the amounts listed herein; taking into account the nature and complexity of the procedure involved and the policy exclusions and/or other restrictions applicable.

Description of Surgical Benefits	Surg %
<b>1. Abdomen</b>	
• Appendectomy	50
• Biopsy of pancreas	45
• Cholecystotomy, drainage or removal of calculus/gall stones	60
• Cholecystotomy , removal of gall bladder	65
• Colon resection, partial with or without colostomy	50
• Colon resection, total	100
• Gastric or duodenal ulcer, perforation, closure of	75
• Gastro-enterostomy/Gastro jejunostomy	75
• Gastroscopy and/or duodenoscopy, diagnostic	15
• Gastroscopy and/or duodenoscopy, operative	30
• Gastrostomy (opening into the stomach/with exploration or foreign body removal)	60
• Gut, resection of	100
• Gastrectomy, total or partial resection of stomach	100
• Hepatectomy (resection of liver) partial lobectomy	75
• Intestinal obstruction, acute	100
• Laparotomy, exploratory	55
• Liver Biopsy	20
• Pancreatectomy, total or sub-total	75
• Splenectomy, removal of spleen	65
<b>2. Abscess</b>	
Incision and drainage of abscess, boil, furuncle or carbuncles; one or more	
• Simple, not requiring hospitalisation	5%
• Requiring hospitalisation	20%
<b>3. Amputation of</b>	
• Arm, upper, forearm, entire hand or foot	55
• Fingers, thumbs or toes; primary or secondary, any joint or phalanx, single, including neurectomies with direct closure	20
• Hip joints	100
• Leg, through tibia and fibula	55
• Shoulder joint or blade (interscapula-thoracic)	100
• Thigh, between hip and knee	75
• Wrist, distal to metacarpals	30
<b>4. Breasts</b>	
• Biopsy of breasts, incisional	20



Description of Surgical Benefits	Surg %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Excision of cyst, fibro-adenoma or other benign tumour, aberrant breast tissue, duct lesion or nipple lesions</li> </ul>	25
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mastectomy, simple</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mastectomy, radical, including breast, pectoral muscles and axillary lymph nodes, unilateral</li> </ul>	75
<b>5. Chest</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Artificial pneumothorax, induction of Initial</li> </ul>	12
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refills, each but not more than six</li> </ul>	5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bronchoscopy, diagnostic, rigid bronchoscope</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bronchoscopy, operative, excluding biopsy</li> </ul>	30
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cardiomyolysis (removal of portion of chest walls)</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cardiac heart, requiring sutures of wall/repair with bypass</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intrathoracic or intra- abdominal aneurysm</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lobectomy, total or sub- total/segmental</li> </ul>	90
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hepatectomy partial Lobectomy, wedge resection or enucleation of lesion, single or multiple</li> </ul>	75
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lung, complete removal or portion of</li> </ul>	90
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pericardium, opening and draining</li> </ul>	75
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pneumonectomy, total</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thoracoplasty, complete</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thoracotomy, complete</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thoracotomy, removal of pus, tapping excepted</li> </ul>	12
<b>6. Circulatory System</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intra-abdominal aortic aneurysm (circumscribed dilation of aorta/with or without ilea-femoral)</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intrathoracic aortic aneurysm-transverse arch graft</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transvenous placement of endocardial pacemaker</li> </ul>	30
<b>7. Dislocations and Joints</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ankle dislocation closed or open, reduction</li> </ul>	60
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Arthroscopy</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hip dislocation, closed or open, reduction</li> </ul>	65
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Knee dislocation, open with uncomplicated soft tissue closure, manipulative reduction</li> </ul>	40
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shoulder dislocation, open with uncomplicated soft tissue closure, manipulative reduction</li> </ul>	30
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tarsal bone dislocation, closed or open reduction with or without skeletal fixation</li> </ul>	35
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wrist dislocation, closed or open reduction</li> </ul>	35
<b>8. Ear</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ear operation for epithelioma of</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fenestration, one or both sides</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mastoidectomy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>single</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	50



Description of Surgical Benefits	Surg %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ radical</li> <li>• Myringoplasty</li> <li>• Myringotomy for otitis media</li> <li>• Removal of adenoids alone</li> <li>• Removal of aural polypi</li> <li>• Stapes, mobilisation</li> <li>• Tympanoplasty, with mastoidectomy</li> <li>• Tympanoplasty, with ossicular chain reconstruction</li> </ul>	80 65 15 10 5 60 100 100
<b>9. Oesophagus</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Esophagoscopy</li> <li>• Oesophagus, operation for stricture</li> <li>• Oesophagus, resection of</li> </ul>	20 37.5 100
<b>10. Excision or Fixation by Cutting</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ankle dislocation, closed or open, reduction</li> <li>• Bone, removal of, diseased position of femur, tibia, humerus or fibula</li> <li>• Hip joint, shoulder or spine</li> <li>• Lesser bones</li> <li>• Synovectomies of ankle and toes</li> </ul>	50 40 75 20 40
<b>11. Eye</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cataract, removal of</li> <li>• Detached retina, operation of</li> <li>• Eyeball, removal of</li> <li>• Foreign body, removal of, from cornea</li> <li>• Glaucoma or trauma</li> <li>• Pterygium, excision or transposition or removal of</li> <li>• Style or chalazion, incision of</li> </ul>	60 75 45 5 45 15 7%
<b>12. Fractures, Treatment of</b>	
Simple, closed reduction:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lower jaw or patella</li> <li>• Radius &amp; ulna</li> <li>• Shoulder, knee</li> <li>• Thoracic or lumbar spine (closed or open)</li> <li>• Tibia and Fibula</li> <li>• Wrist</li> <li>• Compound fracture - the limit is twice the amount closed reduction subject to a max of 100% Hallux Valgus (Bunion), operation for <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Single</li> <li>○ Bilateral</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Menisectomy (removal of semilunar cartilage of knee)</li> <li>• Osteomyelitis of long bones <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Acute</li> <li>○ Chronic</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Release of carpal tunnel</li> </ul>	15 20 50 95 20 15  25 50 50  75 60 30



Description of Surgical Benefits	Surg %
<b>13. Genito – Urinary Tract</b>	
• Cystorrhaphy: suture of bladder wound, injury or rupture, simple Bladder,	60
○ removal of growths by abdominal surgery	60
○ removal of growths by diathermy	40
○ removal of stone	75
• Circumcision, surgical excision other than clamp or dorsal slit, except newborn	15
• Curettage or cauterisation of cervix, non-puerperal	12.5
• Cystectomy - with ureteroileal conduit or sigmoid with bilateral growth or tuberculosis of	100
○ open testicular biopsy	5
○ open testicular biopsy	10
• Transurethral resection of prostate	10
• Endoscopic means – partial removal	75
• Ureter, removal of stone	30
• Urethra, Stricture of, open operation	85
• Intra-Urethral cutting operation	30
• Varicocele, epididymectomy	
○ Excision of Single	25
○ Bilateral	35
<b>14. Goitre</b>	
• Hemithyroidectomy	40
• Lymphatic glands	
○ Removal of malignant tumours of	100
○ Removal of tumours for diagnosis or adenoma of thyroid	50
• Thyroidectomy	
○ Sub-total	50
<b>15. Hernia</b>	
• Herniorrhaphy	35
• Herniotomy	50
• Strangulated hernia	75
• Cystoscopy – Diagnostic	5
• With minor endoscopic procedure (e.g. biopsy)	10
• Dilation and curettage, non-puerperal	25
• Exploration for undescended testis unilateral	40
• Evacuation of foreign bodies from the bladder	25
• Hydrocele, radical care of	30
• Hysterectomy, radical for cancer	65
• With complete removal of tubes and ovaries	75
• With or without appendectomy	65
• Kidney haemorrhage due to accident	75
• Fixation of	75
• Removal of, with total urethrectomy and bladder cuff	85



Description of Surgical Benefits	Surg %
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removal of stone</li> <li>• Laparoscopy</li> <li>• Myomectomy, single or multiple, excision of fibroid tumour of uterus- abdominal approach</li> <li>• Orchiectomy, simple, unilateral</li> <li>• Renal homotransplantations with unilateral recipient nephrectomy</li> <li>• Salpingectomy or oophorectomy or both, unilateral or bilateral, independent procedure</li> <li>• Testicles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Castration for incisions or drainage</li> <li>○ Repair of the tendoachilles</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	50 20 60 30 100 55 33 40
<b>16. Nail</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excision of nail and nail matrix, partial or complete (e.g. ingrown nail)</li> </ul>	15
<b>17. Nose</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Antrum puncture</li> <li>• Extranasal sinus operation</li> <li>• Intranasal sinus operation</li> <li>• Mastoid, radical cue for</li> <li>• Nose, reconstruction of</li> <li>• Polypus, removal, one or more</li> <li>• Sarcoma, operation for, or epithelioma of nose</li> <li>• Submucous resection, nasal septum, classic</li> <li>• Toilet and suture</li> <li>• Turbinectomy</li> </ul>	5 17.5 25 60 70 10 60 40 5 10
<b>18. Paracentesis</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tapping of – Abdomen</li> <li>• Chest or bladder, cauterisation excepted</li> <li>• Ear drum, Hydrocele, joints or spine</li> </ul>	12.5 7.5 5
<b>19. Pilonidal Cyst or Sinus</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removal of</li> </ul>	30
<b>20. Rectum</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Colonoscopy with or without biopsy</li> <li>• Fissure-in-ano, cutting operation for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Independent Procedure</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Fistulotomy or fistulectomy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Simple</li> <li>○ Multiple</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Hemorrhoidectomy, internal &amp; external, complex or extensive</li> <li>• Hemorrhoidectomy and fistulotomy or fistulectomy</li> <li>• Incision &amp; Drainage of ischiorectal and/or perirectal/perianal abscess</li> <li>• Papillectomy, single or multiple procedure</li> <li>• Other cutting operation of rectum</li> <li>• Rectum, excision of</li> </ul>	20 40 35 45 55 60 15 7.5 25 100



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sigmoidectomy</li> </ul>	20
<b>21. Skull</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cutting into cranial cavity, trephining and tapping excepted</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removal of bone trephining or decompression</li> </ul>	40
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trephining for fracture middle meningeal or other intercranial haemorrhage</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tumour or abscess of the brain, cerebral or cerebellar tumour</li> </ul>	100
<b>22. Spine or Spinal Cord</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Division of posterior spinal tracts or roots</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gasserian ganglion, resection of</li> </ul>	75
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Intervertebral disc, excision of               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Without spinal fusion</li> <li>○ With spinal fusion</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	75
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Laminectomy</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nerve grafting</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spinal cord tumour, operation for</li> </ul>	100
<b>23. Throat</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adenoidectomy, independent procedure</li> </ul>	15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excision of tumour of cords &amp; epiglottis/or stripping of vocal cords</li> </ul>	35
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jaw, total excision of upper or lower</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partial excision</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Laryngectomy, without neck dissection</li> </ul>	75
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Laryngoscopy, direct operative with biopsy</li> </ul>	25
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parotidectomy</li> </ul>	60
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removal of lower lip cancer</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tongue, total excision of for cancer</li> </ul>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tonsillectomy with or without adenoidectomy</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tracheotomy, independent procedure</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turbinectomy</li> </ul>	10
<b>24. Tumours</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Benign tumours of the testicles</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Benign tumours one or more, except as otherwise herein provided;               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Requiring hospital confinement</li> <li>○ Not requiring hospital confinement</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excision of Bartholin's tumour or cyst</li> </ul>	5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Incision or drainage of cyst</li> </ul>	25
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesion of tendon or fibrous sheath or capsule (e.g. cyst or ganglion) foot or toe</li> </ul>	5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lesion of tendon sheath – wrist</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Malignant tumours of the mucous membrane, skin and subcutaneous tissue</li> </ul>	25
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Malignant tumours, surgical removal of, except those of the mucous membrane skin and subcutaneous tissue</li> </ul>	50



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Warts or moles</li> </ul>	5
<b>25. Varicose Veins</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aneurysm in large arteries</li> </ul>	50
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cutting operation, complete procedure               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ One leg</li> <li>○ Both legs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	25 40
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Injection treatment, complete procedure one or both legs</li> </ul>	20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ligation of small arteries, smaller aneurysms</li> </ul>	10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stripping of varicose vein, one leg</li> </ul>	30

