



## Which services require Pre-Authorisation?

The South African Military Health Services remains the primary healthcare provider for medical, dental, and hospital treatment to all beneficiaries of the Fund.



Is authorisation needed for this Benefit Type?	Y/N
All Hospital Admissions	Yes
Emergency room visit resulting in hospitalisation	Yes
Specialized Radiology (example: MRI, CT, and Radio-Isotope Scans)	Yes
Psychiatric Treatment in Hospital	Yes
Sub-Acute Facilities (step-down facility, private nursing and wound care)	Yes
Oncology (All treatment relating to cancer)	Yes
Organ Transplants	Yes
Chronic Dialysis	Yes
Physical Rehabilitation	Yes
Internal Prosthesis	Yes
Intraocular Lenses	Yes
Blood Transfusion	Yes
Home Oxygen	Yes, Ecomed
CPAP Machine	Yes, Ecomed
Stoma therapy	No

Is authorisation needed for this Benefit Type?	Y/N
Out-of-hospital General Practitioner and Specialist Consultations, in room procedures and consumables	No
Psychology/Psychiatry consultations out-of-hospital	No
Standard radiology (x-rays) and pathology (blood tests) out of hospital	No
Acute/Chronic Medicine <i>Chronic conditions must be registered on the DRM programme</i>	No
Optical Services <i>Must contact 012 679 4200, not Pre-Authorisation Department</i>	Yes, Opticlear
Dental Services <b>SAMHS to provide authority – DD2703</b>	Yes, SAMHS
Preventative Services	No
Ambulance Services	Yes, ER24
Out of hospital medical appliances, supplementary and auxiliary services	No

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