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		<b>4 March 2019</b>

<b>Medical Scheme</b>	Topmed Medical Scheme
<b>Administrator</b>	Private Health Administrators (PHA)
<b>Options</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Topmed Comprehensive (125)</li> <li>• Topmed Executive (114)</li> <li>• Topmed Family (127)</li> <li>• Topmed Savings (113)</li> <li>• Topmed Active Saver (132)</li> <li>• Topmed Essential (118)</li> <li>• Topmed Network (117)</li> <li>• Topmed Limited - <b>discontinued 2019</b> (105)</li> </ul>
<b>Information Relevant to Effective Date</b>	Doctors dispensing fee Immediate

With immediate effect, Mediscor will apply the scheme rules applicable to pharmacies and dispensing doctors for Topmed Medical Scheme as outlined below.

**Herewith the detail for submitting medicine claims to Mediscor:**

1.	<b>Claiming Code (PCN)</b>	<b>MDS0048</b>
2.	<b>Switch Destination Code</b>	<b>BKTE0001</b>
3.	<b>EDI Activation Code (Dispensing Doctors)</b>	<b>003P</b>
4.	<b>Default Reference Pricing</b>	<b>MRP</b>
5.	<b>Maximum supply of medicine</b>	<b>30 Days</b>
6.	<b>Days supply of the dispensed medicine</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
7.	<b>Membership number as per membership card</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
8.	<b>Dependant code as per membership card</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
9.	<b>Dependant first name as per membership card</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
10.	<b>Dependant date of birth</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
11.	<b>Dependant gender (male/female)</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
12.	<b>Practice number of the prescriber</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
13.	<b>ICD-10 diagnosis code</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
14.	<b>9 digit NAPPI code of medicine dispensed</b>	<b>Yes / Compulsory</b>
15.	<b>Membership number requirements</b>	<b>Minimum 4 numerical including dependant code</b>
16.	<b>Payments to Providers</b>	<b>PHA</b>
17.	<b>Chronic pre-authorisation</b>	<b>PHA</b>
18.	<b>Default Dispensing Fee – Dispensing Doctors</b>	<b>SEP + 30% / R37.20 (Excl. VAT)</b>
19.	<b>Default Dispensing Fee – Pharmacies</b>	<b>SEP + 32% / R32 (Excl. VAT)</b>
20.	<b>Default Dispensing Fee – Over the counter (OTC)</b>	<b>SEP + 32% / R32 (Excl. VAT)</b>
21.	<b>PESA Exclusions</b>	<b>3-5, 7, 11, 14-16,19-25, 27, 30-32, 35, 38, 40-41, 43-44, 50-53, 55, 60-61, 64</b>

- 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 Medical Scheme.
- Dispensing fee structure(s) will be applied on scheduled medicines (0 – 8) and unscheduled products.

Refer to Mediscor website [www.mediscor.co.za](http://www.mediscor.co.za)

**IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT:**

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<b>PHA (Chronic &amp; Oncology)</b>	<b>: 0860 002 158</b>
<b>PHA (HIV)</b>	<b>: 0860 448 2273</b>
<b>Topmed Helpline</b>	<b>: 0860 002 158</b>

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Kind Regards

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