

The arrival of Spring brings with it an opportunity to update our routines for health and wellbeing, and most would agree that a digital inventory would also be most appropriate at this time. The PG Group Medical Scheme mobile app provides you with quick, efficient, individualised and around-the-clock access to digital healthcare and we unpack the features of this app in this issue. We also provide you with an update on the Scheme's Annual General Meeting (AGM), which was held on Thursday, 13 July 2023.

We welcome any suggestions that you may have on articles or member benefits you would like to see published in future newsletters. Please send your suggestions to the Scheme Manager, **Eugene Eakduth**, by email to <u>eugene.eakduth@momentum.co.za</u>.

## The PG Group Medical Scheme mobile app



The PG Group Medical Scheme mobile app allows for quick access to your medical scheme information in the palm of your hands, with no need to log onto a desktop or laptop.

One of the advantages of having the mobile app is that you get access to your information – faster and more efficiently. For example, you can view the status of your medical scheme claims and authorisations in real time, without having to hold on the line or wait on the assistance of a call centre agent.

You can even navigate the app offline as there is no need to have an internet connection to read through the medical scheme content that's stored on the app, even during load shedding. This also means that you can access your Scheme newsletters in the document library. The app gets updated to the latest version automatically, so you won't need to log in on a regular basis just to run updates, as you would if you were using your desktop or laptop.

#### **REMINDER:**

Provisions of the Protection of Personal Information Act 4 of 2013 (POPIA), which came into effect from 1 July 2020, requires that all medical schemes communicate directly with dependants who are 18 years and older. Therefore, dependants aged 18 and older will need to give consent for the principal member to access or view their information on the Scheme's mobile app and member portal. Click to access the <u>member consent form</u> and submit the completed form by email to <u>info@pggmeds.co.za</u>.

#### Downloading the app

Download the PG Group Medical Scheme mobile app from GooglePlay or the AppStore.



PG Group Medical Scheme Healthcare Fund Mobile app for PG Group Medical Scheme members

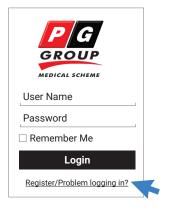
You can use your existing username and password to log in (this is the same details that you would use to log in to the member portal). If you don't have a username and password, you will need to register for one by following the steps below or contacting the Customer Care Centre for assistance.

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#### Click on Register/Problem logging in?



#### Select Not registered yet? Not registered yet? Forgot Password? Change Password?

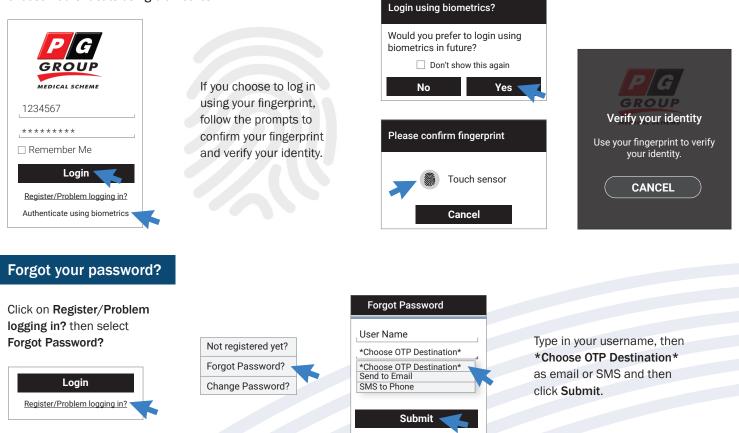
Complete all the required fields and select **\*Choose OTP Destination\***. Verify with the one-time pin (OTP) received by email or SMS to complete your registration.

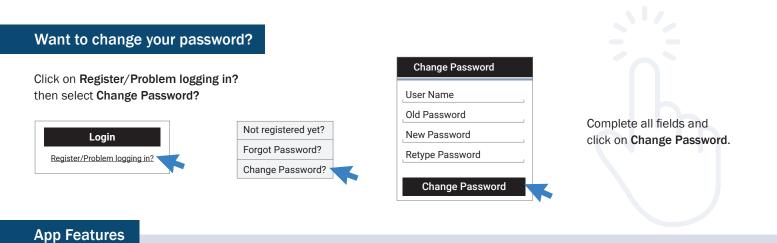
Register
Membership Number
Dependant Number
Choose User Name
Choose Password
Retype Password
*Choose OTP Destination*
*Choose OTP Destination*
Send to Email
SMS to Phone
Register



#### Sign in to the app with your username and password or by using biometrics (fingerprint)

Enter your username and password to log in or choose **Authenticate using biometrics**.





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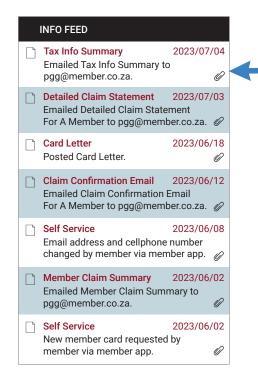
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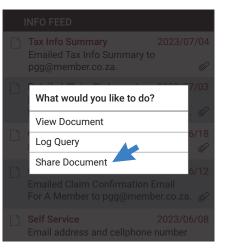
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Info Feed

#### View all your interactions with the Scheme

View past interactions with the Scheme (only from 1 January 2023), view or share the correspondence as a document or log a related query.





Select a document to choose what you would like to do with it.



#### Digital membership card Membership card-sharing options Member quick-access menu

#### Digital membership card

Select **Membership** to view your digital membership card. Move from right to left to view the reverse side of the card with the Scheme's contact details.





#### Membership card-sharing options

Click on **Share >** to send your digital membership card to your beneficiary, a doctor or pharmacist etc.

#### NOTE!

Request a new membership card:

See Request new membership card on page 9.



Back of membership card

#### Member quick-access menu

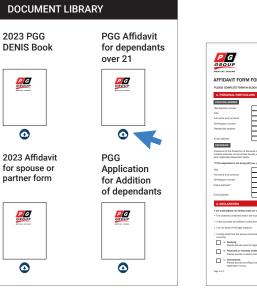
Click on the member or beneficiary name  $\checkmark$  to view the quick menu bar to access their profile or other details, such as authorisations, benefits and claims.





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#### Click on the applicable icon to access and download a document.



# AFFIDAVIT FORM FOR DEPENDANTS OVER 21 YEARS

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

All of the Scheme's application forms can be downloaded and completed electronically.

Click here to view a full list of the forms on the website. This includes membership, programme enrolment and authorisation forms.



Medical savings account (MSA) balance Medical savings account (MSA) refunds View benefits **Chronic registration** View authorisations **View claims** View underwriting exclusions

BENEFITS AND SAVINGS	
SAVINGS	
Savings Balance Current savings balance is R10,000.00. With savings advanced of R3,000.00. Available savings is R13,000.00.	
Savings Refunds Refund claim co-payments and shortfalls from your positive savings balance.	
BENEFITS	
View benefits>View this year's remaining benefits.	
Chronic registration>Register for chronic benefits.	
AUTHORISATIONS	
View authorisations > View approved authorisations.	
CLAIMS	
View claims>View recent claims.	
UNDERWRITING EXCLUSIONS	
View underwriting exclusions	
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#### Savings balance

This displays all information relating to your medical savings account (MSA).

#### Savings refunds

Click here to view which claims have been refunded to you from your MSA.

#### View benefits

Get easy access to view family benefits with benefit limits and amounts remaining.

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#### BENEFITS

PER FAMILY BENEFITS

**Alternative Medical Services** Pay from Member Savings.

Alternatives to Hospital Subject to pre-authorisation. Subject to Overall Annual Limit (OAL).

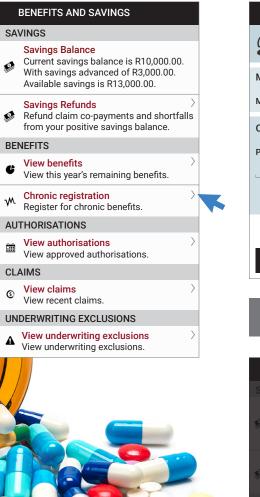
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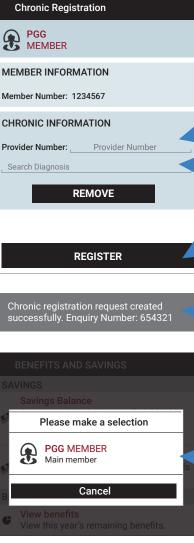
Appliance - General R550.00 utilised out of a maximum of R7,220.00 (R6,670.00 remaining). Subject to pre-authorisation. Subject to Overall Annual Limit (OAL).

Appliance - Hearing Aids R0.00 utilised out of a maximum of R32,900.00 (R32,900.00 remaining). **Chronic registration** 

Select Chronic registration to register a chronic condition.







Type in the treating doctor's practice number then choose your chronic condition/ diagnosis, e.g. asthma.

Click on **Register** once all information has been provided.

You will see a confirmation message on the screen. Keep the **Enquiry Number** for further correspondence relating to your registration.

Choose to view documents related to you or your dependants' chronic conditions.

View authorisations Click here to view authorisations.

#### BENEFITS AND SAVINGS

AUTHORISATIONS

- View authorisations
   View approved authorisations.
- UNDERWRITING EXCLUSIONS
- View underwriting exclusions View underwriting exclusions.

#### AUTHORISATIONS

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CHRONIC -(PMB) (#123456) 2023/07/31 - 2024/01/01 (Approved) J45: Asthma

#### **View claims**

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Click here to view recent claims information or log a related query.



#### BENEFITS AND SAVINGS CLAIMS SAVINGS ALL DEPENDANTS Savings Balance **Dis-Chem Pharmacy** 2023/07/01 Current savings balance is R10,000.00. Ø MEMBER With savings advanced of R3,000.00. Claimed: R136.00 Paid: R136.00 Available savings is R13,000.00. LOG ENQUIRY > Savings Refunds 2023/07/01 **Dis-Chem Pharmacy** Refund claim co-payments and shortfalls 500 Characters Remaining Ø MEMBER from your positive savings balance. Claimed: R26.50 PARTIALLY PAID Type your enquiry here BENEFITS View benefits CLAIM INFORMATION View this year's remaining benefits. **DIS-CHEM** 2023/07/01 Chronic registration Ø MEMBER Register for chronic benefits. Claimed: R136.00 Paid: R136.00 AUTHORISATIONS View authorisations Claim Details P G GROUP View approved authorisations. Invoice Reference #01234567 CLAIMS 1234567 POG MEMBE PO BOX 1234 CAPE TOWN 01 July 202 Letter Ref: 98765432 ember number: 113456 Scheme Reference View claims #76543210 View recent claims. **Payment Details** Paid from savings: R136.00 UNDERWRITING EXCLUSIONS ▲ View underwriting exclusions View underwriting exclusions. Payments R136.00 paid to provider on 2023/07/19 **View Statement** Log Query

#### View underwriting exclusions

Click here to view underwriting exclusions.





Network healthcare provider search Medical savings account (MSA) refunds Medication formulary look-up Chat to a doctor Submit a document Log a query Request new membership card Request membership certificate Edit your contact details

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<ul> <li>Refund claim co-payments and shortfalls from your positive savings balance.</li> </ul>
Confirm medicine formulary     Electronically adjudicate a medicine provider's     claim in real time against complex rules.
<ul> <li>Chat to a doctor</li> <li>Request a call and one of our Doctors will call you back within an hour to give you medical advice over the phone.</li> </ul>
CONTACT US
Submit a document Submit a document using your camera. > > > > > > > > > > > > > > > > > > >
Log a query > Send us your query/enquiry.
LETTERS/CARDS
■ Request new card > Do you need a new card? Send us a request.
■ Request membership certificate > Do you need a membership certificate? Send us a request.
EDIT PROFILE
✗ Edit contact details ↓ Update your contact details.

#### Network provider search

Easy access to search for network healthcare providers in your area. See **Network Provider Search** on **page 10**.

#### **Savings Refunds**

See Benefits and Savings on page 5.

#### Confirm medicine formulary

Click here to access the formulary medication lookup (via the Mediscor website) which helps you to choose generic medication and avoid or lessen co-payments.

Complete the lookup information and click on **Submit**. Use the **Reset** button if you want to clear all the details and start over.

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Condition	All Conditions	~	Reference Price	FRPPLUS
			Date and Time	2023-08-21 06:56:10
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Click on the **active ingredient** to view alternative products available.

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Check if the medication appears on the formulary for the appropriate condition and whether a co-payment or levy applies.



 Chat to a doctor
 Request a call and one of our Doctors will call you back within an hour to give you medical advice over the phone.

#### Chat to a doctor

Click here to access Momentum Hello Doctor for a free general practitioner (GP) consultation. Choose your name from the list of main member/dependants and ensure the telephone number is correct before clicking **Yes – Call me on the above number**.





## SELF SERVICE CONTACT US Submit a document Submit a document using your camera. Log a query Send us your query/enquiry. LETTERS/CARDS Request new card Do you need a new card? Send us a request. Request membership certificate Do you need a membership certificate? Send us a request.

#### Submit a document

See Submit a Document on page 10.

#### Log a query

Click here to log a query. Type your enquiry, providing as much details as possible so we are able to assist you as soon as we can.





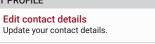
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Self Service

SELF SERVICE EDIT PROFILE



Edit contact details See Profile on page 11.

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#### Network Healthcare Provider Search

Easy access to search for network healthcare providers in your area.

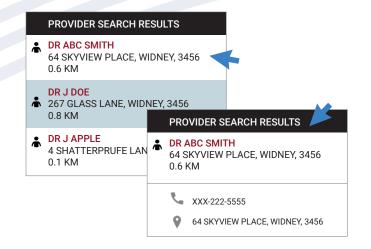
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Complete search criteria and click Search.

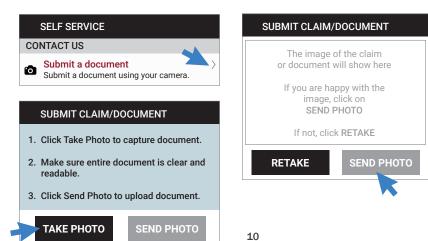
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Practice number (optional)	
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Select a healthcare provider to view their details, access the call function and the location of their practice.



#### Submit a document

Easily submit a document (this could be a claim or any document you would like to send to the Scheme). The document you upload will be available on the **Info Feed**.



### NOTE!

This feature will soon be improved to include a commentary box when submitting claims.

The Scheme will inform you once this feature is active.

#### Profile



This shows your important personal information relating to your Scheme membership. Update your personal **contact details** on your membership profile. Don't forget to **SAVE** your changes.



PGG MEMBER

Login with biometrics

**Policy Information** 

Policy Option Savings

Monthly Premium R4,321.00

Membership Number 1234567

Commencement Date 2004/04/01

Personal Details

ID Number 000000000000000

Birth Date 1970/01/01 Next of Kin Details

Name Jane Doe Relationship Sister

Telephone Number XXX1234567

Email janedoe@planet.co.za

Contact Details

Contact Telephone

**Cell** XXX3456789

Email pgg@member.co.za

Physical Address 123 SHATTERPRUFE LANE WIDNEY 3456

Postal Address PO BOX 123 GLASSVIEW 6789

**Banking Details** 

Claims Refund Account FIRST NATIONAL BANK \*\*\*\*\*\*0123 250655 CHEQUE



To edit your contact details, please click on the pencil icon as shown.

EDIT CONTACT DETAILS	CANCEL	SAVE
Contact Details		
Contact Telephone		
Contact Telephone		
Cell		
XXX3456789		
Email		
pgg@member.co.za		
Postal Address		
PO BOX 123		
Postal Address Line 2		
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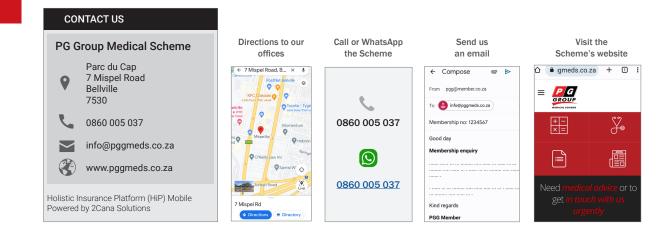
## NOTE!

Please ensure that your latest contact details are updated so that you don't miss out on important communication from the Scheme.

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#### **Contact Us**

Quick access to the Scheme's contact channels.



#### Want to exit the app?

Contact Us

To exit the mobile app, click the back button on your smartphone and choose 'Yes' when you see this pop-up box.

MAIN MENU				
Exit?				
You are about to exit the app. Would you like to exit?				
No	Yes			



## Download

the PG Group Medical Scheme mobile app today!





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Should you require any assistance navigating through the mobile app, please do not hesitate to contact the Customer Care Centre for assistance and guidance.



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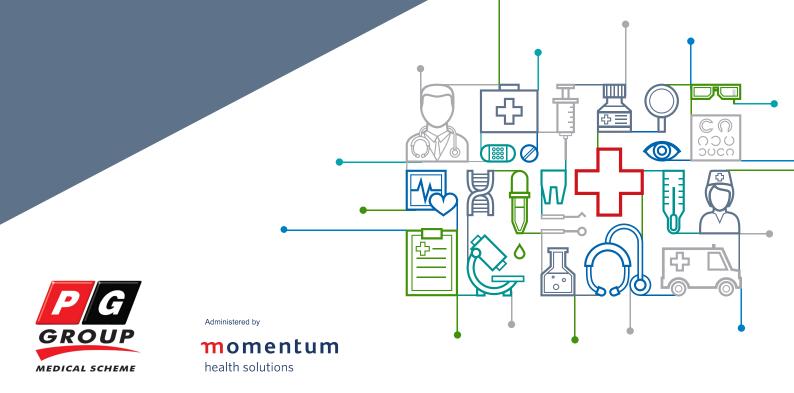


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## **Annual General Meeting (AGM) Update**

PG Group Medical Scheme held its Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Thursday, 13 July 2023 at their head office in Skeen Boulevard, Bedfordview. This was the first hybrid AGM since 2020 where attendees were present in person and online via Microsoft Teams.

The Scheme's Chairman, Mr Philip Edge, covered highlights of the Scheme over the past year in review. He reported that the Scheme continues to operate efficiently due to the sterling efforts of the Board of Trustees, the Audit and Risk Committee and the Principal Officer, Ms Chontal Dunstan.

The Scheme is also supported by its administrator, Momentum Health Solutions and other service providers, including NMG Actuaries, Preferred Provider Networks (PPN), Dental Information Systems (DENIS) and Netcare 911.

Members are encouraged to register for and attend future AGMs where possible. The Scheme would like to express their gratitude to all the parties who participated and contributed to the success of the 2023 AGM.



PG Group Medical Scheme stakeholders and members in session at the 2023 Annual General Meeting (AGM).