# **Health Cash Plan**

Policy wording and information pack

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## **UIB Treating Customers Fairly**

At Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd (UIB), we are committed to offering our customers the highest possible standards of service. In doing so, we recognise that both we and you have everything to gain if we look after your best interests and treat you fairly in all aspects of our dealings with you.

Our commitment to you: We will:

- provide you with clear information about the products and services we offer, including fees and charges
- encourage you to ask if there's something you don't understand
- · provide you with details of the Claims

Department should you need to claim

• give you access to our complaints procedure should you become unhappy with our service

## How do I contact UIB?

You can contact our Customer Service Department

- by email to customercare@uibuk.com
- by telephone on 0343 178 1255 (Mon to Fri 9am - 6pm)
- by writing to UIB Customer Services, 39-51 Highgate Road, London NW5 1RT.

To make sure we maintain a high quality service, we may monitor or record telephone calls.

# Policy Wording Health Cash Plan

#### **SECTION 1 – INTRODUCTION**

#### **About Your Insurance**

Welcome to **your** Health Cash Plan Insurance **Policy** Document. This insurance is designed to reimburse **you** for a number of healthcare events as shown in the table of **benefits** on page 7.

Please take time to read the "Important Information" section on pages 5-6 of this **Policy** Document. It tells **you** about things **you** need to check and the actions **you** need to take. It also contains details of the initial **qualifying period** when **you** cannot claim and the amount **you** must contribute when **you** make a claim. Information about the insurer's right to change **your** cover or **premium** are also shown here.

- This insurance was arranged by Compass Underwriting Limited (the agent). Compass Underwriting Limited is referred to as the agent in this **Policy** Document. The contact details for Compass Underwriting are: 50 Mark Lane, London EC3R 7HR. Telephone 020 7398 0100 or email info@compassuw.co.uk
- The insurance is administered by Union Income Benefit Holdings Limited who are referred to as the administrator in this Policy Document. The contact details for Union Income Benefit Holdings Limited are: Address: Customer Service Team, Union Income Benefit Holdings Limited, 39-51 Highgate Road, London NW5 1RT; Telephone: 0343 178 1255 or email customercare@uibuk.com
- The insurance is underwritten by Lloyd's Syndicate 4444 which is managed by Canopius Managing Agents
  Limited. Canopius Managing Agents Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and
  regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority. Lloyd's Syndicate
  4444 is referred to as "we", "us" and "our" in this Policy Document. Claims are handled by Compass
  Underwriting Limited (the agent) on our behalf.

**Your** insurance is a monthly rolling **Policy**. **You** will be covered for one month from the **Policy start date** and then for each further consecutive monthly period for which **we** accept a **premium** from **you**.

Some words and phrases in this **Policy** Document and in **your Policy** Schedule will always have the same meaning wherever they appear. To make them easier to recognise when they are being used, they will be shown in bold. They are all listed and explained in the "Definitions" section which can be found on page 14 of this **Policy** Document.

All insurance documents and all communications with you about this Policy will be in English.

Please contact the agent if **you** need any documents to be made available in braille and/or large print and/or in audio format. Their contact details are shown above.

## How to Make a Claim

To make a claim, call Compass Underwriting Limited on 0800 319 6601 (Lines are open between 8am and 7pm Monday to Friday). Alternatively, please send an email to claims@compassuw.co.uk or write to Compass Underwriting Limited, Claims Department, 50 Mark Lane, London EC3R 7QR.

## The Insurance Contract

This **Policy** Document and **your Policy** Schedule are **your** insurance documents and together they make up the contract between **you** and **us**. It is important that **you** read this **Policy** Document carefully along with **your Policy** Schedule so **you** can be sure of the cover provided and to check that it meets **your** needs.

This **Policy** Document and **your Policy** Schedule are issued to **you** by Compass Underwriting Limited in its capacity as **our** agent under contract reference B6839CR6332015. In exchange for **your** payment of the **premium** referenced in **your Policy** Schedule, **you** are insured in accordance with the terms & conditions contained in these documents (and any amendments made to them) for the duration of **your Policy**.

Signed by

Authorised signatory of Compass Underwriting Limited

#### **SECTION 2 - IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

#### It is important that:

- You check your Policy Schedule to ensure the details are correct and that the cover is as you requested;
- You check that you are eligible for this insurance (see "Eligibility" below);
- You check the information you have given us is accurate (see "Disclosure of Important Information" below);
- You notify your administrator as soon as possible of any inaccuracies on your Policy Schedule, or if you
  are not eligible for the insurance; and
- You comply with any duties detailed under each section of the Policy Document and under the insurance
  as a whole.

#### **Conditions**

There are conditions which apply to the whole of this insurance and full details of these can be found in the "General Conditions" section on page 11 of this **Policy** Document. There are also conditions which relate specifically to making a claim, and these can be found in the "Making a Claim" section on page 11.

In these sections **you** will find conditions that **you** need to meet. If **you** do not meet these conditions, **we** may reject a claim payment or a claim payment could be reduced. In some circumstances, **your Policy** may be cancelled.

## **Qualifying period**

Most benefits have a qualifying period which is the period before you are entitled to benefits. The qualifying period that applies to each benefit is shown on the table of benefits. We will not pay benefit if you receive any treatment during these qualifying periods.

After an **accident** the **qualifying period** does not apply to the 'hospital in-patient and day case **treatment**', 'parental **hospital** stay' nor 'dental accident and emergency' benefits, as long as we have received your first **premium** by your **Policy start date** or have issued your **Policy** Document and **Policy** Schedule.

## **Information You Give Us**

#### Eligibility

When you applied for this insurance we asked you to confirm that you were eligible for cover. We will cover you under this Policy if you:

- permanently reside in the United Kingdom; and
- you are aged between 18 and 65 years inclusive at the start date;

Please contact **your** administrator as soon as possible if **you** are not eligible for this insurance or if **you** have any queries. Their contact details are shown page 4 of this **Policy** Document.

## **Disclosure of Important Information**

In deciding to accept this insurance and in setting the terms and **premium**, **we** have relied on the information **you** have given **us** via **your** administrator. **You** must take reasonable care to provide complete and accurate answers to the questions **we** ask when **you** take out, make changes to, and renew **your Policy**. If the information provided by **you** is not complete and accurate:

- we may cancel your Policy and refuse to pay any claim, or
- we may not pay any claim in full, or
- · we may revise the premium, or
- the extent of the cover may be affected.

If **you** become aware that any information **you** have given is incomplete or inaccurate, please contact **your** administrator as soon as possible. Their contact details are shown page 4 of this **Policy** Document.

#### Our Right to Change the Cover or Price

**You** will receive at least 60 days written notice if **we** decide or need to change **your Policy** cover or the price of **your** insurance. **We** may do this for any of the following reasons:

- to make minor changes to the **Policy** Document that do not affect the nature of the cover or the **benefits** provided, such as changes to make the **Policy** easier to understand;
- to reflect changes in law, regulation (including any decision of a regulatory body), or any code of practice
  or industry guidance that affects us or your Policy;

- to reflect changes to any taxation applicable to your Policy (such as a change to the rate of insurance premium tax);
- to reflect any increases or reductions in the cost (or projected cost) of providing your cover, such as a change to the number, cost or timing of claims which we, as part of our pricing Policy, have assumed or projected will be made under this insurance product;
- to meet the cost of any changes to the cover or **benefits** provided under this insurance product, such as the removal of one or more **Policy** exclusion(s);
- to meet the cost of changes to the systems, services or technology used in support of this insurance product.

Having made a change to the cover or the price, **we** will not make another change for at least six months unless **we** are obliged to do so by law or regulation or any other code of practice or regulatory guidance.

**We** may make changes immediately and advise **you** within 30 days of the change having been made if the change is favourable to **you**. A favourable change could include, but is not restricted to, a reduction in the rate of Insurance **Premium** Tax, a general reduction in the price of **your Policy** or an improvement to the cover and **benefits** (such as an increased limit of cover).

Upon receiving notice of any changes or proposed changes, **you** may cancel cover in accordance with the "Cancellation of the **Policy**" section on page 12 of this **Policy** Document.

## **Paying Premiums**

- You pay for your cover by monthly direct debit through the administrator.
- You must provide your bank details to the administrator who will collect your direct debit each month.
   Your Policy will end automatically if you do not pay any premium when it becomes due. If this happens, you will be contacted requesting payment within 14 days. If we do not receive payment within this period, you will be written to again notifying you that your Policy will be cancelled. You can re-apply to take out this insurance again but a new qualifying period will apply before you are entitled to any benefit.
- If you are receiving benefit under this Policy, you must continue to pay the premium when it is due. If
  you do not pay the premium you will be contacted requesting payment within 14 days. If we do not
  receive payment within this period, you will be written to again notifying you that your Policy will be
  cancelled, we will cancel your Policy and you will not be entitled to any further benefits.
- If there are any changes to the current level of Insurance **Premium** Tax (IPT) or any new charges are placed on **us**, **we** will change **your premium** from the date any changes are put in place and will write to inform **you** of the change.

#### How long your cover lasts

**Your** insurance is a monthly rolling **Policy**. **You** will be covered for one month from the **Policy start date** and then for each further consecutive monthly period for which **we** accept a **premium** from **you**.

#### When cover ends

All cover under this **Policy** will end when:

- you die; or
- your Policy is due for renewal after you reach the age of 75; or
- you stop permanently residing in the UK; or
- you or we cancel this Policy as shown in Section 5;

whichever is earlier

**Your Policy** will also end automatically if **you** do not pay any **premium** when it becomes due. If this happens, **you** will be contacted requesting payment within 14 days. If **we** do not receive payment within this period, **you** will be written to again notifying **you** that **your Policy** will be cancelled.

## **SECTION 3 – WHAT IS COVERED**

These are the rules that apply in each **benefit year** before **we** will pay **you** the **benefits** shown below for the **insured person**. Please read the claims procedure before making a claim. **We** will not pay more than the amounts shown in the table of **benefits** for the **insured person**. **We** will not return **your receipt** unless **you** ask **us** to and send **us** a reply paid envelope.

#### A. Dental treatment

We will pay the benefits for treatment (including a check-up or new dentures) as set out in the table below:

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
100% of what <b>you</b> have paid directly to a <b>dentist</b> or	Up to £150 per <b>benefit year</b> .
dental hygienist	

The **dentist** or dental hygienist must be registered with the General Dental Council. **We** will not pay **benefit** for any **premiums you** paid under a dental-care contract scheme.

The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 60 days.

## **B. Dental Accident and emergency**

We will pay benefit for the following costs of dental treatment up to £2,500 per dental accident that arises after your Policy start date, subject to a maximum of four claims for the insured person on the Policy each benefit year, up to a maximum of £10,000 each benefit year: (There is no qualifying period for this section).

Item	Treatment	Maximum Benefit
1	examination and report to include all necessary smoothing, polishing and vitality testing	Up to £26.50 per incident
2	x-rays	Up to £19.50 per incident
3a	porcelain jacket crown	Up to £220.00 per unit
3b	dentine bonded crown	Up to £318.00 per unit
3с	metal bonded porcelain crown	Up to £263.50 per unit
4	post/core construction	Up to £54.50 per tooth
5a	metal bonded porcelain bridgework – retainer	Up to £263.50 per retainer
5b	all metal bridgework – pontic	Up to £185.50 per pontic
6a	laboratory constructed adhesive bridge – retainer	Up to £180.50 per retainer
6b	laboratory constructed adhesive bridge – pontic	Up to £189.00 per pontic
6c	laboratory constructed adhesive facing or veneer	Up to £230.00 per unit
7a	Root canal <b>treatment</b> – incisor	Up to £105.50 per incisor
7b	Root canal <b>treatment</b> – canine	Up to £105.50 per canine
7c	Root canal <b>treatment</b> – premolar	Up to £128.00 per premolar
7d	Root canal <b>treatment</b> – molar	Up to £180.50 per molar
8a	permanent acrylic denture	Up to £301.00 per denture
8b	permanent metal denture	Up to £378.50 per denture
8c	temporary denture following tooth loss (where required)	Up to £131.00 per incident
9a	laboratory made temporary bridge following tooth units (where required)	Up to £84.50 up to 3 units
9b	laboratory made temporary bridge following tooth loss	Up to £21.50 per unit (additional units)
Item	Dental Emergency	Maximum Benefit
10	If you are involved in an accident and require emergency treatment for a dental injury that is not shown in the benefits above (1 to 9b) then you can still make a claim under this section.	Up to 2 claims of up to a total maximum of £750 per <b>benefit year</b> .

#### C. Optical Benefit

We will pay a **benefit** for eyesight tests or prescribed spectacles, lenses or contact lenses as set out in the table below:

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
100% of what <b>you</b> have paid directly to an optician	Up to £150 per <b>benefit year</b> .

This **benefit** does not cover contact lens check-ups or solutions, non-prescribed spectacles, or non-prescribed items **you** buy under an optical-care contract scheme or where costs have been paid for by using employer funded vouchers. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 60 days.

## D. Physiotherapy, osteopathy, chiropractic, acupuncture and homeopathy

**We** will pay a **benefit** for what **you** have paid directly to a recognised practitioner; the practitioners **we** recognise for **benefit** are:

- A physiotherapist who is registered with the Health Professions Council (HPC).
- An osteopath who is registered with the General Osteopathic Council (GOsC).
- A chiropractor who is registered with the General Chiropractic Council (GCC).
- An acupuncturist who is a member of the British Acupuncture Council.
- A homeopath who holds full membership of the Faculty of Homeopathy.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
75% of what <b>you</b> have paid to the specified practitioner	Up to £300 per <b>benefit year</b> .

We will not pay more than the maximum **benefit** in any one **benefit year** for all **treatments** received from one recognised practitioner.

We will only pay the benefit for treatment of a medical condition. We will not pay benefit for diagnostic tests or consultations. The period of time after you have taken out this insurance you have to wait before you can claim, i.e. your qualifying period, is 90 days.

## E. Chiropody and podiatry

**We** will pay a **benefit** for chiropody or podiatry **treatment** with a chiropodist or a podiatrist who is registered with the Health Professions Council, as per the scale set out below.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
75% of what <b>you</b> have paid to the specified practitioner	Up to £100 per <b>benefit year</b> .

The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 90 days.

## F. Specialist consultation fees (including diagnostic tests)

**We** will pay a **benefit** when **you** consult a **specialist** directly for an out-patient consultation as per the scale set out below. This **benefit** is only available if **your** general practitioner refers **you** for the consultation. **We** will pay for all **diagnostic tests** except for examinations carried out for legal reports, or for insurance, employment and emigration reasons. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 90 days.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
75% of what <b>you</b> have paid to the specified practitioner	Up to £400 per <b>benefit year</b> .

## G. Hospital inpatient and day case treatment

We will pay a **benefit** at the nightly rate as shown in the table below for the period that **you** are in **hospital** for **inpatient treatment** only when the **hospital** stay has exceeded four consecutive nights. If **you** are in **hospital** for less than four consecutive nights then no **benefit** will be payable.

In any event we will not pay benefit for more than 20 nights of inpatient treatment in any one benefit year.

The period of time after you have taken out this insurance you have to wait before you can claim, i.e. your

**qualifying period**, is 30 days however there is no **qualifying period** in the event of an **accident** leading to a claim under this section.

## Inpatient treatment

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
£65 per night (£455 per week) for up to 20 days. If you stay in hospital for more than 7 consecutive days we will pay you a recovery bonus of £400 in all per benefit year PLUS £45 per day for your NHS car parking charges.	Up to £2,600 per <b>benefit year</b> .

## **Day Case Treatment**

We will pay for day-patient treatment in a day-patient unit at the daily rate as shown in the table below for the period you receive day-patient treatment.

The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 30 days however there is no **qualifying period** in the event of an **accident** leading to a claim under this section.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
£40 per day for up to a maximum of 10 days.	Up to £400 per <b>benefit year</b> .

## H. Parental Hospital Stay

We will pay a **benefit** at the nightly rate as shown in the table below for the period that **your** child is in **hospital** for **inpatient treatment**. In any event **we** will not pay **benefit** for more than the **benefit** level shown in the table below for **your** child's **inpatient treatment** in any one **benefit year**. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 30 days, other than in the event of an **accident** where the **qualifying period** will be nil.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
£25 per day or night (£175 per week) for Up to 20 days PLUS £10 per day for <b>your NHS car parking</b>	Up to £700 per <b>benefit year</b> .
charges.	

## I. GP Expenses Cover and NHS Prescription charges

**We** will pay a **benefit** as shown in the table below, including NHS prescription charges, should **you** require services from the GP that **you** have to pay for and are not covered by the NHS, other than for prescriptions. For example insurance reports, travel vaccinations and the like. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 90 days.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
75% of what <b>you</b> have paid directly to <b>your</b> GP plus	1
75% for 4 NHS prescription charges but no cover	benefit year.
for private prescription.	

#### J. Childbirth Benefit

We will pay a **benefit** of £200 for the birth of each child where **you** are named on the birth certificate, or in the event of twins £450 for each child. **You** must send an original or certified true copy of the full (not short) birth certificate for each child to support **your** claim. **We** will also pay a **benefit** of £200 for each child under the age of one that **you** legally adopt. **You** must send **us** the legal adoption papers to support **your** claim. **We** will not pay **benefit** until **we** receive these. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 300 days.

## K. Health Check/lifestyle assessment Benefit

**We** will pay a **benefit** as shown in the table below for what **you** have paid to have a full medical examination appropriate to **your** age and circumstances, including advice about diet and lifestyle, when it takes place in a screening facility in a registered **hospital**, health screening clinic or provided by an authorised service

provider. **You** can ask any questions **you** have about health matters. No information about the **insured person's** health or well-being will be sent to **us** – it is entirely confidential between **you** and the **hospital doctor**. **We** only require a certificate from the **hospital doctor**, clinic or provider confirming that the check has been completed and the **receipt** for the amount paid. **We** will not pay this **benefit** if **your** general practitioner carries out the Health Check or if the Health Check takes place in a general practitioners' surgery. The period of time after **you** have taken out this insurance **you** have to wait before **you** can claim, i.e. **your qualifying period**, is 90 days.

Contribution	Maximum Benefit
75% of what <b>you</b> have paid directly to the specified	Up to £200 per <b>benefit year</b> .
practitioners.	

## L. Health and Medical Information & Counselling Service

DAS Insurance Company Limited ("DAS"), on behalf of Compass, offers telephone advice, information and assistance services 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. To access this service please call 0117 934 0433 in complete confidence.

Health and Medical Information Service - The Medical Advice information help line provides non-diagnostic advice and a qualified nurse to talk through any problems with **you**. DAS nurses can provide information about all types of surgical and medical procedures, health issues and complementary therapies. From their extensive database, DAS can fax or post information sheets on over 400 **medical conditions**.

DAS Health Advisors can offer **you** assistance with a diverse range of health related issues. This includes anything from diet and exercise, to reducing alcohol consumption and giving up smoking. Where necessary DAS will prepare plans for **you** to follow, and **you** can then ring back to discuss **your** progress.

Counselling - DAS will provide **you** with a confidential counselling service over the phone. DAS experienced counsellors are available to discuss any issue and offer completely confidential support and advice at a time that suits **you**. Some of the concerns DAS deal with include stress, anxiety, depression, health related issues, relationships breakdown and bereavement. DAS are also able to provide all kinds of information and can offer referral to relevant professional or voluntary bodies which offer help and support.

## **SECTION 4 – WHAT IS NOT COVERED**

## We will not pay benefit:

- 1. until after the relevant qualifying period has passed.
- 2. We will not pay benefit if treatment is needed as a direct or indirect result or consequence of:
- a) engaging in any sport as a professional or semi-professional.
- b) boxing, base jumping, cliff diving, flying in an unlicensed aircraft or as a learner, martial arts, free climbing, mountaineering with or without ropes, scuba diving to a depth of more than 10 metres, trekking to a height of over 2,500 metres, bungee jumping, canyoning, hangliding, paragliding or microlighting, parachuting, potholing, skiing off-piste or any other winter sports activity carried out off-piste, hunting on horseback, powerboat racing or any race, trial or timed motor sport event.
- suicide or attempted suicide or you deliberately injure yourself or put yourself in danger (unless you are trying to save someone's life).
- d) taking part in a criminal act.
- e) taking alcohol or drugs, unless the drugs are taken under the qualified medical advice or supervision of a
   doctor (and provided you have not exceeded the prescribed dose or failed to comply with any advice
   given in connection with taking such drugs).
- f) war or terrorist acts
- g) you engaging in active war.
- h) Nuclear, chemical and biological risks.
- medical operations or treatments which are not medically necessary to your quality of life, including cosmetic or beauty treatments.

Please note, for clarity: **We** will pay **benefit** for **treatment** required as a result of a **terrorist act** providing that **terrorist act** does not result in nuclear, biological or chemical contamination.

- 3. You may not claim for more than one **benefit** in respect of the same **treatment** or **hospital** stay.
- 4. In respect of Section 6a dental **treatment** and 6b **dental accident**: we will not pay **benefit** for:
- a) fees that are recoverable or otherwise covered by other insurance policies.
- b) injury caused by foodstuffs (including foreign bodies therein) in the course of consumption.
- c) injury caused other than by **extra oral** impact.
- d) **treatment** that relates to damage or injury caused whilst participating in any contact sport when the appropriate mouth protection was not being worn.
- e) any prescription charges or associated costs.
- f) mouthguards, gum shields or any dental appliances.
- g) costs which we consider are not necessarily incurred or which are charged in excess of any published amounts for that treatment.
- h) implants, cosmetic and orthodontic treatment.
- i) damage to dentures, other than whilst being worn.
- j) reimbursement for travelling expenses or telephone calls in connection with any treatment.
- k) extraction of wisdom teeth, other than those extracted in an emergency at the **dentist's** surgery.
- I) damage caused by tooth brushing or other oral hygiene procedures.
- m) any **treatment**, care or repair to, or in connection with 'tooth jewellery'.
- n) treatments for normal wear and tear.
- 5. In respect of Section G Day Case **Treatment**:

## We will not pay benefit for:

- a) out-patient appointments including injections, x-rays or scans
- b) in association with a claim for hospital inpatient benefit
- c) kidney dialysis
- d) day care, for example psychiatric, respite care, care for the elderly and maternity
- e) cancelled operations before admission
- f) treatment not in a hospital, for example operations carried out in a GP's surgery or clinic or attendance at an accident and emergency department
- g) pre-admission appointment
- h) pregnancy termination or sterilization, vasectomy
- i) laser eye surgery or cosmetic surgery

#### **SECTION 5 - MAKING A CLAIM**

#### Who to Contact

If **you** need to make a claim, please write to Compass at: Compass Underwriting Limited, Claims Department, 50 Mark Lane, London EC3R 7QR;

Telephone: 0800 319 6601 (please note all calls are recorded); Email: claims@compassuw.co.uk

A claim form will be sent to **you**. **You** will need to fill this in and send it back to Compass within 60 days or as soon as **you** can, giving all the information requested so **your** claim can be processed.

When **we** have accepted a claim **you** will need to wait up to 5 working days for **your** cheque or electronic payment, as long as **we** have all the necessary information. However, due to their nature, claims such as **dental accident** may take longer. Compass is an insurers' agent and in the matters of a claim act on behalf of the Insurer.

#### Things to Remember

- 1. You must also send Compass all of your receipts for any treatment. You will be responsible for providing the necessary evidence. We will not accept receipts made out in joint names.
- The receipts should also fully describe the treatment received or the items paid for, the date of the
  treatment, the full cost and the date the account was paid. We will not accept till slips, credit card sales vouchers,
  photocopied or altered receipts. You must also include receipts for any NHS car parking charges.
- 3. We will not return your receipt unless you ask us to and send us a reply paid envelope. We always recommend that you send us original receipts by recorded mail. Compass will only send the receipts back to you if you include a stamped addressed envelope.

- 4. You must pay for treatment before you make a claim.
- 5. You must give the agent permission to see your medical records &/or reports as set out in the Data Protection Act &/or the Access to Medical Reports Act 1988. If Compass wants you to have a medical examination, you must do so or your claim may not be paid. We will pay any costs involved for the medical examination (such as your travel costs).
- 6. You must meet any appointed representative, consultant or loss adjuster if the agent thinks you need to.

## How we pay claims

We treat claims as arising in a benefit year according to:

- the dates you are in hospital for hospital inpatient and intensive care hospital treatment benefits;
- the date **you** receive **treatment**, as shown on the **receipt**, for other claims.
- We will pay benefits by cheque to your home address or by electronic transfer direct to your bank account. This account must be the same one as we deduct your monthly premium from.
- We will not refund any charges you have to pay for filling in a claim form, providing a medical certificate or report, or for appointments for **treatment** that you miss.

#### Other Insurance

If, at the time of a valid claim under this **Policy**, there is another insurance **Policy** in force which covers **you** for the same loss or expense, **we** may seek a recovery of some or all of **our** costs from the other insurer. **You** must give **us** any help or information **we** may need to assist **us** with **our** loss recoveries.

#### Arbitration

If there is a disagreement over the amount of a claim payment, the matter will be referred to an arbitrator that **you** and **we** both agree to. If this happens, **you** cannot start legal proceedings against **us** until the arbitrator has made a decision.

## **Fraudulent Claims or Misleading Information**

We take a robust approach to fraud prevention in order to keep **premium** rates down so that **you** do not have to pay for other people's dishonesty. If any claim under this insurance is fraudulent, deliberately exaggerated, or is intended to mislead, or if any deliberately misleading or fraudulent means are used by **you** or anyone acting on **your** behalf to obtain **benefit** under this insurance, **your** right to any **benefit** under this insurance will end, **your Policy** will be cancelled without any **premium** refund and **we** will be entitled to recover any **benefit** paid as a result of any such fraudulent or deliberately misleading claim. **We** may also inform the police.

To prevent fraud, insurers sometimes share information. Details about **your** insurance application and any claim **you** make may be exchanged between insurers.

#### SECTION 6 - CANCELLATION OF THE POLICY

## **Your Cancellation Rights**

**You** can cancel **your Policy** within 14 days of the **Policy start date** or, if later, 14 days of the date **you** receive this **Policy** Document. **We** will refund any **premiums you** have paid as long as **you** have not made a claim and do not intend to make a claim.

You can also cancel your Policy at any other time. If you have not made a claim and do not intend to make a claim, you will be not be entitled to a refund as you will only have paid for the cover you have already received. Please contact your administrator if you wish to cancel your Policy.

#### The Insurers' Cancellation Rights

We reserve the right to cancel this **Policy** immediately if **you** commit fraud. If **we** cancel **your Policy we** will do so in writing to the most recent address **we** have for **you**.

Your Policy will end automatically if you do not pay any premium when it becomes due. If this happens, you will be contacted requesting payment within 30 days. If we do not receive payment within this period, you will be written to again notifying you that your Policy will be cancelled.

#### **SECTION 7 – HOW TO MAKE A COMPLAINT**

Our aim is to provide you with a high quality service at all times, although we do appreciate that there may be instances where you feel it is necessary to lodge a complaint.

If you do wish to complain, please note the 3 steps below, along with the relevant contact details for each step.

Please take special note that should you wish to direct your complaint directly to Lloyd's in the first instance, **you** may do so by using the contact information referenced in Step 2 below.

#### Step 1:

In the first instance, if your complaint relates to a claim or the terms of your Policy please direct it to the agent.

- By email to info@compassuw.co.uk
- By telephone on 0800 319 6601
- By writing to The Managing Director, Compass Underwriting Limited, 50 Mark Lane, London EC3R 7QR

If your complaint relates to the sale or administration of your Policy please direct it to the administrator:

- By email to customerrelations@uibuk.com
- By telephone on 0343 178 1255 (Mon-Fri 9am-6pm)
- By writing to Customer Relations, Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd, 39-51 Highgate Road, London NW5 1RT

#### Step 2:

Should **you** remain dissatisfied with the outcome of **your** complaint from the agent or **your** administrator, your legal rights are not affected and you may refer your complaint to Lloyd's. Lloyd's contact information is: Complaints at Lloyd's, Fidentia House, Walter Burke Way, Chatham Maritime, Kent, ME4 4RN Tel: +44 (0)20 7327 5693 Email: complaints@lloyds.com

Website: www.lloyds.com/complaints

Details of Lloyd's complaints procedure are set out in a leaflet "How We Will Handle Your Complaint", which is available at the website address above. Alternatively, you may ask Lloyd's for a hard copy.

#### Step 3:

If you remain dissatisfied after Lloyd's has considered your complaint, you may have the right to refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service. The Financial Ombudsman Service is an independent service in the **UK** for settling disputes between consumers and businesses providing financial services.

The contact information is: Financial Ombudsman Service, Exchange Tower, London, E14 9SR

Tel: 0800 0234 567 (calls to this number are free on mobile phones and landlines).

Tel: 0300 1239 123 (calls to this number cost no more than calls to 01 and 02 numbers).

Email: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Alternatively, if you purchased your insurance online, please note that you can, if you wish, also submit your complaint via the Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) Platform set up by the European Commission. This service has been set up to help residents in the European Union (EU), who have bought goods or services online, get their complaint resolved. You can access the ODR Platform using the following link:

http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr/

This does not affect your right to submit your complaint following the process above. Please note that under current rules the European Commission will ultimately redirect **your** complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS).

## SECTION 8 - LEGAL, REGULATORY & OTHER INFORMATION

#### **Insurance Compensation Fund**

Lloyd's Syndicate 4444, which is managed by Caniopus Managing Agents Ltd is covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme, if they cannot meet their obligations. This depends on the type of business and the circumstances of the claim. Most insurance contracts are covered for 90% of the claim with no upper limit. You can get more information about compensation scheme arrangements from the FSCS (10th Floor Beaufort House, 15 St Botolph Street London EC3A 7QU) or visit www.fscs.org.uk

#### **Data Protection Notice**

We and Claims administrator are the data controllers (as defined by the Data Protection Act 1998 and all applicable laws which replace or amend it, including the General Data Protection Regulation) who may collect and process your personal information.

For full details of what data we collect about you, how we use it, who we share it with, how long we keep it and your rights relating to your personal data, please refer to our Privacy Notice which is available on our website www.canopius.com/privacy/privacy-notice. If you do not have access to the Internet, please write to the Group Data Protection Officer (address below) with your address and a copy will be sent to you in the post.

## In summary:

We and our claims handlers may, as part of our agreement with you under this contract, collect personal information about you, including:

- Name, address, contact details, date of birth and cover required
- Financial information such as bank details
- Details of any claim

We and our claims handlers will also collect personal information about any additional people who you wish to be insured under the policy.

We and our claims handlers may also collect sensitive personal information about you, and any additional people who you wish to be insured under the policy, where the provision of this type of information is in the substantial public interest, including:

- Medical records to validate a claim should you be claiming for Medical Expenses.
- We and our claims handlers collect and process your personal information for the purpose of insurance and claims administration.
- All phone calls may be monitored and recorded and the recordings used for fraud prevention and detection, training and quality control purposes.

Your personal information may be shared with third parties which supply services to us or which process information on our behalf (for example, premium collection and claims validation, or for communication purposes related to your cover). We will ensure that they keep your information secure and do not use it for purposes other than those that we have specified in our Privacy Notice.

Some third parties that process your data on our behalf may do so outside of the European Economic Area ("EEA"). This transfer and processing is protected by EU Model Contracts which aim to provide the equivalent level of data protection to that found in the EU.

We and our claims handlers will keep your personal information only for as long as we believe is necessary to fulfil the purposes for which the personal information was collected (including for the purpose of meeting any legal obligations.

We and our claims handlers will share your information if we are required to by law. We may share your information with enforcement authorities if they ask us to, or with a third party in the context of actual or threatened legal proceedings, provided we can do so without breaching data protection laws.

If you have any concerns about how your personal data is being collected and processed, or wish to exercise any of your rights detailed in our Privacy Notice, please contact: Group Data Protection Officer, Canopius Managing Agents Limited, Gallery 9, One Lime Street, London EC3M 7HA, UK privacy@canopius.com

+ 44 20 7337 3700

#### **Rights of Third Parties**

A person who is not a party to this **Policy** has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this **Policy** but this does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists or is available apart from that Act.

For **your** information, the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 allows a person who is not a party to a contract to be able to enforce that contract if the contract expressly allows him to or if the contract confers a **benefit** upon him. However the Act will not be applied if the parties make it clear in the contract that the third party does not have the right to enforce it. For further guidance please see www.legislation.gov.uk or contact the Citizens Advice Bureau.

#### Law and Jurisdiction

Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, this **Policy** shall be governed by the laws of England and Wales and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England.

#### Sanctions

**We** shall not provide any **benefit** under this contract of insurance to the extent of providing cover, payment of any claim or the provision of any **benefit** where doing so would breach any sanction, prohibition or restriction imposed by law or regulation.

#### **Several Liability**

The subscribing insurers' obligations under contracts of insurance to which they subscribe are several and not joint and are limited solely to the extent of their individual subscriptions. The subscribing insurers are not responsible for the subscription of any co-subscribing insurer who for any reason does not satisfy all or part of its obligations.

#### The Insurer

This insurance is underwritten by Lloyd's Syndicate 4444, which is managed by Canopius Managing Agents Limited. Registered Office: Canopius Managing Agents Limited, Gallery 9, One Lime Street, London, EC3M 7HA. Registered in England no. 01514453.

## **Regulatory Details**

- Canopius Managing Agents Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority. Firm Reference: 204847.
- Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd (your administrator) is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority, register number 307575.
- Compass Underwriting Limited (the agent) is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.
   Firm Reference: 304908.

This can be checked at https://register.fca.org.uk/

## **SECTION 9 – DEFINITIONS**

Where **we** explain what a word means, that word will have the same meaning wherever **we** use it in **your Policy**. These words are highlighted in bold.

## **Accident**

A physical injury that is caused directly and only by a sudden, unexpected external and visible event, anywhere in the world during the period of cover.

## Benefit(s)

The amount shown in the **Policy** Schedule, the **Policy** wording states the maximum **benefits you** can receive.

#### Benefit year

The 12-month period after **you** qualify for **benefit**, either after first taking out this insurance or after **you** change **your** cover; and every 12-month period after that for which **you** pay and **we** accept **your premiums**.

## Consultant

A medical **specialist** who is a member of a college and recognised by that college as a **consultant**.

## **Day-patient treatment**

**Treatment** which, for medical reasons, means the **insured person** has to go into a **hospital** or **day-patient unit** because a period of clinically supervised recovery is needed but they do not have to stay overnight.

#### Day-patient unit

A centre in which **day-patient treatment** (including **hospitals**) is carried out but excluding GP's surgery or clinic or attendance at an **accident** or emergency department.

## **Dental Accident**

A sudden and unexpected injury to the mouth, which causes damage to the teeth and/or gums, and results from a direct **extra oral** impact.

#### Dentist

A dental surgeon who is currently registered with the General Dental Council.

## **Diagnostic tests**

Investigations, such as x-rays or blood tests, to find or to help to find the cause of **your** symptoms.

#### Doctor

A qualified medical practitioner registered in the **UK** with the General Medical Council. A **doctor** cannot be **you**, anyone related to **you** or anyone living with **you**.

#### **Extra Oral**

Outside or external to the oral cavity including anything external to the lips and cheeks.

## Hospital

An institution, which has accommodation for residential patients and facilities for diagnosis, surgery and **treatment**. It does not include a long-term nursing home, a rehabilitation centre, a geriatric or a convalescence home or an extended-care facility.

#### Illness

A sickness or disease which first occurs during the period of cover and results in a claim covered by this insurance within the **benefit year**.

## **Insured person**

Person named on the Policy Schedule

## Inpatient treatment

Treatment which, for medical reasons, means you have to stay in hospital overnight or for longer.

## **Medical condition**

Any disease, illness or injury, including psychiatric illness.

## NHS car parking charges

Any type of **hospital** car parking charges that are directly related to an **insured person**'s attendance as an inpatient at a **hospital**. It also includes parking at an off-site car park or on-road parking in close proximity to the **hospital**.

#### **Nuclear, Chemical & Biological Risks**

- 1. Nuclear means the use of any explosive nuclear weapon or device or the emission, discharge, dispersal, release or escape of fissile material emitting a level of radioactivity capable of causing incapacitating disablement or death amongst people or animals.
- 2. Chemical means the emission, discharge, dispersal, release or escape of any solid, liquid or gaseous chemical compound which, when suitably distributed, is capable of causing incapacitating disablement or death amongst people or animals.
- 3. Biological means the emission, discharge, dispersal, release or escape of any pathogenic (disease producing) micro-organism(s) and/or biologically produced toxin(s) (including genetically modified organisms and chemically synthesised toxins) which are capable of causing incapacitating disablement or death amongst people or animals.

#### Policy

The full terms of the insurance contract between **you** and **us** are set out in a number of documents including the **Policy** Schedule and this **Policy** Document.

## Premium(s)

The amount you pay in return for the cover you have chosen as set out in your Policy Schedule.

## **Qualifying period**

The period before **you** are entitled to most **benefits**. The **qualifying period** that applies to each **benefit** is shown on the table of **benefits**. **We** will not pay **benefit** if **you** receive any **treatment** during these **qualifying periods**.

After an **accident** the **qualifying period** does not apply to the 'hospital inpatient and day case **treatment**', 'parental **hospital** stay' nor 'dental accident and emergency' benefits, as long as **we** have received **your** first **premium** by **your Policy start date** or have issued **your Policy** Document and **Policy** Schedule

#### Receipt

The original **receipt** provided by the healthcare provider. All **receipts** for **treatment** must show the full name of the person who received the **treatment**. **We** will not accept **receipts** made out in joint names. The **receipts** should also fully describe the **treatment** received or the items paid for; the date of the **treatment**, the full cost and the date the account was paid. **We** will not accept till slips, credit card sales vouchers, photocopied or altered **receipts**.

## **Specialist**

A person, with a part-time or full-time NHS **consultant** appointment, who appears on the General Medical Council **specialist** registered in the specialty for which they are offering **treatment**.

#### Start date

The date the insurance begins as shown on your Policy Schedule.

#### Terrorist act

Any clandestine use of violence by an individual terrorist or a terrorist group to coerce or intimidate the civilian population to achieve a political, military, social or religious goal.

### Treatment(s)

Surgical or medical services (including **diagnostic tests** and **day-patient treatment**) that are needed to diagnose, relieve or cure a disease, **illness** or injury.

## **UK, United Kingdom**

England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

#### War

A contest carried on by force of arms between the armed forces of separate nations and which is usually characterised by the pursuit of territorial gain.

#### We. our. us

Lloyd's Syndicate 4444, which is managed by Canopius Managing Agents Limited.

## You, your

The person who purchased this **Policy** and who is named on the **Policy** Schedule as the Policyholder.

## **Demands and Needs**

Health Cash Plan cover meets the demands and needs of those would would benefit from help towards covering the costs of everyday healthcare such as dental treatment, eye care, therapy treatments, consultations with specialists and more. We are not offering advice or personal opinion on the suitability of this product, you need to decide based on the information provided whether this cover is right for you and meets your needs.

## **Data Protection Notice**

The Personal Information you provide.

Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd (UIB) is a joint data controller (as defined in the Data Protection Act 2018 (DPA)) and fully accepts the responsibility of protecting the privacy of customers and the confidentiality and security of personal information provided. Reference in this notice to "we","our" or "us" means Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd.

In this notice, Personal Information is sensitive personal data (as defined in the DPA) and means any information that identifies an individual and includes any sensitive personal information (e.g. information about health or medical condition(s)).

Where this notice refers to you or your Personal Information, this will include any information that identifies another person whose information you have provided to us. We will assume that they have appointed you to act for them). You agree to receive on their behalf any data protection notices from us. Your Personal Information will be used for the purpose of providing insurance services. By providing Personal Information, you consent that your Personal Information, will be used by us, our reinsurers, service providers/ business partners, and our agents for administration, customer service, claims handling, assistance services, customer

profiling, and for management and audit of our business operations. We may also pass your Personal Information to other insurers and regulatory and law enforcement bodies for the prevention of fraud, financial crime or where the law requires us to do so.

We may transfer your Personal Information to countries outside the EEA which may not have the same level of data protection as in the United Kingdom, but if this is necessary it will be ensured that appropriate safeguards are in place to protect your Personal Information. If you ask us what Personal Information is held about you it will be provided to you in accordance with applicable law. No fee will be charged for this. Any Personal Information which is found to be incorrect will be corrected promptly. You have the right to withdraw your consent to us processing any of your Personal Information at any time, if it is not specifically required for us to provide and administer the product or service that you have purchased or registered for. We may monitor and/or record your communication with us, either ourselves or using reputable organisations selected by us, to ensure consistent servicing levels and account operation. We will keep information about you only for so long as it is appropriate.

If you wish to unsubscribe from our marketing communications please contact us on the details below quoting your name, address, telephone number and email address.

We have a dedicated Data Protection Officer who you can contact for any queries or to exercise any of your rights under data protection regulations including: data subject access requests, correcting your information, making a complaint. If you believe we are holding inaccurate information about you or wish to request a copy of your information, you should contact us.

Contact Details:

**Data Protection Officer** 

By email: dataprotection@embignell.com

By post: Data Protection Team, Embignell Ltd.

Unit A, Piano Yard, Highgate Road, London NW5 1BF

We will provide the information that you have requested in a suitable format to meet your requirements.

If the administrator cannot resolve the complaint to your satisfaction, you can contact the Information Commissioner's Office who are the Supervisory Authority in the UK protecting the rights of individuals under current Data Protection regulations.

Website: www.ico.org.uk By telephone: 0303 123 1113

## **About Our Insurance Services**

The FCA is an independent watchdog that regulates financial services. Use this information to decide if our services are right for you.

Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd only offers a range of products from a limited number of insurers. Please ask us for a list of the products together with the insurers who provide them. The insurers for a particular product are named on the Policy documents that you receive. You will not receive advice or a recommendation from us. We may ask you some questions to narrow down the selection of products that we will provide details on. You will then need to make your own choice about how to proceed.

Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority, register number 307575. Our permitted business is arranging and dealing in the administration and performance of a contract of insurance. This can be checked on the FCA website www.fca.org.uk or contacting the FCA on 0800 111 6768. If you wish to register a complaint, please contact us: by telephone on 0343 178 1255; by email to customerrelations@uibuk.com; in writing at UIB Customer Services, 39/51 Highgate Rd, London, NW5 1RT

If we cannot settle your complaint with us, you may be entitled to refer it to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS). Further information can be obtained from FOS by visiting their website www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd is a member of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). This provides compensation in case any of its members go out of business or into liquidation and are unable to meet any valid claims under its policies. Further information can be obtained from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme by visiting their website at www.fscs.org.uk

## **Contact Us**

## **Customer Services**

Telephone: 0343 178 1255 Email: customercare@uibuk.com

Address:

Union Income Benefit Holdings Ltd 39-51 Highgate Road London NW5 1RT

Lines open Mon to Fri 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.. Telephone calls may be recorded for monitoring and quality purposes.

#### Claims

Telephone: 0800 319 6601 Email: claims@compassuw.co.uk Online: www.compassuw.co.uk

Address:

Compass Underwriting Limited 50 Mark Lane London EC3R 7QR

Telephone lines open: Mon to Fri 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Please note all calls are recorded