

Menopause medicine list (formulary) 2025

Who we are

Remedi Medical Aid Scheme (referred to as "the Scheme"), registration number 1430, is a non-profit organisation, registered with the Council for Medical Schemes.

Discovery Health (Pty) Ltd (referred to as "the Administrator"), is a separate company who is registered as an authorised financial services provider (registration number 1997/013480/07), administers Remedi Medical Aid Scheme.

Important information you need to know

The Remedi Medical Aid Scheme Rules set out the requirements for the Chronic Illness Benefit (CIB). The utilisation of the benefits and programmes associated with the Chronic Illness Benefit is subject to specific conditions and rules. Members must ensure that they are familiar with these rules and conditions. The Scheme Rules are available on www.yourremedi.co.za

Any instruction or advice we give about medicines and the management of the member's condition is intended as a supplement to, and not a substitute for, the knowledge, expertise, skill and judgement of the member's doctor, pharmacist or other healthcare professional.

Remedi Medical Aid Scheme reserves the right to change the Benefit at any time. We will communicate any changes to the way we pay for medicines when we make these.

You get full cover for approved chronic medicine on the medicine list (formulary). You may have a co-payment for medicine not on the medicine list (formulary).

About some of the terms we use in this document

There may be some terms we refer to in the document that you may not be familiar with.

Here are the meanings of these terms.

| Terminology | Description |
|---------------------------|---|
| Chronic Drug Amount (CDA) | The CDA is a set monthly amount we pay up to for a medicine class. This applies to medicine that is not listed on the medicine list (formulary). The Chronic Drug Amount includes VAT and the dispensing fee. |
| Medicine class | Medicines with similar chemical structures or similar therapeutic effects. |
| Reference Price | The Reference Price is a set monthly amount we pay for a medicine category. This applies to medicine that is not listed on the medicine list (formulary). |

Formulary medicines and monthly Chronic Drug Amounts

The menopause medicine list (formulary) applies to all Remedi Medical Aid Scheme Options for the 2025 benefit year. The Chronic Drug Amount (CDA) **does not apply** to the Standard Option.

| Medicine name | Medicine class | Monthly Chronic Drug Amount (CDA) |
|---------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Estrofem 1mg | Estrogens | R205 |
| Estrofem 2mg | Estrogens | R205 |
| Activelle | Progestogens and estrogens, fixed combinations | R285 |
| Novofem | Progestogens and estrogens, sequential preparations | R295 |
| Provera 5mg | Progestogens – Pregnen (4) derivatives | R230 |
| Provera 10mg | Progestogens – Pregnen (4) derivatives | R230 |

Contact us

For more information call us on 0860 116 116 or visit www.yourremedi.co.za

Complaints process

You can lodge a complaint or query with Remedi Medical Aid Scheme directly on 0860 116 116 or address a complaint in writing to the Principal Officer at the Scheme's registered address. Should your complaint remain unresolved, you can lodge a formal dispute by following the Remedi Medical Aid Scheme internal disputes process.

You can, as a last resort, approach the Council for Medical Schemes for assistance.

Council for Medical Schemes Complaints Unit, Block A, Eco Glades 2 Office Park, 420 Witch-Hazel Avenue, Eco Park, Centurion, 0157 / 0861 123 267 / complaints@medicalschemes.co.za / www.medicalschemes.co.za