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# **Disclaimer**

This Policy replaces all previous versions of your previous Sanlam Gap Policy. All terms and conditions in this Policy are applicable to Insured Parties on the Policy.

All definitions throughout the Policy are indicated with bold font and with the first letter of each word capitalised. Important points are indicated with a bold and blue font type.

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### A. Your Insurer

The insurance cover is underwritten by your Insurer: Centriq Insurance Company Limited, FSP 3417, a licensed non-life insurer. The cover provided is always subject to all the terms and conditions explained throughout your Policy.

# **B. Your Underwriting Manager**

Your **Underwriting Manager** is responsible for all administrative matters relating to your **Policy** which include:

- Issuing of your Policy.
- Processing of your claims.
- Collection of your Premium.

### C. Definitions

Any words and expressions used in this Policy can refer to either singular or plural and to either gender.

The words and expressions utilised are defined as follows:

- C1. **"Accidental Harm"**: bodily injury caused by violent, unintentional, external and physical means.
- C2. "Balance Billing": a practice where a Medical Practitioner or other healthcare service provider charges a separately identifiable fee that is over and above the Tariff fee (or set of such fees) that relates to a Medical Procedure (or Procedures) and is billed together on one statement or invoice and is not considered as a refundable Benefit by a Medical Scheme.
- C3. **"Basic Dentistry"**: is defined as any of the following dental treatments: cleaning, extractions (including wisdom teeth), fillings, inlays, bonding, root canal treatment and treatment for pain and abscesses.
- C4. **"Benefit or Benefits"**: the Benefit amount payable to the Insured Party in relation to an Insured Event, as stated in the **Benefit Schedule**.

- C5. **"Benefit Schedule"**: The cover and Benefits detailed in this Policy under Addendum A.
- C6. "Condition-Specific Waiting Period": a period in which an Insured Party is not entitled to claim Policy Benefits in respect of a condition for which medical advice, diagnosis, care or treatment was recommended or received within a 12-month period prior to the cover Inception Date.
- C7. **"Core Benefits"**: are the list of benefits defined as Core Benefits in the **Benefit Schedule** and which benefits are subject to the Overall Annual Limit.
- C8. **"Deductible"** or **"Co-payment"**: the fixed, defined Rand amount that is deducted from the Insured Party's overall Medical Scheme Benefit entitlement by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme.
- C9. **"Designated Service Provider"** or **"DSP"**: a medical service provider designated by a Medical Scheme as one of their preferred suppliers.
- C10. **"Eligible Child"**: a child born to either the Policyholder or Eligible Spouse of this Policy. An Eligible Child includes a legally adopted child or stepchild of a Policyholder. In the event that the Eligible Child reaches the age of 27 years, the child will no longer be an Eligible Child and will therefore no longer be covered under this Policy. On turning 27 and within 30 days of doing so, the Eligible Child may take up a new Policy in their own capacity without any additional waiting periods or exclusions being applied. The age limitation will not be applicable to a Special Needs Child.
- C11. "Eligible Special Dependant": a dependant who is neither the Eligible Spouse nor an Eligible Child, nor a Special Needs Child of the Policyholder but who is an eligible dependant onthe Policyholders's Medical Scheme and has been explicitly accepted by the Insurer for such cover under this Policy. In the event that no such explicit acceptance is provided by the Insurer, such special dependants are not covered even though they are dependants on the Policyholder's Medical Scheme.

#### C12. "Eligible Spouse":

the partner of the **Policyholder** with whom a spousal union exists, whether by virtue of South African law or religious tenet.

- the partner that shares a home with the **Policyholder** in a common law spousal union and has done so for at least six months.
- C13. **"Emergency"**: a serious, unexpected, and dangerous situation requiring immediate action.
- C14. **"Family"**: collectively the **Policyholder**, Eligible Spouse, Eligible Children, Special Needs Child and/or Eligible Special Dependants as defined in the **Policy**.
- C15. **"General Waiting Period"**: the period in which an **Insured Party** may not claim any **Policy Benefits**, except for **Benefits** directly arising from **Accidental Harm**.
- C16. **"Hazardous Sport"**: includes, but is not limited to, participation in or use of any of the following:
  - All forms of motorised racing, speed tests or aerobatics, whether by land, sea or air;
  - Mountaineering, trekking or hiking above an altitude of 4 000 metres;
  - Hunting, shooting or deploying firearms in any manner other than for self-defence purposes.
- C17. **"Hospital"**: any institution in South Africa which meets all of the following criteria:
  - Provides surgical and medical diagnostic and therapeutic facilities for **Treatment** and care of sick or injured persons under the supervision of **Medical Practitioners**.
  - Provides 24 hour nursing services to sick or injured persons within the aforementioned facilities.
  - Is not a convalescent home or home for the elderly.
  - Is not a place of rest or recuperation.
  - Is not an institution that primarily treats people for drug addiction, alcoholism, eating disorders or any other form of addictive behaviour.
  - Is not a health hydro or alternative therapy clinic or other similar establishment.
  - Is not a step-down facility.

- C18. "Hospital Episode": the period of time between admission to Hospital of an Insured Party until the time of discharge from the Hospital of the same Insured Party for the same Insured Event.
- C19. "Hospital Network": a list of Hospitals specified by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme, as the Designated Service Provider of one or more plan types of the Medical Scheme.
- C20. "Illness": any physical disease or sickness which manifests in an Insured Party but is not a disease or sickness which is of such a nature as to be incapable of diagnosis by objective evidence or which, even though capable of diagnosis by such evidence, has not been diagnosed as such.
  - In other words it must be capable of diagnosis and have been diagnosed.
- C21. **"Inception Date"**: the first day of the month on which cover commences for the **Insured Party** as noted in the **Policy Schedule**.
- C22. **"Innovative Oncology Medicines"**: medicines as defined by the Insured Party's underlying Medical Scheme's oncology innovative benefit.
- C23. **"Insurer"**: Centriq Insurance Company Limited, (reg 1998/007558/06),a licensed non-life insurer an authorised Financial Services Provider(FSP 3417)
- C24. "Insured" or "Insured Party": the Policyholder, Eligible Spouse, Eligible Child or Eligible Special Dependant, as defined in this Policy.
- C25. **"Insured Event"**: any one or more of the following:
  - Accidental Harm, Illness or other health incidents that cause an Insured Party to be admitted to a Hospital and to undergo Treatment or Medical Procedures during the Hospital Episode.

- Ohemotherapy Radiotherapy or other drug regimens, approved by an Insured Party's Medical Scheme, that is administered to an Insured Party for the purposes of treating a tumour, growth or other body tissue that has cancer (malignant neoplasm).
- An Insured Party receives kidney dialysis for the Treatment of acute or chronic renal failure.
- Accidental Harm that directly causes an Insured Party to receive Emergency medical treatment at the out-patient casualty or Trauma ward of a Hospital.
- C26. **"Kaelo Risk"**: Kaelo Risk (Pty) Ltd (registration no: 2008/019335/07), hereinafter referred to as "Kaelo Risk", who is appointed to administer this Policy on behalf of the Insurer and is registered to do so in terms of the Short-Term Insurance Act No. 53 of 1998.
- C27. "Medical expense shortfall policy": means an accident and health policy, as defined in Category 1 of section 7.2(1) of regulations to the Short-Term Insurance Act, No 53 of 1998.
- C28. "Medical Practitioner": a person who is suitably qualified and registered with the Health Professions Council of South Africa to practice medicine.
- C29. "Medical Procedure": any procedure defined under the National Health Reference Price List (NHRPL). If the procedure is not defined, the Insurer will calculate, at their sole discretion, an appropriate Benefit to be paid to the Policyholder.
- C30. "Medical Scheme": A Medical Scheme as registered under the Medical Schemes Act.
- C31. "Medical Schemes Act": to the Medical Schemes Act No. 131 of 1998.
- C32. "Multiple": the percentage cover of the Tariff of the plan type of the Policyholder's Medical Scheme, which may differ for different Benefit categories of that plan type, and which constitutes a key component of the Benefit calculation as defined in the Benefit Schedule.

- C33. "National Health Reference Price List" or "NHRPL": the Benefit Tariff set annually by the Department of Health as a guideline for charges by healthcare service providers or any replacement of the NHRPL effected by a change in law or statute or the generally accepted industry equivalent thereof.
- C34. "Overall Annual Limit": is the maximum amount payable per Insured Party Per Annum in respect of Core Benefits.
- C35. **"Per Annum"**: the period from 01 January to 31 December of any year
- C36. "Penalty": any Co-payment, Deductible, exclusion or reduction, applied against the Benefits of an Insured Party's Medical Scheme, that would otherwise not have been applied had the authorisation rules of that Medical Scheme been adhered to or the Benefits had been attained from the Designated Service Provider or Hospital Network of that Medical Scheme plan type.
- C37. "Permanent Disability": any Accidental Harm or physical Illness that renders a person permanently unable to work in their own or other occupation for which they are suited by training, education or experience.
- C38. **"Policy"**: this **Policy** as well as the Detail of Services and Benefits annexure and the **Policy Schedule**.
- C39. **"Policy Exclusions"**: the list of services, conditions or events detailed in the "**Policy** Exclusion" section of this **Policy** which are excluded from cover at all times.
- C40. "Policy Schedule": the schedule attaching to and forming part of this Policy that defines the Product option, Cover Type, Policyholder, Inception Date, monthly Premium and Waiting Periods and other information that pertains to the cover provided under this Policy
- C41. "Policyholder": the Insured Party who applied for cover under this Policy for himself/herself and his designated Family (if you have selected to pay the Family Policy Premium) on inception of this Policy, who has been accepted by the Insurer to be eligible for the insurance cover provided by this Policy.

- C42. **"Premature Birth"**: the natural or surgically assisted birth of one or more infants that occurs more than 41 days before the originally expected natural birth date of 40 weeks as verified by the clinical records of the mother's attending physician.
- C43. **"Premium"**: the monthly amount due to the **Insurer** payable by, or on behalf of, the **Policyholder**.
- C44. "Prescribed Minimum Benefits (PMBs)" are a set of defined benefits provided to beneficiaries of Medical Schemes to ensure that all Medical Scheme members have access to certain minimum health services.
- C45. "Special Needs Child": any child, including a legally adopted child or stepchild, of the Policyholder, who by virtue of either a physical or mental disability, is unable to financially support him/herself and remains reliant on the Policyholder for support and care.
- C46. "Split Billing": a practice where a Medical Practitioner or other healthcare service providers charges a separately identifiable fee that is over and above the Tariff fee (or set of such fees) that relates to a Medical Procedure (or Procedures), and is billed separately from the Tariff fees on two or more statements or invoices, and is not considered as a refundable Benefit by a Medical Scheme.
- C47. **"Tariff"**: either the NHRPL Tariff or a specific Tariff registered by the **Medical Scheme** to determine the rate at which its **Benefits** are payable.
- C48. "Trauma": Accidental Harm to an Insured Party that gives rise an Insured Event.
- C49. **"Treatment"**: any form of medical advice, diagnosis, care or treatment provided by a **Medical Practitioner** for the purpose of treating or monitoring the medical condition of an Insured Party.

## **D. Claims**

Following an **Insured Event**, the **Insured Party** or the **Policyholder**, as the case may be, shall at his own expense:

- Notify Kaelo Risk of any claim in writing as soon as possible but not later than six months after the end of the Insured Event. Claims submitted more than six months after the end of the Insured Event are excluded from cover.
- Supply written proof, copies of medical accounts or other information as may reasonably be required for Kaelo Risk to process the claim or to ensure the validity of the claim. These documents include: a completed Claims Form, Doctor's Accounts, Hospital Account; Claims Transaction History Report. There may be additional information requested such as medical reports as required and determined on a case by case basis.
- Provide authority for Kaelo Risk to inspect as often as is necessary all current or past medical information or clinical records including the results of any diagnostic tests and submit to medical examination on behalf of and at the expense of Kaelo Risk.
- Where the Insured Party is not the Policyholder, the Policyholder shall provide or obtain the necessary permission or consent from the Insured Party to comply with the above condition failing which the processing of the relevant claims shall be suspended until such time as the requisite permissions or consents are obtained.
- Assessing claims. Claims are assessed on a line by line basis. Each line has a code on your healthcare or service provider's account and this accounts for the total amount charged. These codes describe the medical procedure that was performed or the service that was provided. Your Medical Scheme must pay a portion of the cost of a coded line from your hospital or risk benefit in order for that claim line shortfall to be covered by your Gap cover unless you are claiming for a Benefit with different qualifying criteria such as a Family Protector or a defined Co-payment.

① Claims flagged as Prescribed Minimum Benefit (PMB) Medical Procedures or claims with a high values may be investigated with your Medical Scheme or discussed with your service provider for possible discount negotiation. PMB's are a set of defined benefits that Medical Schemes are required to cover by law. This means that as a Medical Schemes member, you shouldn't incur any out-of-pocket medical expenses related to a PMB.

Any **Benefit** payable in respect of an **Insured Event** shall only become payable after the end of the **Treatment** relating to the **Insured Event** but at the sole discretion of the Insurer, interim **Benefit** payments can be made to the **Policyholder** after a 31 day period during an **Insured Event**.

All **Benefits** payable shall be paid to the **Policyholder** or his legal representative whose receipt of the **Benefits** shall in every case be a full discharge of liability.

In the event of the death of the **Policyholder**, any **Benefit** due shall be payable to the surviving **Eligible Spouse**, failing which the **Benefit** will be paid to the **Eligible Children** (or their legal guardians in the event of them being minors) or failing any of the above, the **Benefit** shall be paid to the **Policyholder's** estate.

No **Benefit** payable shall carry interest.

Any discount accrued by an **Insured Party**, against the amount owing by the Insured to any **Medical Provider**, shall be factored into the calculation of the **Benefits** of this **Policy**.

If the Insurer rejects any claim, or disputes the quantum of a claim, the **Insured Party** has **90 days** to make representation to the Insurer, challenging this decision. If the Insurer persists in rejecting the claim or disputing the quantum, the Insured Party has to have summons issued and served on the Insurer, within **six months (180 days)** after the expiry of the **90 days** period; failing which, the **Insured Party** will forfeit his claim and will have no further claim in terms of this **Policy**.

Payment of any **Benefit** is conditional on the **Insured Party** supplying such medical evidence as is required by the Insurer to adequately assess the validity of the claims or for an **Insured Party** to undergo any medical examination if requested and paid for by the Insurer.

## **E. Premiums**

### **Individuals**

- All Premiums are payable monthly in advance or arrears by the last working day of the month. Non-payment of Premiums may lead to the rejection of a claim or cover being suspended and any Benefit payable will be suspended until all Premiums have been received by Kaelo Risk or the Insurer.
- If the Premium is not paid on the payment date, you have a 30 day grace period after which we will automatically deduct the outstanding Premiums from the same account to ensure continuous cover. If this Premium is also not paid you will have no cover for the period for which you did not pay.
- Should your Premium remain outstanding after the third month your cover will be cancelled at midnight on the last day of the month for which Premium has been received.
- Should you cancel or stop your debit order, it will be deemed that you have cancelled your cover and you will not enjoy the 30 day grace period. In the event that you reinstate your Policy thereafter, your Policy will be treated as a new Policy and the grace period will only apply from the second month of cover thereafter.
- Your cover starts on the first calendar day of a particular month and cannot be backdated.
- Your Premium will be reviewed annually.
- The Insurer may adjust the Premiums by giving at least 31 days written notice thereof to the Policyholder.

# Corporates (On Behalf of The Policyholder)

- All Premiums are payable monthly in arrears by the last working day of each month.
- Non-payment of **Premiums** may lead to the rejection of a claim or cover being suspended and any Benefit payable will be suspended until all arrears **Premium** have been received by **Kaelo Risk** or the **Insurer**.
- Your cover starts on the first calendar day of a particular month and cannot be backdated.
- Your Premium will be reviewed annually.
- The Insurer may adjust the Premiums by giving at least 31 days written notice thereof to the Policyholder.

# F. General Terms and Conditions

### **Jurisdiction and Currency**

This **Policy** shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of the **Republic of South Africa and South African law will apply**. The payment of all **Premiums** and **Benefits** shall be made in the currency of the **Republic of South Africa**.

### **Commencement of Cover**

Cover shall commence on the first day of the calendar month for which the **Premium** has been paid by or on behalf of the **Policyholder**, subject to all the terms and conditions of this **Policy**.

#### **Cover and Benefits**

- Ocover shall only be in force or effective if the Insured Parties are also current and paid up beneficiaries of a registered Medical Scheme.
- Ocover will also be provided to the Insured Parties regardless of whether or not they are covered under the same or separate Medical Scheme options. Under such circumstances, proof of the familial relationship may be required when claiming under this Policy.
- This Policy, Benefit Schedule, Policy Schedule and correspondence sent to the Policyholder, the Policyholder's application for insurance, and any written or spoken statement made by the Policyholder or on his/her behalf, forms the contract between the Policyholder and the Insurer.
- The Insurer may alter the Benefits and/or Policy Exclusions or the basis upon which Benefits are calculated under this Policy by giving 31 days written notice thereof.

### **Eligible Spouse**

Should a **Policyholder** have more than one spouse who could qualify as an **Eligible Spouse** then the **Policyholder** must make an irrevocable nomination of one spouse as the **Eligible Spouse**. **Benefits** will only be paid to the nominated **Eligible Spouse** or the **Eligible Special Dependant**.

On the death of the **Policyholder**, the nominated **Eligible Spouse** may transfer the **Policy** of cover into their own capacity within 30 days without any additional waiting periods or exclusions being applied.

# **G. Termination of Cover**

You may cancel this cover at any time, by giving a calendar months, prior written notice. The insurer may cancel this cover at any time, by giving you 31 days, prior written notice.

In the event that any fraudulent act is committed by any **Insured Party** or any **Service Provider**, the Insurer reserves the right to immediately cancel this cover and/or to institute legal proceedings against the relevant party to recover any losses.

In the event that the **Insured Party**, or any person acting on behalf of the **Insured Party**, has misrepresented, inaccurately described or not provided all the details that affect the risk insured under this **Policy**, the Insurer may declare that the whole of this **Policy** or any part thereof is invalid. In such an event, the **Insurer** shall be entitled to reject any claim under this **Policy** and/or to void this **Policy** from the Policy Start Date.

## **H. Waiting Periods**

The **Insurer** shall apply waiting periods to the cover of an **Insured Party** as outlined below:

During the first three months of being an Insured Party, a General Waiting Period shall apply except for Benefits directly arising from Accidental Harm.

During the first 12 months of being a Insured Party, a Condition-Specific Waiting Period shall apply. Where this is applied, a pre-existing questionnaire will be requested at claim stage, within the first 12 months. The requirement is that this questionnaire is completed by the diagnosing medical practitioner.

Waiting Periods shall be applied to the cover of the relevant **Insured Party**, from the time that such **Insured Party's** cover commences under this **Policy**.

In the event that an **Insured Party** previously had a similar **Medical Expense Shortfall Policy**, not longer than **90 Days** before the **Inception Date**, the period of the **General Waiting Period** and **Condition-Specific Waiting Period** shall be reduced by the expired portion of the **General Waiting Period** and **Condition-Specific Waiting Period** served under such previous policy.

Waiting periods will not be applied to a newborn, **Eligible Child, Special Needs Child** or **Eligible Spouse** if they are registered with **Kaelo Risk** within **90 Days** and added to the **Policy**, as a dependant,

from the birth or marriage date. **Premiums** will be payable from the birth or marriage date.

Should the **Eligible Child** or **Eligible Spouse** not be registered with **Kaelo Risk** within **90 Days**, full waiting periods will be applied to the **Insured Party**.

The **Insurer** reserves the right to waive the Waiting Periods for the Insured Parties. Any such waiver applied will be indicated on the **Policy Schedule**.

## I. Exclusions

The **Insurer** shall not be liable for any claim caused by or related to, whether such cause or related cause is as a direct or indirect consequence of any of the following:

- Any Treatment or Medical Procedure related to obesity.
- All costs related to ward fees, theatre fees and other Hospital expenses including materials and medication on the Hospital account.
- Ocosmetic surgery except in the case where reconstructive cosmetic surgery is necessitated, in the sole opinion of the Insurer, as a direct result of Trauma or other essential non-elective Treatment or Medical Procedure.
- Suicide, attempted suicide or wilful injury to oneself.
- Abortion, attempted abortion or any complications related thereto unless **Treatment** is, in the sole opinion of the **Insurer**, of a nonelective nature.
- Any procedure or examination where there is no objective indication of impairment in normal health
- The consumption of any drug or narcotic, whether legal or illegal, unless legally prescribed by and taken in accordance with the instructions of a Medical Practitioner.
- The failure of an **Insured Party** to follow any medical advice given by a Medical Practitioner.
- Any incident, Illness, Accidental Harm, or event directly or indirectly caused by the continuous and excessive consumption of alcohol or where the Insured Party suffers from alcoholism.

- Any incident, Illness, Accidental Harm or event directly or indirectly attributable to the Insured Party having a blood alcohol content exceeding thirty milligrams per one hundred millilitres of blood.
- Nuclear weapons, nuclear material, ionising radiations or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel, or from any nuclear waste, or from the combustion of nuclear fuel which includes any self-sustaining process of nuclear fission.
- Participation or attempted participation by any Insured Party in any of the following:
  - Defence force, police force, medical rescue service, firefighting service, correctional services facility or the disarming of explosives;
  - Aviation activities where any medical expense incurred in relation to such activities are insured by any other party (excludes farepaying passengers in a licensed passenger carrying aircraft);
  - Hazardous Sport as defined, regardless of whether activities are performed privately, socially, during practice sessions, while participating in organised events, as an amateur or a professional.
- Any acts or attempted acts, including participation or attempted participation by any Insured Party, of any of the following:
  - Civil commotion, labour disturbances, riot, strike, lock-out or public disorder or any act or activity which is calculated or directed to bring about any of the above
  - War, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities, civil war or warlike operations (regardless of whether war is declared or not)
  - Mutiny, military rising or usurped power, martial law or state of siege, or any other event or cause which determines the proclamation or maintenance of martial law or state of siege, insurrection, rebellion or revolution
  - Any act (whether on behalf of an organisation, body, person or group of persons) calculated or directed to overthrow or influence any state or government or any provincial, local or tribal authority with force or by means of fear, terrorism or violence;
  - Any act calculated or directed to bring about loss or damage to further any political

- aim, objective or cause, or to bring about any social or economic change, or in protest against any state or government, or any provincial, local or tribal authority, or for the purpose of inspiring fear in the public, or any section thereof;
- Terrorism. An act of terrorism means the use or threat of violence for political, religious, personal or ideological reasons. This may or may not include an act that is harmful to human life. It could be committed by any person or group of persons, acting alone, on behalf of or with any organisation or government. It includes any act committed with the intention to influence any government or inspire fear in the public;
- The act of any lawfully established authority in controlling, preventing, suppressing or in any other way dealing with any event referred to above.
- Any claim that is excluded or rejected by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme.
- Any claim that does not form part of the registered Benefits of the Insured Party's Medical Scheme but has been paid on an ex gratia basis.
- ① The following procedures, items, services, Service Providers or events:
  - External prosthesis;
  - Any appliances including, but not limited to, wheelchairs, beds or convalescing equipment;
  - All dental procedures classified as specialised dentistry including, but not limited to, crowns, bridges, dental implant related procedures, orthognathic surgery, temporo-mandibular joint ("TMJ") surgery, labial frenectomy, bone augmentations, bone or tissue regeneration. The above definition does not include Basic Dentistry, as defined in this Policy); This exclusion is not applicable to the Dental Reconstruction Benefit in this Policy.
  - Harvesting and/or preserving of human tissues, including but not limited to stem cell regeneration;
  - Breast augmentation;
  - Gastroplasty, lipectomy or otoplasty;
  - Gender reversal procedures;
  - Therapeutic massage therapists;

- Institutions that primarily care for persons who are mentally handicapped, blind, deaf, mute or in any other way physically handicapped;
- Convalescent homes, or homes for the elderly;
- Places of rest or recuperation;
- Rehabilitation (drug addiction, alcoholism, eating disorders or any other form of addictive behaviour).
- Health hydro or alternative therapy clinics;
- · Step-Down Facilities;
- TTO (To-Take-Out) medicines.
- Any expenses incurred as a result of an injury in a motor vehicle accident that are subsequently recoverable by the relevant Insured Party from the Road Accident Fund.
- Any expenses incurred as a result of an injury on duty that are subsequently recoverable by the relevant Insured Party from Workman's Compensation Fund.
- Any Co-payment or Deductible applied by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme against the Benefits to be received or paid out from the Medical Scheme, other than those specifically listed in the Benefit Schedule outlined in this Policy.
- Any Penalty, as defined in this Policy, applied by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme.
- Any fee charged by a Medical Practitioner, Hospital or other medical service provider that constitutes Split Billing as defined in this Policy. This exclusion does not apply to Balance Billing, also defined in this Policy.
- Any criminal act or attempted criminal act by an **Insured Party** which shall include the submission of any fraudulent information or the

- use of any fraudulent means to obtain any Benefit under this **Policy**.
- Any Treatment or Medical Procedure for infertility.
- ① Expenses incurred for transport charges or for services rendered whilst being transported in any vehicle, vessel or craft whether or not such vehicle, vessel or craft is specifically designed for the purposes of medical emergency transport.
- Any act by an Insured Party that wilfully exposed the Insured Party to danger (except where such act was necessitated in order to save human life).
- Any Treatment or Medical Procedure that, in the sole opinion the Insurer is of such a nature that it is not considered to be medically necessary, or where alternative conservative Treatment would provide a similar outcome, or is of such a nature that there is no likely improvement in the medical condition of the Insured Party.
- Any Hospital Episode, Treatment or Medical Procedure relating to the Insured Event which commences after the date of cancellation of this Policy.
- Any Treatment or **Medical Procedure** where such treatment occurred outside of the period of cover.
- A Deductible or Co-payment that is specified by the Insured Party's Medical Scheme as a percentage of costs. This does not apply to the 20% oncology Co-payment as per the oncology Co-payments or penalty Co-payments in this Policy.
- Any out-patient **Treatment** unless otherwise specified in this Policy.

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