



# MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE DEPENDENCY

SAMWUMED covers its members for mental health and substance dependency (drug abuse), including hospitalisation. The benefits apply to consultations or visits as well as procedures.

## HOSPITALISATION

**Benefits for mental health and substance dependency include hospitalisation.**

- A referral from a specialist is required for mental health hospitalisation.
- PMB conditions apply.

### ■ 2024 Benefits Option A

#### Benefit available

**R3 000** Per family per year.

Subject to clinical and PMB protocols.

- Requires registration on the Mental Health Programme, subject to clinical criteria.
- Benefit includes 10 consultations for non-PMB conditions per beneficiary.

### ■ 2024 Benefits Option B

#### Benefit available

**R5 000** Per family per year.

Subject to clinical and PMB protocols.

- Requires registration on the Mental Health Programme, subject to clinical criteria.
- Benefit includes 10 consultations for non-PMB conditions per beneficiary.

## REHABILITATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE

- Unlimited, subject to PMB conditions, protocols and Scheme DSP.

### Conditions

#### Out of Hospital:

- GP referral required for psychologist and psychiatrist.
- Psychiatrist referral required for Social workers, registered counsellors etc.
- 10 Non-PMB conditions covered.

#### In-Hospital:

- Benefits are subject to the Scheme's network.
- Enrollment into a Mental Health Programme at private Hospital Network.
- Drug & Alcohol rehab standalone benefit (Scheme covers for up to 21 days per beneficiary, per year).
- PMB conditions apply.