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Medical Scheme	De Beers Benefit Society
Administrator	De Beers Benefit Society (DBBS)
Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DBBS • DART
Information Relevant to Effective Date	Benefits and Options for 2019 (Namibian Providers) 1 January 2019

With effect 1 January 2019, Mediscor will apply the scheme rules applicable to Namibian pharmacies and dispensing doctors for De Beers Benefit Society (DBBS) as outlined below.

- **NRP (Namibian Reference Price) applicable to Namibian pharmacies**

Herewith the detail for submitting medicine claims to Mediscor:

1.	Claiming Code (PCN)	MDS0098
2.	Switch Destination Code	DBDB0000
3.	EDI Activation Code (Dispensing Doctors)	066P
4.	Default Reference pricing	Namibian Reference Price
5.	Maximum supply of medicine	30 DAYS
6.	Days supply of the dispensed medicine	Yes / Compulsory
7.	Membership number as per membership card	Yes / Compulsory
8.	Dependant code as per membership card	Yes / Compulsory
9.	Dependant first name as per membership card	Yes / Compulsory
10.	Dependant date of birth	Yes / Compulsory
11.	Dependant gender (male/female)	Yes / Compulsory
12.	Practice number of the prescriber	Yes / Compulsory
13.	9-digit NAPPI code of medicine dispensed	Yes / Compulsory
14.	ICD-10 Diagnosis code	No
15.	Membership number requirements	Minimum 9 numerical including dependant code
16.	Payments to Providers	De Beers Benefit Society
17.	Chronic pre-authorisation	Mediscor ChroniLine®
18.	Default Dispensing Fee – Pharmacies	(SEP+50% mark-up) + 15% VAT
19.	Default Dispensing Fee – Dispensing Doctors	(SEP+50% mark-up) + 15% VAT

- Due to the complexities of various levies, co-payments, formularies and exclusion criteria; service providers must refer to our on-line responses to apply the correct rules.
- Dispensing fees may differ from the default fee where DSP's (and PPN's) have been contracted by the Society.
- Dispensing fee structure(s) will be applied on scheduled medicines (0 – 8) and unscheduled products.

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Kind Regards

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