

Member Guide

Individuals & Families

Download our Easy Claim mobile app for quicker claims reimbursement!







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WELCOME TO APRIL INTERNATIONAL CARE!

Thank you for choosing us to protect you and your loved ones. Throughout the duration of your plan, wherever you are, we'll be there for you to make sure you can make the best of your international health insurance.

This guide contains all the practical and useful information you will need for a full understanding of your plan and its services. Please read your Benefits Schedule and Terms and Conditions carefully.

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1. How to use your plan?



Your insurance plan is composed of different modules that you carefully selected when you applied for your policy. To find out more about what your specific policy covers and what your benefit limits are, please refer to your **Benefits Schedule** which is available in your Member Pack and the <u>Online Portal</u>.

MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE Included in all plans

B > APRIL CONTACTS

CUSTOMER SERVICE



APRIL ASSISTANCE (THAILAND) CO LTD.

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GENERAL ENQUIRIES

contact.th@april.com

CLAIMS SUBMISSION

claims.th@april.com

TREATMENT PRE-APPROVAL REQUESTS

provider.asia@april.com

■ MEDICAL ASSISTANCE & EMERGENCY CASES 24/7 PLATFORMS



BANGKOK (+66) 2022 9190

In case of medical emergency, please contact our Asia assistance platform based in Bangkok. **We accept collect calls.**



Please always state your policy number and member number in all your communications with APRIL.



C > MEMBER PACK

Your Member Pack (sent by email) contains the following documents and information:

- Policy documents
- **⊗** Benefits schedule
- / Important forms
 - Instructions on how to download the easy claim app and access your electronic member card

Please make sure that you download your electronic member card on the Easy Claim app as soon as your policy starts. Your eCard displays your **emergency contacts** and will allow you to **enjoy cashless access to the medical facilities** within our network.

D > ONLINE PORTAL

POLICY DOCUMENTS	INFORMATION & FORMS
Policy Guide Benefits Schedule	Claims Instructions
	Medical Claim Form
	Advance Request Form
Individual Exclusions (if any)	Direct Billing List
Deductibles Balance (if any)	Emergency Assistance Program
	Online Portal & Easy Claim Guide



- Access your Member Pack's documents
- Check your reimbursement history and explanations of benefits



« How do I activate my account on the Online Portal? »





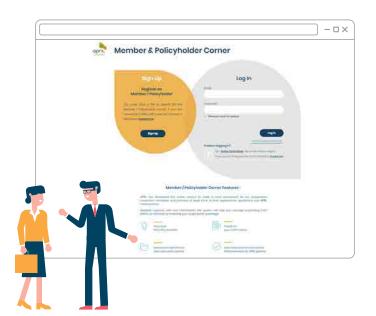
3 Enter the email address you used for your policy application, your PIN number and choose a password.

That's all! You are now registered.



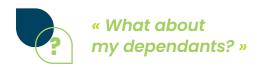
Your PIN number was sent to you by email. You can search your inbox for your PIN by looking for an email with the subject **Activate your Online Account** from epin@april.com.

Please be reminded to check in your junk or spam folder. If you are unable to find it, please contact us at **contact.th@april.com** and we will send you a new pin. Please indicate your policy number and member number in the subject of the email.





Simply click on **Forgot your password**, located underneath the blue **log in** button. A window will pop up on your screen, where you will be able to reset your password.



In addition to your personal information, you will be able to access your dependants' documents and claims history with the same login and password. There is only one common login access per family.

E > THE EASY CLAIM APP AND ITS FUNCTIONS

To access the Easy Claim App



2 Download the APRIL Easy Claim app on your smartphone

3 Launch the app and login with your email address and the password you created on the Online Portal

You will now have access to all the functions on the app!















> DOWNLOAD YOUR

ELECTRONIC MEMBER CARD

If you are eligible to direct billing, you can easily access and download your electronic member card on your smartphone to enjoy cashless access to thousands of medical facilities in Thailand and across Asia. On this page, you can also display your Benefits Schedule to check what your policy covers.



> SUBMIT AND TRACK

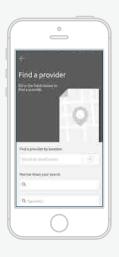
YOUR MEDICAL CLAIMS

No matter where you are in the world, you will be able to send all your medical invoices and receipts directly on your smartphone! All you have to do is enter the information related to your claim, take a picture of your documents and send them with a simple click.

You can review all of your submitted claims in the My Claims section if they are still being processed or under My Reimbursements if your claims have been settled.

For Thailand policies, please note that originals will be required to process your claims.





> FIND HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS IN ASIA

You can find doctors, hospitals and clinics using the GPS function of Easy Claim. This feature allows you to conduct a search by location, name or speciality and see if you are eligible for direct billing in the displayed facilities.



HOSPITALISATION REQUESTS

For planned hospitalisations and surgeries, you must first obtain pre-authorisation from APRIL. You can submit your request for treatment directly on the app. Once we have obtained all the necessary information, we will issue a Letter of Guarantee directly to the healthcare practitioner and will handle the payment of your medical fees.



> ACCESS YOUR **APRIL CONTACTS**

Any questions about your policy? Having an emergency? You will be able to find all your APRIL contacts in the Get in touch section.







TeleHEALTH SERVICES (Available on Easy Claim)

TeleHEALTH services are included in all policies. The number of consultations is unlimited and at no extra cost to our members. They are available in English, Thai, Mandarin, Cantonese, Bahasa, Vietnamese, French, Spanish and German.

TELECONSULTATION

If you are feeling ill or have any general health questions, you can get in touch with a licensed medical practitioner anytime, anywhere. Simply send a request on Easy Claim and a doctor will call you back within 3 hours.



* Service Initiative of the Year



Save time

You no longer need to travel and wait in a doctor's office, take time off from work or pull your kids out of school. This service is available 24/7 and you may use it after clinic hours, during public holiday or while traveling abroad.



Save money

TeleHEALTH is included in all policies, even you have a Hospitalisation & Surgery only plan. You can also enjoy free teleconsultations outside your area of cover. Last but not least, simply save on your gas, parking, taxi or MRT expenses!





No hassle

You don't need to leave home if you are feeling sick or search for a medical facility if you are in a foreign country. Many minor health issues can be self-treated at home. TeleHEALTH also allows you to limit the risks of acquiring an infection from another patient.

SECOND MEDICAL OPINION

For more serious conditions, you can receive a free Second Medical Opinion from the best medical experts in your pathology. Through our partnership with Teladoc Health, you have access to a network of 50,000 experts to answer all your questions.

Not understanding your diagnosis? Thought of more questions since leaving your appointment or confused about the next steps for treatment?

Use our Second Medical Opinion service to receive an external and unbiased medical opinion, explore alternative treatments or simply understand your condition better.

How does it work?





- 01. Send your request on Easy Claim
- 02. A dedicated doctor will call you within 24 hours and collect your medical record
- 03. Your case will be studied by the most experienced expert(s) in your pathology
- 04. A medical report will be sent to you within 10 days and your dedicated doctor will remain at your disposal to answer your questions

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH



- Global leader in virtual care
- 43 million members worldwide
- > Covering more than 175 countries
- 90% members satisfaction

TeleHEALTH is not an emergency service. In case of emergency, please contact our 24/7 assistance platform.

2. How to claim your outpatient expenses?

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A > YOUR DIRECT BILLING SERVICES

« What is Direct Billing? »

APRIL possesses an extensive network of hospitals, clinics and healthcare providers where you can enjoy direct billing services, not just in Thailand, but across Asia. Simply visit the provider of your choice within this network and show your member card at the counter. You won't have to pay anything out of your own pocket!*







SEE YOUR HEALTHCARE PROVIDER

SHOW YOUR APRIL MEMBER CARD

ENJOY DIRECT BILLING SERVICES

■ In Asia, we have two types of direct billing networks:

- Our General Network, which comprises over 3,800 across Asia, including countries such as Hong Kong, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam and many more. This means that you will be able to enjoy this service even when you are traveling to other countries.
- Our Panel Network, which is composed of high-quality clinics among this same network, albeit in Thailand, Hong Kong and Singapore only.

To know which network you are entitled to use, simply check your insurance card:

-) If the code **DB** is displayed, you have access to our **General Network**.
-) If the code PNW is displayed, you have access to our Panel Network.



^{*}Subject to Terms and Conditions and Direct Billing guidelines



« Where can I find the APRIL direct billing list? »

Simply open your Easy Claim app and select Find a doctor. You will be able to display your list of medical providers by location, name and/or specialty. The label Direct Billing will be displayed on the facilities where you are eligible for cashless payment.

You can also download the full listing in the **Documents and Forms** section of your Online Portal. Our list is updated every month with newly added providers, so make sure you have the latest version in your hands!





« Are there some expenses or treatments that are not eligible for Direct Billing? »

- X Any items that haven't been prescribed by your attending physician
- X Any items that are not covered by your policy
- X Routine medical examinations or check-ups and vaccinations
- X Physiotherapy (unless pre-approval is granted) and complementary medicine
- X Dental treatments and optical benefits
- X Treatments for pre-existing conditions
- X Treatments for general exclusions



Note: For treatments above USD250, your provider will request pre-authorisation from us

B > HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR CLAIMS FOR MEDICAL EXPENSES

If your healthcare practitioner is not part of our direct billing network or if your treatment is not eligible for direct billing, please follow these simple steps to submit your claims for medical expenses.

Please send your original documents to

APRIL Assistance (Thailand) Company Ltd 518/3 Maneeya Center North, 10th Floor Ploenchit Road, Lumpini, Patumwan Bangkok 10330

> For faster reimbursements, you can also send us your invoices via the Easy Claim app. While originals will still be required, sending your invoices electronically will accelerate the reimbursement process.



SEND YOUR INVOICES VIA THE APP



SEND YOUR ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS TO APRIL



GET REIMBURSED!

Once your claim is submitted, you can track its status on Easy Claim and/or on your Online Portal. Once treated, you will receive a claim settlement email including your Explanation Of Benefits (EOB).

Note: We reserve the right to request a Claim Form at any time.



-) Diagnosis and/or symptoms requiring treatment must appear on your documents
-) Detailed invoices (including breakdown of medicine if any) and payment receipts
-) For treatment related to physiotherapy or any investigation (MRI, CT scans, blood tests, X-rays...), a <u>Claim Form</u> will be required

Please submit your claims within 90 days of treatment. We reserve the right to request a Claim Form at anytime. Please refer to your Claims Instructions for more details.



D > REIMBURSEMENT PROCESS

« How are my claims reimbursed? »

-) If you have included your bank details on your Application Form, you will be reimbursed by bank transfer to that account.
- If you have not provided any bank account information, please update your personal information by contacting us at contact.th@april.com or via your insurance broker to enable future reimbursement.

For international transfers to a foreign bank, note that your bank may charge you fees for each transaction which will be your responsibility to bear.



3. What to do in case of

hospitalisation or medical emergency



NON-EMERGENCY HOSPITALISATION OR TREATMENT

For any planned hospitalisation or treatment, you must request pre-approval from APRIL at least 5 working days in advance:

Submit your request on Easy Claim. Click on the Hospitalisation button, fill in the required fields and attach the relevant documents.



OR



Fill in the Advance Request Form with the help of your attending physician (downloadable on your Online Portal) including the name of the medical facility, planned admission date and full breakdown of estimated cost and send it to provider.asia@april.com

APRIL will assess your request.

If some information is missing, we will contact you or your attending physician or hospital to finalise your request, so make sure that the phone number you indicated is correct.

When your request for hospitalisation or planned treatment is approved, we will provide you with the supporting documents (written approval or Letter of Guarantee).

With APRIL, you are not obliged to consult a particular doctor or go to a particular hospital. You are free to choose your own doctor or the hospital where you want to be treated.

However, if you have a serious health problem, our experts will always look at each individual case. The local experience of our medical teams means we are able to make the best possible assessment of the treatment plans and rates offered by healthcare providers to ensure the treatments being proposed are appropriate and medically required and that they are in line with the usual and customary rates in the region.

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> EMERGENCY HOSPITALISATION

If you need to be hospitalised urgently, please contact APRIL Assistance (+66 2022 9190) for immediate help. Whenever possible, please state your policy number and member number. You can also provide your member card to the hospital who will arrange to call us.



Your emergency numbers can be found on your Easy Claim app and on the back of your member card

When your request for pre-authorisation or Letter of Guarantee is approved, we will provide you with the supporting documents (written approval or Letter of Guarantee).

If you are not capable of calling us before your hospitalisation, please make sure that you contact APRIL within the 24 hours following your admission to hospital or as soon as reasonably possible.

Requesting a pre-approval is compulsory. If you don't request a pre-approval, we may apply a 20% CO-INSURANCE on your medical expenses. Please refer to page 13 for the full list of treatments requiring pre-approval.



C > YOUR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES



In the event of an emergency, you may call our dedicated assistance hotline **24 hours a day, 365 days a year**. Medical assistance services are included in all plans regardless your level of coverage. Please refer to your **Emergency Assistance Program** available on your **Online Portal** for more detailed information.

Wherever you are in the world, our team will assist in transferring you to the most appropriate medical facility to receive the treatment you need and/or transport you back home after receiving your medical treatment.



APRIL Assistance (+66) 2022 9190

Depending on your situation, we will:

- Transfer you to the most appropriate hospital, or
- The hospital nearest to your home in your country of cover, or
- Your home residence in your country of cover.

4. About your policy



On our outpatient plans, **we offer a 20% co-insurance**. Here's how the co-insurance is calculated:





When is co-insurance applied?

- If you visit a practitioner outside our Panel Network (see page 7), we will apply a 20% co-insurance on your Outpatient expenses.
-) If you visit a practitioner within our Panel Network, you must present your APRIL card at the reception to benefit from cashless direct billing. In that case, we will waive the co-insurance completely.

Co-insurance will **only be applied to your outpatient expenses.** For any inpatient, maternity, dental, optical, health checkups and vaccination expenses, you will be fully covered by your plan (if you have chosen the mentioned modules).



A deductible is the amount you are responsible for before the insurance plan starts to pay for medical expenses. For instance, if your deductible is THB 16,375, you must pay that amount out of your own pocket before we begin covering your medical expenses. The annual deductible is per person per year and **only applies to your hospital and surgery plan**.



C > WAITING PERIODS

From the effective start date of your policy, some waiting periods are applied before we start covering your expenses. Here is the list:

- 366 days for Newborn Additions
- 300 days for Major Dental Treatment
- 366 days for Maternity Benefits
- 3 years for HIV/AIDS

Any expenses related to the treatments or procedures mentioned above which are incurred before the waiting period is over are excluded from cover and will not be reimbursed.

If you have chosen CPME underwriting, you won't have to go through additional waiting period if it has already been completed with your previous insurer.





There are certain items that your policy will not cover, which are referred to as exclusions. Please read your Terms and Conditions carefully for the full list of general exclusions. Here are the most common exclusions:

- X Services which are not medically necessary
- X Treatment which is covered by other insurance
- X Cosmetic surgery and reconstructive surgery
- X Sleep disorders or behavioural or developmental disorders
- X Weight disorders
- X Vitamins and health supplements
- X Teeth whitening
- X Treatment related to assisted conception, contraception, sterilisation, fertility or infertility
- X All treatments related to sexually transmitted diseases
- X Congenital diseases
- X House calls, delivery of medicine or other items



E > TREATMENTS REQUIRING PRE-AUTHORISATION

« In which cases do I need to request pre-authorisation from APRIL? »

Some major treatments and procedures require the pre-authorisation of our medical team:

- Hospital Benefits (other than emergencies)
- Rehabilitation Treatment
- Surgery performed while a day-patient

You must receive APRIL's prior approval for your treatment. Please submit your treatment request on Easy Claim or fill in our <u>Advance Request Form</u> (available on your Online Portal) and return it to us at provider.asia@april.com.

Requesting a pre-approval is compulsory. If you don't request a pre-approval, we may apply a 20% CO-INSURANCE on your medical expenses.





F > TREATMENTS REQUIRING A REFERRAL LETTER

« In which cases do I need a referral letter from my attending physician? »

If you wish to visit one of the specialists listed below, you must first visit your attending physician or general practitioner who will write you a referral letter for the specific treatment. To be fully covered, you must submit a referral letter from your attending physician along with your claim.

Physiotherapy



5. Premium payment and policy update

A > HOW CAN I PAY MY PREMIUMS?

Your premiums will be paid annually. Whether you chose to pay your premiums by cheque, bank transfer or credit card, you will receive a premium notice at each due date with details of the amount to be paid.

Your premium amount may change on the anniversary date of your plan depending on the benefits and the options you selected. Changes to your premium are not based on the level of claims you have made. In fact, our calculation is based on the overall number of claims made by the persons insured under your plan.

Because healthcare costs are rising every year in Thailand, we might also adjust your premiums to keep pace with medical inflation. This is in addition to any age related increase(s) which may apply to your policy.

B > HOW CAN I MAKE CHANGES TO MY PLAN?

We would be pleased to assist with making any changes to your plan. You can:

- At renewal:
 - Adjust the level of your cover to suit your needs
 (if you choose to upgrade your benefits, you may have to go through our underwriting process)
- Anytime throughout your policy year:
-) Update your address, phone number or bank details
- › Add a dependant (newly married or newborn)
-) Change your last name following a marriage or a divorce

To make any of these changes to your plan, please contact your insurance broker or a member of our team at contact.th@april.com. We will send you the appropriate forms to fill in and walk you through the process step by step.



C > WHAT IF I DECIDE TO MOVE TO ANOTHER COUNTRY?



You will be able to enjoy the same level of cover in your new country of residence until the end of your policy year. If your area of cover is Worldwide excluding USA or Europe and ASEAN Excluding Singapore, your medical expenses will be capped at § 1,637,500 outside your area of cover(applicable only for services rendered due to sudden illness or injury occurring within the first 30 days of any trip outside the area of cover).

After the end of your policy year, we will offer to renew your plan with a premium adjusted to your new country of residence. We offer renewals for all countries of residence, except for the USA and warring / high risk countries.

Please note that your policy cannot be cancelled before the end of your policy year and no mid-term refund will be made.

For more information, contact your insurance consultant:

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