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Medical Scheme	Bestmed Medical Scheme
Administrator	Bestmed
Options	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BEAT1 (Non-Network option) • BEAT1 (Network option) • BEAT2 (Non-Network option) • BEAT2 (Network option) • BEAT3 (Non-Network option) • BEAT3 (Network option) • BEAT4 • PACE1 • PACE2 • PACE3 • PACE4 • PULSE1 • PULSE2

Information Relevant to	Options and Default Dispensing Fees for 2022*
Effective Date	1 January 2022

With effect, 1 January 2022 Mediscor will apply the scheme rules applicable to pharmacies and dispensing doctors for Bestmed Medical Scheme as outlined below.

***No changes for 2022 - Options and Default Dispensing Fees**

Herewith the detail for submitting medicine claims to Mediscor:

1.	Claiming Code (PCN)	MDS0027
2.	Switch Destination Code	BEBE0000
3.	EDI Activation Code (Dispensing Doctors)	045P
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.	ICD-10 Diagnosis code	Yes / Compulsory
14.	9-digit NAPPI code of medicine dispensed	Yes / Compulsory
15.	Membership number requirements	Min 7 Numerical digits
16.	Payments to Providers	Bestmed
17.	Chronic/PMB pre-authorisation	Bestmed
18.	Default Dispensing Fee – Dispensing Doctors	SEP + 30% / R39.00 (Excl. VAT) (Government Gazette no.44333 - 26 March 2021)
19.	Default Dispensing Fee – Pharmacies	SEP + 33% / R33.00 (Excl. VAT)
20.	Default Dispensing Fee – Over the counter (OTC)	SEP + 33% / R33.00 (Excl. 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 Medical Scheme.
- Dispensing fee structure(s) will be applied on scheduled medicines (0 – 8) and unscheduled products.

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT:

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Kind Regards,

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