



# STAR HEALTH AND ALLIED INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

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## FAMILY HEALTH OPTIMA INSURANCE PLAN

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### PREAMBLE

The proposal, declaration and other documents given by the proposer shall be the basis of this Contract and is deemed to be incorporated herein.

### 1. DEFINITIONS

#### STANDARD DEFINITIONS

**Accident:** An accident means sudden, unforeseen and involuntary event caused by external, visible and violent means.

**Any one illness:** Any one illness means continuous period of illness and includes relapse within 45 days from the date of last consultation with the Hospital/Nursing Home where treatment was taken.

**AYUSH Day Care Centre:** AYUSH Day Care Centre means and includes Community Health Centre (CHC), Primary Health Centre (PHC), Dispensary, Clinic, Polyclinic or any such health centre which is registered with the local authorities, wherever applicable and having facilities for carrying out treatment procedures and medical or surgical/para-surgical interventions or both under the supervision of registered AYUSH Medical Practitioner(s) on day care basis without in-patient services and must comply with all the following criterion:

- Having qualified registered AYUSH Medical Practitioner(s) in charge;
- Having dedicated AYUSH therapy sections as required and/or has equipped operation theatre where surgical procedures are to be carried out;
- Maintaining daily records of the patients and making them accessible to the insurance company's authorized representative.

**AYUSH Hospital:** An AYUSH Hospital is a healthcare facility wherein medical/surgical/para-surgical treatment procedures and interventions are carried out by AYUSH Medical Practitioner(s) comprising of any of the following:

- Central or State Government AYUSH Hospital; or
- Teaching hospital attached to AYUSH College recognized by the Central Government/Central Council of Indian Medicine/Central Council for Homeopathy; or
- AYUSH Hospital, standalone or co-located with in-patient healthcare facility of any recognized system of medicine, registered with the local authorities, wherever applicable, and is under the supervision of a qualified registered AYUSH Medical Practitioner and must comply with all the following criterion:
  - Having at least 5 in-patient beds;
  - Having qualified AYUSH Medical Practitioner in charge round the clock;
  - Having dedicated AYUSH therapy sections as required and/or has equipped operation theatre where surgical procedures are to be carried out;
  - Maintaining daily records of the patients and making them accessible to the insurance company's authorized representative.

**AYUSH Treatment:** AYUSH Treatment refers to the medical and / or hospitalization treatments given under 'Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy systems'.

**Cashless facility:** Cashless facility means a facility extended by the insurer to the insured where the payments, of the costs of treatment undergone by the insured in accordance with the policy terms and conditions, are directly made to the network provider by the insurer to the extent pre-authorization is approved.

**Condition Precedent:** Condition Precedent means a policy term or condition upon which the Insurer's liability under the policy is conditional upon.

**Congenital Anomaly:** Congenital Anomaly means a condition which is present since birth, and which is abnormal with reference to form, structure or position.

- Internal Congenital Anomaly:** Congenital anomaly which is not in the visible and accessible parts of the body
- External Congenital Anomaly:** Congenital anomaly which is in the visible and accessible parts of the body

**Co-Payment:** Co-payment means a cost sharing requirement under a health insurance policy that provides that the policyholder/insured will bear a specified percentage of the admissible claims amount. A co-payment does not reduce the Sum Insured.

**Cumulative Bonus:** Cumulative Bonus means any increase or addition in the Sum Insured granted by the insurer without an associated increase in premium.

**Day Care Centre:** A day care centre means any institution established for day care treatment of illness and/or injuries or a medical setup with a hospital and which has been registered with the local authorities, wherever applicable, and is under supervision of a registered and qualified medical practitioner AND must comply with all minimum criterion as under –

- has qualified nursing staff under its employment;

- has qualified medical practitioner/s in charge;
- has fully equipped operation theatre of its own where surgical procedures are carried out;
- maintains daily records of patients and will make these accessible to the insurance company's authorized personnel.

**Day Care Treatment:** Day care treatment means medical treatment, and/or surgical procedure which is:

- Undertaken under General or Local Anesthesia in a hospital/day care centre in less than 24 hrs because of technological advancement, and
- which would have otherwise required hospitalization of more than 24 hours

Treatment normally taken on an out-patient basis is not included in the scope of this definition

**Dental Treatment:** Dental treatment means a treatment related to teeth or structures supporting teeth including examinations, fillings (where appropriate), crowns, extractions and surgery.

**Disclosure to information norm:** The policy shall be void and all premium paid thereon shall be forfeited to the Company in the event of misrepresentation, mis-description or non-disclosure of any material fact.

**Domiciliary Hospitalization:** Domiciliary hospitalization means medical treatment for an illness/disease/injury which in the normal course would require care and treatment at a hospital but is actually taken while confined at home under any of the following circumstances:

- the condition of the patient is such that he/she is not in a condition to be removed to a hospital, or
- the patient takes treatment at home on account of non-availability of room in a hospital

**Grace Period:** Grace period means the specified period of time immediately following the premium due date during which a payment can be made to renew or continue a policy in force without loss of continuity benefits such as waiting periods and coverage of pre-existing diseases. Coverage is not available for the period for which no premium is received.

**Hospital:** A hospital means any institution established for in-patient care and day care treatment of illness and/or injuries and which has been registered as a hospital with the local authorities under Clinical Establishments (Registration and Regulation) Act 2010 or under enactments specified under the Schedule of Section 56(1) of the said act Or complies with all minimum criteria as under:

- has qualified nursing staff under its employment round the clock;
- has at least 10 in-patient beds in towns having a population of less than 10,00,000 and at least 15 in-patient beds in all other places;
- has qualified medical practitioner(s) in charge round the clock;
- has a fully equipped operation theatre of its own where surgical procedures are carried out;
- maintains daily records of patients and makes these accessible to the insurance company's authorized personnel;

**Hospitalization:** Hospitalization means admission in a Hospital for a minimum period of 24 consecutive 'In-patient Care' hours except for specified procedures/ treatments, where such admission could be for a period of less than 24 consecutive hours.

**Illness:** Illness means a sickness or a disease or pathological condition leading to the impairment of normal physiological function and requires medical treatment;

**(a) Acute condition** - Acute condition is a disease, illness or injury that is likely to respond quickly to treatment which aims to return the person to his or her state of health immediately before suffering the disease/ illness/ injury which leads to full recovery

**(b) Chronic condition** - A chronic condition is defined as a disease, illness, or injury that has one or more of the following characteristics;

- It needs ongoing or long-term monitoring through consultations, examinations, check-ups, and/or tests
- it needs ongoing or long-term control or relief of symptoms
- it requires rehabilitation for the patient or for the patient to be specially trained to cope with it
- it continues indefinitely
- it recurs or is likely to recur

**Injury:** Injury means accidental physical bodily harm excluding illness or disease solely and directly caused by external, violent, visible and evident means which is verified and certified by a Medical Practitioner.

**Inpatient Care:** Inpatient care means treatment for which the insured person has to stay in a hospital for more than 24 hours for a covered event.

**Intensive Care Unit:** Intensive care unit means an identified section, ward or wing of a hospital which is under the constant supervision of a dedicated *medical practitioner(s)*, and which is specially equipped for the continuous monitoring and treatment of patients who are in a critical condition, or require life support facilities and where the level of care and supervision is considerably more sophisticated and intensive than in the ordinary and other wards.

**ICU Charges:** ICU (Intensive Care Unit) Charges means the amount charged by a Hospital towards ICU expenses which shall include the expenses for ICU bed, general medical support services provided to any ICU patient including monitoring devices, critical care nursing and intensivists charges.

**Medical Advice:** Medical Advice means any consultation or advice from a Medical Practitioner including the issuance of any prescription or follow-up prescription.

**Medical Expenses:** Medical Expenses means those expenses that an Insured Person has necessarily and actually incurred for medical treatment on account of Illness or Accident on the advice of a Medical Practitioner, as long as these are no more than would have been payable if the Insured Person had not been insured and no more than other hospitals or doctors in the same locality would have charged for the same medical treatment.

**Medical Practitioner:** Medical Practitioner means a person who holds a valid registration from the Medical Council of any State or Medical Council of India or Council for Indian Medicine or for Homeopathy set up by the Government of India or a State Government and is thereby entitled to practice medicine within its jurisdiction; and is acting within its scope and jurisdiction of license.

**Medically Necessary Treatment:** Medically necessary treatment means any treatment, tests, medication, or stay in hospital or part of a stay in hospital which:

- is required for the medical management of the illness or injury suffered by the insured;
- must not exceed the level of care necessary to provide safe, adequate and appropriate medical care in scope, duration, or intensity;
- must have been prescribed by a *medical practitioner*;
- must conform to the professional standards widely accepted in international medical practice or by the medical community in India.

**Migration:** "Migration" means, the right accorded to health insurance policyholders (including all members under family cover and members of group health insurance policy), to transfer the credit gained for pre-existing conditions and time bound exclusions, with the same insurer.

**Network Provider:** Network Provider means hospitals or health care providers enlisted by an insurer, TPA or jointly by an Insurer and TPA to provide medical services to an insured by a cashless facility.

**New Born Baby:** Newborn baby means baby born during the Policy Period and is aged upto 90 days.

**Non-Network Provider:** Non-Network means any hospital, day care centre or other provider that is not part of the network.

**Notification of Claim:** Notification of claim means the process of intimating a claim to the insurer or TPA through any of the recognized modes of communication.

**Pre-Existing Disease:** Pre-existing Disease means any condition, ailment, injury or disease:

- That is/are diagnosed by a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer or its reinstatement or
- For which medical advice or treatment was recommended by, or received from, a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer or its reinstatement

**Pre-hospitalization Medical Expenses:** Pre-hospitalization Medical Expenses means medical expenses incurred during pre-defined number of days preceding the hospitalization of the Insured Person, provided that:

- Such Medical Expenses are incurred for the same condition for which the Insured Person's Hospitalization was required, and
- The In-patient Hospitalization claim for such Hospitalization is admissible by the Insurance Company

**Portability:** "Portability" means, the right accorded to individual health insurance policyholders (including all members under family cover), to transfer the credit gained for pre-existing conditions and time bound exclusions, from one insurer to another insurer.

**Post-hospitalization Medical Expenses:** Post-hospitalization Medical Expenses means medical expenses incurred during pre-defined number of days immediately after the insured person is discharged from the hospital provided that:

- Such Medical Expenses are for the same condition for which the insured person's hospitalization was required, and
- The inpatient hospitalization claim for such hospitalization is admissible by the insurance company.

**Qualified Nurse:** Qualified nurse means a person who holds a valid registration from the Nursing Council of India or the Nursing Council of any state in India.

**Reasonable and Customary Charges:** Reasonable and Customary charges means the charges for services or supplies, which are the standard charges for the specific provider and consistent with the prevailing charges in the geographical area for identical or similar services, taking into account the nature of the illness / injury involved.

**Renewal:** Renewal means the terms on which the contract of insurance can be renewed on mutual consent with a provision of grace period for treating the renewal continuous for the purpose of gaining credit for pre-existing diseases, time-bound exclusions and for all waiting periods.

**Room Rent:** Room Rent means the amount charged by a Hospital towards Room and Boarding expenses and shall include the associated medical expenses.

**Surgery or Surgical Procedure:** Surgery or Surgical Procedure means manual and / or operative procedure(s) required for treatment of an illness or injury, correction of deformities and defects, diagnosis and cure of diseases, relief from suffering and prolongation of life, performed in a hospital or day care centre by a *medical practitioner*.

**Unproven/Experimental treatment:** Unproven/Experimental treatment means the treatment including drug experimental therapy which is not based on established medical practice in India, is treatment experimental or unproven.

### SPECIFIC DEFINITIONS

**Associated medical expenses:** Associated medical expenses means medical expenses such as Professional fees, OT charges, Procedure charges, etc., which vary based on the room category occupied by the insured person whilst undergoing treatment in some of the hospitals. If Policy Holder chooses a higher room category above the eligibility defined in policy, then proportionate deduction will apply on the Associated Medical Expenses in addition to the difference in room rent. Such associated medical expenses do not include Cost of pharmacy and consumables, Cost of implants and medical devices and Cost of diagnostics.

**Assisted Reproduction Treatment:** Assisted Reproduction Treatment means intrauterine insemination (IUI), Intra-Cytoplasmic Sperm Injection (ICSI), In-Vitro Fertilisation (IVF) and TESA/ TESE (Testicular / Epididymal Sperm Aspiration / Extraction).

**Company:** Company means Star Health and Allied Insurance Company Limited.

**Dependent Child:** Dependent Child means a child (natural or legally adopted) who is financially dependent and does not have his / her independent sources of income and not over 25 years.

**Diagnosis:** Diagnosis means diagnosis by a registered medical practitioner, supported by clinical, radiological, histological, histo-pathological and laboratory evidence and also surgical evidence wherever applicable, acceptable to the Company.

**Family:** Family includes Insured Person, Spouse / Live in partner / Same Sex partner, dependent children between 16 days and 25 years of age not exceeding 3 in number. Dependent Parent / Parents in law.

**Insured Person:** Insured Person means the name/s of persons named in the schedule of the Policy.

**Instalment:** Instalment means frequency of Premium amount paid through Quarterly / Half-yearly mode by the Policy Holder / Insured.

**In-Patient:** In-Patient means an Insured Person who is admitted to Hospital and stays there for a minimum period of 24 hours for the sole purpose of receiving treatment

**Limit of Coverage:** Limit of Coverage means Sum Insured plus Cumulative Bonus earned wherever applicable.

**Shared accommodation:** Shared accommodation means a room with two or more patient beds in a Network Hospital.

**Single Standard A/c room:** Single Standard A/c room means a single occupancy air-conditioned room with attached wash room and a couch for the attendant. The room may have a television and/or a telephone. Such room must be the most economical of all accommodations available in that hospital as single occupancy. This does not include a deluxe room or a suite.

**Sum Insured:** Sum Insured means the Sum Insured Opted for and for which the premium is paid.

**Zone A:** Delhi, New Delhi, Faridabad, Gurugram, Shahdara, Ahmedabad, Surat, Vadodara, Gautam Buddha Nagar, Ghaziabad, Mewat, Alwar, Baghpat, Bhiwani, Bulandshahar, Fatehabad, Hisar, Jhajjar, Jind, Kaithal, Karnal, Kurukshetra, Mahendragarh, Meerut, Muzaffar nagar, Palwal, Panchsheel Nagar, Panipat, Rewari, Rohtak, Saharanpur, Sirsa and Sonapat.

**Zone B:** Mumbai (Including suburban), Rest of Gujarat, Thane, Palghar and Raigad

**Zone C:** Chennai, Ernakulam, Thiruvananthapuram, Bengaluru, Chengalpattu, Kanchipuram, Nashik, Pune, Tiruvallur, Hyderabad, Kollam, Wayanad, Indore, K V Ranga Reddy, Medchal Malkajgiri, Ahmed Nagar and Gwalior

**Zone D:** Rest of India

### **2. COVERAGE**

In consideration of the premium paid, subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and definitions contained herein the Company agrees as under.

If during the period stated in the Policy Schedule the insured person sustains bodily injury or contracts any disease or suffer from any illness and if such disease or injury shall require the Insured person, upon the advice of a duly qualified Medical Practitioner to incur Hospitalisation expenses for Medical/Surgical treatment at any Nursing Home / Hospital in India as an In-patient, the Company will indemnify the Insured Person such expenses as are reasonably and necessarily incurred under the Coverage but not exceeding the Limit of Coverage stated in the Policy schedule.

- A. Room, Boarding, Nursing Expenses all inclusive as provided by the Hospital / Nursing Home as per the limits given below;

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit (Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Upto 2,000/- per day
2,00,000/-	
3,00,000/-	Upto 5,000/- per day
4,00,000/-	
5,00,000/-	Single Standard A/C Room
10,00,000/-	
15,00,000/-	
20,00,000/-	
25,00,000/-	

**Note:** Expenses relating to Associated medical expenses will be considered in proportion to the eligible room rent/room category stated in the policy schedule or actuals whichever is less. Proportionate deductions are not applied in respect of the hospitals which do not follow differential billing or for those expenses in respect of which differential billing is not adopted based on the room category.

- B. Surgeon, Anesthetist, Medical Practitioner, Consultants, Specialist Fees.
- C. Anesthesia, Blood, Oxygen, Operation theatre charges, ICU charges, Surgical appliances, Medicines and Drugs, Diagnostic materials and X-ray, Diagnostic imaging modalities, dialysis, chemotherapy, radiotherapy, cost of pacemaker, stent and similar expenses. With regard to coronary stenting, medicines, Implants and such other similar items the Company will pay cost of stent as per the Drug Price Control Order (DPCO) / National Pharmaceuticals Pricing Authority (NPPA) Capping.

- D. All day care procedures are covered.  
Expenses on Hospitalization for a minimum period of 24 hours only are admissible. However this time limit will not apply for the day care treatments / procedures, where treatment is taken in the Hospital / Nursing Home and the Insured is discharged on the same day.

- E. Expenses incurred on treatment of Cataract is subject to the limit as per the following table

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit per eye (in Rs.)	Limit per policy period (in Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Up to 12,000/- per eye, per policy period	
2,00,000/-		
3,00,000/-	Up to 25,000/-	Up to 35,000/-
4,00,000/-	Up to 30,000/-	Up to 45,000/-
5,00,000/-	Up to 40,000/-	Up to 60,000/-
10,00,000/-	Up to 50,000/-	Up to 75,000/-
15,00,000/-		
20,00,000/-		
25,00,000/-		

- F. **Emergency Road ambulance** charges up to a sum of Rs. 750/- per hospitalization and overall limit of Rs. 1,500/- per policy period for transportation of the insured person by private ambulance service when this is needed for medical reasons to go to hospital for treatment provided there is an admissible claim for hospitalization under the policy.

- G. **Air Ambulance** charges up to 10% of the Sum Insured during the entire policy period, provided that;

- It is for life threatening emergency health condition/s of the insured person which requires immediate and rapid ambulance transportation to the hospital/medical centre that ground transportation cannot provide
- Necessary medical treatment not being available at the location where the Insured Person is situated at the time of Emergency
- It is prescribed by a Medical Practitioner and is Medically Necessary
- The insured person is in India and the treatment is in India only
- Such Air ambulance should have been duly licensed to operate as such by Competent Authorities of the Government/s

**Note:** This benefit is available for sum insured options of Rs. 5,00,000/- and above only.

- H. **Relevant Pre-Hospitalization** medical expenses incurred for a period not exceeding 60 days prior to the date of hospitalization, for the disease/illness, injury sustained following an admissible claim for hospitalization under the policy.

- I. **Post Hospitalization** medical expenses incurred for a period of 90 days from the date of discharge from the hospital towards Consultant fees, Diagnostic charges, Medicines and Drugs wherever recommended by the Hospital / Medical Practitioner, where the treatment was taken, following an admissible claim for hospitalization provided however such expenses so incurred are in respect of ailment for which the insured person was hospitalized.

- J. **Domiciliary Hospitalization:** Coverage for medical treatment (Including AYUSH) for a period exceeding three days, for an illness/disease/injury, which in the normal course, would require care and treatment at a Hospital but, on the advice of the attending Medical Practitioner, is taken whilst confined at home under any of the following circumstances;

- The condition of the patient is such that he/she is not in a condition to be removed to a Hospital, or
- The patient takes treatment at home on account of non-availability of room in a hospital

However, this benefit shall not cover Asthma, Bronchitis, Chronic Nephritis and Nephritic Syndrome, Diarrhoea and all types of Dysenteries including Gastro-enteritis, Diabetes Mellitus and Insipidus, Epilepsy, Hypertension, Influenza, Cough and Cold, all Psychiatric or Psychosomatic Disorders, Pyrexia of unknown origin for less than 10 days, Tonsillitis and Upper Respiratory Tract infection including Laryngitis and Pharyngitis, Arthritis, Gout and Rheumatism.

- K. **Organ Donor Expenses** for organ transplantation where the insured person is the recipient are payable provided the claim for transplantation is payable and subject to the availability of the sum insured. Donor screening expenses and post-donation complications of the donor are not payable. This cover is subject to a limit of 10% of the Sum Insured or Rupees One lakh, whichever is less.

- L. **Cost of Health Checkup:** Expenses incurred towards cost of health check-up up to the limits mentioned in the table given below for every claim free year provided the health checkup is done at network hospitals and the policy is in force. If a claim is made by any of the insured persons, the health check up benefits will not be available under the policy

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit Per Policy Period (Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Not Available
2,00,000/-	
3,00,000/-	Up to 750/-
4,00,000/-	Up to 1,000/-
5,00,000/-	Up to 1,500/-
10,00,000/-	Up to 2,000/-
15,00,000/-	Up to 2,500/-
20,00,000/-	Up to 3,000/-
25,00,000/-	Up to 3,500/-

**Note**

- This benefit is payable on renewal and when the renewed policy is in force
- Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured and will not impact the Bonus
- Payment of any claim under this benefit shall not be construed as a waiver of Company's right to repudiate any claim on grounds of non disclosure of material fact or pre-existing disease, for hospitalization expenses under hospitalization provisions of the policy contract

- M. **Hospitalization expenses for treatment of New Born Baby:** The coverage for New Born Baby starts from the 16th day after its birth till the expiry date of the policy and is subject to a limit of 10% of the Sum Insured or Rupees Fifty thousand, whichever is less, subject to the availability of the sum insured, provided the mother is insured under the policy for a continuous period of 12 months without break.

**Note**

- Intimation about the birth of the New Born Baby should be given to the company and policy has to be endorsed for this cover to commence
- Exclusion no. 3 (**Code Excl 03**) as stated under this policy shall not apply for the New Born Baby
- All other terms, conditions and exclusions shall apply for the New Born Baby
- The Exclusion No.1 (**Code Excl 01**), Exclusion No.2 (**Code Excl 02**), Exclusion No.3 (**Code Excl 03**) and the above mentioned sublimit will not apply for treatment related to Congenital Internal disease / defects for the new born.

- N. **Emergency Domestic Medical Evacuation:** Subject to limits mentioned in the table given below, the Company will reimburse reasonable and necessary expenses incurred towards transportation of the insured person from the hospital where the insured person is currently undergoing treatment to another hospital for further treatment provided;

- The medical condition of the Insured Person is a life threatening emergency.
- Further treatment facilities are not available in the current hospital.



- c. The Medical Evacuation is recommended by the treating Medical Practitioner.  
d. Claim for Hospitalization is admissible under the policy.

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit per hospitalization (Rs.)
Up to 4,00,000/-	Up to 5,000/-
5,00,000/- to 15,00,000/-	Up to 7,500/-
20,00,000/- and 25,00,000/-	Up to 10,000/-

**Note:** Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured but will impact the Bonus.

- O. Compassionate travel:** In the event of the insured person being hospitalized for a life threatening emergency at a place away from his usual place of residence as recorded in the policy, the Company will reimburse the transportation expenses by air incurred up to Rs. 5,000/- for one immediate family member (other than the travel companion) for travel towards the place where hospital is located, provided the claim for hospitalization is admissible under the policy.

**Note:** This benefit is available for sum insured options of Rs.10,00,000/- and above only. Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured but will impact the Bonus.

- P. Repatriation of Mortal Remains:** Following an admissible claim for hospitalization under the policy, the Company shall reimburse up to Rs.5,000/- per policy period towards the cost of repatriation of mortal remains of the insured person (including the cost of embalming and coffin charges) to the residence of the Insured as recorded in the policy. Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured but will impact the Bonus.

- Q. Treatment in Valuable Service Provider:** In the event of a medical contingency requiring hospitalization, if the insured seeks advice from the Company, the Company may suggest an appropriate hospital from the network for treatment. Where the insured accepts the same and undergoes treatment in the suggested hospital, an amount calculated at 1% of Sum Insured subject to a maximum of Rs.5,000/- per policy period is payable as lump sum.

**Note**

- This benefit is applicable for Sum Insured of Rs.3,00,000/- and above only
- This benefit is payable only if there is an admissible claim for hospitalization under the policy
- This benefit shall be paid if a hospital is a part of the list as on date of admission
- Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured but will impact the Bonus
- The Company shall not be responsible for the quality of the treatment in the Valuable Service Provider

- 6. FOR LIST OF VALUABLE SERVICE PROVIDER PLEASE VISIT WEBSITE : [www.starhealth.in](http://www.starhealth.in).**

- R. Shared accommodation:** If the Insured person occupies, a shared accommodation during in-patient hospitalization, then amount as per table given below will be payable for each continuous and completed period of 24 hours of stay in such shared accommodation.

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit per day (Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Not Available
2,00,000/-	
3,00,000/-	
4,00,000/-	800/- per day
5,00,000/-	
10,00,000/-	
15,00,000/-	
20,00,000/-	1000/- per day
25,00,000/-	

**Note**

- This benefit is applicable for Sum Insured of Rs. 3,00,000/- and above only.
- This benefit is payable only if there is an admissible claim for hospitalization under the policy
- This benefit will not be applicable where the sanction is on package rates
- Insured's stay in Intensive Care Unit or High Dependency Units / wards will not be counted for this purpose
- Payment under this benefit does not form part of the sum insured but will impact the Bonus

- S. AYUSH Treatment: Inpatient Hospitalizations Expenses incurred on treatment under Ayurveda, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy systems of medicines in a AYUSH Hospital is payable up to the limits given below;**

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit per policy period (Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Up to 10,000/-
2,00,000/-	
3,00,000/-	
4,00,000/-	
5,00,000/- to 15,00,000/-	Up to 15,000/-
20,00,000/- and 25,00,000/-	Up to 20,000/-

**Note**

- Payment under this benefit forms part of the sum insured and will impact the Bonus
- Yoga and Naturopathy systems of treatments are excluded from the scope of coverage under AYUSH treatment.

- T. Second Medical Opinion:** The Insured Person can obtain a Second Medical Opinion from a Doctor in the Company's network of Medical Practitioners. All the medical records provided by the Insured Person will be submitted to the Doctor chosen by him/her online and the medical opinion will be made available directly to the Insured by the Doctor. To utilize this benefit, all medical records should be forwarded to the mail-id "e\_medicalopinion@starhealth.in." or through post/courier.

**Special Conditions**

- This should be specifically requested for by the Insured Person
- This opinion is given based only on the medical records submitted without examining the patient
- The second opinion should be only for medical reasons and not for medico-legal purposes
- Any liability due to any errors or omission or consequences of any action taken in reliance of the second opinion provided by the Medical Practitioner is outside the scope of this policy
- Utilizing this facility alone will not be considered as a claim

**Note:** Medical Records / Documents submitted for utilizing this facility will not prejudice the Company's right to reject a claim in terms of policy.

- U. Assisted Reproduction Treatment:** The Company will reimburse medical expenses incurred on Assisted Reproduction Treatment, where indicated, for sub-fertility subject to;

- A waiting period of 36 months from the date of first inception of this policy with the Company for the insured person. The maximum liability of the Company for such treatment shall be limited to Rs.1,00,000/- for Sum Insured of Rs.5,00,000/- and Rs.2,00,000/- for Sum Insured of Rs.10,00,000/- and above for every block of 36 months and payable on renewal
- For the purpose of claiming under this benefit, in-patient treatment is not mandatory
- Automatic Restoration of Sum Insured, Recharge Benefit shall not be applicable for this benefit

**Note:** To be eligible for this benefit both husband and spouse should stay insured continuously without break under this policy for every block. This coverage is available only for sum insured options of Rs. 5,00,000/- and above.

**Special Exclusions:** The Company shall not be liable to make any payments under this policy in respect of any expenses what so ever incurred by the insured person in connection with or in respect of;

- Pre and Post treatment expenses
- Sub-fertility services that are deemed to be unproven, experimental or investigational
- Services not in accordance with standards of good medical practice and not uniformly recognized and professionally endorsed by the general medical community at the time it is to be provided
- Reversal of voluntary sterilization
- Treatment undergone for second or subsequent pregnancies except where the child from the first delivery/ previous deliveries is/are not alive at the time of treatment
- Payment for services rendered to a surrogate
- Costs associated with cryopreservation and storage of sperm, eggs and embryos
- Selective termination of an embryo.
- Services done at unrecognized centre
- Surgery / procedures that enhances fertility like Tubal Occlusion, Bariatric Surgery, Diagnostic Laparoscopy with Ovarian Drilling and such other similar surgery/procedures

- V. Automatic Restoration of Sum Insured (Applicable for A to K, M, S):** There shall be automatic restoration of the Sum Insured immediately upon exhaustion of the **limit of coverage**, during the policy period.

Such Automatic Restoration is available 3 times at 100% each time, during the policy period. Each restoration will operate only after the exhaustion of the earlier one.

It is made clear that such restored Sum Insured can be utilized only for illness / disease unrelated to the illness / diseases for which claim/s was / were made. The unutilized restored sum insured cannot be carried forward. This Benefit is not available for Modern Treatment.

**Note:** Automatic Restoration of Sum Insured is available only for sum insured options of Rs.3,00,000/- and above.

#### Illustration

		Scenario 1 (New Policy)	Scenario 2 (Renewal)
	Sum Insured (SI)	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-
	No Claim Bonus (NCB)	0	Rs.2,50,000/-
	Recharge	Rs.1,50,000/-	Rs.1,50,000/-
	Total Cover Available	Rs.11,50,000/-	Rs.14,00,000/-
1st Claim	1st Claim settled	Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-
	Total Coverage available for next claim	Rs.6,50,000/- (Balance SI Rs.5,00,000/- + Recharge Rs.1,50,000/-)	Rs.9,00,000/- (Balance SI Rs.5,00,000/- + Bonus Rs.2,50,000/- + Recharge Rs.1,50,000/-)
2nd Claim	2nd Hospital Bill Amount	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-
	Claim Settled	Rs.6,50,000/- (Balance SI Rs.5,00,000/- + Recharge Rs.1,50,000/-)	Rs.9,00,000/- (Balance SI Rs.5,00,000/- + Bonus Rs.2,50,000/- + Recharge Rs.1,50,000/-)
	Will the restoration kick in? If yes How Much? Yes, Why - Since there is full utilization of Sum Insured.	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-
	Total Coverage available for next claim (Available for different illness)	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-
3rd Claim	Hospital Bill Amount (For different illness)	Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-
	Claim Settled	Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-
	Will the restoration kick in ? If yes How Much? No, Why - Since the sum insured is not utilized in full	0	0
	Total Coverage available for next claim (Available for different illness)	Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-
4th Claim	Hospital Bill Amount (For Same Illness)	Rs.8,00,000/-	Rs.8,00,000/-
	Claim Settled	0 (Automatic Restoration is not available for Same illness)	0 (Automatic Restoration is not available for Same illness)
	Total Coverage available for next claim (Available for different illness)	Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs.5,00,000/-
5th Claim	Hospital Bill Amount (For Different Illness)	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.11,00,000/-
	Claim Settled	Rs.5,00,000/- (Since the balance cover available after settlement of previous claim is Rs.5,00,000/-)	Rs.5,00,000/- (Since the balance cover available after settlement of previous claim is Rs.5,00,000/-)
	Will the restoration kick in ? If yes How Much? Yes, Why - Since there is full utilization of Sum Insured.	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-
	Total Coverage available for next claim (Available for different illness)	Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs.10,00,000/-

**W. Recharge Benefit (Applicable for A to K, M, S):** If the limit of coverage under the policy is exhausted/ exceeded during the policy period, additional indemnity up to the limits stated in the table given below would be provided once for the remaining policy period. Such additional indemnity can be utilized even for the same hospitalization or for the treatment of diseases / illness / injury / for which claim was paid / payable under the policy. The unutilized Recharge amount cannot be carried forward. This benefit is not available for Modern Treatment.

Sum Insured (Rs.)	Limit (Rs.)
1,00,000/-	Not Available
2,00,000/-	
3,00,000/-	75,000/-
4,00,000/-	1,00,000/-
5,00,000/-	1,50,000/-
10,00,000/-	
15,00,000/-	
20,00,000/-	
25,00,000/-	

**X. Additional Sum Insured for Road Traffic Accident (RTA):** If the insured person meets with a Road Traffic Accident resulting in in-patient hospitalization, then the sum insured shall be increased by 25% subject to a maximum of Rs.5,00,000/- and subject to the following:

- It is evidenced that the insured person was wearing helmet and was either riding or travelling as pillion rider in a two wheeler at the time of accident as evidenced by Police record and Hospital record
- The additional sum insured shall be available only once during the policy period
- The additional sum insured shall be available after exhaustion of the **limit of coverage**
- The additional sum insured can be utilized only for the particular hospitalization following the Road Traffic Accident
- Automatic Restoration of Sum Insured and Recharge Benefit shall not apply for this benefit
- This benefit shall not be applicable for day care treatment
- The unutilized balance cannot be carried forward for the remaining policy period or for renewal
- Claim under this benefit will impact the Bonus

**Y. Coverage for Modern Treatments:** The following expenses are payable during the policy period for the treatment/procedure (either as a day care or as an in-patient) is limited to the amount mentioned in table below. This benefit forms part of sum insured:

Sum Insured in (Rs.)	Uterine artery Embolization and HIFU,	Balloon Sinuplasty,	Deep Brain Stimulation	Oral Chemotherapy* (Sublimits including Pre and Post Hospitalisation)	Immunotherapy-Monoclonal Antibody to be given as injection	Intra Vitreal injections
	Limit per policy period for each treatment / procedure (Rs.)					
1,00,000/-	12,500/-	5,000/-	25,000/-	12,500/-	25,000/-	5,000/-
2,00,000/-	25,000/-	10,000/-	50,000/-	25,000/-	50,000/-	10,000/-
3,00,000/-	37,500/-	15,000/-	75,000/-	37,500/-	75,000/-	15,000/-
4,00,000/-	1,00,000/-	40,000/-	2,00,000/-	1,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	40,000/-
5,00,000/-	1,25,000/-	50,000/-	2,50,000/-	1,25,000/-	2,50,000/-	50,000/-
10,00,000/-	1,50,000/-	1,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	4,00,000/-	75,000/-
15,00,000/-	1,75,000/-	1,25,000/-	4,00,000/-	2,50,000/-	5,00,000/-	1,00,000/-
20,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	1,50,000/-	4,50,000/-	2,75,000/-	5,50,000/-	1,25,000/-
25,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	1,50,000/-	5,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	6,00,000/-	1,50,000/-

Sum Insured in (Rs.)	Robotic surgeries	Stereotactic radio surgeries	Bronchial Thermoplasty	Vaporisation of the prostate (Green laser treatment or holmium laser treatment)	IONM-(Intra Operative Neuro Monitoring)	Stem cell therapy: Hematopoietic stem cells for bone marrow transplant for haematological conditions
Limit per policy period for each treatment / procedure (Rs.)						
1,00,000/-	25,000/-	25,000/-	Up to Sum Insured			25,000/-
2,00,000/-	50,000/-	50,000/-				50,000/-
3,00,000/-	75,000/-	75,000/-				75,000/-
4,00,000/-	2,00,000/-	1,75,000/-				2,00,000/-
5,00,000/-	2,50,000/-	2,00,000/-				2,50,000/-
10,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	2,25,000/-				3,00,000/-
15,00,000/-	4,00,000/-	2,50,000/-				4,00,000/-
20,00,000/-	4,50,000/-	2,75,000/-				4,50,000/-
25,00,000/-	5,00,000/-	3,00,000/-				5,00,000/-

\*Sublimits all inclusive with or without hospitalization where ever hospitalization includes pre and post hospitalizations.

**Z. Cumulative Bonus (Applicable for [A to K], [M to S], U, and X):** In respect of a claim free year of Insurance, for the Sum Insured options Rs.3,00,000/- and above, the insured would be entitled to benefit of bonus of 25% of the expiring Sum Insured in the second year and additional 10% of the expiring sum Insured for the subsequent years. The maximum allowable bonus shall not exceed 100%.

The Bonus will be calculated on the expiring sum insured or on the renewed sum insured whichever is less. Bonus will be given on that part of sum insured which is continuously renewed. If the insured opts to reduce the sum insured at the subsequent renewal, the limit of indemnity by way of such Bonus shall not exceed such reduced sum insured.

Bonus shall be available only upon timely renewal without break or upon renewal within the grace period allowed.

In the event of a claim, such bonus so granted will be reduced at the same rate at which it has accrued. However the sum insured, will not be reduced.

**AA Co-payment(Applicable for A to K and S):** This policy is subject to co-payment of 20% of each and every claim amount for fresh as well as renewal policies for insured persons whose age at the time of entry is 61 years and above.

**AB. Star Wellness Program:** This program intends to promote, incentivize and to reward the Insured Persons' healthy life style through various wellness activities. The wellness activities as mentioned below are designed to help the Insured person to earn wellness reward points which will be tracked and monitored by the Company. The wellness points earned by the Insured Person(s) under the wellness program, can be utilized to get discount in premium during the renewal.

This Wellness Program is enabled and administered online through Star Health Mobile Applications.

**Note:** The Wellness Activities mentioned in the table below (from Serial Number 1 to 6) are applicable for the Insured person(s) aged 18 years and above only. The following table shows the discount on premium available under the Wellness Program;

Wellness Points Earned	Discount in Premium
200 to 350	4%
351 to 600	10%
601 to 750	14%
751 and above	20%

The weightage is given as per the following table;

Family Size	Weightage
Self, Spouse**	1:1
Self, Spouse** and Dependent Children (up to 18 years)	1:1:0:0:0
Self, Spouse** and Dependent Children (aged above 18 years)	2:2:1:1:1
**Spouse / Live-in Partner / Same Sex Partner	

**Note:** In case of two year policy, total number of wellness points earned in two year period will be divided by two.

Please refer the Illustrations to understand the calculation of discount in premium, weightage and the calculation.

The wellness services and activities are categorized as below

Sr. No.	Activity	Maximum number of Wellness Points that can be earned under each activity in a policy year
1.	Sign up points for Enrolling to Wellness Program	100
	Manage and Track Health	
2.	a) Online Health Risk Assessment (HRA)	150
	b) Preventive Risk Assessment	200
	Affinity to Wellness	
3.	a) Participating in Walkathon, Marathon, Cyclothon and similar activities	200
	b) Membership in a health club	200
4.	Stay Active - If the Insured member achieves the step count target on mobile app	250
5.	Sharing 'Active Life Success Story' through adoption of Star Wellness Program	50
6.	Condition Management Program (CMP): Weight Management, Diabetes Management, Hypertension, De-Stress & Mind Body Healing Program.	150
7.	For Submission of Vaccination Certificate Eg: Vaccine for Covid, HPV, Pneumococcal, Swine Flu (H1N1), Hepatitis etc..	20
8.	For Submission of Preventive Eye Check-up report	20
9.	For Submission of Preventive Dental Check-up report	20
11.	For Submission of Mammography & PAP Test (for Women) report	20
12.	For Submission of Prostate specific antigen (PSA) test report (for Male persons aged > 50 yrs)	20
13.	Glaucoma Screening (for persons aged > 50 yrs)	20

#### Value Added Services

Star Tele-health services
Medical Concierge Services
Digital Health Vault
Wellness Content
Post-Operative Care
Discounts from Network Providers

**1. Sign up points for Enrolling to Wellness Program:** Insured person(s) can earn 100 reward points for enrolling in Star Wellness Program through Star Health Mobile application.

**2. Manage and Track Health:**

**a) Completion of Health Risk Assessment (HRA):** The Health Risk Assessment (HRA) questionnaire is an online tool for evaluation of health and quality of life of the Insured. It helps the Insured to introspect his/ her personal lifestyle. The Insured can log into his/her account on the website [www.starhealth.in](http://www.starhealth.in) and complete the HRA questionnaire. The Insured can undertake this once per policy year. On Completion of online HRA questionnaire, the Insured earns 150 wellness points.

**Note:** To get the wellness points mentioned under HRA, the Insured has to complete the entire HRA within one month from the time he/she started HRA Activity.

**b) Preventive Risk Assessment:** The Insured can also earn wellness points by undergoing diagnostic / preventive tests during the policy year. These tests should include the four mandatory tests mentioned below. Insured can take these tests at any diagnostic centre at Insured's own expenses.

- On submission of the test reports, Insured earns 200 reward points.

**Note:** These tests reports should be submitted together and within 30 days from the date of undergoing such Health Check-Up.

#### List of mandatory tests under Preventive Risk Assessment

1. Complete Haemogram Test
2. Blood Sugar (Fasting Blood Sugar (FBS) + Postprandial (PP) [or] HbA1c)
3. Lipid profile (Total cholesterol, HDL, LDL, Triglycerides, Total Cholesterol / HDL Cholesterol Ratio)
4. Serum Creatinine



3. **Affinity towards wellness:** Insured earns wellness reward points for undertaking any of the fitness and health related activities as given below. List of Fitness Initiatives and Wellness points

	Initiative	Wellness Points
a.	Participating in Walkathon, Marathon, Cyclothon and similar activities	200
	- On submission of BIB Number along with the details of the entry ticket taken to participate in the event and/or	
	- On Achieving 20,000 Step count on Star Health Mobile Application	
b.	Membership in a health club (50 points for each quarter) - In a Gym / Yoga Centre / Zumba Classes / Aerobic Exercise/ Sports Club/ Pilates Classes/ Swimming / Tai Chi/ Martial Arts / Gymnastics/ Dance Classes	200
<b>Note:</b> In case if Insured is not a member of any health club, he/she should join into club within 3 months from the date of the policy risk commencement date. Insured person should submit the health club membership.		

4. **Stay Active:** Insured earns wellness reward points on achieving the step count target on Star Health Mobile Application as mentioned below

Criteria to get reward points
If the number of steps per day are minimum 8,000 or above for 16 days in a month, it will be considered as one active month and insured will get 20 reward points.
<b>Note</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In case if Insured achieves 10 active months in a policy year, he/ she will get 50 additional points as bonus.</li> <li>First month and last month in each policy year will not be taken into consideration for calculation of average number of steps per day under Stay Active.</li> <li>The mobile app must be downloaded within 30 days of the policy risk start date to avail this benefit.</li> <li>The average step count completed by an Insured member would be tracked on 'Star Mobile Application'.</li> </ul>

#### 5. Condition Management Program

##### (i) Weight Management Program

- a) This Program will help the Insured persons with Over Weight and Obesity to manage their Body Mass Index (BMI) through the empanelled wellness experts who will guide the Insured in losing excess weight and maintain their BMI.
- 150 wellness points will be awarded in case if the results are achieved and maintained as mentioned below;

Sr.No.	Name of the Ailment	Values to be submitted	Criteria to get the Wellness points
1.	Obesity (If BMI is above 29)	Height & Weight (to calculate BMI)	Achieving and maintaining the BMI between 18 and 29
2.	Overweight (If BMI is between 25 and 29)	Height & Weight (to calculate BMI)	Reducing BMI by two points and maintaining the same BMI in the policy year
- Values (for BMI) shall be submitted for every 2 months (up to 5 times in each policy year)			

- b) In case if the Insured is not Overweight / Obese, the Insured can submit his/her 'Active Life Success Story' through adoption of Star Wellness Activities with us. On submission of Active Life Success Story through adoption of Star Wellness Activities, Insured earns 50 wellness points.

##### (ii) Chronic Condition Management Program

- a) This Program will help the Insured suffering from Diabetes, Hypertension, Cardiovascular Disease or Asthma to track their health through the empanelled wellness experts who will guide the insured in maintaining/improving the health condition.
- The Insured has to submit the test result values for every 3 months maximum up to 3 times in a policy year.
  - If the test result values are within +/- 10% range of the values given below, for at least 2 times in a policy year, 150 wellness points will be awarded.

- These tests reports to be submitted within 1 month from the date of undergoing the Health Check-Up

Sr.No.	Name of the Ailment	Test to be submitted	Values Criteria to get the additional Wellness points
1.	Diabetes (Insured can submit either HbA1c test value (or) Fasting Blood Sugar (FBS) Range and Postprandial test value)	HbA1c	£ 6.5
		Fasting Blood Sugar (FBS) Range and Postprandial test value	100 to 125 mg/dl below 160 mg/dl
2.	Hypertension	Measured with - BP apparatus	Systolic Range - 110 to 140 mmHg Diastolic Range - 70 to 90 mmHg
3.	Cardiovascular Disease	LDL Cholesterol and Total Cholesterol / HDL Cholesterol Ratio	100 to 159 mg/dl £ 4.0
4.	Asthma	PFT (Pulmonary Function Test)	FEV1 (PFC) is 75% or more FEV1/ FVC is 70% or more

- b) In case if the Insured is not suffering from Chronic Condition/s (Diabetes, Hypertension, Cardiovascular Disease or Asthma) he/she can opt for "De-Stress & Mind Body Healing Program". This program helps the Insured to reduce stress caused due to internal (self-generated) & external factors and increases the ability to handle stress.
- On completion of De-stress & Mind Body Healing Program 150 wellness points will be awarded.
- Note:** This is a 10 weeks program which insured needs to complete without any break.

6. **Reward points for Preventive Care:** Insured can earn wellness reward points for submitting the following health check-up reports once in a policy year which he/ she had during the policy year.

- a. **Submission of Vaccination Certificate/s:** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points by submitting the Vaccination certificate related to vaccine that he/she have had during the policy year. **Eg:** Vaccine for Covid, HPV, Swine Flu (H1N1), Hepatitis etc.
- b. **Submission of Preventive Eye Check-up report:** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points for submitting Eye Check-up report which includes near and far vision (visual acuity) and Colour vision test.
- c. **Submission of Preventive Dental Check-up:** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points for submitting Dental Check-up report which includes screening of oral cavity done by a qualified Dentist.
- d. **Submission of Mammography & PAP Test report:** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points for submitting x-ray Mammogram or coloured doppler mammogram for preventive breast screening and PAP smear (biopsy) report.
- e. **Prostate specific antigen (PSA) test (applicable for Males aged > 50 yrs):** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points for submitting Prostate specific antigen blood report.
- f. **Glaucoma Screening (for persons aged > 50 yrs):** Insured can earn 20 wellness reward points by submitting reports of Glaucoma screening test of both eyes including tonometry. (slit lamp test), pachymeter test, visual field test, dilated eye test and gonioscopy examination.

#### Value Added Services

- a. **Star Tele-health Services:** Insured can consult with the In-house Medical Practitioners between 8.00 am and 10.00 pm, who can help the Insured by providing Medical advice, Second Medical Opinion and consultation on Diet & Nutrition through Voice Call, Video Call & Online Chat provided in our Mobile App "Talk to Star" and for Consultation by Telephone (between 8.00 am to 10.00 pm) Insured can call to the phone number - 7676 905 905
- b. **Medical Concierge Services:** The Insured can also contact Star Health to avail services like, Emergency assistance information such as nearest ambulance / hospital / blood bank etc.
- c. **Digital Health Vault:** A secured Personal Health records system for Insured to store/access and share health data with trusted recipients. Using this portal, Insured can store their health documents (prescriptions, lab reports, discharge summaries etc.), track health data add family members.
- d. **Wellness Content:** The wellness portal provides rich collection of health articles, blogs, tips and other health and wellness content. The contents have been written by experts drawn from various fields. Insured will benefit from having one single and reliable source for learning about various health aspects and incorporating positive health changes.

- e. **Post Operative Care:** It is done through follow up phone calls (primarily for surgical cases) for resolving their medical queries.
- f. **Discounts from Network Providers:** The Insured can avail discounts on the services offered by our network providers which will be displayed in our website.

**Terms and conditions under wellness activity**

- Any information provided by the Insured in this regard shall be kept confidential.
- There will not be any cash redemption against the wellness reward points.
- Insured should notify and submit relevant documents, reports, receipts etc for various wellness activities within 1 month of undertaking such activity/test.
- For services that are provided through empanelled service provider, Star Health is only acting as a facilitator; hence would not be liable for any incremental costs or the services.
- All medical services are being provided by empanelled health care service provider. We ensure full due diligence before empanelment. However Insured should consult his/her doctor before availing/taking the medical advices/services. The decision to utilize these advices/services is solely at Insured person's discretion.
- We reserve the right to remove the wellness reward points if found to be achieved in unfair manner.
- Star Health, its group entities, or affiliates, their respective directors, officers, employees, agents, vendors, are not responsible or liable for, any actions, claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, charges and expenses which a Member claims to have suffered, sustained or incurred, by way of and / or on account of the Wellness Program.
- Services offered are subject to guidelines issued by IRDAI from time to time.

**Illustration of Benefit**

A 51 year old Individual Gopal and his wife Ramya along with their two dependent children (aged below 18 yrs) buy a Family Health Optima Insurance Plan with Sum Insured 10 Lacs, let's understand how they can earn Wellness Points. Gopal has declared that he is suffering from Diabetes. Ramya has declared her BMI as 27. Gopal and Ramya enrolled under the Star wellness program and completed the following wellness activities.

Sr.No.	Activity	Wellness Points Earned by Gopal	Wellness Points Earned by Ramya
1.	Sign up points for Enrolling to Wellness Program	100	100
2.	Manage and Track Health		
	a) Online Health Risk Assessment (HRA)	150	150
	b) Preventive Risk Assessment	200	200
3.	Affinity to Wellness		
	a) Participating in Walkathon, Marathon, Cyclothon and similar activities	200	0
	b) Membership in a health club	100	150
4.	Stay Active (Wellness points based on Step Count)	250	120
5.	For Sharing 'Active Life Success Story'	50	0
6.	Condition Management Program (CMP)	150	150
7.	Submission of Vaccination Certificate	20	20
8.	For Submission of Preventive Eye Check-up report	20	0
9.	For Submission of Preventive Dental Check-up report	0	20
10.	For Submission of Mammography & PAP Test (for Women) report	0	20
11.	For Submission of Prostate specific antigen (PSA) test report (for Male persons aged > 50 yrs)	20	0
12.	Glaucoma Screening (for persons aged > 50 yrs)	20	0
	Total Number of Wellness Points earned	1280	930
	No of wellness points based upon weightage - 1:1:0:0	640 (1280X1/2)	465 (930X1/2)

Total Number of Wellness Points earned by Gopal and Ramya = 1105 (640+465)  
Based on the no of Wellness Points earned, Gopal & Ramya are eligible to get 20% discount on renewal premium

**3. EXCLUSIONS**

The Company shall not be liable to make any payments under this policy in respect of any expenses what so ever incurred by the insured person in connection with or in respect of;

**STANDARD EXCLUSIONS**

**1. Pre-Existing Diseases - Code Excl 01**

- Expenses related to the treatment of a pre-existing Disease (PED) and its direct complications shall be excluded until the expiry of 48 months of continuous coverage after the date of inception of the first policy with insurer
- In case of enhancement of sum insured the exclusion shall apply afresh to the extent of sum insured increase
- If the Insured Person is continuously covered without any break as defined under the portability norms of the extant IRDAI (Health Insurance) Regulations, then waiting period for the same would be reduced to the extent of prior coverage
- Coverage under the policy after the expiry of 48 months for any pre-existing disease is subject to the same being declared at the time of application and accepted by Insurer

**2. Specified disease / procedure waiting period - Code Excl 02**

- Expenses related to the treatment of the following listed Conditions, surgeries/treatments shall be excluded until the expiry of 24 months of continuous coverage after the date of inception of the first policy with us. This exclusion shall not be applicable for claims arising due to an accident
- In case of enhancement of sum insured the exclusion shall apply afresh to the extent of sum insured increase
- If any of the specified disease/procedure falls under the waiting period specified for pre-existing diseases, then the longer of the two waiting periods shall apply
- The waiting period for listed conditions shall apply even if contracted after the policy or declared and accepted without a specific exclusion
- If the Insured Person is continuously covered without any break as defined under the applicable norms on portability stipulated by IRDAI, then waiting period for the same would be reduced to the extent of prior coverage
- List of specific diseases/procedures;
  - Treatment of Cataract and diseases of the anterior and posterior chamber of the Eye, Diseases of ENT, Diseases related to Thyroid, Benign diseases of the breast.
  - Subcutaneous Benign Lumps, Sebaceous cyst, Dermoid cyst, Mucous cyst lip / cheek, Carpal Tunnel Syndrome, Trigger Finger, Lipoma, Neurofibroma, Fibroadenoma, Ganglion and similar pathology
  - All treatments (Conservative, Operative treatment) and all types of intervention for Diseases related to Tendon, Ligament, Fascia, Bones and Joint Including Arthroscopy and Arthroplasty / Joint Replacement [other than caused by accident].
  - All types of treatment for Degenerative disc and Vertebral diseases including Replacement of bones and joints and Degenerative diseases of the Musculo-skeletal system, Prolapse of Intervertebral Disc (other than caused by accident),
  - All treatments (conservative, interventional, laparoscopic and open) related to Hepato-pancreato-biliary diseases including Gall bladder and Pancreatic calculi. All types of management for Kidney calculi and Genitourinary tract calculi.
  - All types of Hernia,
  - Desmoid Tumor, Umbilical Granuloma, Umbilical Sinus, Umbilical Fistula,
  - All treatments (conservative, interventional, laparoscopic and open) related to all Diseases of Cervix, Uterus, Fallopian tubes, Ovaries (other than due to Cancer), Uterine Bleeding, Pelvic Inflammatory Diseases
  - All Diseases of Prostate, Stricture Urethra, all Obstructive Uropathies,
  - Benign Tumours of Epididymis, Spermatocele, Varicocele, Hydrocele,
  - Fistula, Fissure in Ano, Hemorrhoids, Pilonidal Sinus and Fistula, Rectal Prolapse, Stress Incontinence
  - Varicose veins and Varicose ulcers
  - All types of transplant and related surgeries.
  - Congenital Internal disease / defect - (except for coverage 2(M))

**3. 30-day waiting period - Code Excl 03**

- Expenses related to the treatment of any illness within 30 days from the first policy commencement date shall be excluded except claims arising due to an accident, provided the same are covered
- This exclusion shall not, however, apply if the Insured Person has continuous coverage for more than twelve months
- The within referred waiting period is made applicable to the enhanced sum insured in the event of granting higher sum insured subsequently

**4. Investigation & Evaluation - Code Excl 04**

- Expenses related to any admission primarily for diagnostics and evaluation purposes only are excluded
- Any diagnostic expenses which are not related or not incidental to the current diagnosis and treatment are excluded



- 5. Rest Cure, rehabilitation and respite care - Code Excl 05:** Expenses related to any admission primarily for enforced bed rest and not for receiving treatment. This also includes:
- Custodial care either at home or in a nursing facility for personal care such as help with activities of daily living such as bathing, dressing, moving around either by skilled nurses or assistant or non-skilled persons
  - Any services for people who are terminally ill to address physical, social, emotional and spiritual needs
- 6. Obesity / Weight Control - Code Excl 06:** Expenses related to the surgical treatment of obesity that does not fulfill all the below conditions;
- Surgery to be conducted is upon the advice of the Doctor
  - The surgery/Procedure conducted should be supported by clinical protocols
  - The member has to be 18 years of age or older and
  - Body Mass Index (BMI);
    - greater than or equal to 40 or
    - greater than or equal to 35 in conjunction with any of the following severe co-morbidities following failure of less invasive methods of weight loss:
      - Obesity-related cardiomyopathy
      - Coronary heart disease
      - Severe Sleep Apnea
      - Uncontrolled Type2 Diabetes
- 7. Change-of-Gender treatments - Code Excl 07:** Expenses related to any treatment, including surgical management, to change characteristics of the body to those of the opposite sex.
- 8. Cosmetic or plastic Surgery - Code Excl 08:** Expenses for cosmetic or plastic surgery or any treatment to change appearance unless for reconstruction following an Accident, Burn(s) or Cancer or as part of medically necessary treatment to remove a direct and immediate health risk to the insured. For this to be considered a medical necessity, it must be certified by the attending Medical Practitioner.
- 9. Hazardous or Adventure sports - Code Excl 09:** Expenses related to any treatment necessitated due to participation as a professional in hazardous or adventure sports, including but not limited to, para-jumping, rock climbing, mountaineering, rafting, motor racing, horse racing or scuba diving, hand gliding, sky diving, deep-sea diving.
- 10. Breach of law - Code Excl 10:** Expenses for treatment directly arising from or consequent upon any Insured Person committing or attempting to commit a breach of law with criminal intent.
- 11. Excluded Providers - Code Excl 11:** Expenses incurred towards treatment in any hospital or by any Medical Practitioner or any other provider specifically excluded by the Insurer and disclosed in its website / notified to the policyholders are not admissible. However, in case of life threatening situations or following an accident, expenses up to the stage of stabilization are payable but not the complete claim.
- 12. Treatment for Alcoholism, drug or substance abuse or any addictive condition and consequences thereof - Code Excl 12**
- 13. Treatments received in health hydros, nature cure clinics, spas or similar establishments or private beds registered as a nursing home attached to such establishments or where admission is arranged wholly or partly for domestic reasons - Code Excl 13**
- 14. Dietary supplements and substances that can be purchased without prescription, including but not limited to Vitamins, minerals and organic substances unless prescribed by a medical practitioner as part of hospitalization claim or day care procedure - Code Excl 14**
- 15. Refractive Error - Code Excl 15:** Expenses related to the treatment for correction of eye sight due to refractive error less than 7.5 dioptres.
- 16. Unproven Treatments - Code Excl 16:** Expenses related to any unproven treatment, services and supplies for or in connection with any treatment. Unproven treatments are treatments, procedures or supplies that lack significant medical documentation to support their effectiveness.
- 17. Sterility and Infertility - Code Excl 17:** Expenses related to sterility and infertility. This includes;
- Any type of contraception, sterilization
  - Assisted Reproduction services including artificial insemination and advanced reproductive technologies such as IVF, ZIFT, GIFT, ICSI
  - Gestational Surrogacy
  - Reversal of sterilization
- Note:** Except to the extent covered under Coverage 2(U)
- 18. Maternity - Code Excl 18**
- Medical treatment expenses traceable to childbirth (including complicated deliveries and caesarean sections incurred during hospitalization) except ectopic pregnancy
  - Expenses towards miscarriage (unless due to an accident), Preputioplasty, Frenuloplasty, Preputial Dilatation and Removal of SMEGMA - **Code Excl 19**

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- 19. Circumcision (unless necessary for treatment of a disease not excluded under this policy or necessitated due to an accident), Preputioplasty, Frenuloplasty, Preputial Dilatation and Removal of SMEGMA - Code Excl 19**
- 20. Congenital External Condition / Defects / Anomalies - Code Excl 20**

- 21. Convalescence, general debility, run-down condition, Nutritional deficiency states - Code Excl 21**
- 22. Intentional self-injury - Code Excl 22**
- 23. Injury/disease caused by or arising from or attributable to war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, warlike operations (whether war be declared or not) - Code Excl 24**
- 24. Injury or disease caused by or contributed to by nuclear weapons/ materials - Code Excl 25**
- 25. Expenses incurred on Enhanced External Counter Pulsation Therapy and related therapies, Chelation therapy, Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy, Rotational Field Quantum Magnetic Resonance Therapy, VAX-D, Low level laser therapy, Photodynamic therapy and such other therapies similar to those mentioned herein under this exclusion - Code Excl 26**
- 26. Unconventional, Untested, Experimental therapies - Code Excl 27**
- 27. Autologous derived Stromal vascular fraction, Chondrocyte Implantation, Procedures using Platelet Rich plasma and Intra articular injection therapy - Code Excl 28**
- 28. Biologicals, except when administered as an in-patient, when clinically indicated and hospitalization warranted - Code Excl 29**
- 29. Inoculation or Vaccination (except for post-bite treatment and for medical treatment for therapeutic reasons) - Code Excl 31**
- 30. Hospital registration charges, admission charges, record charges, telephone charges and such other charges - Code Excl 34**
- 31. Cost of spectacles and contact lens, hearing aids, Cochlear implants and procedures, walkers and crutches, wheel chairs, CPAP, BIPAP, Continuous Ambulatory Peritoneal Dialysis, infusion pump and such other similar aids - Code Excl 35**
- 32. Any hospitalization which are not medically necessary / does not warrant hospitalization - Code Excl 36**
- 33. Other Excluded Expenses as detailed in the website www.starhealth.in - Code Excl 37**
- 34. Existing disease/s, disclosed by the insured and mentioned in the policy schedule (based on insured's consent), for specified ICD codes - Code Excl 38**

**4. CONDITIONS****STANDARD CONDITIONS**

- Disclosure of Information:** The policy shall be void and all premium paid thereon shall be forfeited to the Company, in the event of mis-representation, mis description or non-disclosure of any material fact by the policy holder.
  - Claim Settlement**
    - Condition Precedent to Admission of Liability:** The terms and conditions of the policy must be fulfilled by the insured person for the Company to make any payment for claim(s) arising under the policy
    - Documents for Cashless Treatment**
      - For assistance call 24 hours help-line 044-69006900 or Toll Free No. 1800 425 2255, Senior Citizens may call at 044-40020888
      - Inform the ID number for easy reference
      - On admission in the hospital, produce the ID Card issued by the Company at the Hospital Helpdesk
      - Obtain the Pre-authorization Form from the Hospital Help Desk, complete the Patient Information and resubmit to the Hospital Help Desk
      - The Treating Doctor will complete the hospitalisation/ treatment information and the hospital will fill up expected cost of treatment. This form is submitted to the Company
      - The Company will process the request and call for additional documents / clarifications if the information furnished is inadequate
      - Once all the details are furnished, the Company will process the request as per the terms and conditions as well as the exclusions therein and either approve or reject the request based on the merits
      - In case of emergency hospitalization information to be given within 24 hours after hospitalization
      - Cashless facility can be availed only in networked Hospitals. For details of Networked Hospitals, the insured may visit www.starhealth.in or contact the nearest branch
      - KYC (Identity proof with Address) of the proposer, as per AML Guidelines
- In non-network hospitals payment must be made up-front and then reimbursement will be effected on submission of documents.
- Note:** The Company reserves the right to call for additional documents wherever required.
- Denial of a Pre-authorization request is in no way to be construed as denial of treatment or denial of coverage. The Insured Person can go ahead with the treatment, settle the hospital bills and submit the claim for a possible reimbursement.
- For Reimbursement claims:** Time limit for submission of;

Sl.No.	Type of Claim	Prescribed time limit
1	Reimbursement of hospitalization, day care and pre hospitalization expenses	Claim must be filed within 15 days from the date of discharge from the Hospital
2	Reimbursement of Post hospitalization	within 15 days after completion of 90 days from the date of discharge from hospital

- D. **Notification of Claim:** Upon the happening of the event, notice with full particulars shall be sent to the Company within 24 hours from the date of occurrence of the event irrespective of whether the event is likely to give rise to a claim under the policy or not.

**Note:** Conditions C and D are precedent to admission of liability under the policy. However the Company will examine and relax the time limit mentioned in these conditions depending upon the merits of the case.

- E. **Documents to be submitted for Reimbursement:** The reimbursement claim is to be supported with the following documents and submitted within the prescribed time limit;

- Duly completed claim form, and
- Pre Admission investigations and treatment papers.
- Discharge Summary from the hospital
- Cash receipts from hospital, chemists
- Cash receipts and reports for tests done
- Receipts from doctors, surgeons, anesthetist
- Certificate from the attending doctor regarding the diagnosis
- KYC (Identity proof with Address) of the proposer, as per AML Guidelines

**Note:** For assistance call 24 hours help-line 044-69006900 or Toll Free No. 1800 425 2255, Senior Citizens may call at 044-40020888

### 3. Provision for Penal Interest

- The Company shall settle or reject a claim, as the case may be, within 30 days from the date of receipt of last necessary document
- In the case of delay in the payment of a claim, the Company shall be liable to pay interest to the policyholder from the date of receipt of last necessary document to the date of payment of claim at a rate 2% above the bank rate
- However, where the circumstances of a claim warrant an investigation in the opinion of the Company, it shall initiate and complete such investigation at the earliest, in any case not later than 30 days from the date of receipt of last necessary document. In such cases, the Company shall settle or reject the claim within 45 days from the date of receipt of last necessary document
- In case of delay beyond stipulated 45 days, the Company shall be liable to pay interest to the policyholder at a rate 2% above the bank rate from the date of receipt of last necessary document to the date of payment of claim
- "Bank rate" shall mean the rate fixed by the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) at the beginning of the financial year in which claim has fallen due.

4. **Complete Discharge:** Any payment to the policyholder, insured person or his/ her nominees or his/ her legal representative or assignee or to the Hospital, as the case may be, for any benefit under the policy shall be a valid discharge towards payment of claim by the Company to the extent of that amount for the particular claim

### 5. Multiple Policies

- In case of multiple policies taken by an insured person during a period from one or more insurers to indemnify treatment costs, the insured person shall have the right to require a settlement of his/her claim in terms of any of his/her policies. In all such cases the insurer chosen by the insured person shall be obliged to settle the claim as long as the claim is within the limits of and according to the terms of the chosen policy
- Insured person having multiple policies shall also have the right to prefer claims under this policy for the amounts disallowed under any other policy / policies even if the sum insured is not exhausted. Then the insurer shall independently settle the claim subject to the terms and conditions of this policy
- If the amount to be claimed exceeds the sum insured under a single policy, the insured person shall have the right to choose insurer from whom he/she wants to claim the balance amount
- Where an insured person has policies from more than one insurer to cover the same risk on indemnity basis, the insured person shall only be indemnified the treatment costs in accordance with the terms and conditions of the chosen policy

6. **Fraud:** If any claim made by the insured person, is in any respect fraudulent, or if any false statement, or declaration is made or used in support thereof, or if any fraudulent means or devices are used by the insured person or anyone acting on his/her behalf to obtain any benefit under this policy, all benefits under this policy and the premium paid shall be forfeited.

Any amount already paid against claims made under this policy but which are found fraudulent later shall be repaid by all recipient(s)/policyholder(s), who has made that particular claim, who shall be jointly and severally liable for such repayment to the insurer.

For the purpose of this clause, the expression "fraud" means any of the following acts committed by the insured person or by his agent or the hospital/doctor/any other party acting on behalf of the insured person, with intent to deceive the insurer or to induce the insurer to issue an insurance policy:

- the suggestion, as a fact of that which is not true and which the insured person does not believe to be true;
- the active concealment of a fact by the insured person having knowledge or belief of the fact;
- any other act fitted to deceive; and
- any such act or omission as the law specially declares to be fraudulent

The Company shall not repudiate the claim and / or forfeit the policy benefits on the ground of Fraud, if the insured person / beneficiary can prove that the misstatement was true to the best of his knowledge and there was no deliberate intention to suppress the fact or that such misstatement of or suppression of material fact are within the knowledge of the insurer.

### 7. Cancellation

- The policyholder may cancel this policy by giving 15 days' written notice and in such an event, the Company shall refund premium for the unexpired policy period as detailed below;

#### Cancellation table applicable for Policy Term 1 Year without installment option

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 mth	25% of the policy premium
Exceeding 1 mth up to 3 mths	37.5% of the policy premium
Exceeding 3 mths up to 6 mths	57.5% of the policy premium
Exceeding 6 mths up to 9 mths	80% of the policy premium
Exceeding 9 mths	100% of the policy premium

#### Cancellation table applicable for installment option of Half-yearly premium payment for Policy Term 1 Year

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 Mth	47.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 1 mth up to 4 mths	90% of the total premium received
Exceeding 4 mths up to 6 mths	100% of the total premium received
Exceeding 6 mths up to 7 mths	65% of the total premium received
Exceeding 7 mths up to 10 mths	85% of the total premium received
Exceeding 10 mths	100% of the total premium received

#### Cancellation table applicable for installment option of Quarterly premium payment for Policy Term 1 Year

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 Mth	95% of the total premium received
Exceeding 1 mth up to 3 mths	100% of the total premium received
Exceeding 3 mths up to 4 mths	90% of the total premium received
Exceeding 4 mths up to 6 mths	100% of the total premium received
Exceeding 6 mths up to 7 mths	87.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 7 mths up to 9 mths	100% of the total premium received
Exceeding 9 mths up to 10 mths	85% of the total premium received
Exceeding 10 mths	100% of the total premium received

#### Cancellation table applicable for Policy Term 2 Year without installment option

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 Mth	12.5% of the policy premium
Exceeding 1 mth up to 3 mths	20% of the policy premium
Exceeding 3 mths up to 6 mths	30% of the policy premium
Exceeding 6 mths up to 9 mths	40% of the policy premium
Exceeding 9 mths up to 12 mths	50% of the policy premium
Exceeding 12 mths up to 15 mths	70% of the policy premium
Exceeding 15 mths up to 18 mths	80% of the policy premium
Exceeding 18 mths up to 21 mths	90% of the policy premium
Exceeding 21 mths	100% of the policy premium

**Cancellation table applicable for installment option of Half-yearly premium payment for Policy Term 2 Year**

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 Mth	24% of the total premium received
Exceeding 1 mth up to 4 mths	44.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 4 mths up to 6 mths	58.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 6 mths up to 7 mths	32.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 7 mths up to 10 mths	43% of the total premium received
Exceeding 10 mths up to 12 mths	50% of the total premium received
Exceeding 12 mths up to 16 mths	72.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 16 mths up to 19 mths	82.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 19 mths up to 22 mths	93% of the total premium received
Exceeding 22 mths	100% of the total premium received

**Cancellation table applicable for installment option of Quarterly premium payment for Policy Term 2 Year**

Period on risk	Rate of premium to be retained
Up to 1 Mth	47.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 1 mth up to 3 mths	75% of the total premium received
Exceeding 3 mths up to 4 mths	45% of the total premium received
Exceeding 4 mths up to 6 mths	57.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 6 mths up to 7 mths	42.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 7 mths up to 9 mths	52.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 9 mths up to 10 mths	42.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 10 mths up to 12 mths	50% of the total premium received
Exceeding 12 mths up to 13 mths	62.5% of the total premium received
Exceeding 13 mths up to 15 mths	70% of the total premium received
Exceeding 15 mths up to 18 mths	80% of the total premium received
Exceeding 18 mths up to 21 mths	90% of the total premium received
Exceeding 21 mths	100% of the total premium received

Notwithstanding anything contained herein or otherwise, no refunds of premium shall be made in respect of Cancellation where, any claim has been admitted or has been lodged or any benefit has been availed by the insured person under the policy.

- ii. The Company may cancel the policy at any time on grounds of misrepresentation, non-disclosure of material facts, fraud by the insured person by giving '15 days' written notice. There would be no refund of premium on cancellation on grounds of misrepresentation, non-disclosure of material facts or fraud

8. **Migration:** The insured person will have the option to migrate the policy to other health insurance products/plans offered by the company by applying for migration of the Policy atleast 30 days before the policy renewal date as per IRDAI guidelines on Migration. If such person is presently covered and has been continuously covered without any lapses under any health insurance product/plan offered by the company, the insured person will get the accrued continuity benefits in waiting periods as per IRDAI guidelines on migration.

**For Detailed Guidelines on migration, kindly refer the link**

[https://www.irdai.gov.in/ADMINCMS/cms/frmGuidelines\\_Layout.aspx?page=PageNo3987](https://www.irdai.gov.in/ADMINCMS/cms/frmGuidelines_Layout.aspx?page=PageNo3987)

9. **Portability:** The insured person will have the option to port the policy to other insurers by applying to such insurer to port the entire policy along with all the members of the family, if any, at least 45 days before, but not earlier than 60 days from the policy renewal date as per IRDAI guidelines related to portability. If such person is presently covered and has been continuously covered without any lapses under any health insurance policy with an Indian General/Health insurer, the proposed insured person will get the accrued continuity benefits in waiting periods as per IRDAI guidelines on portability.

**For Detailed Guidelines on portability, kindly refer the link**

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10. **Renewal of policy:** The policy shall ordinarily be renewable except on grounds of fraud, misrepresentation by the Insured Person;

- i. The Company shall endeavor to give notice for renewal. However, the Company is not under obligation to give any notice for renewal

- ii. Renewal shall not be denied on the ground that the insured person had made a claim or claims in the preceding policy years
- iii. Request for renewal along with requisite premium shall be received by the Company before the end of the policy period
- iv. At the end of the policy period, the policy shall terminate and can be renewed within the Grace Period of 120 days to maintain continuity of benefits without break in policy
- v. Coverage is not available during the grace period
- vi. No loading shall apply on renewals based on individual claims experience

**11. Withdrawal of policy**

- i. In the likelihood of this product being withdrawn in future, the Company will intimate the insured person about the same 90 days prior to expiry of the policy
- ii. Insured Person will have the option to migrate to similar health insurance product available with the Company at the time of renewal with all the accrued continuity benefits such as cumulative bonus, waiver of waiting period as per IRDAI guidelines, provided the policy has been maintained without a break

12. **Moratorium Period:** After completion of eight continuous years under the policy no look back to be applied. This period of eight years is called as moratorium period. The moratorium would be applicable for the sums insured of the first policy and subsequently completion of 8 continuous years would be applicable from date of enhancement of sums insured only on the enhanced limits. After the expiry of Moratorium Period no health insurance claim shall be contestable except for proven fraud and permanent exclusions specified in the policy contract. The policies would however be subject to all limits, sub limits, co-payments, deductibles as per the policy contract.

13. **Premium Payment in Instalments:** If the insured person has opted for Payment of Premium on an instalment basis i.e. Half Yearly or Quarterly as mentioned in the policy Schedule/Certificate of Insurance, the following Conditions shall apply (notwithstanding any terms contrary elsewhere in the policy)

- i. Grace Period of 7 days would be given to pay the instalment premium due for the policy.
- ii. During such grace period, coverage will not be available from the due date of instalment premium till the date of receipt of premium by Company.
- iii. The insured person will get the accrued continuity benefit in respect of the "Waiting Periods", "Specific Waiting Periods" in the event of payment of premium within the stipulated grace Period.
- iv. No interest will be charged If the instalment premium is not paid on due date.
- v. In case of instalment premium due not received within the grace period, the policy will get cancelled.
- vi. In the event of a claim, all subsequent premium instalments shall immediately become due and payable.
- vii. The company has the right to recover and deduct all the pending instalments from the claim amount due under the policy.

**Note**

- In case of policy cancellation, due to non-payment of the instalment within grace period, Company will refund the premium as per the cancellation table.
- If Instalment Facility is opted for 2 year term policies, the full premium applicable for 2 year terms should be paid in quarterly or half yearly within the expiry of the first year.

14. **Possibility of Revision of Terms of the Policy Including the Premium Rates:** The Company, with prior approval of IRDAI, may revise or modify the terms of the policy including the premium rates. The insured person shall be notified three months before the changes are effected.

15. **Free Look Period:** The Free Look Period shall be applicable on new individual health insurance policies and not on renewals or at the time of porting/migrating the policy.

The insured person shall be allowed free look period of fifteen days from date of receipt of the policy document to review the terms and conditions of the policy, and to return the same if not acceptable.

If the insured has not made any claim during the Free Look Period, the insured shall be entitled to

- i. a refund of the premium paid less any expenses incurred by the Company on medical examination of the insured person and the stamp duty charges or
- ii. where the risk has already commenced and the option of return of the policy is exercised by the insured person, a deduction towards the proportionate risk premium for period of cover or
- iii. where only a part of the insurance coverage has commenced, such proportionate premium commensurate with the insurance coverage during such period

16. **Redressal of Grievance:** In case of any grievance the insured person may contact the Company through

**Website :** [www.starhealth.in](http://www.starhealth.in)

**E-mail :** [gro@starhealth.in](mailto:gro@starhealth.in), [grievances@starhealth.in](mailto:grievances@starhealth.in)

**Ph. No. :** 044-69006900 | Toll Free No. 1800 425 2255

**Senior Citizens may call at 044-69007500**

**Courier :** 4th Floor, Balaji Complex, No.15, Whites Lane, Whites Road, Royapettah, Chennai-600014

Insured person may also approach the grievance cell at any of the company's branches with the details of grievance.



If Insured person is not satisfied with the redressal of grievance through one of the above methods, insured person may contact the grievance officer at 044-43664600.

**For updated details of grievance officer, kindly refer the link**  
<https://www.starhealth.in/grievance-redressal>

If Insured person is not satisfied with the redressal of grievance through above methods, the insured person may also approach the office of Insurance Ombudsman of the respective area/region for redressal of grievance as per Insurance Ombudsman Rules 2017.

Grievance may also be lodged at IRDAI Integrated Grievance Management System - <https://bimabharosa.irdai.gov.in/>

17. **Nomination:** The policyholder is required at the inception of the policy to make a nomination for the purpose of payment of claims under the policy in the event of death of the policyholder. Any change of nomination shall be communicated to the company in writing and such change shall be effective only when an endorsement on the policy is made. In the event of death of the policyholder, the Company will pay the nominee (as named in the Policy Schedule/Policy Certificate/Endorsement (if any)) and in case there is no subsisting nominee, to the legal heirs or legal representatives of the policyholder whose discharge shall be treated as full and final discharge of its liability under the policy.

#### **SPECIFIC CONDITIONS**

18. The Insured Person/s shall obtain and furnish the Company with all original bills, receipts and other documents upon which a claim is based and shall also give the Company such additional information and assistance as the Company may require in dealing with the claim.
19. All claims under this policy shall be payable in Indian currency.
20. The premium under this policy shall be payable in advance. No receipt of premium shall be valid except on the official form of the company signed by a duly authorized official of the company. The due payment of premium and the observance of fulfillment of the terms, provision, conditions and endorsements of this policy by the Insured Person/s, in so far as they relate to anything to be done or complied with by the Insured Person/s, shall be a condition precedent to any liability of the Company to make any payment under this policy. No waiver of any terms, provisions, conditions, and endorsements of this policy shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by an authorized official of the Company.
21. Any medical practitioner authorized by the Company shall be allowed to examine the Insured Person in case of any alleged injury or diseases requiring Hospitalization when and as often as the same may reasonably be required on behalf of the Company at Company's cost.
22. **Notice and communication:** Any notice, direction or instruction given under this Policy shall be in writing and delivered by hand, post, or facsimile/email to Star Health and Allied Insurance Company Limited, No.1, New Tank Street, Valluvar Kottam High Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai 600034. Customer Care No. 044-69006900 or Toll Free No. 1800 425 2255, e-mail: [support@starhealth.in](mailto:support@starhealth.in)  
 Notice and instructions will be deemed served 7 days after posting or immediately upon receipt in the case of hand delivery, facsimile or e-mail.
23. **Territorial Limit:** All investigations/treatments under this policy shall have to be taken in India.

24. **Automatic Termination:** The insurance under this policy with respect to each relevant Insured Person policy shall expire immediately on the earlier of the following events
- ✓ Upon the death of the Insured Person. This means that, the cover for the surviving members of the family will continue, subject to other terms of the policy.
  - ✓ Upon exhaustion of the Sum Insured, Limit of Coverage, Limit of Coverage plus Restore and / or Recharge Sum Insured.
25. **Policy disputes:** Any dispute concerning the interpretation of the terms, conditions, limitations and/or exclusions contained herein is understood and agreed to by both the Insured and the Company to be subject to Indian Law.
26. **Arbitration:** If any dispute or difference shall arise as to the quantum to be paid under this Policy (liability being otherwise admitted) such difference shall independently of all other questions be referred to the decision of a sole arbitrator to be appointed in writing by the parties to the dispute/difference, or if they cannot agree upon a single arbitrator within 30 days of any party invoking arbitration, the same shall be referred to a panel of three arbitrators, comprising of two arbitrators, one to be appointed by each of the parties to the dispute/difference and the third arbitrator to be appointed by such two arbitrators. Arbitration shall be conducted under and in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996.
- It is clearly agreed and understood that no difference or dispute shall be referable to arbitration, as hereinbefore provided, if the Company has disputed or not accepted liability under or in respect of this Policy.
- It is hereby expressly stipulated and declared that it shall be a condition precedent to any right of action or suit upon this Policy that the award by such arbitrator/ arbitrators of the amount of the loss or damage shall be first obtained.
- It is also further expressly agreed and declared that if the Company shall disclaim liability to the Insured for any claim hereunder and such claim shall not, within three years from the date of such disclaimer have been made the subject matter of a suit in a Court of Law, then the claim shall for all purposes be deemed to have been abandoned and shall not thereafter be recoverable hereunder.
27. **Revision of Sum Insured:** Reduction or enhancement of Sum Insured is permissible only at the time of renewal. The acceptance for enhancement and the amount of enhancement will be at the discretion of the Company and subject to **Exclusion Code Excl 01, Exclusion Code Excl 02 and Exclusion Code Excl 03.**
28. **Relief under Section 80-D:** Insured Person is eligible for relief under Section 80-D of the IT Act in respect of the premium paid by any mode other than cash.
29. **Important Note**
- a) The Sum Insured, Cumulative Bonus and other related benefits floats amongst the insured members
  - b) The Policy Schedule and any Endorsement are to be read together and any word or such meaning wherever it appears shall have the meaning as stated in the Act / Indian Laws
  - c) The terms, conditions and exceptions that appear in the Policy or in any Endorsement are part of the contract, must be complied with and applies to each relevant insured person. Failure to comply with may result in the claim being denied
  - d) The attention of the policy holder is drawn to our website [www.starhealth.in](http://www.starhealth.in) for anti fraud policy of the company for necessary compliance by all stake holders
30. **Customer Service:** If at any time the Insured Person requires any clarification or assistance, the insured may contact No.1, New Tank Street, Valluvar Kottam High Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai 600034, during normal business hours.



## List of Insurance Ombudsman

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## ITEMS THAT ARE TO BE SUBSUMED INTO ROOM CHARGES

SI.NO.	ITEM	SI.NO.	ITEM
1	BABY CHARGES (UNLESS SPECIFIED/INDICATED)	20	LUXURY TAX
2	HAND WASH	21	HVAC
3	SHOE COVER	22	HOUSE KEEPING CHARGES
4	CAPS	23	AIR CONDITIONER CHARGES
5	CRADLE CHARGES	24	IM IV INJECTION CHARGES
6	COMB	25	CLEAN SHEET
7	EAU-DE-COLOGNE / ROOM FRESHNERS	26	BLANKET / WARMER BLANKET
8	FOOT COVER	27	ADMISSION KIT
9	GOWN	28	DIABETIC CHART CHARGES
10	SLIPPERS	29	DOCUMENTATION CHARGES / ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES
11	TISSUE PAPER	30	DISCHARGE PROCEDURE CHARGES
12	TOOTH PASTE	31	DAILY CHART CHARGES
13	TOOTH BRUSH	32	ENTRANCE PASS / VISITORS PASS CHARGES
14	BED PAN	33	EXPENSES RELATED TO PRESCRIPTION ON DISCHARGE
15	FACE MASK	34	FILE OPENING CHARGES
16	FLEXI MASK	35	INCIDENTAL EXPENSES / MISC. CHARGES (NOT EXPLAINED)
17	HAND HOLDER	36	PATIENT IDENTIFICATION BAND / NAME TAG
18	SPUTUM CUP	37	PULSEOXYMETER CHARGES
19	DISINFECTANT LOTIONS		

## ITEMS THAT ARE TO BE SUBSUMED INTO PROCEDURE CHARGES

SI.NO.	ITEM	SI.NO.	ITEM
1	HAIR REMOVAL CREAM	13	SURGICAL DRILL
2	DISPOSABLES RAZORS CHARGES (for site preparations)	14	EYE KIT
3	EYE PAD	15	EYE DRAPE
4	EYE SHEILD	16	X-RAY FILM
5	CAMERA COVER	17	BOYLES APPARATUS CHARGES
6	DVD, CD CHARGES	18	COTTON
7	GAUSE SOFT	19	COTTON BANDAGE
8	GAUZE	20	SURGICAL TAPE
9	WARD AND THEATRE BOOKING CHARGES	21	APRON
10	ARTHROSCOPY AND ENDOSCOPY INSTRUMENTS	22	TORNIQUET
11	MICROSCOPE COVER	23	ORTHOBUNDLE, GYNAEC BUNDLE
12	SURGICAL BLADES, HARMONICSCALPEL, SHAVER		

## ITEMS THAT ARE TO BE SUBSUMED INTO COSTS OF TREATMENT

SI.NO.	ITEM	SI.NO.	ITEM
1	ADMISSION / REGISTRATION CHARGES	10	HIV KIT
2	HOSPITALISATION FOR EVALUATION / DIAGNOSTIC PURPOSE	11	ANTISEPTIC MOUTHWASH
3	URINE CONTAINER	12	LOZENGES
4	BLOOD RESERVATION CHARGES AND ANTE NATAL BOOKING CHARGES	13	MOUTH PAINT
5	BIPAP MACHINE	14	VACCINATION CHARGES
6	CPAP / CAPD EQUIPMENTS	15	ALCOHOL SWABS
7	INFUSION PUMP — COST	16	SCRUB SOLUTION / STERILLIUM
8	HYDROGEN PEROXIDE / SPIRIT / DISINFECTANTS ETC	17	GLUCOMETER & STRIPS
9	NUTRITION PLANNING CHARGES - DIETICIAN CHARGES - DIET CHARGES	18	URINE BAG