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Insurance Funder MedStart
Administrator MedStart
Options

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Information Relevant to Benefits and Options for 2016
Effective Date 1 January 2016

With effect 01 January 2016, Mediscor will apply the medicine benefit rules for MedStart Insurance Funder as outlined below.

Only authorised OTC medicine may be dispensed by pharmacies.

Herewith the detail for submitting medicine claims to Mediscor:

1.	Scheme Code (PCN)	MDS0102
2.	Switch Destination Code	MEDS0003
3.	EDI Activation Code (Dispensing Doctors)	754P
4.	Default Reference pricing	Not Applicable
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's gender (male/female)	Yes / Compulsory
12.	Practice number of the prescriber	Yes / Compulsory
13.	9 digit NAPPI code of medicine dispensed	Yes / Compulsory
14.	ICD-10 Diagnosis code	Yes / Compulsory
15.	Membership number requirements	Minimum 12 numerical including dependant code
16.	Payments to Providers	Mediscor PBM
17.	Chronic pre-authorisation	Not Applicable
18.	Default Dispensing Fee – Pharmacies (OTC only)	SEP + 28%/R28.00 (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 Funder.**
- **Dispensing fee structure(s) will be applied on scheduled medicines (0 – 8) and unscheduled products.**

* Refer to Mediscor website www.mediscor.net

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT:

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Mediscor E-Mail : [**info@mediscor.co.za**](mailto:info@mediscor.co.za)

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Kind Regards

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