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		21 June 2023

Medical Insurance	EssentialMED
Administrator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Essential Group</i>
Option	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Comprehensive</i> • <i>EssentialMED Security</i> • Protean
Information Relevant to	New Option - Protean
Effective Date	1 July 2023

With effect 1 July 2023, Mediscor will apply the medical insurance rules applicable to EssentialMED as outlined below.

1.	Claiming code (PCN)	MDS0084
2.	Switch destination code	EMED0006
3.	EDI activation code (dispensing doctors)	N/A
4.	Default dispensing fee – pharmacies	SEP + 30%/R30 (Excl. VAT)
5.	Default reference pricing	Mediscor Reference Price (MRP)
6.	Payments to providers	Mediscor PBM
7.	Chronic pre-authorisation	Mediscor ChroniLine®

- **Due to the complexities of various levies, co-payments, formularies and exclusion criteria; service providers must refer to our online 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 Fund.**
- **Dispensing fee structure(s) will be applied to scheduled medicines (0 – 8) and unscheduled products.**

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT:

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Kind regards

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