

medical scheme



Focus on the Ingwe Option

The Ingwe Option provides affordable access to entry-level cover. For your hospitalisation cover, you can choose to use either Any hospital, the Ingwe Network of private hospitals, or State hospitals for an even lower monthly contribution.

For chronic treatment and day-to-day benefits, such as GP visits or prescribed medicine, you need to consult Ingwe Primary Care Network providers or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network providers, depending on your provider choice. If you choose Any hospital, please note that you may only use GPs on the Ingwe Active Primary Care Network for your chronic and day-to-day benefits. View a list of our providers on momentumhealth.co.za or call us on 0860 11 78 59.

The Health Platform benefit provides cover for a range of preventative care benefits available from your Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network provider. If you need more day-to-day cover, you can make use of the HealthSaver⁺. HealthSaver is a complementary product offered by Momentum that lets you save for medical expenses.

Major Medical Benefit

Provider	Any hospital, Ingwe Network hospitals or State hospitals	
Limit	No overall annual limit applies	
Rate	Up to 100% of the Momentum Health Rate	
Specialised procedures/treatment	Certain procedures covered	

Chronic and Day-to-day Benefit

Chronic provider	Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network Subject to entry-level formulary
Chronic conditions covered	26 conditions, according to Chronic Disease List in Prescribed Minimum Benefits
Day-to-day provider	Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network

Health Platform Benefit

Provider	Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network
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†HealthSaver is a voluntary complementary product available from Momentum. You can choose to make use of additional products available from Momentum, part of Momentum Metropolitan Life Limited, to seamlessly enhance your medical aid. Momentum is not a medical scheme and is a separate entity to Momentum Medical Scheme. These complementary products are not medical scheme benefits. You can be a member of Momentum Medical Scheme without taking any of the complementary products that Momentum offers.

Important notes: This focus page summarises the 2020 benefits available on the Ingwe Option. Scheme Rules always take precedence and are available on request.



Contributions

Choose your monthly income

Choose your **providers**

Choose your family composition

	Hospital	Chronic	Day-to-day	Ť	ŤŤ	Ťŧ	ŤŤŧ	ŤŤŧŧ	ŤŤŧŧŧ
	State	Ingwe Primary Care	Ingwe Primary Care	R439	R878	R817	R1 256	R1 634	R2 012
<= R725	Ingwe Network	Network	Network	R439	R878	R835	R1 274	R1 670	R2 066
	Any	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	R439	R878	R878	R1 317	R1 756	R2 195
	State	Ingwe Primary Care	Ingwe Primary Care	R719	R1 438	R1 107	R1 826	R2 214	R2 602
R726 - R7 150	Ingwe Network	Network	Network	R905	R1 810	R1 319	R2 224	R2 638	R3 052
	Any	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	R1 175	R2 350	R1 641	R2 816	R3 282	R3 748
	State	Ingwe Primary Care	Ingwe Primary Care	R824	R1 648	R1 221	R2 045	R2 442	R2 839
R7 151 - R9 450	Ingwe Network	Network	Network	R1 151	R2 302	R1 581	R2 732	R3 162	R3 592
	Any	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	R1 644	R3 288	R2 141	R3 785	R4 282	R4 779
	State	Ingwe Primary Care	Ingwe Primary Care	R961	R1 922	R1 377	R2 338	R2 754	R3 170
R9 451 - R13 500	Ingwe Network	Network	Network	R1 602	R3 204	R2 073	R3 675	R4 146	R4 617
	Any	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	R2 238	R4 476	R2 761	R4 999	R5 522	R6 045
	State Ingwe Primary Care R13 501 + Ingwe Network	Ingwe Primary Care	R1 661	R3 322	R2 160	R3 821	R4 320	R4 819	
R13 501 +		Network Network Network Ingwe Active Primary Ingwe A	Network	R2 269	R4 538	R2 937	R5 206	R5 874	R6 542
	Any		Ingwe Active Primary Care Network	R2 872	R5 744	R3 705	R6 577	R7 410	R8 243

All children are charged for



Major Medical Benefit

This benefit provides cover for hospitalisation and certain specialised procedures/treatment at either Any hospital, the Ingwe Network of private hospitals or State hospitals, depending on the provider you have chosen. Claims are paid up to 100% of the Momentum Health Rate. Under the hospitalisation benefit, hospital accounts and related costs incurred in hospital (from admission to discharge) are covered – provided that treatment has been authorised.

Specialised procedures/treatment do not necessarily require admission to hospital and are included in the Major Medical Benefit – provided that the treatment is clinically appropriate and has been authorised.

If authorisation is not obtained, a 30% co-payment will apply on all accounts related to the event and the Scheme would be responsible for 70% of the negotiated tariff, provided authorisation would have been granted according to the rules of the Scheme. In the case of an emergency, you or someone in your family or a friend may obtain authorisation within 72 hours of admission.

If you have chosen Ingwe Network hospitals and do not use this provider, a 30% co-payment will apply on the hospital account. If you have chosen State hospitals as your preferred provider and do not use this provider, a co-payment will also apply. This co-payment will be the difference between State facility charges and the amount charged by the provider you use.

Chronic Benefit

The Chronic Benefit covers certain life-threatening conditions that need ongoing treatment. On the Ingwe Option, chronic benefits are available from the Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network provider. Chronic cover is provided for 26 conditions according to the Chronic Disease List, which forms part of the Prescribed Minimum Benefits. Chronic benefits are subject to registration and approval.

Day-to-day Benefit

This benefit provides for day-to-day medical expenses, such as GP visits, prescribed medicine etc. On the Ingwe Option, day-to-day benefits are available from the Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network.

Health Platform Benefit

The Health Platform Benefit is available from the Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network.

This benefit encourages health awareness, enhances the quality of life and gives peace of mind through:

- preventative care and early detection
- maternity programme
- management of certain diseases
- health education and advice; and
- local emergency evacuation.



Benefit schedule

Major Medical Benefit

General rule applicable to the Major Medical Benefit: You need to phone for authorisation before making use of your Major Medical Benefits. For some conditions, like cancer, you will need to register on a Disease Management Programme. Momentum Medical Scheme will pay benefits in line with the Scheme Rules and the clinical protocols that the Scheme has established for the treatment of each condition. The sub-limits specified below apply per year. Should you not join in January, your sub-limits will be adjusted pro-rata (this means it will be adjusted in line with the number of months left in the year).

Provider	Any hospital, Ingwe Network hospitals or State hospitals		
Overall annual limit	No overall annual limit		
Hospitalisation			
Benefit	Specialists covered up to 100% of the Momentum Health Rate Hospital accounts are covered in full at the rate agreed upon with the hospital group		
High and intensive care	10 days per admission		
Renal dialysis and Oncology	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities		
Organ transplants	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities		
In-hospital dental and oral benefits	Not covered. Maxillo-facial trauma covered at State facilities, limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits		
Maternity confinements Caesarean section: Only emergency caesareans are covered	No annual limit applies		
Neonatal intensive care	No annual limit applies		
Medical and surgical appliances in-hospital (such as support stockings, knee and back braces, etc.)	R5 400 per family		
Prosthesis – internal (incl. knee and hip replacements, permanent pacemakers etc.)	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities		
Prosthesis – external (such as artificial arms or legs)	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities		
MRI and CT scans, magnetic resonance cholangiopancreatography (MRCP), whole body radioisotope and PET scans	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities		
Mental health - incl. psychiatry and psychology - drug and alcohol rehabilitation	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities, 21-day sub-limit applies to drug and alcohol rehabilitation		
Take-home medicine	7 days' supply		
Medical rehabilitation and step-down facilities	R13 130 per beneficiary		
Private nursing and Hospice	Not covered		
Immune deficiency related to HIV	At your chosen network provider		
Anti-retroviral treatment	R31 900 per family		
HIV related admissions	R34 000 per family		
Specialised procedures/treatment			

Specialised procedures/treatment

Certain specialised procedures/treatment covered (when clinically appropriate) in- and out-of-hospital

Chronic Benefit

General rule applicable to the Chronic Benefit: Benefits are only available at your chosen Network provider, and are subject to a list of medicine, referred to as a Network entry-level formulary

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Provider	Ingwe Active Primary Care Network		
Cover	26 conditions covered, according to the Chronic Disease List		
	in the Prescribed Minimum Benefits		



Day-to-day Benefit

General rule applicable to the Day-to-day Benefit: Benefits are only available from the Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network Providers, and are subject to the rules and provisions set by this network, commonly referred to as protocols. This benefit is also subject to the network's list of applicable tariff codes. The sublimits specified below apply per year. Should you not join in January, your sub-limits will be adjusted pro-rata (this means it will be adjusted in line with the number of months left in the year)

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Provider	Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network			
Acupuncture, Homeopathy, Naturopathy, Herbology, Audiology, Occupational and Speech therapy, Chiropractors, Dieticians, Biokinetics, Orthoptists, Osteopathy, Audiometry, Chiropody, and Podiatry	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities			
Mental health (incl. psychiatry and psychology)	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities			
Dentistry – basic (such as extractions or fillings)	Examinations, fillings and x-rays as per the list of tariff codes. One dental consultation is covered per year per beneficiary. You need to call us for pre-authorisation if you have more than 4 fillings or 4 extractions			
Dentistry – specialised (such as bridges or crowns)	Not covered			
External medical and surgical appliances (incl. hearing aids, wheelchairs etc.)	Not covered			
General practitioners	There is no limit to the number of times you visit your Primary Care Network GP. However, please note all visits from the 11 th visit onwards must be pre-authorised			
Out-of-network GP, casualty or after-hours visits	1 visit per beneficiary per year, subject to authorisation (you need to authorise within 72 hours of the consultation, otherwise a 30% co-payment will apply and Momentum Medical Scheme will be responsible for 70% of the negotiated tariff). Maximum of 2 visits per family per year, R100 co-payment per visit applies			
Specialists	2 visits per family per year, limited to R1 050 per visit and up to a maximum of R2 100 per family per year. Covered at 100% of the Momentum Health Rate. Subject to referral by your chosen Primary Care Network provider and pre-authorisation. Psychologists and psychiatrists are limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities			
Physiotherapy	Included in the specialist limit			
Optical and optometry (excl. contact lenses and refractive eye surgery)	1 eye test and 1 pair of clear standard or bi-focal lenses with standard frame as per formulary per beneficiary every 2 years Spectacles will only be granted if your refraction measuremen is more than 0.5			
Pathology – basic (such as cholesterol tests)	Specific list of pathology tests covered			
Radiology – basic (such as x-rays)	Specific list of black and white x-rays covered			
MRI and CT scans, magnetic resonance cholangiopancreatography (MRCP), whole body radioisotope and PET scans	Limited to Prescribed Minimum Benefits at State facilities			
Prescribed medication	Subject to a list of medicine, referred to as a prescribed formulary			
Over-the-counter medication	Not covered			



Health Platform Benefit

General rule applicable to the Health Platform: These benefits are only available from your chosen Ingwe Primary Care Network or Ingwe Active Primary Care Network

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What is the benefit?	Who is eligible?	How often?		
Preventative care				
Baby immunisations Available at nearest State baby clinic only	Children up to age 6	As required by the Department of Health		
Flu vaccines	Children between 6 months and 5 years High-risk beneficiaries under 18 Beneficiaries 65 and older High-risk beneficiaries	Once a year		
Tetanus diphtheria injection	All beneficiaries	As needed		
Early detection tests				
Dental consultation (incl. sterile tray and gloves)	All beneficiaries	Once a year		
Pap smear (pathologist) and GP consultation	Women 15 and older	Once a year		
	Beneficiaries 21 to 29	Once every 5 years		
Conoral physical examination (CD consultation)	Beneficiaries 30 to 59	Once every 3 years		
General physical examination (GP consultation)	Beneficiaries 60 to 69	Once every 2 years		
	Beneficiaries 70 and older	Once a year		
	Men 40 to 49	Once every 5 years		
Prostate specific antigen (noth elegist)	Men 50 to 59	Once every 3 years		
Prostate specific antigen (pathologist)	Men 60 to 69	Once every 2 years		
	Men 70 and older	Once a year		
Health assessment (pre-notification not required): Blood pressure test, cholesterol and blood sugar tests (finger prick tests), height, weight and waist circumference	All principal members and adult beneficiaries	Once a year		
Cholesterol test (pathologist) Only covered if health assessment results indicate a total cholesterol of 6 mmol/L and above	Principal members and adult beneficiaries	Once a year		
Blood sugar test (pathologist) Only covered if health assessment results indicate blood sugar levels of 11 mmol/L and above	Principal members and adult beneficiaries	Once a year		
HIV test (pathologist)	Beneficiaries 15 and older	Once every 5 years		
Maternity programme (subject to registration on the Maternity Management programme between 8 and 20 weeks of pregnancy)				
Antenatal visits (Midwives, GP or gynaecologist) at preferred provider		4 visits		
Nurse home visit	Women registered on the programme	1 visit on the day after returning from hospital following childbirth		
Urine tests (dipstick)		Included in antenatal visits		
Scans		2 growth scans		



Health Platform Benefit (continued)				
Disease management programmes				
Diabetes, Hypertension, HIV/Aids, Oncology, Drug and alcohol rehabilitation, Chronic renal failure, Organ transplants, Cholesterol	All beneficiaries registered on the appropriate programme	As needed		
Health Line		•		
24-hour emergency health advice	All beneficiaries	As needed		
Emergency evacuation				
Emergency evacuation in South Africa by Netcare 911	All beneficiaries	In an emergency		