Standard Extras



Covers most common services including dental, optical, physio and podiatry.

Before receiving any treatment, you should contact us or go to hbf.com.au/myhbf for a health benefit quote so you know how much you're covered for, the benefits you'll receive and any out-of-pocket expenses.

This is an overview of Standard Extras. Membership guide available at https://hem.au/membership-guide, in a branch or via 133 423.

Important information about your HBF cover

From 1 January 2019 your product will receive changes to benefits and annual limits impacting the amount you claim. Please review the comparison table carefully to ensure that this product meets your needs.

Some services will be removed or have limits and/or benefits reduced

- Our "No-Gap for Kids' Preventative Dental" program will be removed.
- → Implants will now be included in the Major Dental category.
- Annual limits will be reduced for Major Dental.
- ↓ Annual limits will be reduced for Physiotherapy.
- Annual limits will be introduced for General Restorative Dental, like fillings.
- → A lifetime limit will be introduced for Orthodontics.
- Benefits will be reduced for the following dental services at Member Plus dentists:
 - · General Restorative Dental
 - Major Dental
 - · Implants
 - Orthodontics

Some services will have higher annual limits or benefits

- Benefits will increase for most Chiropractic and Physiotherapy services, such as consultations.
- Benefits and annual limits will be simplified and waiting periods reduced for hearing aids.
- Benefits will increase for Preventative Dental services at Member Plus dentists.
- Benefits will increase for some common services, such as check-ups and fillings at Non-Member Plus dentists.

We are introducing a new Dental Arrangement

- Our new Member Plus Dental Arrangement will deliver more choice of dentists and better Preventative Dental benefits.
- ✓ From now on, you will get the same amount of money back when you claim regardless of whether you see a Member Plus or Non-Member Plus dentist.*
- The advantage in seeing a Member Plus dentist is that you will know the amount you need to pay out of your own pocket on Preventative Dental treatments. You will also receive a fully covered annual scale and clean.

^{*}A member will receive one fully covered scale and clean per calendar year only at a Member Plus dentist.

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Commonly used services	Waiting periods	Benefits (up to annual limits)		Annual limits per person (pp) per calendar year	Waiting periods	Benefits (up to annual limits)		Annual limits per person (pp) per calendar year	change?	
Appliances ¹				Length of Cover Amount				Length of Cover Amount		
Blood glucose monitor - 1 pp per 3 calendar years	1 – 2 years depending			One appliance per 3 years	- 12 months _.	\$200	Jai ka	One appliance per 3 years	Waiting period set to 12 months for CPAP, blood glucose monitors, nebulisers and tinnitus maskers.	
Nebuliser – 1 pp per 3 calendar years	on appliance			One appliance per 3 years		\$108		One appliance per 3 years		
Chiropractic										
initial consultation	2 months	\$17		Up to 1 year \$350 1 - 2 years \$400 2 - 3 years \$450 Over 3 years \$500 Combined annual limits for Chiropractic and Osteopathy		\$39		Up to 1 year \$350 1 - 2 years \$400 2 - 3 years \$450 Over 3 years \$500	Increased Chiropractic	
Subsequent consultation						\$32		Combined annual limits for Chiropractic and Osteopathy	benefits.	
Clinical Psychology ²										
Assessment		\$79 \$44		\$720	2 months	\$79				
reatment/ nanagement	2 months					\$44		\$720	No change.	
Group treatment		\$22				\$22		11424	emen relibe	
Dental ³		Member Plus dentist	Non- Member Plus dentist			Member Plus dentist ⁴	Non- Member Plus dentist	N. Berger Co. P. S. S.		
General		dentist	dentist			dentise	deritist			
Consultation/ examinations	2 months			Up to \$45			75%	Up to \$86	No limit	'No-Gap for Kids' Preventative Dente program removed Limits added to General Restorativ
Extractions		60%	Up to \$99	No limit	2 months	Up to \$160			dental. Benefits changed on General Restorative treatment from	
Fillings – direct			From \$39			From \$4	8	Up to 3 years \$600 3 – 5 years \$800 5+ years \$1200		
Major									S. TRANSPORT	
Crowns (3 units of Crowns/bridges per Jear ^{5/6})	12 months		Up to \$408 Up to 3 years	- Up to 3 years \$500		\$625			Decreased limit. Inclusion of Implants into the Major Dental	
Bridges (3 units of crowns/bridges per vear ^{5/6})		60%	Up to \$324	3 – 5 years \$880 5 – 10 years \$1760 Over 10 years \$2035		\$460		Up to 3 years \$800 3 – 5 years \$1000	category. Benefits changed from a percentage	
full dentures			Up to \$490			\$650		5 - 10 years \$1800 2 complete implants pp per 2years	of the fee to a set benefit amount at a Member Plus dentist.	
mplants	NA					Up to \$8	378		Increased benefit: on a range of dental services at a non-Member Plu dentist.	
Dental Implants and O	rthodontics								Taken december 6	
Orthodontics (partial arch banding)		Up to \$925 Up to \$1850	Up to \$925	Up to 3 years \$500 3 - 5 years \$800		Up to \$925		Up to 3years \$500 3 - 5 years \$800 5 - 10 years \$1600	lifetime limit. Benefits changed	
Orthodontics (full arch panding)	12 months		5 – 10 years \$1600 Over 10 years \$1850 2 complete Implants pp per 2 years	12 months	Up to \$1	o \$1850 Over 10 years \$1850 Lifetime limit of \$1850		from a percentage		
Implants		Up to \$516			NA		NA .			

¹Charges for most non-surgically implanted appliances must be at least \$100. ²Provider must be registered with the relevant national board with an endorsement of Clinical Psychology, and approved by HBF. ³The benefit we pay on some dental items may be restricted if performed in conjunction with other specific dental services, or if a service is received more than once in a specified period of time. ⁴Member Plus dentist arrangements only applicable in WA. ⁵Sub-limits included in overall annual limits. ⁶Crowns associated with Implants limited to 2 per 2 years.

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Dietetics	perious	dimadi tirintaj	Length of Cover Amount	perious	armaar armes,	Length of Cover Amount	
nitial consultation		\$33		2 months	\$33	- \$240	No change.
Subsequent consultation	2 months	\$17	\$240		\$17		
Eye Therapy					·		
			Up to 3 years \$500			Up to 3 years \$500	
Consultation – up to 30 mins	2 months	\$22	Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational Therapy, Eye Therapy and Speech Therapy	2 months	\$22	Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational Therapy, Eye Therapy and Speech Therapy	No change.
Consultation – over 30 mins		\$42			\$42		
Healthy Living Progra	ıms ⁷						
Health check	2 months	One fully covered health check when provided at selected Friendlies and Member Plus ⁸ pharmacies	One health check	2 months	One fully covered health check when provided at selected Friendlies and Member Plus ⁸ phormacies	One health check	No change.
Flu vaccinations		100% when provided at selected Friendlies and Member Plus ⁸ pharmacies	Up to 3 years \$200		100% when provided at selected Friendlies and Member Plus ⁸ pharmacies 100% when	Up to 3 years \$200	
Dose administration aids		100% when provided at selected Friendlies pharmacies			provided at selected Friendlies pharmacies		
Health Education programs		100%			100%		
Living Longer Living Stronger initial Consultation		\$27			\$27		
Quit Smoking, Friendlies Health, Weight Management and Diabetes Swimming programs		60%			60%		
Hearing Aid							
Hearing Aid	36 months	3 – 5 years \$550 5 – 10 years \$600 Over 10 years \$650	One pp per 5 years up to 15 years One pp per 3 years over 15 years	12 months	100%	1 - 2 years \$500 2 - 3 years \$600 3 - 4 years \$800 Over 4 years \$1000 Annual limits can only be claimed every 3 years	Increased benefits and annual limits and reduced waitin period to 12 month
Occupational Therap	y						
nitial consultation		\$36	Up to 3 years \$500		\$36	Up to 3 years \$500	
Subsequent consultation - less than 30 mins		\$20	Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational Therapy, Eye Therapy		\$20	Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational Therapy, Eye Therapy and Speech Therapy	
Subsequent consultation - more than 30 mins	2 months	\$32		2 months	\$32		
Group consultation		\$8	and Speech Therapy		\$8		
Optical – Glasses ⁹ A minimum of 30% of all coated or uncoated stand (including add-ons) a disc	dard single vis	ion, bi-focal or multi-	focal/progressive lenses.	d from any HB For partially c	F Member Plus optico overed glasses purch	al store and the frames an nased at an HBF Member	re fitted with hard Plus optical store
Frames and single vision enses	- 2 months	\$120	1 pair of glasses when purchasing frames with lenses up to \$120 for single vision lenses, or \$160	2 months	\$120	1 pair of glasses when purchasing frames with lenses up to \$120 for single vision lenses, or \$160	No change.
Frames and bi-focal or multi-focal lenses		\$160	for bi-focal or multi focal lenses. \$120 sub-limit for frames when purchased without lenses		\$160	for bi-focal or multi focal lenses. \$120 sub-limit for frames when purchased without lenses	

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Commonly used services	Waiting Benefits (up to annual limits)		Annual limits per person (pp) per calendar year	Waiting Benefits (up to annual limits)		Annual limits per person (pp) per calendar year	What is the change?	
Optical – Contact Lenses		Length of Cover Amount			Length of Cover Amount			
spherical rigid or soft contact lenses		\$127	1 pair of contacts or up to \$140 for frequent	2 months	\$127	1 pair of contacts or up to \$140 for frequent replacement/ disposable lenses per year	No change.	
oric – rigid or soft lenses		\$178			\$178			
requent replacement/ lisposable contact lenses	2 months	Up to \$140	replacement/ disposable lenses		Up to \$140			
Bi-focal/progressive enses		\$204	per year		\$204			
Osteopathy								
nitial consultation	2	\$22	Up to 1 year \$350 1 - 2 years \$400 2 - 3 years \$450		\$22	Up to 1 year \$350 1 - 2 years \$400 2 - 3 years \$450 Over 3 years \$500 Combined annual limits for Chiropractic and Osteopathy	No change.	
ubsequent onsultation	2 months	\$17	Over 3 years \$500 Combined annual limits for Chiropractic and Osteopathy		\$17			
Pharmacy								
or pharmaceuticals sted on the HBF harmacy Schedule	2 months	Cost of medicine less member co-payment ¹⁰	Up to 3 years \$200 Over 3 years \$300	2 months	Cost of medicine less member co-payment ¹⁰	Up to 3 years \$200 Over 3 years \$300	No change.	
Physiotherapy								
nitial consultation	2 months	\$27	Up to 1 year \$500 1 - 2 years \$600 2 - 3 years \$700 Over 3 years \$800	2 months	\$39	Up to 1 year \$350 1 - 2 years \$400 2 - 3 years \$450 Over 3 years \$500	Reduced limits an increased benefits	
ubsequent consultation	2 1110111115	\$21			\$32			
Podiatry			in the second second					
nitial consultation clinic based)		\$26	10 consultations	2 months	\$26	— 10 consultations	No change.	
rief consultation clinic based)	2 months	\$14			\$14			
ntermediate onsultation (clinic based)	Zinonens	\$20	10 consultations		\$20			
omprehensive onsultation (clinic based)		\$24			\$24			
oot Orthoses – ncluding casting ¹¹		Up to \$240	\$240 per year	12 months	Up to \$240	\$240 per year		
Diagnostic testing and biomechanical avaluation ¹¹	12 months	Up to \$60	\$60 per year		Up to \$60	\$60 per year		
Speech Therapy								
nitial consultation up to 45 mins		\$59	Up to 3 years \$500 Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational	2 months	\$59	Up to 3 years \$500 Over 3 years \$800 Combined annual limits for Occupational Therapy, Eye Therapy and Speech Therapy		
nitial consultation 45 to 90 mins		\$74			\$74			
ubsequent consultation up to 45 mins	2 months	\$32			\$32			
ubsequent consultation 45 to 90 mins		\$44	Therapy, Eye Therapy and Speech Therapy		\$44			
iroup consultation		\$8			\$8			
Urgent Ambulance ¹²								
Irgent Ambulance by road)	7 days	Cover for urgent ambulance transport	No limit	7 days	Cover for urgent ambulance transport	No limit	No change.	

¹⁰ This may vary depending on the medication. ¹¹ Foot Orthoses must be medically necessary and custom-made from one of the following providers approved by HBF: Podiatrist, Orthotist, Pedorthist or Surgical Bootmaker. For some Foot Orthoses, HBF will only pay a benefit when provided by an approved Podiatrist or Orthotist. ¹² HBF will cover the cost for urgent ambulance transport by road only for circumstances classified as emergency or urgent.

HBF reserves the right to make changes to its products, benefits and terms and conditions from time to time. HBF will notify the policyholder a reasonable time in advance of any changes that might be detrimental to the member's interests.