



### 2016 Benefits Changes

Please be advised of the following benefit increases to be introduced with effect from 1 January 2016:  
(full benefit details for 2016 will be available in the brochure).

Benefit Category (tariffs and co-payments as per brochure)	2015	2016
Step-down facilities	R7 000	R8 000
Specialised Dentistry	R5 800 per beneficiary at 80% thereafter 70% until the family limit of R11 000 is reached	R5 800 per beneficiary at 80% thereafter 70% until the family limit of R11 000 is reached
GP's and Specialists	R3 600 per beneficiary to a max R9 000 per family	R3 800 per beneficiary to a max R9 500 per family
Health Maintenance/Preventative Care	R1 100 per beneficiary with a max of R3 000 per family including R400 per beneficiary for dental. Immunisations included for 2015.	R1 100 per beneficiary with a max of R3 000 per family including R400 per beneficiary for dental. Immunisations included from 2015. An additional R1 000 for 2016 for child immunisations which does not accumulate to the family limit of R3 000.
Medical Appliances	Combined limit of R4 400 per family with and additional R10 000 for hearing aids	Combined limit of R4 400 paid at 80% of the RUMed tariff per family with and additional R18 000 for hearing aids paid at 90% of the RUMed tariff per ear per 4 year period.
Acute Medication	R3 400 per beneficiary with a max of R9 500 per family	R3 600 per beneficiary with a max of R10 000 per family
To Take Out (TTO) Medication	Limited to 3 days supply	Limited to R500 per admission
Oncology	R130 000 per family	R150 000 per family

### 2016 Contribution increases

The average contribution increases for 2016 was 6.03%.  
The contribution tables for 2016 will be as follows:

Income Category	Adult	Child
Under R6 000	R1 660	R295
R6 001 – R8 000	R1 760	R320
R8 001 – R10 000	R1 890	R330
R10 001 – R15 000	R2 040	R350
R15 001 – R20 000	R2 090	R360
R20 001 – R25 000	R2 160	R370
R25 001+	R2 180	R375

RUMed is proud to announce that with effect from 01 January 2015, the emergency services provider will be ER 24. Enclosed please find your new car sticker with the relevant contact details. Please note the new contact number to dial in the event of an emergency is **084 124**.