Seacare Medical Scheme (SMS) - FOREIGN

SMS Philippines

The Seacare Medical Scheme (SMS) for SOS Filipino Members is implemented on 1 March 2005 by the Singapore Organisation of Seamen (SOS), as a special medical scheme to provide free medical consultation, basic medical examination and tooth extraction to SOS Filipino members and their dependents at the affiliated clinics of the Seacare Thrift Pte Ltd in Philippines.

i. Eligibility

To be eligible, the SOS Filipino Member must be serving on board a vessel covered by the SOS Collective Bargaining Agreement and whose employer is participating in the SMS.

A SOS Filipino Member who meets these criteria will be termed as a Qualified SOS Filipino Member.

For Dependent

Dependents of Married Qualified SOS Filipino Member refer to:

- Legitimate wife
- Unmarried legitimate children below 18 years of age

Dependents of Single Qualified SOS Filipino Member refer to:

- Natural parents or, if legally adopted, legal parents
- Unmarried legitimate siblings below 18 years of age

ii. Benefits & Conditions

A. <u>Free Benefits</u>

A Qualified SOS Filipino Member and his dependents are entitled to receive free medical benefits at the affiliated clinics of the Seacare Thrift Pte Ltd in Philippines.

The medical benefits are as follows:

- 1. Medical Consultation
- 2. Complete Blood Count (CBC)
- 3. Stool Examination
- 4. Urinalysis
- 5. ECG
- 6. Chest X-Ray
- 7. Fasting Blood Sugar (FBS) Check
- 8. Total Cholesterol Check
- 9. Pap Smear

The dental benefits are as follows:

- 1. Dental Consultation
- 2. Tooth extraction without surgery (2 tooth extractions per person per month)
- 3. Simple tooth filling (2 tooth fillings per person per month)

The free medical and dental benefits are subject to the following conditions:

- Each family, comprising of the Qualified SOS Filipino Member and his dependents, is entitled to a maximum of 4 visits per calendar month; and
- Any unconsumed entitlements are not allowed to be carried forward to the following month or exchanged for cash

B. Reimbursement Benefit

The reimbursement benefit is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Each medicine reimbursement is as per amount stated on the receipt or up to Php 500 per person per claim.
- 2. Each family, comprising of the Qualified SOS Filipino Members and dependents is entitled to 4 medicine reimbursement benefits per month limited to 1 reimbursement per person per month.
- 3. Reimbursement must be transacted within 14 days from date of consultation.
- 4. Only prescription issued by SMS appointed clinic will be accepted for reimbursement.
- 5. Any unconsumed entitlements are not allowed to be carried forward to the following month or exchanged for cash.

iii. Affiliated Clinics

The free medical benefits for a Qualified SOS Filipino Member and his dependents are available at the following affiliated clinics of Seacare Thrift Pte Ltd:

MANILA

1. Micah Medical Clinic and Diagnostic Laboratory

No. 1923 San Marcelino St, Barangay 691, Zone 75 Malate, Manila, 1004 Metro Manila Tel: (63) 2 8536 5289 / 8536 5280 / 8536 9356 / 8536 5900

Email: micah.medical22@gmail.com

2. Physicians' Diagnostic Services Center

Physicians' Tower, 533 United Nations Avenue,

Cor. San Carlos St., Ermita, Manila, Philippines

Tel: (63) 2 8521 4975 / 8524 0626 to 28

Fax: (63) 2 8523 7833

Email: manila@pdsclinics.com

CAVITE

1. Ilano's Medical and Dental Clinic

Ilano Building I, Unit 4, 5 & 6, Nueno Avenue.

Imus Cavite, Philippines

Telefax: (63) 46 471 3428 / 471 5051 Email: ilanomedical@yahoo.com

2. Unimed Diagnostic Center Corp

376 Aguinaldo Hwy, Anabu 1, Imus, Cavite, Philippines

Tel: (63) 46 887 9770

Email: unimed.diagnostic@gmail.com

3. Unimed Diagnostic Center Corp

Second Floor, JLC Building, 8 Nicanor Ramirez Street, Barangay Don Manuel, Quezon City 1113 Philippines Tel: (63) 2 8902 302 / 8728 8579 Email: unimed.diagnostic@gmail.com

CEBU

1. Physicians' Diagnostic Services Center

104 F. Ramos St. Cor. Junquera St., Cebu City, Philippines Tel: (63) 32 8516 7605

Email: cebu@pdsclinics.com

BATANGAS

1. Unimed Diagnostic Center Corp

99 Brgy. San Rafael Maharlika Highway, Sto. Tomas, Batangas, 4234 Philippines Tel: (63) 043 726 3835 Smart: (63) 093 999 537 61 Email: unimed.diagnostic@gmail.com

DAVAO

1. Physicians' Diagnostic Services Center

No. 49 Jose Palma Gil Street., Barangay 4A District 1, Davao City, Philippines Tel: (63) 82 8224 6672 or 73 / 8327 5730 / 925 7105 640 / 963 9064 122 / 925 7114 911

Email: davao@pdsclinics.com

CAGAYAN DE ORO

1. Physicians' Diagnostic Services Center

Burgos Street. Cor. T Chavez Street., Barangay 6 Cagayan De Oro City, Misamis Oriental Philippines

Tel: (63) 88 8851 1501 / (63) 925 8852 525 Email: cdo@pdsclinics.com

ILOILO

1. Physicians' Diagnostic Services Center

No. 7A. Mabini Street., Railway La Paz Iloilo City, Philippines

Tel: (63) 33 8329 3275 / 8332 1328 / 912

2759 638 / 970 7467 434 Email: iloilo@pdsclinics.com

iv. **Procedures**

- 1. A Qualified SOS Filipino Member is required to complete a Nomination Form which is obtainable from the Crewing Agent or Employer. The completed Nomination Form must be submitted to SMS Liaison Officer through the Crewing Agent or Employer.
- 2. A Qualified SOS Filipino Member will be notified by post via his last registered address declared on his Nomination Form once it is approved.
- 3. A Qualified SOS Filipino Member and his dependents must produce either one of the following documents at the affiliated clinics for verification:
 - a) Birth Certificate
 - b) Passport
 - c) School Identification Card
 - d) SSS ID
 - e) Voter's ID

A Qualified SOS Filipino Member and his dependent are advised to bring along the Notification Letter to the clinic, in case required to be produced.

Contact Us ٧.

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