2018 State Premiums & Benefits VICTORIA





At Police Health, we make your private health insurance choices as simple as possible to ensure maximum value. Premium Cover: Our products are simple, great value and designed for life. Once you've found us, you won't want to let us go.

Please read our Products & Benefits Guide for a full description on covers and important information you will need to know before joining.

Am I eligible for the Australian Government Rebate on private health insurance?

To find out if you're eligible, you first need to check what income tier you sit in.

	Base Tier	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3 (No rebate)
Your single income is	\$90,000 or less	\$90,001- \$105,000	\$105,001- \$140,000	\$140,001 or more
Your family income is	\$180,000 or less	\$180,001- \$210,000	\$210,001- \$280,000	\$280,001 or more

The families' threshold is increased by \$1,500 for each dependent child after the first. Families include couples and single parent families.

Rebate percentage for period 1 April 2018 - 31 March 2019						
Under age 65	25.42%	16.94%	8.47%	0.00%		
Age 65-69	29.65%	21.18%	12.71%	0.00%		
Age 70 or over	33.89%	25.42%	16.94%	0.00%		
Medicare Levy Surcharge						
All ages	0.0%	1.0%	1.25%	1.5%		

Income for rebate purposes will be calculated by the Australian Taxation Office (ATO), they will apply the same rules that apply for the Medicare Levy Surcharge; further assistance can be found on the ATO website www.ato.gov.au.

You can change your Rebate Tier any time simply by advising Police Health in writing. Any difference between what you have claimed during the year and your entitlement as calculated by the ATO will be refunded or charged on your tax return assessment. There are no penalties for estimating an incorrect Rebate Tier.

Are you aged 65 years and older?

The premiums shown in this guide are based on the oldest person on the policy being under 65 years. For those 65 years or older you may be entitled to a higher Rebate, please call us.

Lifetime Health Cover (LHC) Loading

The premiums shown in this guide are based on rates applying to those having existing hospital cover with a certified age of entry of 30 or, who join hospital insurance by June 30 following their 31st birthday. If neither of these apply, contact Police Health for the LHC premiums that apply to you.

What Rebate am I eligible for if I pay a LHC Loading?

If you are subject to a LHC loading, the rebate only applies to the base premium and not to the LHC loading component of your premium.

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What you'll pay for Top Hospital

Our Top Hospital product covers you for treatment in any recognised hospital or day-surgery (public or private) anywhere in Australia. It is designed to give you and your family complete freedom of choice in your hospital care.

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What you'll pay for SureCover Extras

We're confident you'll love our extras cover. It's designed exclusively for the needs of the policing community, providing a wide range of everyday benefits that can help you to stay healthy.

	Base Tier 25.42%** Full Rebate	Tier 1 16.94%**	Tier 2 8.47%**	Tier 3 0.0% No rebate
Family (& Couples)				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$149.75 \$1,003.65 \$1,977.25 \$3,894.30	\$166.75 \$1,117.70 \$2,201.80 \$4,336.65	\$183.75 \$1,231.70 \$2,426.40 \$4,779.00	\$200.80 \$1,345.70 \$2,651.00 \$5,221.30
Single Parent Family				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$131.05 \$878.20 \$1,730.10 \$3,407.50	\$145.90 \$978.00 \$1,926.60 \$3,794.55	\$160.80 \$1,077.75 \$2,123.15 \$4,181.60	\$175.70 \$1,177.50 \$2,319.65 \$4,568.65
Single				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$74.85 \$501.85 \$988.60 \$1,947.15	\$83.35 \$558.85 \$1,100.90 \$2,168.30	\$91.90 \$615.85 \$1,213.20 \$2,389.50	\$100.40 \$672.85 \$1,325.50 \$2,610.65

^{*}Premiums based on oldest person under policy being under 65 years. For premiums that apply to over 65 years please see our website policehealth.com.au or call us.

^{**} Premiums available on applying the Australian Government Rebate on private health insurance.

	Base Tier 25.42%** Full Rebate	Tier 1 16.94%**	Tier 2 8.47%**	Tier 3 0.0% No rebate
Family (includes Couples &	Single Parent Familie	es)		
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly Single	\$74.85 \$501.80 \$988.60 \$1,947.15	\$83.35 \$558.80 \$1,100.90 \$2,168.35	\$91.90 \$615.80 \$1,213.20 \$2,389.55	\$100.40 \$672.80 \$1,325.50 \$2,610.70
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$37.40 \$250.90 \$494.30 \$973.60	\$41.65 \$279.40 \$550.45 \$1,084.15	\$45.95 \$307.90 \$606.60 \$1,194.75	\$50.20 \$336.40 \$662.75 \$1,305.35

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What you'll pay for Platinum Health

This is our most popular health cover. It is Top Hospital and SureCover extras combined at a discounted premium, providing even more value.

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	Base Tier 25.42%** Full Rebate	Tier 1 16.94%**	Tier 2 8.47%**	Tier 3 0.0% No rebate
Family (& Couples)				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$220.15 \$1,475.50 \$2,906.80 \$5,725.10	\$245.15 \$1,643.10 \$3,236.95 \$6,375.45	\$270.15 \$1,810.70 \$3,567.15 \$7,025.75	\$295.20 \$1,978.30 \$3,897.30 \$7,676.00
Single Parent Family				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$201.45 \$1,350.10 \$2,659.65 \$5,238.30	\$224.30 \$1,503.45 \$2,961.75 \$5,833.30	\$247.20 \$1,656.80 \$3,263.85 \$6,428.35	\$270.10 \$1,810.15 \$3,565.95 \$7,023.30
Single				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$110.05 \$737.75 \$1,453.40 \$2,862.55	\$122.55 \$821.55 \$1,618.45 \$3,187.70	\$135.10 \$905.35 \$1,783.55 \$3,512.85	\$147.60 \$989.15 \$1,948.65 \$3,838.00

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What you'll pay for Platinum Plus

All the same benefits and cover as Platinum Health including the partial benefits for corrective laser eye surgery, but covers your student and non-student children until the age of 25 as long as they are not married/defacto and not currently studying full time.

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	Base Tier 25.42%** Full Rebate	Tier 1 16.94%**	Tier 2 8.47%**	Tier 3 0.0% No rebate
Family (& Couples)				
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly Single Parent Family	\$274.15 \$1,837.40 \$3,619.70 \$7,129.20	\$305.30 \$2,046.15 \$4,030.85 \$7,939.00	\$336.45 \$2,254.85 \$4,442.00 \$8,748.85	\$367.60 \$2,463.55 \$4,853.15 \$9,558.55
Fortnightly Direct Debit Quarterly Half Yearly Yearly	\$255.45 \$1,711.95 \$3,372.55 \$6,642.40	\$284.45 \$1,906.45 \$3,755.65 \$7,396.90	\$313.45 \$2,100.90 \$4,138.75 \$8,151.40	\$342.50 \$2,295.35 \$4,521.80 \$8,905.85

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What benefits you are eligible for under SureCover Extras

There are over 600 services covered, these are some examples. Please call us if there is a particular service or appliance you are seeking and do not see here.

Service Type	Waiting Periods	Example Benefits	Annual Maximum per person	Rollover Maximum per person*
General Dental Includes check-ups, x-rays, simple extractions, fillings and root canal.	2 months	 Oral exam (2 every calendar year) 80% up to \$52.50 Scale and clean (2 every calendar year) 80% up to \$105.60 Filling-adhesive posterior 3 surface 80% up to \$202.40 Mouth Guard 1 (1 every calendar year) 80% up to \$151.80 	Unlimited	N/A
Major Dental Includes crowns and dentures.	12 months	 Full crown-veneered 80% up to \$1,380.00 Complete upper & lower dentures (1 every 3 years) 80% up to \$1,794.00 12 month waiting periods may be waived where it has been served with a previous fund. Rollover Maximums available after 2 years membership. 	\$1,300	\$2,600
Orthodontic Orthodontic benefits work slightly differently. Limits applicable after completion of anniversary years.	12 months	Lifetime limit \$3,000 80% up to Annual Maximum We recognise your time served with other health insurers and in many cases new members can go direct to our \$1,500 Annual Maximum.	1st year \$0 2nd year \$800 3rd year \$800 4th year \$1,500	N/A
Optical	2 months	General Optical Providers: Standard single vision lenses 80% up to \$113.20 Standard progressive lenses 80% up to \$276.00 Contact lenses, disposable-spherical 80% up to \$134.40 Contact lenses, rigid 80% up to \$249.60 Frames set benefit \$110.00 At OPSM and Laubman & Pank: Standard single vision lenses 100% Standard progressive lenses 100% Contact lenses, disposable-spherical 100% Contact lenses, rigid 100% Frames set benefit up to \$110.00	\$330	\$660
Chiropractic Naturopathy Acupuncture Osteopathy	2 months	 Initial consult 80% up to \$77.00 Subsequent consult 80% up to \$48.10 Initial consult 80% up to \$101.20 Subsequent consult 80% up to \$71.30 Initial consult 80% up to \$81.80 Subsequent consult 80% up to \$70.20 Initial consult 80% up to \$90.10 Subsequent consult 80% up to \$78.30 	\$700 combined	\$1,400
Complementary Therapies		Therapies consult \$30.00		N/A

Service Type	Waiting Periods	Example Benefits	Annual Maximum per person	Rollover Maximum per person*
Physiotherapy	2 months	Initial consult 80% up to \$81.50Subsequent consult 80% up to \$69.00	\$850 combined Sub-limit for exercise physiology	\$1,700
Exercise Physiology	2 months	 Initial consult 80% up to \$73.60 Subsequent consult 80% up to \$59.10 	\$400 per person, up to \$800 per family	N/A
Speech Therapy	2 months	Initial consult 80% up to \$138.00Subsequent consult 80% up to \$142.60	\$850	\$1,700
Occupational Therapy	2 months	Initial consult 80% up to \$165.60Subsequent consult 80% up to \$115.00	\$600	\$1,200
Eye Therapy	2 months	Initial consult 80% up to \$50.60Subsequent consult 80% up to \$41.40	\$600	\$1,200
Dietary	2 months	Initial consult 80% up to \$105.80Subsequent consult 80% up to \$59.80	\$600	\$1,200
Podiatry	2 months	 Initial consult 80% up to \$70.95 Subsequent consult (< 20 mins) 80% up to \$66.25 	\$700	\$1,400
Psychology Counselling	2 months	 Consultations (46-60 mins) 80% up to \$151.80 Consultation 80% up to \$80.00 	\$850 combined Sub-limit for counselling \$400 per person, up to \$800 per family	\$1,700 N/A
Ambulance	2 months	Clinically required transport 100% Treatment no transport required 100%	Unlimited	N/A
Pharmaceutical Available at any recognised pharmacy.	2 months	Excludes government subsidised PBS prescriptions Per script up to \$50 after you pay the first \$20.00 Note: While many medicines are covered, some are not. \$20 may increase for dispensing greater than the minimum standard packaged quantity. Refer to our website.	\$600	\$1,200
School Accident		Additional benefits apply to clinically required services resulting from an accident whilst at or travelling to or from school (some restrictions apply) 100%	\$500	N/A
Health Appliances Doctor's referral may be required for some appliances.	12 months	 Hearing aids 80% up to \$1,200.00 Nebulisers 80% up to \$200.00 Blood glucose monitors 80% up to \$250.00 Blood coagulation monitor (INR) 80% up to \$400.00 	\$1,200 per 5 yrs 1 unit per 3 yrs 1 unit per 3 yrs 1 unit per 3 yrs	N/A

Get more after 10 years of continuous cover!

If you hold a SureCover Extras policy continuously for ten years, Police Health are proud to be able to increase the Hearing Aid Lifetime limit from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per person (based on individuals ten years of continuous memberships of cover). It's our way of thanking you for your loyalty to the Police Health family. Subject to a waiting periods and other conditions.

All the benefits shown here are payable only on services and at health providers recognised by Police Health. For a list of what is not covered please see the Products & Benefits Guide or contact us on 1800 603 603.* Rollover Maximum available after 12 months membership with extras cover, except major dental which requires 2 years of membership.



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...THE HOSPITAL WAS BOOKED, I WENT IN, I DIDN'T HAVE TO PAY ANY EXCESS AND EVERYTHING WAS JUST DONE.

Police Health Member, VIC