

## Vantage Medical Plan Service Guide

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## Foreword

Thank you for choosing Hong Kong Life Insurance Limited as your insurance provider. We offer an array of individual and group insurance plans for selection. Our product ranges from juvenile plan, saving plan, whole life insurance, medical and dread disease insurance, and retirement to legacy planning. We put our valuable customers at the heart of our business and provide tremendous care to them at all times, assisting to arrange the value added services in addition to the basic insurance.

To ensure that you will understand the guideline of our value added services, please take a few minutes to go through this service guide carefully.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Customer Service Hotline. Please refer to the Contact Us section for more details. We assure you of our quality service at all times.

#### Note:

In the event of conflicts between the Chinese and the English versions, the English version shall prevail.

## ABBREVIATION .

## **Abbreviation** Meaning **Critical Illness** CIAS **Assistance Service Inter Partner Assistance** IPA **Hong Kong Limited Munich Reinsurance Munich Re** Company Hong Kong Life We/us/our/Company **Insurance Limited** You/your Policyowner Life Insured He/she/his/her

## CASHLESS ARRANGEMENT SERVICE FOR HOSPITALIZATION

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### CASHLESS ARRANGEMENT SERVICE FOR HOSPITALIZATION

**Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** is provided by IPA which offers the distinct advantage where you would no longer have to worry about the immediate liquidity.

### A. What is Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization

**Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** is a one-stop hassle free service for complete peace of mind during the hospital stay of the Life Insured. Simply apply the **Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** prior to the hospital admission in a private hospital in Hong Kong. Once the **Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** is arranged, there is no need to go through the claim reimbursement process after discharging from hospital. On behalf of you, we shall settle the eligible medical expenses incurred.

Please call our 24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline (852) 2863 5532 for more details and the latest hospital list for **Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization**.

### **B.** How to use Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization

- i. Complete and return the Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization Application Form to us at least **five (5) working days** prior to the hospital admission by:
  - (a) email: vantage@hklife.com.hk; or
  - (b) fax: (852) 2785 0656
- ii. Once the **Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** has been arranged, we will inform you the arrangement details by phone and send out the confirmation letter to you. Meanwhile, the concerned hospital will be informed for the pre-authorized amount.
- iii. Upon admission, the concerned hospital will verify the Life Insured identification document and accept the pre-authorized amount as arranged on the confirmation letter.
- iv. At the time of discharge, settle any deductible amount, non-covered expenses and net balance that have exceeded the pre-authorized amount as arranged on the confirmation letter.
- v. After completing our claims assessment, a settlement letter will be sent to you. If there is any shortfall, a shortfall notice will be sent to you fourteen (14) days prior to the collection. We will collect the shortfall from the credit card account provided in Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization Application Form.

#### Remarks:

- All the services and benefits under Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization are arranged by us and rendered by IPA subject to availability. The availability of such services and benefits may change from time to time without prior notice.
- We shall not be liable to you and/or the Life Insured in respect of any loss, damage, expense, suit, action or proceeding suffered or incurred by you and/or the Life Insured, whether directly or indirectly, arising from or in connection with the services provided or advice given by IPA or its representatives, or the availability of such services.
- We have no obligation to replace IPA and/or its service with other service providers if the arrangement between we and IPA ceases to operate or if IPA ceases to carry on its business. We reserve the right to cancel the Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization at any time by giving thirty (30) days' notice in writing to you. Cancellation shall be without prejudice to any claim arising prior to the date of cancellation.
- Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization is not available for public hospitals under Hospital Authority.
- Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization is not available for outpatient treatment.
- The final decision regarding the Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization is subject to the discretion of us.
- If the hospitalization is due to illness/disability classified under any exclusion or whatsoever with regards to the policy, Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization will not be granted.
- **Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization** is not an admission of claims eligibility and the actual reimbursement entitlement is subject to the terms and conditions of the policy. We reserve the rights to recover any shortfall from you in the event when any non-eligible expenses that are not covered under the policy.
- In the event when Cashless Arrangement Service for Hospitalization cannot be arranged, the standard hospitalization benefit claim procedure shall be adopted for the reimbursement.

### SECOND MEDICAL OPINION FROM OVERSEAS EXPERT SERVICE

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**Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service** is provided by IPA which offers access to the expertise of top medical specialists in the United States and enables the Life Insured to access opinions from expert physicians who are actively involved in groundbreaking research and keenly aware of the most up-to-date clinical developments.

### A. What is Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service

When the Life Insured has been diagnosed with any Critical Illness as specified in section C below, **Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service** offers a detailed treatment advice which enables him/her to have the most up-to-date clinical development in pursuing his/her treatment choices.

### **B.** How to use Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service

- i. Contact our 24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline (852) 2863 5532 if the Life Insured is diagnosed with Critical Illness as specified in section C below.
- ii. Provide his/her information for verification including name, policy number, date of birth, I.D number/passport number, contact number and the diagnosis.
- iii. IPA will notify you for the eligibility and the procedure of the **Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service.**
- iv. Complete and return the consent form with medical reports and medical information to IPA.
- v. The second medical opinion report will be ready within **fifteen (15) working days** after receiving all the required information.
- vi. When the second medical opinion report is ready, IPA will arrange an appointment with medical professional to explain and return the report to you/Life Insured.

### C. List of Critical Illness for Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service

**Alzheimer's Disease** 

**Apallic Syndrome** 

**Aplastic Anaemia** 

**Bacterial Meningitis** 

Benign Brain Tumour

Blindness

Cancer

Cardiomyopathy

**Chronic Liver Disease** 

**Chronic Relapsing Pancreatitis** 

Coma

**Coronary Artery Disease Surgery** 

Encephalitis

End Stage Lung Disease

**Fulminant Hepatitis** 

Heart Attack

Heart Valve and Structural Surgery

**HIV Due to Blood Transfusion** 

**Kidney Failure** 

Loss of Hearing

Loss of Speech

**Major Burns** 

**Major Head Trauma** 

**Major Organ Transplantation** 

Medullary Cystic Disease

Motor Neurone Disease

Muscular Dystrophy

**Multiple Sclerosis** 

**Occupationally Acquired HIV** 

Paralysis

Parkinson's Disease

Poliomyelitis

**Progressive Bulbar Palsy** 

**Progressive Muscular Atrophy** 

Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (Primary or Secondary)

Severe Rheumatoid Arthritis

Stroke

**Surgery to Aorta** 

**Terminal Illness** 

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  Service are arranged by us and rendered by IPA subject to availability. The availability of such services and benefits may change from time to time without prior notice.
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- We have no obligation to replace IPA and its service with other service providers if the arrangement between we and IPA ceases to operate or if IPA ceases to carry on its business. We reserve the right to cancel the Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service at any time by giving thirty (30) days' notice in writing to you. Cancellation shall be without prejudice to any claim arising prior to the date of cancellation.
- The Second Medical Opinion from Overseas Expert Service is not a substitute for medical services. All opinions and determinations provided by the medical specialists are recommendations only and are not intended to be construed to require any person to have or forgo any medical treatment. You and/or the Life Insured shall finally decide taking the advices and is responsible for the own decision.



## WORLDWIDE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE AND MEDPASS SERVICE

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**Worldwide Emergency Assistance and MedPass Service** is provided by IPA which offers comprehensive assistance services such as medical evacuation, repatriation after treatment, medical advice, evaluation and referral appointment assistance before starting or during the journey. This service includes necessary transportation and ancillary services in moving the Life Insured to the nearest medical facility where he/she can be suitably treated. A 24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline is here to assist him/her with the available emergency assistance services and/or advice. MedPass Service assists the Life Insured in receiving immediate inpatient medical treatment in hospitals of the mainland China without any additional hassle.

### A. What is Worldwide Emergency Assistance Service

Worldwide Emergency Assistance Service provides advice and assistance which includes arranging the transportation for the services listed as below.

- Medical evacuation IPA will recommend hospitalization in another medical facility where the Life Insured can be suitably treated.
- Repatriation after treatment to country of residence the Life Insured can be repatriated when the medical condition is appropriate and confirmed by IPA's doctor.
- Repatriation of mortal remains/ashes in the event of death, IPA will provide the service of transferring the Life Insured 's body or ashes back to his/her country of residence.
- Compassionate visit a designated person or a close relative can be arranged to travel to the bedside of the Life Insured.
- Return of unattended dependent child(ren) to country of residence unattended dependent child(ren) can be accompanied by a qualified attendant to return to the country of residence of the Life Insured.

It also offers services as below.

- Medical attention telephone medical advice, evaluation and referral appointment medical advice and evaluation can be provided by the attending physician over the phone and referral appointment can be made when necessary.
- Deposit guaranteeing of hospital admission IPA can arrange an approved payment for the required hospital admission deposit on behalf of you.
- Medical monitoring IPA will monitor the medical condition of the Life Insured and update his/her family.
- Travel information such as immunization and inoculation requirements and needs, legal referral, lost luggage retrieval, assistance on loss of traveling document and emergency rerouting arrangements, etc.

### **B. How to use Worldwide Emergency Assistance Service**

- i. Contact our 24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline (852) 2863 5532.
- ii. Provide the information of the Life Insured for verification including name, policy number, date of birth, I.D number/passport number, contact number, a brief description of the assistance event, his/her situation and the nature of help required.
- iii. IPA will notify you the arrangements and/or details of the requested services.

### C. What is MedPass Service

MedPass Service enables the Life Insured to admit to those IPA's network hospitals without pre-paying hospital admission deposit after presenting the emergency medical card with IPA's MedPass logo.

### D. How to use MedPass Service

- i. Contact our 24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline (852) 2863 5532.
- ii. Provide the information of the Life Insured for verification including name, policy number, I.D number/passport number, contact number, a brief description of the assistance event and a valid credit authorization (eg. credit card number).
- iii. Upon verification, IPA will refer him/her to the nearest IPA's network hospital for admission and will issue the letter of guarantee to the network hospital.
- iv. Visit the network hospital and presents the emergency medical card and his/her identity card or any relevant traveling documents with his/her name and photo to the staff of Accident & Emergency Department. The hospital will notify IPA of the case.
- v. Upon discharge, you will settle the medical expenses with the network hospital.

### **Remarks:**

- All the services and benefits under Worldwide Emergency Assistance and MedPass Service are arranged by us and rendered by IPA subject to availability. The availability of such services and benefits may change from time to time without prior notice.
- We shall not be liable to you and/or the Life Insured in respect of any loss, damage, expense, suit, action or proceeding suffered or incurred by you and/or the Life Insured, whether directly or indirectly, arising from or in connection with the services provided or advice given by IPA or its representatives, or the availability of such services.
- We have no obligation to replace IPA and its service with other service providers if the arrangement between we and IPA ceases to operate or if IPA ceases to carry on its business. We reserve the right to cancel the Worldwide Emergency Assistance and MedPass Service at any time by giving thirty (30) days' notice in writing to you. Cancellation shall be without prejudice to any claim arising prior to the date of cancellation.
- The types and limit of services rendered by IPA are governed by the terms and conditions of Worldwide Emergency Assistance and MedPass Service. Please refer to the Terms and Conditions of the services on our website at www.hklife.com.hk.



## CRITICAL ILLNESS ASSISTANCE SERVICE

### **CRITICAL ILLNESS ASSISTANCE SERVICE**

**Critical Illness Assistance Service** is provided by Munich Re which offers an innovative online medical service platform that seamlessly connects highly specialized healthcare professionals to provide services including 24-hour online medical consulting service from full-time specialists in all medical divisions or doctors from mainland China. Medical guidance service is also embedded to assist the Life Insured in setting up medical appointment with the medical experts in mainland China and offers assistances and accompany him/her throughout the process of medical consultation.

### A. What is Critical Illness Assistance Service

**Critical Illness Assistance Service** offers online medical consulting services. The Life Insured can seek for online medical advices which will be replied by the medical experts in mainland China. The use of this online medical consulting service is unlimited.

It also provides one time free second medical opinion service from mainland Chinese medical experts which include independent advice on the medical condition and alternative treatment plan if the Life Insured is diagnosed with Critical Illness as specified in section C below. These medical experts shall include but not limited to associate professors, deputy directors or above from China 3A Class Hospitals.

In addition, if the Life Insured is diagnosed with Critical Illness as specified in section C below, he/she can apply for one time free medical guidance service and receive information and recommendations from the appropriate mainland Chinese medical experts. An experienced medical guidance representative can be arranged to offer assistances and accompany the Life Insured throughout the process of medical consultation.

### An experienced medical guidance representative will:

- Assist in setting up appointment with the mainland Chinese medical experts.
- Assist and accompany the Life Insured throughout the process of the medical consultation. This service is only available in Beijing, Shanghai and Guangzhou.
- Assist in appointment registration; accompany the Life Insured for medical testing and/or medicine purchasing.

### **B.** How to use Critical Illness Assistance Service

Log on to the Critical Illness Assistance Service by (a) website, (b) WeChat account or

- (c) scanning the QR code:
- (a) Website: http://cicare.mobilelab.cn
- (b) WeChat: search for the public account "健康关爱增值服务平台"
- (c) Click for "健康关爱微信公众号" at the bottom of the web page and scan the QR code.



User ID (Policy No.) and policy password will be provided to you upon the time of policy issuance. It will take ten (10) days for the activation.

### For Internet Based Medical Consulting Service

- i. We will send the user ID (Policy No.) and policy password to you upon issuance of the policy.
- ii. Log in to the CIAS internet / WeChat account to enjoy unlimited medical enquiries which will be replied by the mainland Chinese medical expert.

For Second Medical Opinion from Mainland Chinese Medical Expert Service and Medical Guidance Service

- i. Contact our Vantage Medical Plan Customer Service Hotline (852) 2290 2886 if the Life Insured is diagnosed with Critical Illness as specified in section C below.
- ii. Complete the CIAS Application Form and select the required service(s). Return the CIAS Application Form with medical reports to us. You may enjoy our Claims Courier Service for picking up the document at your door.
  - (a) Contact our Vantage Medical Plan Customer Service Hotline (852) 2290 2886 for the Claims Courier Service; or
  - (b) by email: vantage@hklife.com.hk; or
  - (c) by fax: (852) 2785 0656; or
  - (d) by post: 15/F, Cosco Tower, 183 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong
- iii. We will notify you for the arrangement details by phone and by post.
- iv. Log in to the CIAS internet/WeChat account to fill in the online application form and upload the relevant medical reports.
- v. Service ambassador will contact you directly and follow up for the service.

C. List of Critical Illness for Second Medical Opinion from Mainland Chinese Medical Expert Service and Medical Guidance Service

#### Cancer

**Coronary Artery Surgery** 

**Heart Attack** 

**Major Organ Transplant** 

Stroke

**Terminal Illness** 

**Kidney Failure** 

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Worldwide Emergency Assistance and MedPass Service		
24-hour IPA Customer Service Hotline:	(852) 2863 5532	
Critical Illness Assistance Service		
Vantage Medical Plan		
Customer Service Hotline: (Monday – Friday, 9 a.m 6 p.m. except Saturday and public holiday)	(852) 2290 2886	
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