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1. INTRODUCTION

Welcome to April International UK. The Long-Term International Health **Plan** is provided by **us** acting on behalf of the **Insurer**. The contract between **you** and **us** includes **your Application Form**, this Policy Guide and **your Certificate** of Insurance. **You** must read this Policy Guide in conjunction with **your Certificate** to ensure that **you** understand the cover **we** are providing and that it meets **your** requirements.

The Plan will only pay for eligible treatment for the benefits shown on your Certificate received within the period of cover shown on your Certificate. Benefits are limited to reasonable and customary charges (as determined by us) in the area where treatment is provided. Your Plan provides cover for the benefits shown on your Certificate, and not necessarily for all the benefits defined in this Guide. The benefits are fully explained in the Benefits Definitions section of this guide. We cannot pay any benefit if your Plan is not in force or the premiums are not paid up to date at the time you have your treatment.

Your Plan is not intended to provide cover to the treatment of medical conditions that are in existence before your Plan start date, unless accepted by us under a Continued Personal Medical Exclusions Application Form.

Words written in **bold** are important and have a specific meaning relevant to this Policy Guide. These words are clearly explained in the **Plan** and **Benefit** Definitions.

We are committed to providing the highest level of customer service and we aim to be clear, fair and accurate in our communications with you. You can contact us if you need further clarification about your Plan, or if you would like to inform us of any changes in your personal circumstances. You must tell us if you change your country of residence, correspondence address or any other important personal information. We will do all we can to help you and your dependants when you need to use your Plan.

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2. ADMINISTRATION OF YOUR PLAN

2.1 ACCESSIBILITY

Upon request we can provide Braille, audio or large print versions of the Plan and associated documentation. If you require an alternative format you should contact us.

2.2 ELIGIBILITY

The Long-Term International Health Plan (the **Plan**) is designed for **expatriates** of any nationality living or working outside of their **Home Country**. The **Plans** are also available to some **local nationals** who require international health insurance where this is agreed in writing by **us**.

The **Plans** are not available to USA or Caribbean nationals who are resident in their **Home Country**.

The **Plans** are not available to persons or in countries where it would breach any sanction, prohibition or restriction imposed by law or regulation.

The maximum age you can apply for a Plan is 70.

If the main applicant is a child under the age of 18, we will charge the young adult premium rate (age 18-25).

You may apply for cover on behalf of your spouse/partner and/or on behalf of your (un) married children (including step-children, foster children and legally adopted children) providing that they are aged less than 18 years old (or 24 years old if in full-time education). We

will require proof of education for **dependent** children aged between 18 and 24 years old.

Newborn children are eligible for cover from birth. Please refer to the **How to Make Changes to Your Plan** section of this Guide.

You must complete and sign a Moratorium or Full Medical Underwriting Application Form providing details for all persons to be covered by the Plan. If you are aged over 65 years at the time of applying for a Plan, you must complete the Full Medical Underwriting Application Form.

Your Certificate will show any specific exclusions that are specific to you or your dependants and are in addition to the standard Plan exclusions shown in this Policy Guide.

2.3 UNDERWRITING

If you and/or your dependants are aged less than 65 years on the start date of your Plan you are eligible for cover on a Moratorium Underwriting, Full Medical Underwriting (FMU) or Continued Personal Medical Exclusions Underwriting (CPME) basis.

If you and/or your dependants are aged 65 or over on the start date of your Plan you will only be eligible for a Plan on a Full Medical Underwriting basis.

The Full Medical Underwriting and Continued Personal Medical Exclusions underwriting options are not available if you purchase a Plan online via our website.

If you select Moratorium Underwriting you must complete the Moratorium Application Form. Moratorium Underwriting means that you will not be covered for any pre-existing medical conditions. After two years of continuous cover, pre-existing medical conditions may become eligible for cover (unless the condition or benefit is specifically excluded under the Plan) if, at the first time of receiving treatment, you/ your dependant has not

- > suffered any symptoms
- > consulted any medical practitioner for check-ups/monitoring of a condition, follow up examinations, medical **treatment** or advice
- been prescribed or taken medicine, including over the counter drugs, special diets, injections or physiotherapy

for the **pre-existing medical condition**, or any related condition for a continuous period of two years.

If you select Full Medical Underwriting you must complete the Full Medical Underwriting Application Form. We will review the information provided on the Full Medical Underwriting Application Form to ascertain whether your Full Medical Underwriting Application will be accepted with or without specific exclusions. You must therefore ensure that your Full Medical Underwriting Application Form is fully and accurately completed. If specific exclusions will apply to your Plan, we will advise you in writing or by email and you will need to let us have written confirmation that you accept these specific exclusions before the Plan can start. We may refuse to accept your application at our sole discretion. Any Pre-existing medical conditions not declared on your Full Medical Underwriting Application Form will not be covered by the Plan.

If you select Continued Personal Medical Exclusions
Underwriting you must complete the Continued Personal Medical
Exclusions Underwriting Application Form. CPME underwriting
allows you and any dependants to carry forward any existing
specific exclusions from your previous international private medical
insurance policy that was in place immediately prior to the start date
of your Plan. It is essential that you understand that this relates to
specific exclusions only. The conditions, exclusions and benefit
limitations that are detailed in this policy guide and your Certificate
of insurance will apply from your new start date under this Plan.

We will review the information provided on the Continued Personal Medical Exclusions Underwriting Application Form to ascertain whether your Continued Personal Medical Exclusions Underwriting Application Form will be accepted. You must therefore ensure that your Continued Personal Medical Exclusions Underwriting Application Form is fully and accurately completed and submitted together with a copy of your previous Certificate of Insurance. An additional premium may be charged for this type of underwriting upon acceptance.

The **start date** and **cover level** as detailed on your previous **Certificate** of insurance will determine whether **waiting periods** will be applied under your new **Plan**. The **start date** must follow on from

the expiry of your previous international private medical insurance and there should be no break in cover from your previous insurer.

2.4 THE INSURER

The **Insurer** of **your Plan** is XL Catlin Insurance Company Limited, Catlin Underwriting Agencies Limited or XL Insurance Company SE, as displayed on **your Certificate**.

2.5 YOUR PLAN

You will be covered for the Plan that you have selected on your Application Form. Your dependants must be covered under the same Plan as you. Only benefits outlined under the Plan you have selected will be available to you and/or your dependants and will be shown on your Certificate.

You will be covered for the Area of Cover that you have selected on your Application Form which will be shown on your Certificate. Dependants can select a different Area of Cover.

If you have selected a **Voluntary Excess** on **your Application Form**, this will also apply to **your dependants**.

You can select the currency of your Plan. The Plan is available in Pounds Sterling, US Dollars and Euros. The currency selected by you will apply to the premium due and benefit limits displayed on your Certificate.

2.6 EXCESSES AND CO-INSURANCES

An excess/co-insurance applies to some Plan benefits and these are shown on your Certificate.

An excess/co-insurance is the portion of costs which will be paid by you. The excess/co-insurance will be applied as stated on your Certificate and will apply for each Certificate period.

An excess will be the fixed amount of costs to be paid by you. An excess may be applied per claim or per benefit and will be stated on your Certificate. Where an excess is applied per claim, if the claim continues into a new Certificate period, then an excess will also apply for the new Certificate period. The excess is individually applied to each person named on a Certificate. You will be reimbursed for eligible treatment costs that exceed the excess shown on your Certificate.

A **co-insurance** will be a partial contribution by **you** for all eligible **treatment** costs incurred for any **benefits** where a **co-insurance** is shown on **your Certificate**.

If you have selected a Voluntary Excess, this is applied once per Certificate period. The Voluntary Excess is individually applied to each person who is named on a Certificate, and across all benefits shown on your Certificate, except for Emergency Medical Evacuation. Once the aggregate amount of eligible treatment costs exceeds the Voluntary Excess shown on your Certificate you will be reimbursed for subsequent eligible treatment costs. Any other excess/co-insurance shown on your Certificate will be applied after the Voluntary Excess has been deducted.

2.7 COMMENCEMENT OF COVER

You and/or your dependants' cover can start once we have accepted your Application Form and your first premium payment has been received by us.

Your Start Date will be shown on your Certificate(s). Your Start Date must be within 30 days from the date that you signed your Application Form.

You will receive a **Certificate** for each person named on the **Application Form**, together with an **Insurance Identification Card** which includes contact details for the **Assistance Company**.

2.8 PREMIUM PAYMENT

The base currency of the **Plan** is Pounds Sterling. Premiums can be paid in Pounds Sterling, US Dollars or Euros. Premiums must be paid in the currency selected on **your Application Form**.

Premiums can be paid annually or quarterly. If **you** have selected to pay **your** premiums on a quarterly basis, **you** must provide **us** with valid credit/debit card details on **your Application Form**.

Annual premiums can be paid by bank transfer, or by credit/debit card (Visa/MasterCard/American Express). If **you** pay **your** premium by bank transfer, the premium must be submitted to the currency bank account detailed on the **Application Form** that matches the selected currency of **your Plan**. All charges for making a bank transfer must be paid by **you**. **We** will only pay for any charges that occur for receiving the funds into **our** bank account.

Quarterly premiums can be paid by credit/debit card only (Visa/ Mastercard/American Express). If you apply for the Plan through our website, the full annual or first quarterly premium payment must be paid by credit/debit card when you submit your Application Form. All future instalment premiums will automatically be debited, on the instalment date, from the credit/debit card details provided until such time as the annual premium has been paid. If the card details that you have provided are due to expire before the remaining quarterly premiums have been collected, you must provide us with updated or alternative card details.

Your Plan will start from the day we receive the full annual or first quarterly premium payment, including any taxes applicable, or the date specified on your Application Form, provided that the premium is received by us before the specified date. If you apply for the Plan through our website, the Plan will start on the date the premium transaction is successful or on a future date specified by you.

If your Country of Residence falls within an area where we are required to collect Insurance Premium Tax (IPT) or local government tax, this will be charged in addition to the premium due under your Plan.

We will inform you prior to the payment due date of your Plan if you are required to pay Insurance Premium Tax.

If a premium payment transaction is declined by **your** card provider, **we** will advise **you** in writing, by email or by telephone. **You** must promptly contact **your** card provider to resolve the issue or provide another method of payment.

2.9 HOW TO MAKE CHANGES TO YOUR PLAN

	WHAT ACTION YOU WILL NEED TO TAKE	WHAT ACTION WE WILL TAKE
Change to Contact Details	If any of your contact details change, you must provide us with your new contact details as soon as practicably possible.	We will confirm receipt of the changes and update our records
Change of Cover Level Only allowed at an Anniversary Date	At the Anniversary Date we will provide you with	We will provide you with a revised renewal offer reflecting the change in cover level/voluntary excess/currency. You and your dependants
Change to Voluntary Excess Only allowed at an Anniversary Date	a renewal offer based on your existing cover level. If you wish to make a change to your cover level/ voluntary excess/currency of your Plan, you must notify us in writing or by email prior to the Anniversary Date.	must have the same cover level/voluntary excess/currency. If you change your cover level to one that includes more comprehensive benefits, any waiting periods will start from the date of the change in cover level. The benefits on your
Change to Currency of Plan Only allowed at an Anniversary Date		Certificate will be displayed in the currency in which you pay your premium

	WHAT ACTION YOU WILL NEED TO TAKE	WHAT ACTION WE WILL TAKE
Change to Area of Cover Only allowed once per Certificate Period	You must advise us in writing or by email if you would like to change your Area of Cover and from which date this should be effective. Only one change to your Area of Cover can be made in any one Certificate period. You can also make a change on your Anniversary Date. We cannot change your Area of Cover if you intend to reside in the USA for a period of more than three consecutive months or if you intend to travel to the USA for the purpose of receiving medical treatment.	We will confirm our acceptance of the change and advise if there is any additional premium
Change in Country of Residence	You must advise us in writing or by email if you will be changing your main Country of Residence and provide us with your new contact details within 30 days. There are some countries where the Insurer may not be able to provide cover for regulatory or insurance licensing regulations. If the Insurer is unable to continue the contract, they will provide protection for 90 days from the date of change of residence after which the policy will automatically lapse. to be paid or refunded if a change Cover is required. We will send your and payment must be made within premium is to be refunded, this will your original payment method. In will issue you with a new Certification Card if Cover has changed. If the change your Anniversary Date, we will provide protection for 90 days from the date of change of residence after which the policy will a revised renewal offer.	
Return to Home Country	You must advise us in writing or by email if you will be returning to your Home Country and provide us with your new contact details. Cover will automatically be cancelled for USA and Caribbean nationals if they reside in their Home Country for more than three consecutive months.	
Adding a Dependant	If you wish to include your spouse or any dependant children to your Plan, you must complete and return an Addition of Dependant Form or Full Medical Underwriting Application Form. All children must be aged 17 years or under, or between 18 and 24 years if they are still in full-time education. Proof must be provided of full-time education. Once you are in receipt of the invoice, this must be paid within 14 days.	We will calculate the additional premium due to add the dependant from the date we receive the Addition of Dependant Form/Full Medical Underwriting Application Form until the Anniversary Date or the end of the quarterly period, if you pay your premium by quarterly instalments. Your dependant(s) must have the same cover level and voluntary excess (if applicable) as you. We will send you an invoice for the additional premium which must be paid within 14 days. We will issue each new dependant with a Certificate and an Insuranc Identification Card when we receive the premiudue. If premium is not paid within 14 days, cove will not be in place for the dependant(s).
Adding a Newborn	If you wish to include your newborn baby to your Plan, this should be arranged within one month of the date of delivery, by completing and returning an Addition of Dependant Form. Once you are in receipt of the invoice, this must be paid within 14 days.	We will calculate the additional premium to add the newborn from their date of birth until the Anniversary Date/end of the quarterly period, you pay your premium by quarterly instalments. The newborn must have the same cover level and voluntary excess (if applicable) as you. We will send you an invoice for the additional premium. Once the premium has been paid we will issue the newborn with a Certificate and Insurance Identification Card. If the premium not paid within 14 days, cover will not be in place for the Newborn.

WHAT ACTION YOU WILL NEED TO TAKE WHAT ACTION WE WILL TAKE We will cancel cover for your dependant on the date that we receive your notification. If no claims have been made by you/your dependants during the current Certificate period, we will calculate a proportionate refund of the premium paid from the date we cancel cover for your dependant until If you would like to cancel cover for a dependant the anniversary date/end of the quarterly period Removing a Dependant during the Certificate Period you must send your if you pay your premium by quarterly instalments. request to us in writing or by email. An administration charge of £50/\$75/€65 will be deducted from any refund due to you. If the proportionate refund calculation is less than the administration charge then no refund will be provided. The premium will be refunded using the original method of payment. Please notify us as soon as practicably possible if a dependant on your Plan dies. You may need to If Repatriation or Local Burial benefit is shown provide **us** with details related to their death and on the Certificate, the Assistance Company will a copy of the death certificate. If your dependant **Death of a Dependant** help with making these arrangements. died outside their Home Country and Repatriation If no claims have been made by you/your or Local Burial is required, please contact the dependants during the current Certificate period Assistance Company as soon as practicably and the Repatriation or Local Burial benefit has possible. not been used, we will calculate a proportionate refund of the premium paid from the date of death until the anniversary date/end of the quarterly In the event of your death, we will need to be period if you pay your premium by quarterly notified as soon as practicably possible by your instalments. The premium will be refunded using next of kin or legal representative. Information the original method of payment. If the main regarding the circumstances surrounding your applicant dies and dependants are included in death should also be provided and a copy of the **Death of the Main Applicant** the Plan, the Plan will continue until the next death certificate may be required. If you died Anniversary Date. We will issue a renewal offer outside your Home Country and Repatriation showing the dependant as the main applicant and or Local Burial is required, the Assistance a new Certificate number will be given. Company should be contacted as soon as practicably possible.

2.10 RENEWING YOUR PLAN

The Plan can be renewed on each Anniversary Date of the Start Date, subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan and the premiums in force at the time of each Anniversary Date and any variations that we will advise you of in writing prior to the Anniversary Date.

We will send you a renewal offer prior to your Anniversary Date which will include details of any changes that have been made to the Benefits and Plan terms and conditions. The premium due on the Anniversary Date will depend on you and/or your dependants' age on the Anniversary Date.

If you wish to make any changes to your Plan with effect from the Anniversary Date, you must notify us in writing, by email or by telephone and we will provide you with a revised renewal offer.

Your renewal premium can be paid annually or quarterly. We must receive your full annual premium or first quarterly premium including any taxes where applicable before or on your Anniversary Date.

If you elect to pay your premiums annually, you must pay the full amount by bank transfer, via our online premium payment facility or by credit/debit card (Visa/MasterCard/American Express). All charges as a result of making a bank transfer must be paid by you. We will only pay for charges that occur for receiving the funds into our bank account.

If you elect to pay your premiums on a quarterly basis, you will need to complete the payment authorisation form with your credit/debit card details and return this to us prior to your Anniversary Date.

If **you** elect to pay **your** premium using **our** online renewal payment facility **you** must do so by using an acceptable credit/debit card (Visa/MasterCard/American Express).

We will renew your Plan when we receive the premium. By paying the premium you are agreeing to any changes that have been outlined in your renewal offer.

Children can continue to be covered under **your Plan** and will be charged the appropriate child rate as long as they are aged less than 18 years old or 24 years old if they are in full time education. If they are aged between 18 and 24 years and in full-time education **you** will need to provide **us** with proof of enrolment into an educational institute.

If a child aged between 18 and 24 years is no longer in full-time education, they are no longer eligible for cover under **your Plan**. They can apply for a **Plan** in their own right by completing and signing an **Application Form** and paying the appropriate adult premium. Providing that the premium is paid on or before the **Anniversary Date** and there is no break in cover, they will maintain their original **Start Date**.

Once your Plan has been renewed you will receive a Certificate of Insurance and Insurance Identification Card for each person covered under your Plan.

2.11 TERMINATION OR CANCELLATION OF YOUR PLAN

Your Plan may be cancelled during the Cooling off Period if you provide notice to us in writing or by email that you wish to cancel your Plan within 30 days from the Start Date. We will give you a full refund of the premium paid, providing that no claim has been made on your Plan.

Your Plan may be terminated with effect from any Anniversary Date by either party. We will not invoke cancellation as a result of your age or health record whilst you are insured under the Plan.

If you do not wish to renew your Plan, you must notify us in writing or by email prior to your Anniversary Date.

If you wish to cancel your Plan at a date other than the anniversary date, you must notify us of your request to cancel the Plan in writing or by email. We will only cancel the Plan from the date that the request is received by us and cannot accept any requests for cancellation dates that are before the receipt date. If no claims have been made by you/your dependants during the Certificate period, we will calculate a proportionate refund of the premium paid for the Certificate period. An administration charge of £50/\$75/€65 will be deducted from any refund due to you. If the proportionate refund calculation is less than the administration charge, then no refund will be provided.

We are entitled to cancel your Plan, if there is a valid reason to do so, including for example:

- (i) any failure by you to pay the premium; or
- (ii) a change in risk which means we can no longer provide you with insurance cover; or
- (iii) non-cooperation or failure to supply any information or documentation **we** request, such as details of a **claim**;

by giving **you** fourteen (14) days' notice in writing. Any return of premium due to **you** will be calculated at a proportional daily rate depending on how long the **Plan** has been in force unless **you** have made a claim in which case the full annual premium is due.

2.12 INFORMATION YOU HAVE GIVEN US

In deciding to accept this **Plan** and in setting the terms including premium **we** have relied on the information which **you** have provided to **us**. **You** must take care when answering any questions **we** ask by ensuring that any information provided is accurate and complete.

If we establish that you deliberately or recklessly provided us with untrue or misleading information we will have the right to:

- (a) treat this Plan as if it never existed;
- (b) decline all claims; and
- (c) retain the premium.

If we establish that you carelessly provided us with untrue or misleading information we will have the right to:

- (i) treat this Plan as if it never existed, refuse to pay any claim and return the premium you have paid, if we would not have provided you with cover;
- (ii) treat this Plan as if it had been entered into on different terms from those agreed, if we would have provided you with cover on different terms;
- (iii) reduce the amount we pay on any claim in the proportion that the premium you have paid bears to the premium we would have charged you, if we would have charged you more.

We will notify you in writing if (i), (ii) and/or (iii) apply.

If there is no outstanding **claim** and (ii) and/or (iii) apply, **we** will have the right to:

- give you thirty (30) days' notice that we are terminating this Plan; or
- (2) give you notice that we will treat this Plan and any future claim in accordance with (ii) and/or (iii), in which case you may then give us thirty (30) days' notice that you are terminating this Plan

If the **Plan** is terminated in accordance with (1) or (2), **we** will refund any premium due to **you** in respect of the balance of the **Certificate period**.

2.13 FRAUD

If **you**, or anyone acting for **you**, makes a fraudulent **claim**, for example a loss which is fraudulently caused and/or exaggerated and/or supported by a fraudulent statement or other device, **we**:

(a) will not be liable to pay the claim; and

- (b) may recover from you any sums paid by us to you in respect of the claim; and
- (c) may by notice to you treat this Plan as having been terminated with effect from the time of the fraudulent act.

If we exercise our right under (c) above:

- (i) We shall not be liable to you in respect of a relevant event occurring after the time of the fraudulent act. A relevant event is whatever gives rise to our liability under this Plan (such as the occurrence of a loss, the making of a claim, or the notification of a potential claim); and.
- (ii) We need not return any of the premium paid.

3. PLAN DEFINITIONS

ACCIDENT means any sudden and unforeseen event occurring during **your Certificate period**, resulting in bodily injury to **you**, the cause or one of the causes of which is external to **your** own body and occurs beyond **your** control.

ANNIVERSARY DATE means the annual anniversary of **your** first **start date**.

APPLICATION FORM is the form that you complete for you/your dependants prior to the start date of your Plan.

AREA OF COVER means the Area of Cover selected by you on the Application Form and shown on your Certificate. Area One is Worldwide excluding the USA and Caribbean. The Caribbean includes Anguilla, Antigua, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, Bonaire, Cayman Islands, Cuba, Curacao, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guadalupe, Haiti, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Puerto Rico, St Kitts-Nevis, Saba, St Barthelemy, St Lucia, St Martin, St Vincent, Trinidad & Tobago, Turks & Caicos and Virgin Islands. Area Two is Worldwide.

ASSISTANCE COMPANY is the Company who **you** must contact to obtain **pre-authorisation** of any **treatment** for **benefits** where this is stated in the **Benefit** Definition. The **Assistance Company** is operational 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

BENEFIT means any **benefit** defined under the **Benefit**Definitions section of this guide, shown in the **Benefit** Table
and shown on **your Certificate**. Any **benefit** not shown on **your Certificate** is not covered.

CERTIFICATE is the **Certificate** of Insurance issued to **you** and/ or **your dependants** and forms part of the contract between **you** and **us**. The **Certificate** should be read in conjunction with this Policy Guide.

CERTIFICATE PERIOD is the period of cover shown on **your Certificate**, unless **your Certificate** was cancelled by **you** or **us**prior to the expiry date.

CHRONIC CONDITION means a disease or illness which has no known cure and/or which is likely to continue and/or keep recurring and which needs prolonged supervision, monitoring or **treatment**. The **treatment** of **Chronic Conditions** is only covered under the **benefits** shown on **your Certificate**.

CLAIM means a course of **treatment** to treat a diagnosed medical condition and/or a claim for Dental Care or Wellbeing **benefits**.

CONTINUED PERSONAL MEDICAL EXCLUSIONS (CPME) means that you have provided us with a copy of your previous certificate of insurance (from an international private medical insurance provider) that was in place immediately prior to the start date of your plan and that we have agreed to carry forward any existing specific exclusions and no further medical underwriting is required.

COOLING OFF PERIOD means the period of 30 days from the **start** date of your Plan, during which you may decide that the Plan is not suitable for your requirements. If you provide notice to us in writing or by email that you wish to cancel your Plan from the **start** date, we will give you a full refund of the premium paid, provided that no **claim** has been made on your Plan.

COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE means the country that you have

declared on your **Application Form** as the country which will be **your** main residence for a period of at least six months during **your Certificate Period**. This is shown on **your Certificate** as the **Country of Residence**. **You** must tell **us** if **you** change **your** temporary/permanent **Country of Residence** within 30 days. The **Insurer** may accept the change with or without an amendment to the premium or terms and conditions. If the **Insurer** is unable to continue the contract, **they** will provide insurance protection for 90 days from the date of change of residence after which the policy will automatically lapse.

COVER LEVEL means the International, International Plus, Executive or Executive Plus Plan and any **Voluntary Excess** selected by **you** on **your Application Form** or at a subsequent **Anniversary Date**.

DEPENDANTS mean **your** spouse or partner, and also **your** (un) married children (including step-children, foster children and legally adopted children) providing that the child is not more than 18 years old at the **start date** or **anniversary date** of the **Plan** (or up to age 24 if **you** can provide proof that the child is continuing in full-time education).

EXCESS/CO-INSURANCE means the portion of costs for which **you** and/or **your dependants** are liable for. The **excess/co-insurance** will be applied as specified on the **Certificate**.

EXPATRIATE means a person who is resident outside of their **Home Country**.

FULL MEDICAL UNDERWRITING means that you provide us with a detailed medical history on the Full Medical Underwriting Application Form to enable us to decide whether to accept or decline your application and whether we need to apply any specific exclusions to your Plan.

HOME COUNTRY means the country of which you hold a passport. Where you hold more than one passport the Home Country will be taken to mean the nationality which you have declared on your Application Form. Your Dependants will have the same Home Country as you, irrespective of their nationality.

HOSPITAL is any institution which is legally licensed as a medical or surgical **hospital** in the country in which it is located and whose main activities are not those of a spa, hydro clinic, sanatorium, nursing home, or home for the aged. It must be under the constant supervision of a resident **Physician**.

INPATIENT means when **you** are admitted to a **Hospital** for a period of not less than 24 hours.

INPATIENT CARE means the medical **treatment** provided to **you** when **you** are admitted as a registered **inpatient** in a **Hospital**

INSTALMENT DATE means the date on which any quarterly premium payment is due to be paid.

INSURANCE IDENTIFICATION CARD is the card issued to **you/ your dependants** for each **Certificate period** and includes the name, **Certificate** number and expiry date of the **Plan**.

INSURER means the **Insurer** of **your Plan** and will be shown on **your Certificate**.

LIFETIME LIMIT means the limit that applies for the full period that **you** have a **Plan**, irrespective of the number of times the **Plan** is extended/renewed on an **Anniversary Date**.

LOCAL NATIONAL means an individual whose Country of Residence is the same as the Home Country.

MORATORIUM UNDERWRITING means you/your dependants cannot claim for pre-existing medical conditions under your Plan. Any pre-existing medical conditions are excluded from cover if you completed a Moratorium Application Form. After two years of continuous cover, a pre-existing medical condition may become eligible for cover (unless the condition or benefit is specifically excluded) if, for a continuous period of two years, you have not:

- > Suffered any symptoms.
- Consulted any medical practitioner for check-ups, follow up examinations, medical treatment or advice.
- > Been prescribed or taken medicine including over the

counter drugs, special diets, injections, physiotherapy for that condition or any related condition.

OVERALL AGGREGATE LIMIT is the total combined limit of all **benefits** that may be claimed in any one **Certificate period** by **you**, and will be shown on **your Certificate**.

PLAN means the **Plan** which **you** have selected on **your Application Form** and **you** will be covered for the **Benefits** included in that **Plan** as shown on **your Certificate**.

PHYSICIAN/THERAPIST means a legally licensed medical practitioner/therapist recognised by the law of the country where **treatment** is provided and who, in rendering such **treatment**, is practising within the scope of his/her licensing and training.

PRE-AUTHORISATION means the procedure that you must follow for treatment received under the specified Plan benefits shown in the Benefit Table, and any claim that is likely to exceed £2,500/\$4,250/€3,500.

PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITIONS are any known medical conditions (or related conditions) that have, within a two year period immediately prior to the first **Start Date** of the **Plan**, one or more of the following characteristics;

- > It has been diagnosed.
- It has needed medical treatment (including drugs, medication that can be purchased without a prescription, special diets, injections or other procedures or investigations).
- Medical advice has been sought including routine medical examinations and check-ups.
- Medical advice should have been sought if recognised clinical advice had been followed.
- > It has undiagnosed symptoms, whether recognised or not.

REASONABLE AND CUSTOMARY CHARGES means the charges that would typically be made for the treatment you receive in the location where your treatment is received. We will only pay up to the charges typically made for that treatment in that location. If there is any dispute relating to reasonable and customary charges, we will identify the amount typically charged by obtaining three quotations for the disputed treatment and we will settle costs based on an average of the three quotations.

RENEWAL OFFER is the offer made by **us** to **you** prior to the **Anniversary Date** of the **Benefits** and terms and conditions available to **you** if **you** wish to continue with **your Plan** after the **Anniversary Date**.

SPECIFIC EXCLUSIONS means any exclusion that is applied to your Plan and has been accepted by you if you selected Full Medical Underwriting at the start of your Plan. The specific exclusions are in addition to the Plan exclusions and will be shown on your Certificate.

START DATE means the date that **your Plan** originally commences, and any subsequent **Anniversary Date** if the renewal premium is paid.

TREATMENT means medical care and services provided to diagnose, relieve or treat an illness, disease or injury and/or dental care received by a qualified **Physician** or qualified Dental Practitioner.

VOLUNTARY EXCESS is the amount of covered expenses, as selected on your Application Form, which you will pay each Certificate period, before any benefits can be claimed from the Plan. If the benefit claimed also has an excess/co-insurance, this amount will be applied after the voluntary excess has been applied. The maximum voluntary excess amount that can be selected on the Executive or Executive Plus plans is £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500.

YOU/YOUR means the person whose name appears on the Certificate.

US, **WE OUR** means April International UK Limited, acting on behalf of the **Insurer**. **We** outsource **our** 24 hour assistance service to a specialist organisation who acts on **our**/the **Insurer**'s behalf.

WAITING PERIOD means the period during which no benefit is payable for treatment costs incurred when a waiting period is shown in the Benefit Table and/or on your Certificate. You must be covered by the same Plan for the full duration of the specified waiting period before you are entitled to make a claim for that benefit.

4. BENEFIT DEFINITIONS

ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY ROOM TREATMENT means treatment performed in a hospital casualty ward or emergency room immediately following an **Accident** or following the sudden onset of a serious medical condition.

ARTIFICIAL HAIR BENEFIT means the cost of a wig/hairpiece that **you** may require following a course of cancer treatment.

CANCER COUNSELLING means the costs relating to any counselling sessions that **you** attend with a registered and qualified Counsellor or Psychologist following **your** diagnosis of cancer.

CHINESE MEDICINE means consultations and medicines provided to **you** by a registered Chinese Medicine Practitioner.

CHRONIC CONDITION TREATMENT means the treatment received for a Chronic Condition.

COMPASSIONATE HOME TRAVEL means the cost of a return economy air ticket to **your home country** if a close family member dies during the **Certificate period**. This **benefit** is only available after **you** have completed one year of continuous cover. A close family member means **your** spouse/partner, parent, mother-in-law, father-in-law, brother, sister, child (including (un) married child, step-child, foster-child and legally adopted child), grand-child or grandparent.

COMPLEMENTARY THERAPIES means consultations provided to **you** by registered and properly qualified Osteopaths, Chiropractors, Homeopaths and Acupuncturists. The **treatment** must be recommended and ordered by **your Physician**.

COMPLICATED PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH means the treatment costs relating to pre-natal and post-natal care and childbirth where your Physician has certified that a surgical procedure, or treatment requiring a period of inpatient care, is required during the pregnancy, and where a normal delivery would endanger the life of the mother and or child(ren). You must obtain pre-authorisation from the Assistance Company for this benefit. This benefit is only available for pregnancies whose expected date of delivery is at least 18 months after the start date of a Plan that includes this benefit. This benefit does not include the costs of any medical treatment provided to the newborn. Any limit shown on your Certificate is per pregnancy and applies from the date you notify us of your pregnancy for the whole duration of the pregnancy. If you upgrade your Plan at an anniversary date to a higher benefit limit or the current benefit limit increases, this will not apply to the existing pregnancy.

COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY means treatment of a medical condition arising during the antenatal stages of pregnancy or during childbirth. Treatment will be provided to you by a specialist or consultant for the following diagnosed conditions: Ectopic pregnancy, miscarriage, toxaemia, hydatidiform mole, retained placenta and eclampsia. This benefit is only available for pregnancies whose expected date of delivery is at least 18 months after the start date of a Plan that includes this benefit.

CONGENITAL CONDITIONS AND BIRTH DEFECTS benefit means treatment required to relieve the symptoms of, or correct a birth defect, congenital or hereditary medical condition that is diagnosed within one year of birth. This benefit only applies if you have been on cover since birth. This benefit is subject to a lifetime limit as shown on your Certificate.

DAYCARE TREATMENT means any surgical or medical procedures that **you** receive which are provided on an **outpatient** basis but where **you** require a period of recovery in a **hospital** bed.

DENTAL TREATMENT FOLLOWING AN ACCIDENT is the **treatment** required to restore or replace **your** sound natural teeth lost or damaged in an **Accident** which takes place within 90 days of the **Accident**. This **benefit** does not provide cover for damage to teeth caused by biting or chewing.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL EVACUATION means the medically required expense of emergency transportation and medical care en route to transport **you**, if **you** have a critical medical condition to the nearest **Hospital** where appropriate care and facilities are available, and not necessarily to **your Home Country**. The **Assistance Company** should be contacted to approve and arrange all **Emergency Medical Evacuations**. In dire emergencies in remote or primitive areas where the

Assistance Company cannot be contacted in advance, the Emergency Medical Evacuation must be reported as soon as possible. We will pay the transportation costs for one other person to accompany you on an Emergency Medical Evacuation where Inpatient Care is required following Emergency Medical Evacuation, or where the Emergency Medical Evacuation is for a child who is not more than 18 years old.

EMERGENCY NON-MEDICAL EVACUATION means the costs of evacuation by any means of transportation to a place of safety when, in the opinion of the crisis management specialist company, WorldAware, **your** life is in danger as a result of sudden political or civil unrest, or in the event of a natural disaster. A natural disaster is a major adverse event or force of nature that has catastrophic consequences such as earthquake, flood, forest fire, hurricane, tornado, tsunami and volcanic eruption.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL EVACUATION – SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENSES means the accommodation costs of a companion who has accompanied you on an approved Emergency Medical Evacuation up to the limits shown on your Certificate. The costs of a one-way economy air ticket to return you and your companion back to your country of residence following an approved Emergency Medical Evacuation are covered. If you received Inpatient Care we will also cover taxi costs for your companion to and from the hospital and accommodation costs for you, following Inpatient Care, up to the limits shown on your Certificate.

EXTERNAL PROTHESES, MEDICAL AIDS AND DEVICES mean devices or aids that are medically prescribed as part of the recuperation process immediately following Inpatient Care, Daycare Treatment or Accident or Emergency Room Services.

HEARING CARE means the costs of hearing tests by an audiologist and a contribution towards the costs of a hearing aid when prescribed by an audiologist (including a fitting consultation). This **benefit** is only available after **you** have completed one year of continuous cover under a **Plan** which includes this **benefit**.

HIV/AIDS BENEFIT means the cost of treatment arising from, or related to, Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV and/ or HIV-related illness, including Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome, (AIDS) or AIDS related complex (ARC). If you are HIV positive, we will only pay up to the HIV/AIDS benefit limit for the treatment of the following conditions: Candidiasis (thrush), Cervical Cancer, CMN (cytomegalovirus), Cryptoccal meningitis, Cryptosporidiosis, HIV-associated brain impairment, Kaposi's sarcoma, Lymphoma, Mycobacterium avium intracellulare, Pneumonia including PCP (Pneumocystis pneumonia), Thrombocytopenia, Toxoplasmosis and Tuberculosis. This benefit is subject to a lifetime limit as shown on your Certificate. This benefit is only available after you have completed two years of continuous cover under a Plan which includes this benefit.

HORMONE REPLACEMENT THERAPY (HRT) means consultations and **Prescription Drugs**, patches or implants for the sole purpose of treating a hormone imbalance medical condition. It does not provide cover for HRT used to treat the symptoms of menopause.

HOSPICE CARE means the costs of accommodation and palliative care provided to **you** in a registered Hospice, if **you** have received a terminal prognosis, up to a maximum limit shown on **your Certificate**, when medically prescribed by a **Physician**.

HOSPITAL CASH BENEFIT is an alternative cash benefit which may be paid to you where treatment is provided to you in a government Hospital where no charge is made. The maximum payable is 30 days in any one Certificate period. You must obtain Pre-authorisation from the Assistance Company for this benefit.

HOSPITAL SERVICES means all required medical treatment provided to you by a physician when you are admitted as a registered inpatient in a Hospital for a period of not less than 24 consecutive hours, and only when appropriate diagnostic procedures and/or treatments are not available as outpatient services. You must obtain pre-authorisation from the Assistance Company for this benefit. Hospital services include reasonable and customary charges, in the area where treatment is provided, for hospital accommodation up to the cost of a private single standard room, intensive care unit accommodation, meal charges, the use of all hospital medical facilities, and all medical treatment and medical services ordered by a Physician. Hospital services excludes any costs relating to oncology, organ and bone marrow transplant and stem cell treatment and normal and complicated pregnancy and childbirth, except ectopic pregnancy.

INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC TREATMENT means medical treatment provided to you when you are admitted as a registered inpatient in a recognised psychiatric unit of a Hospital, and the treatment is provided by a registered Psychiatrist. You must obtain Preauthorisation from the Assistance Company for this benefit and the benefit is limited to a maximum of 30 days per Certificate period. This benefit is only available after you have been completed on year of continuous cover under a Plan which includes this benefit.

INTERNAL PROSTHESES, MEDICAL AIDS AND DEVICES means any implant, medical aid or device which is implanted intraoperatively.

LOCAL ROAD AMBULANCE SERVICES means the costs for medically required transportation to a local **Hospital** for emergency or **Inpatient Care**.

MRI, **CT** and **PET** Scans means the cost of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), computerised tomography (CT) and positron emission tomography (PET) ordered by a treating **Physician**.

NEWBORN CARE means medical **treatment** received by a newborn child from the date of birth until 30 days following discharge from **Hospital**, provided that the child has been enrolled on the **Plan** and a **Certificate** has been issued for the newborn child. No other **benefits** are available to the newborn until 30 days following discharge from **hospital** when the selected **Plan benefits** will apply.

NORMAL PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH means the treatment costs relating to pre-natal and post-natal care and childbirth, of the mother only, where no special obstetric procedure is required. You must obtain pre-authorisation from the Assistance Company for this benefit. This benefit is only available for pregnancies whose expected date of delivery is at least 18 months after the start date of a Plan that includes this benefit. This benefit does not include the costs of any medical treatment provided to the newborn. Any limit shown on your Certificate is per pregnancy and applies from the date you notify us of your pregnancy for the whole duration of the pregnancy. If you upgrade your Plan at an anniversary date to a higher benefit limit or the current benefit limit increases, this will not apply to the existing pregnancy.

NURSING AT HOME means medical services and **treatment**, excluding home help, provided by a government licensed nurse in **your** home when prescribed by a **Physician** and related directly to an illness, injury or medical condition for which **you** have received and are receiving **treatment** which is covered by **your Plan**. This **benefit** will be limited to 26 weeks in any one **Certificate period**.

ONCOLOGY, CHEMOTHERAPY AND RADIOTHERAPY means consultations, diagnostics tests, and treatment that you receive under Inpatient Care, DayCare Treatment or Outpatient Services that are related specifically to the diagnosis and treatment of malignant disease (cancer).

OPTICAL CARE means the costs of eyesight examinations by an Optometrist or an Ophthalmologist and a contribution towards the costs of lenses to correct vision and eyeglass frames (including a fitting consultation). This **benefit** is only available after **you** have completed one year of continuous cover under a **Plan** which includes this **benefit**.

ORGAN AND BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTS AND STEM CELL TREATMENT means cover for kidney, heart, heart-lung and liver and bone marrow transplants and stem cell **treatment** (both autologous and donor provided). Expenses relating to the acquisition of transplant materials and donor's expenses are not covered.

OUT OF AREA COVER means short-term cover available for emergency medical conditions or acute episodes of existing medical conditions covered by **your Plan**, when travelling outside the **Area of Cover** selected by **you** which is shown on **your Certificate**. Cover is only available outside **your** selected **Area of Cover** for a maximum aggregate period of 60 days in any one **Certificate period**, up to the limits shown on **your Certificate**, provided that **you** did not make the trip specifically for the purpose of, or with the intention of, obtaining medical **treatment**.

OUTPATIENT SERVICES means medical **treatment** provided to **you** when **you** are not a registered **inpatient** in a **Hospital**, or any other facility for medical care. **Outpatient Services** includes services provided by or ordered by a **Physician** who is licensed as a General Practitioner, Specialist or Consultant, laboratory testing, radiographic and nuclear medicine procedures used to diagnose and treat medical conditions. **Outpatient Services** also includes **Complementary Therapies**,

Physiotherapy and Prescription Drugs. Outpatient Services excludes any costs that are not in respect of an illness, disease or injury.

OUTPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES means medical **treatment** (including **Prescription Drugs**) provided to **you** by a **Physician** who is licensed as a General Practitioner, Specialist or Consultant for any psychological or psychiatric disorder as well as **treatment** of anxiety, stress, depression, panic attacks or phobic states. This **benefit** is only available after **you** have completed one year of continuous cover under a **Plan** which includes this **benefit**.

OUTPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC THERAPIES means the **treatment** of any psychological or psychiatric disorder by a Consultant Psychiatrist. It includes the **treatment** of anxiety, stress, clinical depression, panic attacks and phobic states and therapy performed by a behavioural or clinical psychologist, provided the therapy has been referred by a **Physician**. This **benefit** is only available after **you** have completed one year of continuous cover under a **Plan** which includes this **benefit**.

PARENTAL ACCOMMODATION means the **hospital** accommodation costs for **you** to stay in a **Hospital** with a child aged 17 years and under who is receiving **Inpatient Care** under the **Plan**.

PHYSIOTHERAPY means treatment provided by a licensed Physiotherapist and ordered by a **Physician**. This **benefit** is limited to the number of sessions as stated on **your Certificate**.

POST HOSPITAL TREATMENT means **Outpatient Services** that are related to an eligible **Claim** submitted by **you** for **Inpatient Care**, provided that **Outpatient Services** are received within 90 days of **your** discharge from **Hospital**.

PRESCRIPTION DRUGS means medications and medical supplies whose sale and use is legally restricted to the order of a **Physician**, and does not include items that may be purchased without a **Physician's** prescription.

RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY means a surgical procedure(s) which is required to restore appearance/function of your body following an Accident or illness which occurred after the start date of your Certificate, and the original treatment was covered by the Plan. The Reconstructive Surgery must take place within two years of the original Accident or illness.

REHABILITATION CARE means **Inpatient Care** or **Treatment** where the purpose is to restore health and mobility after an **Accident**, injury or illness to a state in which **you** can be self- sufficient. This **benefit** is subject to a **Lifetime Limit** as shown on **your Certificate**.

REPATRIATION OR LOCAL BURIAL is the expense of preparation and air transportation of **your** mortal remains from the place of death to **your Home Country**, or the preparation and **Local Burial** or cremation of **your** mortal remains if **you** die outside **your Home Country**. Such arrangements must be made by the **Assistance Company**. This **benefit** is not available to persons who were aged 65 or over at the **Start Date**.

ROUTINE DENTAL TREATMENT is all routine dental care such as dental inspection, preservation and relief of pain including simple fillings, X-Rays, treatment of gums, operative and gnathological procedures, and dentures. Dentures include restoration of the function of dental prostheses and the installation of new prostheses, crowns, bridges and pivot teeth. Orthodontic treatment is available for dependants up to the age of 17 years. Cover is only available if you have attended for dental inspection and concluded all required treatment in the one year period immediately prior to your Start Date, or immediately prior to claiming Routine Dental Treatment benefit under the Plan, whichever is the later. The benefit is limited to the amount shown on your Certificate.

ROUTINE HEALTH SCREENING means the costs of routine health checks, tests and examinations for the early detection of illness and disease. This benefit provides cover for cardiovascular and neurological tests, PAP smear test, mammogram and prostate screening. This benefit is only available if you are aged over 21 years and after you have completed one year of continuous cover under a Plan which includes this benefit.

VACCINATION BENEFIT means vaccinations which are medically required for the the purpose of travel (including anti-malaria medication) and vaccinations for the prevention of disease or illness for children aged up to 16, for Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping Cough (pertussis), Polio, Mumps, Rubella (German Measles), Meningitis C, Pneumococcal, Streptococcus pneumonia, Hib and Human Papillomavirus (HPV).

5. BENEFIT TABLE

This table gives a summary of the benefits covered by each Plan. Please refer to each Benefit Definition for a full explanation of the cover provided under each benefit.

PLAN BENEFITS	INTERNATIONAL	INTERNATIONAL PLUS	EXECUTIVE	EXECUTIVE PLU
Overall Aggregate Limit each Certificate period	£1,000,000 \$2,000,000 €1,500,000	£1,000,000 \$2,000,000 €1,500,000	£1,000,000 \$2,000,000 €1,500,000	£1,000,000 \$2,000,000 €1,500,000



PRE-AUTHORISATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CLAIMS WHERE THE COSTS ARE LIKELY TO EXCEED £2,500/\$4,250/€3,500 AND FOR ALL CLAIMS UNDER BENEFITS

INPATIENT TREATMENT BENEFITS				
Hospital Services*				
Accommodation and meal charges All Inpatient Treatment ordered by a Physician Physician, Surgeon and Anaesthetist Fees Intensive Care Unit charges	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
Hospital Cash Benefit* Where Inpatient Treatment is provided free of charge	£250/\$500/€375 per night Max 30 days	£250/\$500/€375 per night Max 30 days	£250/\$500/€375 per night Max 30 days	£250/\$500/€375 per night Max 30 days
Parental Accommodation When an insured child up to age 17 years is an Inpatient	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
aycare Treatment //here a period of recovery is required in a hospital bed	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
npatient Psychiatric Treatment* reatment in a psychiatric unit, available after one year of over	Full Refund Max 30 days	Full Refund Max 30 days	Full Refund Max 30 days	Full Refund Max 30 days
teconstructive Surgery or restore appearance/function following an Accident or liness that occurred whilst covered by your Plan	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
ccident and Emergency Room Treatment	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
organ and Bone Marrow Transplant and otem Cell Treatment* or kidney, heart, heart-lung, liver, bone marrow and stem ell. Acquisition and donor costs are excluded	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
nternal Prostheses, Medical Aids and Devices Which are required intra-operatively	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
lospice Care Palliative care in a hospice	Full Refund Max 15 days	Full Refund Max 15 days	Full Refund Max 15 days	Full Refund Max 15 days
ocal Road Ambulance Services	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
POST HOSPITAL TREATMENT BENEFITS				
ost Hospital Treatment consultations and treatment received within 90 days of ecciving Inpatient Care	Up to £500/\$1,000/€750	Covered under Outpatient Services	Covered under Outpatient Services	Covered under Outpatient Services
tehabilitation Care o restore health and mobility after injury or illness	£100,000/\$200,000/€150,000 lifetime limit	£100,000/\$200,000/€150,000 lifetime limit	£100,000/\$200,000/€150,000 lifetime limit	£200,000/\$400,000/€300,0
xternal Prostheses, Medical Aids and Devices /hich are medically required following Inpatient Care, Daycare reatment or Accident and Emergency Room Treatment	Up to £250/\$500/€375	Up to £500/\$1,000/€750	Up to £750/\$1,500/€1,125	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500
CANCER TREATMENT				
oncology, Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy* consultations, diagnostics and treatment received under apatient Care, Day Care Treatment or Outpatient Services	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
ancer counselling ollowing a cancer diagnosis with a registered psychologist/ ounsellor	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500
artificial Hair Benefit Vig costs, available following cancer treatment	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500
EMERGENCY MEDICAL EVACUATION BENEFIT	S			
mergency Medical Evacuation* vacuation costs for acute medical conditions where local nedical facilities are inadequate	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
mergency Medical Evacuation – Supplementary Expenses* tost of travel to place of origin totel accommodation costs for companion axi costs for companion axi costs for companion locommodation costs following Inpatient Care	Economy air ticket Up to 12 nights Up to £500/\$1000/€750 Up to 7 nights	Economy air ticket Up to 12 nights Up to £500/\$1000/€750 Up to 7 nights	Economy air ticket Up to 12 nights Up to £500/\$1000/€750 Up to 7 nights	Economy air ticket Up to 12 nights Up to £500/\$1000/€750 Up to 7 nights
mergency Non-Medical Evacuation* vacuation to a safe location in the event of life-threatening tuations resulting from political or civil unrest	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
vacuation to a sare location in the event of a natural disaster				
vacuation to a safe location in the event of a natural disaster ompassionate Home Travel* I the event of the death of a close family member, available fter one year of cover	One return economy air ticket	One return economy air ticket	One return economy air ticket	One return economy air tick

OUTPATIENT TREATMENT BENEFITS

Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
Not Covered	Full Refund	Full Refund £50/\$100/€75 excess per claim #	Full Refund £50/\$100/€75 excess per claim #~
Not Covered	excess per claim #		
Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £200/\$400/€300 20% co-insurance	Up to £400/\$800/€600 20% co-insurance
Full Refund Up to 26 weeks	Full Refund Up to 26 weeks	Full Refund Up to 26 weeks	Full Refund Up to 26 weeks
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Outpatient Psychiatric Services > General Physician and Consultant fees > Prescription Drugs available after one year of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Full Refund £50/\$100/€75 excess per claim #	Full Refund £50/\$100/€75 excess per claim #
Outpatient Psychiatric Therapies Counselling, Cognitive Behavioural Therapy and Psychotherapy. When referred by a Physician, available after one year of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £500/\$1,000/€750 20% co-insurance	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500 20% co-insurance

Dental Treatment following an Accident To restore or repair sound natural teeth	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund	Full Refund
Routine Dental Treatment	Not Covered	Up to £300/\$600/€450 20% co-insurance	Up to £500/\$1,000/€750 20% co-insurance	Up to £1,000/\$2,000/€1,500 20% co-insurance

Normal Pregnancy and Childbirth Available after 18 months of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £6,000/\$12,000/€9,000	Up to £9,000/\$18,000/€13,500
Complicated Pregnancy and Childbirth Available after 18 months of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £12,000/\$24,000/€18,000	Up to £18,000/\$36,000/€27,000
Complications of Pregnancy Available after 18 months of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Full Refund	Full Refund
Newborn Care Available when a newborn child is enrolled on the Plan	Up to £50,000/\$100,000/€75,000	Up to £50,000/\$100,000/€75,000	Up to £50,000/\$100,000/€75,000	Up to £50,000/\$100,000/€75,000
Congenital Conditions and Birth Defects When diagnosed within one year of birth	Not Covered	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £25,000/\$50,000/€37,500 Lifetime limit

WELL BEING BENEFITS

Routine Health Screening Preventative health checks available after one year of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £300/\$600/€450 20% co-insurance	Up to £500/\$1,000/€750 20% co-insurance
Vaccination Benefit Childhood and travel-related vaccinations	Up to £200/\$400/€300	Up to £200/\$400/€300	Up to £200/\$400/€300	Up to £200/\$400/€300
Optical Care Eyesight examinations and a contribution towards the costs of lenses to correct vision, available after one year of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £300/\$600/€450 20% co-insurance
Hearing Care Hearing tests and a contribution towards the costs of a hearing aid, available after one year of cover	Not Covered	Not Covered	Not Covered	Up to £300/\$600/€450 20% co-insurance

HIV/AIDS Benefit Available after two years of cover	£10,000/\$20,000/	£10,000/\$20,000/	£10,000/\$20,000/	£10,000/\$20,000/
	€15,000 Lifetime limit	€15,000 Lifetime limit	€15,000 Lifetime limit	€15,000 Lifetime limit
Chronic Condition Treatment	Covered within listed benefits			
Out of Area Cover	Up to	Up to	Up to	Up to
For emergencies and acute episodes of existing covered	£20,000/\$40,000/€30,000	£30,000/\$60,000/€45,000	£40,000/\$80,000/€60,000	£50,000/\$100,000/€75,000
medical conditions	Max 60 days	Max 60 days	Max 60 days	Max 60 days

WorldAware	Included	Included	Included	Included
Bloodcare Foundation	Included	Included	Included	Included
Best Doctors Second Opinion Service	Included	Included	Included	Included

[#] A claim is considered to be a course of treatment per diagnosed medical condition
∼ The Executive Plus Plan can be further enhanced by paying an additional premium to remove the £50/\$100/€75 excess per claim on the Outpatient Services benefit.

6. WHAT IS NOT COVERED

The **Plan** does not provide cover for the following services, **treatment**, conditions, activities, and their related expenses and no **claims** will be met for the following:

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS

- > Pre-Existing Medical Conditions, except as provided for under Moratorium Underwriting.
- > The first £1,000/\$1,700/€1,400 of any claim for Hospital Services, Hospital Cash Benefit, Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment, Organ and Bone Marrow Transplant and Stem Cell Treatment, Oncology, Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy, or any claim that is likely to exceed £2,500/\$5,000/€3,750 if Pre-Authorisation was not sought prior to incurring the costs.
- > Any costs incurred outside your Area of Cover, except as defined under Out of Area cover.
- Services or treatment in any long term care facility, spa, hydroclinic, sanatorium, nursing home or home for the aged that is not a Hospital.
- Any costs relating to Nursing at Home that is for domestic reasons and not required for medical reasons.
- > Routine medical examinations (including annual routine diagnostic procedures other than when they form part of Routine Health Screening and this benefit is shown on your Certificate), including the issue of medical certificates and attestations, and examinations as to suitability for employment or travel.
- Eyesight examinations including the cost of spectacles and contact lenses (unless Optical care benefit is shown on your Certificate).
- > Hearing tests, including the costs of hearing aids (unless Hearing care benefit is shown on your Certificate).
- > Treatment relating to birth defects and congenital Illnesses (including hereditary conditions) except as defined under Congenital Conditions and Birth Defects and this benefit is shown on your Certificate.
- Tests and treatment relating to infertility and any form of assisted reproduction.
- > Treatment of any psychological or psychiatric disorders, and treatment (including Prescription Drugs) of anxiety, stress, depression and phobic states, except as defined under Inpatient Psychiatric Care, Outpatient Psychiatric Services or Outpatient Psychiatric Therapies and these benefits are shown on your Certificate.
- Treatment, diagnostic procedures (including sleep study) and Prescription Drugs for sleep disorders, including for example sleep apnoea, sleep related breathing problems, snoring or insomnia.
- All elective cosmetic surgery and subsequent complications related to the surgery.
- Costs resulting from self-inflicted injury, suicide, abuse of alcohol, drug addiction or abuse, and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases.
- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), AIDS-related Complex Syndrome (ARCS) and all diseases caused by and/ or related to the virus HIV positive, unless HIV/AIDS Benefit is included on your Certificate. If this benefit is included on your Certificate and you are HIV positive we will only pay up to the HIV/Aids benefit limit for the treatment of the following conditions: Candidiasis (thrush), Cervical Cancer, CMN (cytomegalovirus), Cryptoccal meningitis, Cryptosporidiosis, HIV-associated brain impairment, Kaposi's sarcoma, Lymphoma, Mycobacterium avium intracellulare, Pneumonia including PCP (Pneumocystis pneumonia), Thrombocytopenia, Toxoplasmosis and Tuberculosis.
- Costs resulting from racing of any form other than on foot, and all professional sports.
- Treatment by a family member and any autotherapy including Prescription Drugs.
- Treatment that is not scientifically recognised, or established practice, or unproven or experimental, as considered by the relevant professional body.
- > Treatment and/or disabilities, costs and expenses resulting

- from participation in war, riots, strikes, lockouts, civil commotion, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, terrorism, military or usurped power or any illegal act, including resultant imprisonment.
- Treatment resulting from the release of weapon(s) of mass destruction (nuclear, chemical or biological) whether such involve(s) an explosive sequence(s) or not.
- Injury or illness while serving as a member of a police or military force or unit.
- All costs directly or indirectly caused by or contributed to or arising from:
 - ionising radiations or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel;
 - the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof.
- > All costs for **treatment** in respect of medical expenses incurred after the expiry date of the **Certificate**.
- > All expenses of cryopreservation
- All expenses of introduction or re-introduction of living cells or living tissue, except as defined under Organ and Bone Marrow Transplants and Stem Cell Treatment and this benefit is included on your Certificate.
- All organ transplantation costs, except as defined under Organ and Bone Marrow Transplants and Stem Cell Treatment and this benefit is included on your Certificate.
- Costs in respect of Hormone Replacement Therapy (HRT) related to the treatment and symptoms of menopause.
- Treatment for learning difficulties, hyperactivity, attention deficit disorder, speech therapy and developmental, social or behavioural problems.
- Contraception, sterilisation or any treatment of sexual problems (including impotence, whatever the cause).
- > All costs relating to and including diagnosis of eating disorders.
- All expenses relating to vitamins, minerals and other supplements, including homeopathic remedies, irrespective of whether these have been prescribed or not.
- Any costs relating to treatment for, or as a result of, obesity, such as slimming aids, drugs, slimming classes or obesity surgery (including gastric bands/sleeves).
- Any costs relating to medical treatment required as a direct result of not following the medical advice given by a Physician.
- > Any costs incurred during a benefit waiting period.
- Any hospital accommodation costs that are more expensive than a private standard single room as well as personal items such as telephone calls, newspapers, Wi-Fi, guest meals, toiletries or cosmetics.
- > All costs relating to orthotics for example insoles.
- > All costs relating to preventative treatment and medications.
- In no case shall this insurance cover loss damage liability or expense directly or indirectly caused by or contributed to by, or arising from the use or operation of any computer, computer system, computer software programme, malicious code, computer virus or process or any other electronic system.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL EVACUATION EXCLUSIONS

- All transportation costs occurred during trips specifically made for the purpose of obtaining medical treatment if not part of an approved Emergency Medical Evacuation, except as defined under Local Road Ambulance Services.
- All Emergency Medical Evacuation costs for which you did not obtain Pre-Authorisation in advance by the Assistance Company, except as defined under Emergency Medical Evacuation.

DENTAL CARE EXCLUSIONS

- All dental treatment except as defined under Dental Treatment Following an Accident and Routine Dental Treatment and these benefits are shown on your Certificate.
- > All elective dentures and elective cosmetic dental treatment.
- > The costs of precious metals used in dental treatment.
- All costs relating to night guards.

> MATERNITY CARE EXCLUSIONS

- All abortions, except where there is an immediate threat to the life of the mother.
- > All elective caesarean section deliveries.
- All costs relating to pregnancy and childbirth, other than ectopic pregnancy, unless Normal Pregnancy and Childbirth and/or Complicated Pregnancy and Childbirth are shown on your Certificate.

7. CLAIMS

7.1 HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM

You must provide us with written notice, which can be by post or email, of a claim as soon as practicably possible after the start of treatment. You must give us notice of a claim as soon as practicably possible even when the supporting documentation is not yet available.

You must provide a separate fully completed claim form for each medical condition that has been signed by the treating Physician. You must provide full supporting documentation, original invoices and receipts as soon as practicably possible. We will not provide reimbursement of any invoices/receipts received by us which are more than 180 days old.

When you receive treatment for a condition/benefit covered by the Plan, you are eligible to claim from the start of the course of treatment until the treatment is concluded or until the expiry of your Certificate, or the termination of your Plan, whichever is earlier. Where a benefit is claimed for treatment received and you subsequently claim for a new course of treatment, which is not in any way connected with the former treatment, the subsequent Claim will be regarded as a new Claim.

We will pay up to the limits shown in your Certificate for expenses incurred as a direct result of you suffering bodily injury, sickness, disease or being pregnant (where Normal and Complicated Pregnancy benefit is included in your Certificate) during the Certificate period.

You must contact the Assistance Company to obtain pre-authorisation before any costs are incurred for all claims under the following benefits; Hospital Services (inpatient treatment), Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment, Organ and Bone Marrow and Stem Cell Treatment, Oncology, Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy, all Emergency Medical Evacuation benefits and Normal and Complicated Pregnancy and Childbirth and any other claim likely to exceed £2,500/\$4,250/€3,500 in any one Certificate period. In the case of an emergency admission to a Hospital, the 24 hour Assistance Company must be notified of your admission as soon as practicably possible.

IF YOU FAIL TO CONTACT THE 24 HOUR ASSISTANCE COMPANY FOR PRE-AUTHORISATION IT WILL RESULT IN YOU BEING RESPONSIBLE FOR THE FIRST £1,000/\$1,700/€1,400 OF EACH CLAIM

IF YOU FAIL TO CONTACT THE 24 HOUR ASSISTANCE COMPANY PRIOR TO INCURRING COSTS FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL EVACUATION CLAIMS YOUR CLAIM WILL NOT BE PAID, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF A DIRE EMERGENCY WHERE THE 24 HOUR ASSISTANCE COMPANY COULD NOT BE CONTACTED IN ADVANCE, BUT WERE INFORMED AS SOON AS PRACTICABLY POSSIBLE AFTER THE EVACUATION.

TYPE OF CLAIM WHAT YOU NEED TO DO WHAT WE WILL DO

You must take a claim form with you when you receive medical or dental treatment so that the Physician/Dentist can complete Section C or D on the claim form. You should complete Sections A, B and E. A separate claim form is required for each medical condition. Please ensure that all questions are fully answered – ticks and dashes will not be accepted and may delay the settlement of your claim. If the claim form is not fully completed we will return it to you. We do not pay for any charges related to the completion of a claim form.

The fully completed **claim** form along with the original invoices and/or receipts should be sent to **us** at the following address:

April International UK Minster House 42 Mincing Lane London, EC3R 7AE United Kingdom

If the claim is less than £1,000/\$1,700/€1,400 you can submit the claim form and copies of the invoices and/or receipts by email to:

claims@april-international.co.uk

You must retain the original documents as we reserve the right to request them.

We must receive notification of a claim as soon as practicably possible after the start of treatment.

We will not pay any invoices that are more than 180 days old.

Once **we** have reviewed the documentation provided, we will send to you an Explanation of Benefits and make payment of the covered expenses directly into your chosen bank account. Claims can be settled in any currency that you choose (providing that such currency can be freely purchased by our Bank) and not necessarily in the currency of the bills submitted or the currency of your Plan. On submission of your first claim you must provide us with your full bank account details (including IBAN and SWIFT/BIC where required) so that we can arrange for settlement of your claim. We will apply the exchange rate applicable on the date that we process the claim. If you have an excess or co-insurance on your Plan, this will be deducted from the eligible costs before any reimbursement is made. We will pay for any bank charges incurred in submitting the funds into your account. We will not pay for any charges made by your bank for receiving the funds.

OUTPATIENT AND DENTAL CLAIMS you receive any medi

If you receive any medical or dental **treatment** on an outpatient basis

WHAT WE WILL DO WHAT YOU NEED TO DO **CLAIMS REQUIRING** PRE-AUTHORISATION The Assistance Company will contact you or If your claim is likely to exceed £2,500/\$4,250/€3,500 or if you are claiming for benefit under Hospital Services (inpatient treatment), Inpatient **Psychiatric Treatment, Organ and Bone Marrow** and Stem Cell Treatment, Oncology, Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy, all You, or your representative must contact the **Emergency Medical** Assistance Company as soon as practicably **Evacuation benefits and** possible: **Normal and Complicated** to the Hospital/provider of medical care **Pregnancy and Childbirth** Telephone +44 (0) 1243 621130 Fax: +44 (0) 1243 773169 Email: april-international@cegagroup.com **EMERGENCY MEDICAL** You must provide them with the following **EVACUATION** information on the person who will be receiving When you have an treatment: emergency, critical or lifethreatening medical condition > Full Name and local medical facilities > Date of Birth may not be available to provide the medical treatment > Certificate Number required > Name and contact details of Treating Physician > Details of the medical condition > Details of the Hospital, if the claim is for inpatient treatment. In the event of dire emergencies in remote or REPATRIATION OR primitive areas where the Assistance Company **LOCAL BURIAL** cannot be contacted in advance, an Emergency If you or your covered Medical Evacuation must be reported as soon as dependants die outside your practicably possible. Home Country whilst covered by the Plan **NON-MEDICAL EVACUATION** When there is a life threatening situation resulting from political or civil unrest, or your life is in danger as a result of a natural disaster

BEST DOCTOR SERVICE

If vou are receiving medical treatment that is covered by your Plan and you require a second medical opinion on the proposed treatment Plan

Contact Best Doctors directly

+44 (0) 203 608 9377

You will need to provide your full name, date of birth and Certificate number. This is a completely confidential service and will not have any impact on your Plan.

your treating Physician to obtain the required medical information so that they can confirm that the required treatment is covered by your Plan. For any inpatient treatment they will issue a Guarantee of Payment to the provider of your medical care confirming what will be covered by the Plan. The Hospital/Physician will send the medical bills directly to the Assistance Company who will arrange for direct settlement with the Hospital/provider of medical care. If you have an excess or co-insurance on your Plan this will be deducted from the payment made and you will be responsible for pay the costs not covered directly

The Assistance Company will contact you or your treating Physician to obtain the required medical information so that they can assess your medical condition and decide if medical evacuation is required, by what means of transportation and where would be the best place for you to receive the required medical treatment. They will make arrangements for transportation to the required medical facility. They will also decide if a medical escort is required. The Assistance Company will settle any costs directly with the airline/evacuation company/provider of medical care.

The Assistance Company will ask for medical information in relation to the death and will ask for a copy of the death certificate. They will also confirm if Repatriation or Local Burial is covered by your Plan and assist you with making any arrangements for repatriation of the mortal remains. We will arrange to pay the providers directly up to the limits shown on your Certificate. If you have a Voluntary Excess on your Plan, this will be deducted from the eligible costs before any reimbursement is made.

The Assistance Company will refer your case to WorldAware who will make contact with you to assess your situation. WorldAware will make any appropriate arrangements to move you to a place of safety and we will make settlement directly with them for any costs incurred

You will speak to a case handler who will collect all of the relevant information regarding your medical diagnosis. They will ask for your permission to contact your treating Physician and request your medical reports. These reports are then sent to a specialist in the field of vour medical condition. The specialist will assess the information and you with their findings in a confidential document that you can present to your treating Physician. We will not receive a copy of the report. If you feel that the treatment they have recommended is the route you would like to take then we will confirm whether the treatment is covered by your Plan.

7.2 DUAL INSURANCE

If at the time of submitting a claim, you have more than one insurance policy in force, we will only pay your claim on a proportionate basis if you are entitled to reimbursement from any other source in respect of the same bodily injury, sickness, disease, death or expense. The Insurer of your Plan has the right to make a claim on any other insurance policy that you have in force.

7.3 RESOLVING DISPUTES

If there is a difference of medical opinion in respect of any claim,

this will be settled between two medical experts appointed by the two sides of the dispute. Any differences of opinion between the two medical experts will be referred to an umpire appointed in writing by the two medical experts at the time of their appointment.

7.4 MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS

We/The Insurer shall have the right and opportunity, through our medical representatives, to request that you undergo a medical examination whenever and as often as may be required within the duration of any Claim.

8. IMPORTANT INFORMATION

8.1 HOW TO COMPLAIN

Our objective is to provide you with a high level of service at all times. With the best of intentions we have to accept that there may be an occasion where you feel that we have not met this objective. Should you have any questions or concerns about your Plan, please follow the procedures below:

If you wish to make a formal complaint relating to the administration of your Plan, or this Policy Guide

You should contact April International UK Limited providing your Name, Certificate Number and full details of **your** complaint. The contact details are:

Minster House, 42 Mincing Lane, London, EC3R 7AE Email: info@april-international.co.uk Tel: +44 (0) 203 418 0470

IF THE INSURER IS XL CATLIN INSURANCE COMPANY UK LIMITED

You may refer the complaint to the Complaints Department at XL Catlin Services SE. The address is:

Complaints Department

XL Catlin Services SE, 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG, United Kingdom Email: axaxlukcomplaints@axaxl.com Tel: +44 (0) 207 743 8487

XL Catlin Services SE acts on XL Catlin Insurance Company UK Limited's behalf in the administration of complaints.

XL Catlin Insurance Company UK Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority (Firm Reference No. 423308).

> Registered Office: 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG. Registered in England Number 5328622.

You can check this information on the FCA's website at www.fca.org.uk, which includes a register of all the firms they regulate or you can call the FCA on 0800 111 6768.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

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We will acknowledge receipt of your question or concern and provide you with a response within 2 working days. We will tell you what the next steps are if **you** are dissatisfied with our response. We will provide you with a copy of our complaints procedure in writing.

WHAT ACTION WILL BE

You will be provided with a response within eight (8) weeks of the Insurer receiving your complaint. The final response will state whether they accept or reject your complaint.

Full reasons will be given if your complaint is rejected.

IF THE INSURER IS CATLIN UNDERWRITING AGENCIES LIMITED

You may refer the complaint to the Complaints Department at XL Catlin Services SE. The address is:

Complaints Department

XL Catlin Services SE, 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG, United Kingdom Tel: +44 (0) 207 743 8487 Email: axaxlukcomplaints@axaxl.com

XL Catlin Services SE acts on Catlin Underwriting Agencies Limited's behalf in the administration of complaints.

If **you** still remain dissatisfied, it may be possible to refer the complaint to Lloyd's. Details of Lloyd's complaints procedures are set out in a leaflet "Your Complaint - How We Can Help" available at www.lloyds.com/complaints and are also available from Catlin Underwriting Agencies at the below address or from Lloyd's at:

Lloyd's Complaints, One Lime Street, London, EC3M 7HA, United Kingdom

Catlin Underwriting Agencies Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority (Firm Reference No. 204848).

> Registered Office: 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG. Registered in England Number 1815126.

You can check this information on the FCA's website at www.fca.org.uk, which includes a register of all the firms they regulate or you can call the FCA on 0800 111 6768.

You will be provided with a response within eight (8) weeks of the Insurer receiving your complaint. The final response will state whether they accept or reject your complaint.

Full reasons will be given if your complaint is rejected.

If you wish to make a formal a complaint relating to a claim under your Plan you may do so at any time

IF THE INSURER IS XL INSURANCE COMPANY SE

You may refer the complaint to the Complaints Department at XL Catlin Services SE.

The address is:

Complaints Department

XL Catlin Services SE, 20 Gracechurch Street, London, EC3V 0BG, United Kingdom Tel: +44 (0) 207 743 8487 Email: axaxlukcomplaints@axaxl.com

XL Catlin Services SE acts on XL Insurance Company SE's behalf in the administration of complaints.

XL Insurance Company SE is a European public limited liability company and is regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

Registered Office: 8 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin 2 D02 VK30, Ireland.
Registered in Ireland Number 641686.

You can check this information on the Central Bank of Ireland's website at www.centralbank.ie, which includes a register of all the firms they regulate.

You will be provided with a response within eight (8) weeks of the Insurer receiving your complaint. The final response will state whether they accept or reject your complaint.

Full reasons will be given if **your** complaint is rejected.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If, after exhausting all of the above methods, **you** are still dissatisfied with the outcome of **your** complaint, or you have not received a response within eight (8) weeks, **you** may have the right to refer **your** complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service at:

Exchange Tower London, E14 9SR

Email: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Telephone Number: From within the United Kingdom

0800 0243 567 calls to this number are free on mobiles and landlines

 $0300\ 1239\ 123$ calls to this number costs no more than calls to 01 and 02 numbers

From outside the United Kingdom +44 (0) 20 7962 0500 Fax Number: +44 (0)20 7964 1001 Text Number 07860 027 586 Call back service

The Financial Ombudsman Service can look into most complaints from consumers and small businesses. For more information contact them on the above number or address, or view their website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

The European Commission also provides an on-line dispute resolution (ODR) platform that allows consumers to submit their complaint through a central site, which will forward the complaint to the right Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) scheme. The ADR scheme for XL Catlin Insurance Company UK Limited, Catlin Underwriting Agencies Limited and XL Insurance Company SE is the Financial Ombudsman Service, which can be contacted directly using the contact details above. For more information about ODR please visit http://ec.europa.eu/odr

WHAT ACTION WILL BE TAKEN

They will review **your** case and provide **you** with their final decision

dissatisfied with the outcome

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8.2 INSURANCE GUARANTEE SCHEMES

XL Catlin Insurance Company UK Limited and Catlin Underwriting Agencies Limited are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme. **You** may be entitled to compensation from the scheme if **we** are unable to meet **our** obligations under this contract of insurance. If **you** are entitled to compensation under the scheme, the level and extent of the compensation would depend on the nature of this contract of insurance. Further information about the scheme is available from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (PO Box 300, Mitcheldean, GL17 1DY) and on their website: www.fscs.org.uk.

Depending upon where in the EEA **you** and/or the insured risk is located, there may be a local scheme that applies. Where a scheme is available in an EEA member state, it may cover only limited types of insurance (e.g compulsory motor cover) although some jurisdictions have wider schemes. If **you** have any questions, please contact **us**.

8.3 GOVERNING LAW AND JURISDICTION

The parties are free to choose the law applicable to this policy. Unless specifically agreed to the contrary the contract of insurance shall be governed by the laws of England and Wales and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England.

Unless otherwise agreed the language of this Plan shall be English.

8.4 LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

No action at law or equity shall be brought to recover under the **Plan** prior to expiration of 60 days after proof of **claim** has been submitted in accordance with this Policy Guide. Nor shall any such action be brought at all unless commenced within six years from the date of the **claim**.

For full information about how we process and protect **your** personal information please refer to **our** Privacy Policy which can be viewed by clicking on the site terms and conditions on **our** website www.april-international.co.uk.

How We Use Your Information

8.5 DATA PRIVACY

The personal information, provided by **you** (or anyone acting on **your** behalf), is collected by or on **our** behalf and may be used by **us**, **our** employees, agents and service providers acting under **our** instruction for the purposes of insurance administration, underwriting, claims handling, insurance mediation, research or for statistical purposes.

We may process your information for a number of different purposes. For each purpose **we** must have a legal ground for such processing. When the information that **we** process is classed as 'special category data, **we** must have a specific additional legal ground for such processing.

Generally, we will rely on the following legal grounds:

- It is necessary for us to process your personal information to provide this policy and services related to it. We will rely on this for activities such as providing you with information about your quote, assessing your application, managing your policy, handling claims and providing other services to you.
- We have an appropriate business need to process your personal information and such business need does not cause harm to you. We will rely on this for activities such as maintaining our business records, developing, improving our products and services, and providing information about our products and services to you.
- > We have a legal or regulatory obligation to use such personal information.
- We need to use such personal information to establish, exercise or defend our legal rights.
- You have provided your consent to our use of your personal information, including special category data.

How we share your information

In order to sell, manage and provide **our** products and services, prevent fraud and comply with legal and regulatory requirements, **we** may need to share your information with the following types of third parties:

- Insurers, Reinsurers, Regulators and Authorised/Statutory Bodies
- > Fraud prevention agencies
- > Crime prevention agencies, including the police
- > Suppliers carrying out a service on our behalf
- > Other insurers, business partners and agents
- > Other companies within the APRIL Group

for the purposes of marketing further products or services to **you** unless **you** have consented to this.

Fraud Prevention and Detection
In order to prevent or detect fraud and money laundering we may check your details with fraud prevention agencies and sanction websites, who may record a search. Searches may also be made against other insurers' databases. If fraud is suspected, information will be shared with those insurers. Other users of the fraud prevention agencies may use this information in their own decision

We will not use your information or pass it on to any other person

We may also conduct credit reference checks in certain circumstances. You can find further details in our full Privacy Policy explaining how the information held by fraud prevention agencies may be used.

Automated Decisions

making processes.

We may use automated tools with decision making to assess your application for insurance and for claims handling processes. If you object to an automated decision, we may not be able to offer you an insurance quotation.

Contact Us

Please contact **us** if **you** have any questions about our privacy policy or the information we hold about **you**.

8.6 INSURERS FAIR PROCESSING NOTICE

If you have questions or concerns regarding the way in which the **Insurers** use **your** personal information, please contact: compliance@axaxl.com.

For more information about how the **insurers** process **your** personal information, please see their full privacy notice at: https://axaxl.com/privacy-and-cookies.

8.7 RIGHTS OF THIRD PARTIES

A person who is not a party to this **Plan** has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this **Plan** but this does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists or is available apart from that Act.

8.8 SANCTIONS

We will not provide any benefit under your Certificate to the extent of providing cover, payment of any claim or the provision of any benefit where doing so would breach any sanction, prohibition or restriction imposed by law or regulation. This means that we may not be able to settle any payments of claims into countries where sanctions, prohibitions or restrictions are imposed.

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