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Medical Scheme Medshield Medical Scheme

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- Options**
- 550 MediBonus
 - 551 MediPlus Prime
 - 561 MediPlus Compact
 - 552 MediValue Prime
 - 562 MediValue Compact
 - 559 MediPhila
 - 683 MediSaver
 - 685 MediCore
 - 686 Premium Plus

Information Relevant to Benefits and Options for 2021

Effective Date 1 January 2021

With effect 1 January 2021, Mediscor will apply the scheme rules applicable to **pharmacies** and **dispensing doctors** for Medshield Medical Scheme as outlined below.

Herewith the detail for submitting medicine claims to Mediscor:

1.	Claiming Code (PCN)	MDS0100
2.	Switch Destination Code	MSMS0000
3.	EDI Activation Code (Dispensing Doctors)	111P
4.	Default Reference pricing	MRP*
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	Yes / Compulsory
15.	Membership number requirements	11 digits
16.	Payments to Providers	Medshield Medical Scheme
17.	Chronic pre-authorisation	ChroniLine®
18.	Default Dispensing Fee – Pharmacies	SEP + 20% / R20 (Excl. VAT)
19.	Default Dispensing Fee – Over the counter (OTC)	SEP + 20% / R20 (Excl. VAT)
20.	Default Dispensing Fee – Doctors	SEP + 30% / R38.40 (Excl. VAT)
21.	PESA Exclusions	1-5; 7-9; 11-16; 19-25; 27-32; 35; 38; 40-53; 55-63

- 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

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT:

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Kind Regards

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