

GlobeHopper® Travel Single-Trip Policy of Insurance



General Information

Insurers

This insurance is underwritten by Sirius International Insurance Corp (publ.)

Health Agreements

Some countries operate reciprocal health agreements between visiting citizens. These agreements often give *You* access to free or reduced cost medical *Treatment* and services within participating government or state *Hospitals* or clinics. Before *You* travel, check with *Your* embassy to see if a reciprocal health agreement operates between *Your Country of Citizenship* and destination country. If it does, then it is recommended *You* should enrol in the reciprocal health programme. This *Plan* contains additional benefits for *Insured Persons* who subscribe to a reciprocal health agreement before travel and a saving is made by *Us* as a result of the reciprocal health agreement in the event of an eligible claim.

EU Citizens

When *You* are travelling to a country in the European Union (EU), *You* should collect an application form and apply for a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) (EHIC forms are available from *Your* local Post Office, or download an application form from www.ehic.org.uk (for UK Citizens). Other websites are available for other EU Nationals. This allows EU citizens to benefit from the health agreements there are between countries in the EU. (This used to be known as the E111).

When *You* are travelling to Australia or New Zealand and *You* have to go to *Hospital*, if *You* are eligible then it is recommended that *You* register for *Treatment* under the national Medicare or equivalent scheme of those countries.

State / Government Hospitals

This *Plan* contains additional benefits for *Insured Persons* who choose to undergo *Eligible Treatment* in a State / Government or Charitable *Hospital* that results in no costs or charges being paid by *You*, or *Us*.

Important Information

Travel Medical Insurance Contract

The Policy Wording is *Your* insurance contract. It contains *Terms*, certain conditions and exclusions in each section, and general conditions and exclusions apply to all the sections. *You* must meet these *Terms* and conditions or *We* may not accept *Your* claim.

Eligible People

Refer to Eligibility: Section G7 for full details.

Age Limits

Plans are only available for eligible persons aged fifteen (15) days old and under seventy (70) years of age at the *Departure Date*.

Nationality, Home Country Cover & Departure & Residence Requirements

- (1) This *Plan* is available to eligible persons of any nationality worldwide.
- (2) There is, however, no coverage within *Your Home Country* (refer to Definitions section for further details) other than that provided under Incidental Home Trip Coverage: Section C5. For US Citizens, both the USA and *Your Country of Residence* will be deemed as *Your Home Country*.
- (3) There are no residence requirements or restrictions in regard to applying for the *Plan*, with the exception that in regard to US Citizens: *They* must depart the USA on, or be located outside of the USA, as of the *Departure Date* (or date of extension, or *Renewal Date*).

Health Conditions

This insurance has conditions and exclusions that are about *Your* health. *We* do not cover claims directly or indirectly in relation to *Pre-Existing Conditions* and medical problems that *You* had before the cover started.

Pregnancy and Childbirth

We do not provide cover under this *Plan* for *Pregnancy* complications, *Pregnancy* or childbirth, nor if something happens in relation to, or as a result, of *Pregnancy* complications, *Pregnancy* or childbirth.

Excesses & Co-Insurance

Under most sections of this *Plan*, before any benefits are paid under *Your Plan*, and exclusive of any *Co-Insurance* (if applicable), *You* are required to pay the first part of all *Eligible Charges* up to the *Excess* amount chosen by *You* at time of *Application* and as stated on *Your Certificate of Insurance*, for each *Period of Insurance* (unless where a different *Excess* is stated within any relevant *Policy Wording* Section).

If *You* pay an increased *Premium*, *Your Plan* can include a Nil *Excess* which will remove all *Excesses* (unless where a different *Excess* is stated within a relevant *Policy Wording* Section).

For a reduced *Premium Your Plan* can select an increased *Excess*, in which case all *Excesses* will be at the higher amount (unless where a different *Excess* is stated within a relevant *Policy Wording* Section).

Sports and Other Leisure Activities

You may not be covered when *You* take part in certain sports or activities where there is a high risk *You* will be injured. Refer to Medical Exclusions: Section E(15) for details of activities which are not covered.

At time of initial *Application* *You* may also choose to apply for the Adventure Sports Optional Coverage, which upon payment of an additional *Premium*, will give *You* coverage, up to *Sub-Limits* and subject to *Terms*, for participation in a wider range of Adventure Sports.

Cancellations & 'Cooling-off' Period

14 Day Money Back Guarantee

Please read through the *Policy Wording* carefully and check the details on the *Certificate of Insurance* to confirm that the cover chosen meets with *Your* requirements.

If *You* are not satisfied, or this cover is not suitable for *You* and *You* want to cancel *Your Plan*, please provide written cancellation instructions (by e-mail, fax or post) and return the *Policy Wording* with the *Certificate of Insurance*, to:

IMG Europe Ltd.,
Kingsgate,
High Street,
Redhill, Surrey,
RH1 1SH,
United Kingdom

Fax Number: +44 (0) 1737 860600
E-mail: info@imgeurope.co.uk

Provided *You* have no claims paid or that are in progress:

- (1) For *Plans* cancelled within fourteen (14) days of *Your Application*, and prior to the *Departure Date*, *You* will receive a full refund of the *Premium* paid;
- (2) For *Plans* cancelled after fourteen (14) days from the date of *Application*, but prior to the *Departure Date*, *You* will receive a full refund of the *Premium* paid less a \$50/£30/€40 cancellation fee;
- (3) For *Plans* that are cancelled after the *Departure Date*, and provided no claims have been paid or are in progress:
 - (a) if less than one (1) full months *Period of Insurance* remaining, there will be no refund payable;
 - (b) if one (1) or more full months *Periods of Insurance* remaining, *You* will receive a full *Premium* refund of each complete full month's coverage remaining less a \$50/£30/€40 cancellation fee.

Of course, if *You* cancel *Your Plan* *You* cannot make a claim under it and neither *You* nor *Us* will have any further rights, liabilities or obligations under the *Plan*.

Your request for cancellation will be dealt with promptly and *Your Plan* will be retroactively cancelled.

If *You* have any questions regarding the *Terms of Your Plan*, please contact the *Plan Manager* directly for clarification, otherwise it shall be assumed that all *Terms* are understood and acceptable to *You*.

Law

The laws of England govern this insurance, *Your Plan* is deemed issued in London, England.

Conditions, Exclusions and Limitations

Conditions and exclusions will apply to individual sections of *Your Plan*, while general exclusions, conditions and limitations will apply to the whole of *Your Plan*.

Property Claims

We pay these claims based on the *Sub-Limits* in the applicable *Section of Cover* and the value of the items at the time *You* lose them, unless it says otherwise in *Your Plan*. (This means *You* will not get back all of the money *You* paid for the item).

Policy Limits

Most sections of *Your Plan* have limits on the amount *We* will pay up to. *You* should check *Your Plan*. If *You* plan on taking expensive items with *You*, *We* suggest *You* insure them separately under a household or other all-risks policy.

Reasonable Care & Mitigation

You need to take all reasonable care to protect *Yourself* and *Your* belongings. *You* are also required to take all reasonable actions to reduce the costs of any claim and mitigate any loss.

If You Have Any Questions

If *You* have any questions about the cover *We* provide or *You* would like more information, please phone IMG Europe Ltd. customer services on:

Telephone Number (UK): +44 (0) 1737 306710
E-mail: info@imgeurope.co.uk

Medical Emergencies

We will help *You* if *You* are ill or injured outside *Your Home Country*. *We* provide a 24-hour medical emergency assistance service three hundred sixty-five (365) days a year, and *You*, *Your Medical Practitioner*, *Hospital* administrator or a *Relative* can contact *Us* on the following numbers:

Emergency 24-Hour Medical Helpline Numbers
(this service is provided by Global Response Ltd.):

+44 (0) 2920 474 235

Fax Number:

+44 (0) 2920 468 797

E-mail:

globehopper@global-response.co.uk

When *You* contact *Us* *You* will need to give *Us* the following information:

- Name of *Insured Person*
- Policy Number
- Telephone and/or fax number
- Location of *Insured Person*
- The medical *Emergency*

Hospitals, Treatment & Costs Abroad

If *You* go into *Hospital* abroad as an *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient*, or *You* are to receive certain *Treatments*, services or supplies, or incur costs in excess of \$900/£500/€750 then *You* MUST contact *Us* before incurring costs (or within forty-eight (48) hours if an *Emergency*) and follow the *Pre-Certification* procedure outlined within the Policy Wording (refer to the Medical Management Services: Pre-Certification section), if *You* do not, *We* may not provide cover and *We* may also reduce the amount *We* pay for medical expenses. If *You* receive medical *Treatment* abroad as an *Out-Patient*, unless the medical provider has confirmed to *You* they agree to bill IMG Europe Ltd. directly (with *You* first paying any required *Excess* or *Co-Insurance* locally to the medical provider) then *You* should pay the *Hospital* or clinic and claim back *Your Eligible Charges* from IMG Europe Ltd.

A Note to All Insured People, Doctors and Hospitals

This is Travel Medical Insurance providing coverage subject to *Policy Wording*, Limits, *Terms*, Conditions and Exclusions for sudden and unforeseen *Accidents*, *Injuries* and *Illnesses*. It is not a comprehensive private medical insurance plan and **it provides no cover for claims or charges incurred directly or indirectly due to a *Pre-Existing Condition*, related conditions or other exclusions**. If *You* need any medical *Treatment*, *You* must tell *Us* immediately or *We* may not cover medical expenses. Any guarantees given will be subject to *Plan Terms* and Conditions. If *You* need any medical *Treatment*, *You* must allow *Us* or *Our* representatives to see all of *Your* medical records and information.

Important Notice for Insured Persons:

Statements Made in the Application

Please also read the *Certificate of Insurance* and accompanying fulfilment documentation that accompanies this Policy Wording. Omissions, errors or misstatements in *Your Application* or on *Your Certificate of Insurance* could cause an otherwise valid claim to be denied. Carefully check the *Certificate of Insurance* and write to the *Plan Manager* within ten (10) days if any information shown on it is not correct and complete. *Your Application* and *Certificate of Insurance* forms a part of the Policy Wording, and *Your Plan* was issued on the basis that the answers to all questions and the information given on the *Application* are true, accurate, complete and correctly recorded.

How to Contact Us

Claims should be advised immediately in writing to the *Plan Manager*. You can request a claim form from the following link <http://www.global-response.co.uk/globehopper/>, which should be completed in accordance with the instructions contained therein and returned together with the original invoices and all supporting documentation.

Claims Mailing Address

Global Response Limited
GlobeHopper Claims Department
P.O. Box 1114
Cardiff
CF11 1UL
United Kingdom

Telephone Numbers

Customer Service (UK)	+44 (0) 1737 306710
Claims (UK)	+44 (0) 2920 474 236
Emergency and Medical Assistance Helpline (UK)	+44 (0) 2920 474 235
Medical Concierge Service (Toll Free Within USA)	+44 (0) 2920 474 235

Emergency Medical Helpline

Emergency Calls Only	+44 (0) 2920 474 235
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Useful E-Mail Addresses

Customer Services	info@imgeurope.co.uk
Claims	Claims@imgeurope.co.uk
Emergency and Medical Assistance	globehopper@global-response.co.uk
Medical Concierge Service	globehopper@global-response.co.uk

Fax Numbers

Customer Services	+44 (0) 1737 860600
Claims	+44 (0) 2920 468 797

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Schedule of Cover & Plan Highlights

Subject to the *Terms* of *Your Plan* and if no other limitations apply, after deduction of any *Excesses* and *Co-Insurance*, We will pay *Eligible Charges* up to the *Maximum Limit* maximum sum insured per *Insured Person*, per *Period of Insurance*. Please note: *Eligible Charges* for certain benefits under *Your Plan* are payable only up to a *Sub-Limit* per *Insured Person* per *Period of Insurance* and/or only up to a *Maximum Limit* per *Insured Person*, as shown in the *Schedule of Cover*.

All benefit limits and *Excesses* in this table are set in \$US Dollar, £Sterling and €Euros. The currency in which *You* pay *Your Premium* being either \$US Dollar, £Sterling and €Euros, is the currency that applies to *Your Plan* for the purposes of the benefit limits and *Excesses*.

GlobeHopper Travel Plan Information	Single Trip (Individual & Group)		
Summary Schedule of Cover & Plan Highlights			
Refer to Policy Wording for full details of coverage, exclusions, <i>Terms</i> , conditions and limitations			
Plan Information & Highlights			
<i>Period of Insurance</i>	<i>Maximum Limit</i> : 12 months		
<i>Plan Maximum Limit Options</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As shown on <i>Your Certificate of Insurance</i> <i>Maximum Limit Aggregate Sum per Insured Person</i> 	\$50,000	£30,000	€40,000
	\$100,000	£60,000	€75,000
	\$500,000	£300,000	€400,000
	\$1,000,000	£600,000	€800,000
	\$2,000,000	£1,250,000	€1,500,000
<i>Area of Cover Options</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As shown on <i>Your Certificate of Insurance</i> No coverage applies to <i>Home Country</i>, as defined herein, except as specifically provided within this Policy Wording Refer to <i>Area of Cover</i> definition for further requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Europe* Worldwide excluding USA and Canada* Worldwide* 		
<i>Coverage Extension Period</i>	Up to 6 months past <i>Plan Termination Date</i> for continued <i>Treatment</i>		
<i>Trip Duration Options</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Incrementally extendable up to 12 months Renewable for up to an additional 12 months, if initial 1-month purchase and no break in cover 	5 days to 24 months		
Available After Departure	Yes		
World-Class Medical Benefits & Freedom of Choice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coverage for <i>In-Patient</i> and <i>Out-Patient</i> Medical Expenses Freedom to choose any <i>Hospital</i>, Clinic or Doctor in <i>Your Area of Cover</i> 		
24-Hour International Emergency Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24-Hour Medical Emergency Helpline International Emergency benefits including Emergency Evacuation, Emergency Reunion, Return of <i>Mortal Remains</i>, Return of Minor Children, Identity Theft Assistance, Political Evacuation and <i>Natural Disaster</i> Evacuation Refer to INTERNATIONAL EMERGENCY CARE & ASSISTANCE section for further details and requirements 		
MyIMG SM	24-hour worldwide secure access to manage <i>Your</i> account online		

Excess for Medical Benefits			
<i>Excess Options</i>	\$0	£0	€0
• As shown on <i>Your Certificate of Insurance</i>	\$100	£60	€75
• Per <i>Insured Person</i>	\$250	£150	€200
	\$500	£300	€400
	\$1,000	£600	€800
	\$2,500	£1,600	€2,000
Excess for Travel Benefits			
<i>Excess Amount</i>	\$70	£50	€60
Benefit Plan Features			
<i>Benefit Levels</i>	USA & Canada	USA & Canada	Outside USA & Canada
	In-Network	Out-of-Network	International
Co-Insurance for Medical Benefits			
<i>Co-Insurance</i>	<i>Plan pays 90%</i>	<i>Plan pays 80%</i>	<i>No Co-Insurance</i>
• In addition to <i>Excess</i>	up to \$5,000/£3,000/€4,000 then 100% up to the Maximum <i>Plan Limit</i>		
Schedule of Cover			
A. Medical Benefits			
A1. <i>Hospital Room & Board</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A2. <i>Intensive Care</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A3. <i>Medical Expenses</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A4. <i>Out-Patient Medical Expenses</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A5. <i>Emergency Local Ambulance</i>	<i>Injury: Up to Maximum Limit</i> <i>Illness resulting in In-Patient Admission: Up to Maximum Limit</i>		
A6. <i>Prescription Drugs</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A7. <i>Emergency Room Accident</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A8. <i>Emergency Room Illness with In-Patient Admission</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A9. <i>Emergency Room Illness without In-Patient Admission</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i> Including Additional <i>Excess: \$250/£150/€200</i>		
A10. <i>Dental – Injury due to Accident</i>	Up to <i>Maximum Limit</i>		
A11. <i>Sudden Dental Pain</i>	Up to \$150/£90/€115		
A12. <i>State Hospital Cash Benefit</i>	Up to \$100/£60/€75 Up to a Maximum of 14 nights		
A13. <i>Reciprocal Health Agreement Benefit</i>	Nil <i>Excess</i>		
• When a claims saving is made due to a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or Reciprocal Health Agreement			

B. International Emergency Care & Assistance	
24-Hour Emergency Medical Help Line Included	
B1. Emergency Medical Evacuation • Independent of <i>Maximum Limit</i>	Up to Lifetime <i>Maximum Limit</i> \$500,000/£300,000/€400,000
B2. Emergency Reunion	Up to \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000
B3. Cremation/Burial or Repatriation of Remains	Up to \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000
B4. Return of Minor Children	Up to \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000
B5. Identity Theft Assistance	Up to \$500/£300/€400 per <i>Period of Insurance</i>
B6. Security and Political Evacuation	Up to \$10,000/£6,000/€7,500
B7. <i>Natural Disaster</i> Evacuation & Accommodation	Up to \$100/£60/€75 per day Up to a Maximum of 5 days
C. Additional Benefits	
C1. <i>Terrorism</i> Coverage	Up to Lifetime <i>Maximum Limit</i> \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000
C2. <i>Common Carrier</i> Accidental Death	Up to \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000 to beneficiary Up to \$250,000/£160,000/€200,000 per Family
C3. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D)	Up to Principal Sum \$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
C4. Citizenship Return Coverage • Refer to Citizenship Return Coverage: Section C4 for further details and requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>You</i> are covered for trips to <i>Your Country of Citizenship</i> provided it is within <i>Your Area of Cover</i>. • For USA Citizens: Cover is provided up to 60 days per 12-month <i>Period of Insurance</i> for brief returns to the USA.
C5. Incidental Home Trip Coverage • Subject to <i>Excess</i>	Up to a cumulative of 2 weeks during the <i>Period of Insurance</i>
D. Travel Benefits	
D1. Cancellation or <i>Curtailment</i>	Up to \$7,000/£5,000/€6,000
D2. Travel Delay	Up to \$7,000/£5,000/€6,000 (a) \$50/£40/€60 after 12 hours delay (b) \$30/£20/€25 each 12 hours thereafter (c) Up to \$300/£200/€250
D3. Missed Departure & Journey Disruption	Up to \$1,500/£1,000/€1,200
D4. <i>Baggage</i>	Up to \$3,000/£2,000/€2,500 Up to \$350/£250/€300 per Item Up to \$700/£500/€600 for all <i>Valuables</i> Up to \$300/£200/€250 for emergency purchases after 12 hours (Nil <i>Excess</i>)
D5. <i>Personal Money</i>	Up to \$700/£500/€600
D6. Loss of Passport	Up to \$700/£500/€600

Our Agreement

We promise and agree to provide *You* with the cover and benefits described in this *Policy Wording*, subject to all of the *Terms* contained herein. We make this promise and agreement and issue *Your Plan* in consideration of the accuracy and truthfulness of *Your Application* and the payment of *Premium*.

Commencement of Cover

Your cover for travel Cancellation will commence from the 00:01Hrs Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) the next day following the *Purchase Date*, as stated on the *Certificate of Insurance*. *Your* cover for Medical Benefits, Additional Benefits and all other Travel Benefits will commence from the 00:01Hrs Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) on the *Departure Date*, as stated on the *Certificate of Insurance*. We will not commence *Your* cover unless and until We have accepted *Your Application*, received payment of *Your* first full *Premium*, and issued *Your Plan*.

Eligibility and Age Limits

Eligibility is subject to *Our* acceptance of *Your Application*. The minimum age at entry is fifteen (15) days attained. If *You* are a *Child* under the age of eighteen (18) years attained, a parent or guardian is required to sign the *Application* on *Your* behalf. The maximum age at entry is sixty-nine (69) years of age.

Refer to Eligibility: Section G7 for further Eligibility details, *Terms* and conditions.

Definitions

Certain words and phrases used in this *Policy Wording* have specific meanings and are defined in this section. The defined words and phrases are capitalised and printed in italics wherever they appear in the *Policy Wording*.

Accident: A sudden, unintentional, unforeseen and *Unexpected* incident caused by external, visible means and resulting in physical *Injury* to *You* occurring whilst *Your Plan* is in effect.

AIDS: Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome.

Alcohol and Substance Abuse: A misuse, illegal use, over use or abuse of, or a dependency on, or an addiction to any alcohol, *Drug*, medicine, controlled substance, narcotic, toxin or chemical.

Amateur Athletics: An amateur or other non-professional sporting, recreational, or athletic activity that is organised, sponsored and/or sanctioned, and/or involves regular or scheduled practices, games and/or competitions (collectively, "organised athletic activities"). This definition does not include non-organised athletic activities that are non-contact and engaged in by *You* solely for recreational, entertainment or fitness purposes.

Application: The fully answered and signed form entitled "*Application Form/Enrolment Form*" and all amendments and supplements to that form submitted by *You* or on *Your* behalf for acceptance into, renewal or extension of cover under, or reinstatement in the *Plan*, which *Application* shall be incorporated in and become part of the *Plan* and *Policy Wording*. Any insurance agent, broker or other intermediary assigned to or assisting with the *Application* is *Your* agent and representative, and is not an agent or representative for or on behalf of *Us* or *Our Plan Administrator* or the *Plan Manager*.

ARC: *AIDS* related complex.

Area of Cover: One (1) of the three (3) geographical areas within which *You* are, or will be, travelling within and to which *Your* cover is restricted, as selected by *You* during *Your* original *Application* and for which the appropriate *Premium* has been paid, and as shown on the *Certificate of Insurance*. Any charges incurred by *You* for *Treatment* or supplies within *Your Home Country*, or whilst outside the selected *Area of Cover* are excluded. The *Areas of Cover* are defined as follows:

Europe only*: Europe including Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canary Islands, Channel Islands, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Greenland, Holland, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Jersey, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Madiera, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russian Federation, San Marino, Serbia, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain (including the Balearics and Canary Islands), Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uzbekistan, the Vatican City and Yugoslavia.

Worldwide excluding USA and Canada*

Worldwide*

*All areas exclude coverage within *Your Home Country*

Baggage: Bags, cases, and containers that hold *Your* clothing, personal items and toiletries while *You* travel.

Breakdown: The vehicle in which *You* are travelling stops as a result of mechanical or electrical failure due to any cause other than lack of fuel, oil or water.

Business Colleague: Any person that *You* work closely with whose absence for a period of one (1) or more complete days necessitates the cancellation or *Curtailment* of the *Trip* as certified by a director of the business.

Certificate of Insurance: A document issued by *Us* to *You* in conjunction with the *Plan* evidencing *Your* cover under the *Plan* including the, *Period of Insurance*, the level and *Area of Cover*, *Your Excess* and any *Endorsements* that may apply.

Child; Children: An *Insured Person* who is less than eighteen (18) years of age.

Chronic Condition: A Medical Condition which has at least one (1) of the following characteristics:

- It continues indefinitely and has no known cure.
- It comes back or is likely to come back.
- It is persistent or permanent.
- You need to be rehabilitated or specially trained to cope with it.
- It needs long term monitoring, consultations, checkups, examinations or tests.

Co-Insurance: The payment by *You* (or *Your* obligations for payment) of *Eligible Charges* at the percentage specified in the *Schedule of Cover* contained herein and exclusive of the applicable *Excess* chosen by *You*. *Co-Insurance* maximum must be satisfied only once by the *Insured Person* during twelve (12) months of continuous coverage. After the first twelve (12) months of continuous coverage under this insurance, a new coinsurance maximum will apply for each period of twelve (12) months of continuous coverage thereafter. No more than two (2) *Co-Insurance* maximums per *Insured Person* must be satisfied within the maximum twenty-four (24) month continuous coverage period.

Common Carrier: A company or organisation that holds itself out to the public as engaging in the business of transporting persons from place to place by air, rail, bus and/or sea for compensation, offering its scheduled services to the public generally, and is licensed by a recognised and approved government authority to transport fare-paying passengers. The term *Common Carrier* does not include taxi, motorcar, motorcycle, or limousine services, or transportation by animal or human means (for example, by horse, camel, elephant or rickshaw).

Congenital Disorder: Physical abnormality that is present at birth.

Country of Citizenship: The country in which the *Insured Person* is born (and has not renounced or lost citizenship) or naturalised and to which that person owes allegiance and by which he or she is entitled to be protected.

Country of Residence: The country of which *You* are a citizen or national; including any country where *You* maintain *Your* primary residence or usual place of abode and any country of which *You* pay income taxes or are the possessor of a validly issued passport.

Coverage Extension Period: If a covered *Injury* or *Illness* requires continuing *Treatment* after the *Termination Date* of the *Period of Insurance*, a supplemental *Coverage Extension Period* may provide continuing coverage for the covered *Injury* or *Illness* for up to six (6) continuous months, subject to the following: when the *Period of Insurance* expires while a covered *Injury* or *Illness* requires continuing *Treatment*, We will review and determine the date of initial *Treatment* for the covered *Injury* or *Illness*, and if such date is less than six (6) months prior to the *Termination Date* of the *Period of Insurance*, coverage for the covered *Injury* or *Illness* will continue until there has been at least six (6) months of continuous coverage for the covered *Injury* or *Illness*, subject to the limits and *Sub-Limits* set forth in the *Schedule of Cover*, and subject to all other *Terms* of the *Plan*.

Curtailment/Curtail: Cutting *Your* planned *Trip* short by early return to *Your Home Country* or admission to *Hospital* as an *In-Patient* so that *You* lose the benefit of accommodation *You* have paid for, or being confined to *Your* accommodation.

Custodial Care: Those types of *Treatment*, care or services, wherever furnished and by whatever name called, that are designed primarily to assist an individual in activities of daily life.

Day-Patient: An *Insured Person* who is admitted to a *Hospital* solely to receive *Medically Necessary Treatment* for an *Eligible Medical Condition*, occupies a bed and stays for a period of clinically-supervised recovery or *Treatment*, but does not stay in *Hospital* overnight.

Dental Practitioner: A person who is licensed by the relevant authority to practice dentistry in the state or country where the *Dental Treatment* is given.

Dental Treatment: *Treatment* and supplies relating to the care, maintenance or repair of teeth, gums or bones supporting the teeth, including dentures and preparation for dentures.

Departure Date: The date shown on the *Certificate of Insurance* on which *Your* original scheduled *Trip* date begins.

Dependent Child: *Your* or *Your Spouse's*, natural or adopted *Child*, who is unmarried and living with *You* and/or such *Spouse*, who is under the age of eighteen (18) years old but older than fourteen (14) days and otherwise eligible for this insurance pursuant to Eligibility: Section G7, and who has been properly listed and identified on the *Application* and for whom the proper *Premium* has been timely paid.

Direct Settlement: (Only available in certain countries): Where *You* are able to obtain *Treatment* for an *Eligible Medical Condition* at a medical provider and where the charges will be settled directly by *Us*.

Please Note: *You* are still responsible for any *Co-Insurance* and *Excess* applicable to *Your Plan* which must be settled directly with the medical provider at time of *Treatment*. Where *You* receive *Treatment* for a *Medical Condition* that is not covered under the *Terms* of *Your Plan*, *You* remain liable for the cost of such *Treatment*, which must be settled in full upon request. Failure to act accordingly will result in the suspension or cancellation of *Your Plan*, without refund of *Premium*.

Disabled: A person who has a congenital or acquired mental or physical defect that interferes with normal functioning of the body system or the ability to be self-sufficient.

Drugs: Medically Necessary Drugs or medicines prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner* or *Specialist*, which are not available without prescription and which are not *Experimental*.

Durable Medical Equipment: A standard basic *Hospital* bed and a standard basic wheel chair.

Educational or Rehabilitative Care: Care for restoration (by education or training) of a person's ability to function in a normal or near normal manner following an *Illness* or *Injury*. This type of care includes, but is not limited to, vocational or occupational therapy, and speech therapy.

Eligible Charges: The *Reasonable and Customary Charges* for those costs, charges, and expenses incurred by *You* during a *Period of Insurance* for *Medically Necessary Treatment* or supplies which are directly related to an *Eligible Medical Condition*, and for which *You* or *Your* beneficiary will make a claim or seek payment under *Your Plan*.

Eligible Medical Condition: Any *Medical Condition* for which there is cover under *Your Plan*.

Emergency: A *Medical Condition* manifesting itself by acute signs or symptoms which could reasonably result in placing *Your* life or limb in danger if medical attention is not provided within twenty-four (24) hours, based upon a reasonable medical certainty.

Emergency Medical Evacuation: *Emergency* transportation provided by designated, licensed, qualified, professional emergency personnel acting within the scope of such license from the *Hospital* or medical facility where *You* are located to a non-local *Hospital* or medical facility, recommended by the attending *Medical Practitioner* who certifies, to a reasonable medical certainty, that *You* have experienced:

- a *Medical Condition* manifesting itself by acute signs or symptoms which could reasonably result in placing *Your* life or limb in danger if medical attention is not provided within twenty-four (24) hours; and
- where *Medically Necessary Treatment* cannot be provided locally, either in the facility of the attending *Medical Practitioner* or another local facility.

End of Trip Home Country Coverage: If *You* have selected this additional option at time of original *Application* and paid the relevant additional *Premium*, then cover is extended to the *Insured Person* as a special accommodation and supplemental travel benefit, after returning to the *Home Country* from the *Host Country*, pursuant to the *Terms of End of Trip Home Country Coverage: Section G17 You*, and subject to all other *Terms* of the *Plan*.

Endorsement: Any exhibit, schedule, attachment, amendment, *Endorsement*, rider or other document which is prepared by *Us* and attached to, issued in connection with, accompanying or otherwise expressly made a part of or applicable to the *Policy Wording*, *Plan*, the *Certificate of Insurance*, or the *Application*, as the case may be.

Excess: The first amount payable by *You* (or on *Your* behalf), per *Insured Person* (unless stated otherwise), as selected on the *Application* and specified in the *Certificate of Insurance* that *You* must pay per *Period of Insurance* in respect of *Eligible Charges* and covers, before any benefits are paid under *Your Plan*, and exclusive of *Co-Insurance*. Only one (1) *Excess* must be satisfied per *Insured Person* during twelve (12) months of continuous coverage under this *Plan*. After the first twelve (12) months of continuous coverage under this *Plan*, a new *Excess* will apply for any period of continuous coverage thereafter. No more than two (2) *Excesses* per *Insured Person* must be satisfied within the maximum twenty-four (24) month continuous coverage period.

Existing Medical Condition: Any condition that has required referral to or consultation with a specialist clinic or *Hospital* for *Treatment*, tests or investigation within the twelve (12) months prior to;

- the date that this insurance was arranged, or
- the date that *You* subsequently made arrangements for a *Trip*, or
- the date that *You* extended the original *Period of Insurance*, whichever is the latest.

Experimental: Any *Treatment* or supply, including a new, untested *Drug*, procedure, therapies, or service or the use of that: by nature or composition deviates from, or is used or applied in a way which deviates from generally accepted standards or current medical practice; or is under investigation to determine its safety and effectiveness; or is only available to individuals who are participating in a research study or clinical trials; or is *Investigational* or unproven.

Extended Care Facility: An institution, or a distinct part of an institution, which is licensed as a *Hospital*, *Extended Care Facility* or rehabilitation facility by the state or country in which it operates; and is regularly engaged in providing 24-hour skilled nursing care under the regular supervision of a *Medical Practitioner* and the direct supervision of a *Registered Nurse*; and maintains a daily record on each patient; and provides each patient with a planned programme of observation prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner*; and provides each patient with active *Treatment* of a *Medical Condition*. *Extended Care Facility* does not include a facility primarily for rest, the aged, the *Treatment of Alcohol and Substance Abuse*, *Custodial Care*, nursing care, or for care of *Mental* or *Nervous Disorders* or the mentally incompetent.

Home: *Your* routine, most common, primary or normal place of residence in *Your Home Country*.

Home Country: The country which is *Your Country of Residence*; or where *You* have multiple residences, dual citizenship, or *You* hold more than one (1) passport, in the absence of other evidence, *Your Home Country* will mean the country declared on the *Application*. For USA Citizens, the *Home Country* is both the United States of America and *Your Country of Residence*.

Home Health Care Agency: A public or private agency or one of its subdivisions, which operates pursuant to law; and is regularly engaged in providing *Home Nursing Care* under the supervision of a *Registered Nurse*; and maintains a daily record on each patient; and provides each patient with a planned programme of observation and *Treatment* prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner*.

Home Nursing Care: Services and/or *Treatment*, provided by a *Home Health Care Agency* and supervised by a *Registered Nurse*, which are directed toward the personal care of a patient, provided always that such care is in lieu of *Medically Necessary In-Patient* care.

Hospice: An institution which operates as a *Hospice*; and is licensed by the state or country in which it operates; and operates primarily for the reception, care and palliative control of pain for terminally ill persons who have, as certified by a *Medical Practitioner*, a life expectancy of not more than six (6) months.

Hospital: An institution which operates as a *Hospital* pursuant to law; and is licensed by the state or country in which it operates; and operates primarily for the reception, care, and *Treatment* of sick or injured persons as *In-Patients*; and provides 24-hour nursing service by *Registered Nurses* on duty or call; and has a staff of one (1) or more *Medical Practitioners* available at all times; and provides organised facilities and equipment for diagnosis and *Treatment* of *Medical Conditions*, or *Mental* or *Nervous Disorders* on its premises. *Hospital* does not include a place that is primarily a long-term care facility, *Extended Care Facility*, or a nursing, rest, *Custodial Care*, or convalescent home, or a place for the aged, the *Treatment* of *Alcohol and Substance Abuse*, or runaways or similar establishment.

Hospitalisation/Hospitalised: Confined or *Treated* in a *Hospital* as an *In-Patient*.

Host Country: The country or countries other than the *Home Country* that the *Insured Person* is travelling to/in.

Illness: A sickness, disorder, *Illness*, pathology, abnormality, malady, morbidity, affliction, disability, defect, handicap, deformity, birth defect, congenital defect, symptomatology, syndrome, malaise, infection, infirmity, ailment, disease of any kind, or any other medical, physical or health condition. Provided, however, that *Illness* does not include learning disabilities, or attitudinal or disciplinary problems. All *Illnesses* that exist simultaneously or which arise subsequent to a prior *Illness* and which directly or indirectly relate to or result or arise from the same or related causes or as a consequence thereof or from one another are considered to be one (1) *Illness*. Further, if a subsequent *Illness* results or arises from causes or consequences that are the same as or related to the causes or consequences of a prior *Illness*, the subsequent *Illness* will be deemed to be a continuation of the prior *Illness* and not a separate *Illness*.

Implant: Any device, object, or medical item that is surgically imbedded, inserted, or installed for medical purposes within or on a patient's body, including for orthotic or prosthetic reasons.

Injury: Bodily *Injury* resulting or arising directly from an *Accident*. All *Injuries* resulting or arising from the same *Accident* shall be deemed to be one (1) *Injury*.

In-Patient: A person who has been admitted to and charged by a *Hospital* for bed occupancy for purposes of receiving *In-Patient Hospital* services. Generally, a patient is considered an *In-Patient* if billed by the *Hospital* for charges as an *In-Patient*, and formally admitted as an *In-Patient* with the expectation he will occupy a bed and (1) remain at least overnight or (2) is expected to need *Hospital* care for twenty-four (24) hours or more.

Insured Person; You; Your: The person in whose name the *Plan* is effected, as indicated on the *Certificate of Insurance*.

Insurer; We; Us; Our: Sirius International Insurance Corporation (publ), headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden is the underwriter of the *Plan* and its risks. *We* are solely obligated and liable for all covers and benefits provided under the *Terms* of this Policy Wording and *Plan*.

Intensive Care Unit: An area of a *Hospital* set up for very ill or seriously injured patients who must be closely, constantly monitored. The unit must have specially trained staff and special equipment and supplies at all times. *Intensive Care Unit* includes a cardiac care unit and special care unit, such as a neonatal care unit and burn unit.

Investigational: *Treatment* that includes *Drugs* not yet released for distribution by the US Food and Drug Administration or European Medicines Agency and/or procedures or services which are still in the clinical stages of evaluation.

Lifetime Limit: The cumulative total amount of benefit payments or reimbursements available to *You* during *Your* lifetime under the *Plan*.

Local Ambulance Transport/Local Ambulance Expense: Transportation and accompanying care provided by designated, licensed, qualified, professional emergency personnel from the location of an *Accident* or acute *Illness* to a *Hospital* or other appropriate health care facility. *Local Ambulance Transport* does not include subsequent inter-facility transfers of admitted patients.

Maximum Limit: The cumulative total financial amount of benefit payments and/or reimbursements available to an *Insured Person* under this *Plan* during the *Insured Person's Period of Insurance*. When the *Maximum Limit* is reached, no further benefits, reimbursements or payments will be available under this *Plan* during the *Insured Person's Period of Insurance*.

Medical Condition: Any *Injury*, *Illness* (including *Mental* or *Nervous Disorders*), disease or symptom, and any related condition in which one is a result of the other or each is the result of the same *Medical Condition*.

Medically Necessary; Medical Necessity: A *Treatment*, service, medicine, or supply which is necessary, appropriate and required for the diagnosis or *Treatment* of an *Eligible Medical Condition* and which is provided in accordance with generally accepted medical standards or current medical practice as determined by *Us*. A *Treatment*, service, medicine, or supply will not be considered *Medically Necessary* or of a *Medical Necessity* if it is provided or obtained solely as a convenience to *You* or *Your*

provider or *Medical Practitioner*, or if it exceeds (in scope, duration or intensity) that level of care which is needed to provide safe, adequate, and appropriate diagnosis or *Treatment*.

Medical Practitioner: A qualified practitioner of the medical arts who is duly educated, trained and is currently and appropriately licensed by the state or country in which the *Treatment* is provided and who is acting within the scope of that license, training, experience, competence, and health professions' standards of practise, other than *You* or a *Relative* or a person who resides or has resided in *Your* home.

Mental or Nervous Disorder: Any mental, nervous, or emotional *Illness* which generally denotes an *Illness* of the brain with predominant behavioural symptoms; or an *Illness* of the mind or personality, evidenced by abnormal behaviour; or an *Illness* or disorder of conduct evidenced by socially deviant behaviour. *Mental or Nervous Disorders* include without limitation: psychosis; depression; schizophrenia; bipolar affective disorder; learning disabilities and attitudinal or disciplinary problems; any disease or condition, regardless of whether the cause is organic, that is classified as a *Mental Disorder* in the current edition of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (ICD) as produced by the World Health Organisation; For purposes of this insurance, *Mental or Nervous Disorder* does not include learning disabilities, or attitudinal or disciplinary problems or *Alcohol and Substance Abuse*.

Mortal Remains: The bodily remains or ashes of an *Insured Person*.

Natural Disaster: Widespread disruption of human lives by disasters such as flood, drought, tidal wave, fire, hurricane, earthquake, windstorm, or other storm, landslide, or other natural catastrophe or event resulting in migration of the population for its safety.

Newborn: An infant born from *You* or *Your* spouse from the moment of birth through the first thirty-one (31) days of life.

Non-Disclosed Condition: An *Illness* or *Injury* diagnosed, *Treated*, or known to *You* prior to completing the *Application* for coverage under this *Plan*, but not disclosed, revealed, listed or otherwise made known on the *Application* or any subsequent Claim Form.

Out-Patient: An *Insured Person* who receives *Medically Necessary Treatment* by a *Medical Practitioner* or other healthcare provider that does not require an overnight stay in a *Hospital*, nor is admitted as an *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient*, regardless of the hour that the person arrived at the *Hospital*, whether a bed was used, or whether the person remained in the *Hospital* past midnight.

Palliative Care: Any *Treatment* given to offer temporary relief of symptoms, rather than to cure the *Medical Condition* causing the symptoms.

Partner: A person who is residing with *You* in a conjugal relationship.

Period of Insurance: The period starting on the *Departure Date* and ending on the earliest of the following dates: (a) the *Termination Date* specified in the *Certificate of Insurance*, or (b) the *Termination Date* as determined in accordance with Termination of Cover: Section G17. The *Period of Insurance* can be no more than twelve (12) consecutive months.

Personal Money: Cash, being bank notes and coins, travellers' cheques, travel tickets and accommodation vouchers carried by *You* for *Your* personal use.

Plan: The contract of insurance between *You* and *Us*. *Your Plan* consists of *Your Application*, the *Certificate of Insurance*, this Policy Wording including the *Schedule of Cover* relevant to *Your* chosen *Sub-Plan*, and any *Endorsements*. *We* are solely liable and responsible for the cover and benefits provided under the *Plan*.

Plan Administrator: The person appointed by *Us* to administer the *Plan*. The appointed *Plan Administrator* is International Medical Group, Inc., and it acts solely as the disclosed and authorised agent and representative for *Us* and on *Our* behalf, and has and shall have no direct, indirect, joint, several, separate, individual, or independent responsibility, liability or obligation of any kind whatsoever under the *Plan*, *Policy Wordings*, or *Certificate of Insurance*.

Plan Manager: The person appointed to act as co-ordinator between the *Plan Administrator* and *Us*. The *Plan Manager* is also an authorised agent for *Us* and on *Our* behalf for the purposes of: receiving *Premiums* from or on behalf of *Insured Persons*; receiving and holding claims money prior to transmission to the *Insured Person* making the claim in question; and receiving and holding *Premium* refunds prior to transmission to the *Insured Person* entitled to the *Premium* refund in question. The appointed *Plan Manager* is IMG Europe Ltd., Kingsgate, High Street, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 1SH, United Kingdom, and it has and shall have no direct, indirect, joint, several, separate, individual, responsibility, or independent liability or obligation of any kind under the *Plan*, *Policy Wordings*, or *Certificate of Insurance*.

Pre-Certification; Pre-Certified: A process through which *You* are responsible for providing notification to *Us* prior to incurring costs or undertaking *Treatment* for many of the benefits under *Your Plan*. It also involves a general determination of *Medical Necessity*, made by *Us* in reliance and based upon the completeness and accuracy of the information provided to *Us* at the time thereof. *Pre-Certification* does not assure, authorise, verify, or guarantee that *We* will pay charges incurred by *You*. See Medical Management Services: Pre-Certification section for further details, *Terms* and conditions.

Pre-Existing Condition: Any *Injury*, *Illness*, sickness, disease, *Medical Condition* or other physical, medical, *Mental or Nervous Disorder*, condition or ailment that with reasonable medical certainty, existed at the time of the *Application* or at any time during the three (3) years prior to the *Departure Date* of this *Plan*; whether or not previously manifested, symptomatic or known, diagnosed, *Treated*, or *You* were aware it existed, even if disclosed on the *Application* or on any claim form, or otherwise to *Us*, and including any and all subsequent, *Chronic* or recurring complications or consequences related thereto or resulting or arising therefrom.

Pregnancy; Pregnant: The process of growth and development within a woman's reproductive organs of a new individual from the time of conception through the phases where the embryo grows and foetus develops to birth.

Premium: The payments required to activate and maintain *Your* cover and benefits under *Your Plan*, in the amounts and at the times ("Due Dates") established by *Us* in *Our* sole discretion from time to time.

Professional Athletics: A sport activity, including practice, preparation, and actual sporting events, for any individual or organised team that is a member of a recognised professional sports organisation, is directly supported or sponsored by a professional team or professional sports organisation, is a member of a playing league that is directly supported or sponsored by a professional team or professional sports organisation; or has any athlete receiving for his or her participation any kind of payment or compensation, directly or indirectly, from a professional team or professional sports organisation.

Purchase Date: The date shown on the *Certificate of Insurance* on which *You* purchased *Your Plan* and travel Cancellation cover begins.

Qualified Facility: A *Hospital* or other medical facility that can successfully perform the needed procedure or *Treatment*.

Reasonable and Customary Charges: A typical and reasonable amount of reimbursement for similar services, medicines, or supplies within the area in which the charge is incurred. In determining the typical and reasonable amount of reimbursement, *We* may, in *Our* reasonable discretion, consider one or more of the following factors, without limitation: the amount charged by the provider; the amount charged by similar providers or providers in the same or similar locality; the amount reimbursed by other payors for the same or comparable services, medicines or supplies in the same or similar locality; the amount reimbursed by other payors for the same or comparable services, medicines or supplies in other parts of the country; the cost to the provider of providing the service, medicine or supply; the level of skill, extent of training, and experience required to perform the procedure or service; the length of time required to perform the procedure or service as compared to the length of time required to perform other similar services; the length of time required to perform the procedure or service as compared to national standards and/or benchmarks; the severity or nature of the *Illness* or *Injury* being *Treated*; and such other factors as *We*, in the reasonable exercise of *Our* discretion, determine are appropriate.

Registered Nurse: A graduate nurse who has been registered or licensed to practice by a State Board of Nurse Examiners or other government authority, and who is legally entitled to place the letters "R.N." after his or her name, or whose name is currently on any register or roll of nurses, maintained by any statutory nursing registration body within the country in which he or she is a resident.

Relative: *Your* spouse, *Partner*, husband- or wife-to-be, *Child*, son- or daughter-in-law, parent, step-parent, parent-in-law, legal guardian, grandparent, grandchild, sibling, brother-in-law or *sister-in-law* or immediate family member.

Renewal Date: An anniversary of the *Departure Date* that is twelve (12) months following the *Departure Date*.

Routine Physical Exam: Examination of the physical body by a *Medical Practitioner* for preventative or informative purposes only, and not for the *Treatment* of any *Illness* or *Injury*.

Schedule of Cover: The summarised schedule of benefits, coverage, limits and *Sub-Limits* as set forth for ease of reference in this Policy Wording, all of which are subject to the full *Terms* of this *Plan*.

Self-inflicted: Action or inaction by *You* that *You* consciously understand will or may cause or contribute, directly or indirectly, to *Your Injury* or *Illness*. *Self-inflicted* specifically includes failure of *You* to follow *Your Medical Practitioner's* orders, complete prescriptions as directed, or follow any health care protocol or procedures designed to return or maintain *Your* health.

Ski Equipment: Skis, snowboards, ski-poles, bindings, ski-boots and snowboard boots.

Specialist: A registered *Medical Practitioner*, skilled in a generally accepted medical or surgical specialty or sub specialty, who currently holds a substantive consultant appointment in that specialty, which is recognised as such by the statutory bodies of the relevant country.

Sub-Limit: The maximum amount of benefit payments or reimbursements available to *You* per *Period of Insurance* for *Eligible Charges* with respect to an *Eligible Medical Condition* or section of cover under *Your* chosen *Plan*. The *Sub-Limit* is subject to the overall *Maximum Limit* Sum insured per *Period of Insurance* for *Your* chosen *Plan* as selected by *You* at time of *Application*.

Substance Abuse: Alcohol, drug or chemical abuse, misuse, illegal use, overuse or dependency.

Surgery: A generally accepted invasive diagnostic or operative procedure or *Treatment* of a *Medical Condition* by manual or instrumental operations performed by a *Medical Practitioner* while *You* are under general or local anaesthesia.

Telemedicine: The use of medical information (beyond a verbal history) exchanged from one healthcare provider site to another via electronic communications to improve patients' health status. Videoconferencing, transmission of still images, and remote monitoring of vital signs are all considered part of *Telemedicine*. *Telemedicine* services that would be considered for *Medical Necessity* and appropriateness by *Us* under the *Plan* would include without limit:

- *Specialist* referral services which typically involves of a *Specialist* assisting a general practitioner in rendering a diagnosis to guide *Treatment*.
- Patient consultations using telecommunications to provide medical data, which may include audio, still or live images, between a patient and a *Medical Practitioner* or other healthcare provider for use in rendering a diagnosis and *Treatment* plan. This might originate from a remote clinic to a *Medical Practitioner's* office using a direct transmission link or may include communicating electronically.

- Remote patient monitoring uses devices to remotely collect and send data from a medical facility to a monitoring station for interpretation. Such applications might include a specific vital sign, such as blood glucose or heart ECG.

Termination Date: The date shown on the *Certificate of Insurance* on which cover under *Your Plan* ends.

Terms: Terminology, provisions, conditions, definitions, limits, *Sub-Limits*, limitations, wordings, restrictions, qualifications and/or exclusions.

Terrorism: Criminal acts, including against civilians, committed with the intent to cause fear, death or serious bodily *Injury*, or taking of hostages, with the purpose to provide a state of terror in the general public or in a group of persons or particular persons, intimidate a population or group or particular persons, or compel a government or international organisation to do or to abstain from doing an act.

Travelling Companion: Any person with whom *You* are travelling or have arranged to travel.

Travel Warning: Published statement or document issued by the United States Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs, or similar government agency of the *Insured Person's Country of Citizenship or Residence*, warning that travel to specific identified countries, or regions therein, is hazardous and is not advised.

Treated/Treatment/Treat: Any and all undertakings, services and/or procedures rendered or employed with respect to the management and/or care of *You* for the purpose of identifying, testing for, analysing, diagnosing, treating, curing, resolving, preventing, monitoring, attending to, caring for, controlling and/or combating any *Illness* or *Injury* or the symptoms or manifestations thereof, including without limitation: verbal or written advice, consultation, examination, discussion, diagnostic or laboratory testing or evaluation of any kind, pharmacotherapy or other medication, and/or *Surgery*.

Trip: Any holiday, leisure or business *Trip* which begins and ends in *Your Home Country* and for which *You* have paid the appropriate *Premium* and occurs during the *Period of Insurance*.

Unattended: Out of *Your* immediate care, custody, control and supervision such that *You* are unable to prevent the loss of, theft of, or damage occurring to the subject item.

Unexpected: Sudden, unintentional, not expected, and unforeseen.

Valuables: Audio, photographic video and electrical equipment (including camcorders, CDs, DVDs, cartridges, storage devices, video and audio tapes and electronic games), MP3 players, games consoles, personal organisers, binoculars, antiques, spectacles and/or sunglasses, jewellery, watches, furs, leather goods, animal skins, perfumes, scents, silks, precious or semi-precious stones and items made of or containing gold, silver or precious metals, hearing aids, sports and leisure equipment and musical instruments.

Your Cover

We will provide cover for benefits within *Your Area of Cover*, as shown under the *Schedule of Cover* applicable to *Your* chosen *Plan*, subject to the *Terms* of *Your Plan*. Any and all benefits listed below which do not appear in the *Schedule of Cover* relevant to *Your* chosen *Plan*, or *You* have selected such cover upon initial *Application* and/or not paid the appropriate *Premium*, are not covered under *Your Plan*. We will be liable for only those benefits relating to *Reasonable and Customary Charges* for *Medically Necessary Treatment* and supplies which are directly related to *Eligible Medical Conditions* and for which such charges are incurred by *You* whilst *Your Plan* is in effect.

SECTION A: Medical Benefits

Subject to the *Terms* of this Policy Wording, including without limitation the *Excess*, *Co-Insurance*, and limits and *Sub-Limits* set forth in the *Schedule of Cover*, We will pay *In-Patient* and *Day-Patient* charges *You* incur during the *Period of Insurance* or any applicable *Coverage Extension Period* with respect to an *Illness* or *Injury* suffered or sustained by the *Insured Person* during the *Period of Insurance* and while *Your Certificate of Insurance* is in effect, as follows, as long as the costs, charges or expenses are *Reasonable and Customary* ("*Eligible Charges*"):

A1. Hospital Room & Board

We will pay *Eligible Charges* for *Hospital* accommodation, food and nursing services, limited to a standard private room up to a maximum of one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the average semi-private room rate (except for *Treatment* in the USA and Canada where cover is limited to a semi-private room); Unbundled services or personal items such as telephone calls, newspapers and guest meals are excluded from cover.

A2. Intensive Care

We will pay *Eligible Charges* for *Hospital* accommodation, food, *Medical Practitioner* services; services and supplies routinely provided in *Intensive Care Unit*.

A3. Medical Expenses

We will pay *Eligible Charges* in respect of:

(1) Charges incurred at a *Hospital* for:

- (a) use of operating theatre, *Treatment* or recovery room; and

- (b) services and supplies which are routinely provided by the *Hospital* to persons for use while *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient*, and
- (2) *Medical Practitioners, Surgery, Consultants, Surgeons, Anaesthetists, Nurses, Treatment, Services and Supplies and Ancillary Charges*:
 - (a) *Eligible charges* for professional services, supplies, *Treatment* and referrals (including *Ancillary Charges*) rendered by *Medical Practitioners* (including family doctors and general practitioners who are also *Medical Practitioners*), *Consultants, Surgeons, Anaesthetists, and Nurses*, including *Pre-Certified Surgery*; provided, however, that charges by or for an assistant surgeon will be limited and covered at the rate of twenty percent (20%) of the *Reasonable And Customary Charge* of the primary surgeon; and provided, further, that standby availability of a *Medical Practitioner* or surgeon will not be deemed to be a professional service and is not eligible for coverage.
- (3) Other *Eligible Charges* incurred for:
 - (a) dressings, sutures, casts or other supplies that are *Medically Necessary*; and
 - (b) x-rays, pathology, diagnostic testing and procedures including radiology, ultrasonographic or laboratory services (psychometric, behavioural and educational testing are not included); and
 - (c) *Pre-Certified Implant* devices that are *Medically Necessary*; however, any *Implants* provided by a non-PPO provider are limited to payment of no more than one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the established invoice price and/or list price for that item; and
 - (d) *Pre-Certified* basic functional artificial limbs, eye or larynx or breast prostheses, but not the replacement or repair thereof; and
 - (e) haemodialysis and the *Eligible Charges* by a *Hospital* for processing and administration of blood or blood components; and
 - (f) oxygen and other gasses and their administration; and
 - (g) anaesthetics and their administration by a *Medical Practitioner*; and
 - (h) care in a licensed *Extended Care Facility* upon direct transfer from a *Hospital* in which *You* were an *In-Patient*; and
 - (i) *Home Nursing Care* recommended by a *Specialist* and provided to *You* while in bed in *Your* home by a *Home Nursing Care* agency which operates pursuant to law, and is regularly engaged in providing such care under the supervision of a *Registered Nurse*. Cover is provided only for such *Home Nursing Care* which is immediately received subsequent to *In-Patient Treatment* or *Day-Patient Treatment*; and
 - (j) Physiotherapy prescribed in advance by a *Medical Practitioner* and performed by a professional Physiotherapist, and necessarily incurred to continue recovery from an *Eligible Medical Condition*. Such Physiotherapy is initially restricted to ten (10) visits per *Eligible Medical Condition*, after which it must be further reviewed by a *Specialist* and subsequently *Pre-Certified*; and
 - (k) *Pre-Certified Medically Necessary* rental of *Durable Medical Equipment* prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner*, up to the purchase price.

A4. Out-Patient Medical Expenses

We will pay *Eligible Charges* for *Out-Patient Medical Expenses*, including:

- (1) *Pre-Certified Out-Patient Surgery* including services and supplies, undertaken by a recognised medical facility; and
- (2) *Pre-Certified*: MRI and CAT scans, Echocardiography, Endoscopy, Gastroscopy, Colonoscopy and Cystoscopy and undertaken by a recognised medical facility; and

A5. Emergency Local Ambulance

We will pay *Eligible Charges* incurred by *You* for *Emergency Local Ambulance Transport* to *Hospital* by the most appropriate transport considered *Medically Necessary* by a *Medical Practitioner* or *Specialist* to *Treat* an *Eligible Medical Condition*, in connection with any covered *Illness* resulting in *Hospitalisation* and *Injury*.

A6. Prescription Drugs

Drugs which require prescription by a *Medical Practitioner* for *Treatment* of *Illness* or *Injury*, but not for the replacement of lost, stolen, damaged, expired or otherwise compromised *Drugs*, and for a maximum supply of ninety (90) days of any one (1) prescription.

A7. Emergency Room Accident

We will pay for *Your* use of the Emergency Room for *Treatment* of an *Injury* following an *Accident*, no additional *Excess* will be charged, even if *Hospital* confinement is not required.

A8. Emergency Room Illness with In-Patient Admission

We will pay for *Your* use of the Emergency Room for *Treatment* of an *Illness* that is considered an *Eligible Medical Condition* and *You* are directly admitted to the *Hospital* as an *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient* for further *Treatment* of that *Medical Condition*.

A9. Emergency Room Illness without In-Patient Admission

We will pay for *Your* use of the *Emergency Room* for *Treatment* of an *Illness* that is considered an *Eligible Medical Condition*, however if *You* are not directly admitted to the *Hospital* as an *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient* for further *Treatment* of that *Medical Condition*, an additional *Excess* of \$250/£150/€200 will be required for each *Emergency Room* visit.

A10. Dental – Injury Due To Accident

We will pay *Eligible Charges* for *Emergency Dental Treatment* and dental *Surgery* necessary to restore or replace sound natural teeth lost or damaged in an *Accident* that is covered under this *Plan*, except when the damage has been caused through eating. *Treatment* must be received within five (5) days from the date of the *Accident* occurring.

A11. Sudden Dental Pain

We will pay *Eligible Charges* for *Emergency Dental Treatment* when given by a *Medical Practitioner* or *Dental Practitioner* for necessary *Treatment* for the express relief of sudden and *Unexpected* pain in sound, natural teeth, including, but not limited to fillings.

A12. State Hospital Cash Benefit

When *You* are admitted to a state, government or charitable *Hospital* as an *In-Patient* and *You* receive *Treatment* for an *Eligible Medical Condition* which is not an admission to, or overnight stay in, an *Accident* and *Emergency Department*, and no costs are incurred by *You* or *Us* for accommodation and *Treatment*, We will pay a cash benefit up to the *Sub-Limit* and up to a maximum number of nights in *Hospital* per *Period of Insurance*, as shown in the *Schedule of Cover*. No *Excess* or *Co-Insurance* applies to this benefit. To claim this benefit, please ask the *Hospital* to sign and stamp *Your* claim form.

A13. Reciprocal Health Agreement Benefit

If *You* receive *Treatment* for an *Eligible Medical Condition*, and *We* make a saving in respect of *Our* claims costs as a direct result of *You* utilising a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or other Reciprocal Health Agreement, then *Your Excess* in respect of this *Treatment* shall be Nil.

SECTION B: International Emergency Care & Assistance

24-Hour Emergency Medical Helpline

The services of an assistance helpline are available twenty-four (24) hours a day, three hundred sixty-five (365) days a year to assist *You* where possible with any *Medical Emergency* or *Emergency Medical Evacuation* covered under *Your Plan*. This service is provided by Global Response Ltd. and they will liaise with *Your Specialist* or *Medical Practitioner* in arranging *Your* admission to *Hospital*, emergency local ambulance transfers and air evacuations where *Medically Necessary*.

During an *Emergency Medical Evacuation*, *Our Plan Administrator* will co-ordinate evacuation to a *Qualified Facility* equipped to handle *Your Eligible Medical Condition*. A team of independently contracted pilots and medical professional will transport *You* as is medically required under the *Terms* of this *Plan*.

The 24-hour emergency medical telephone number is:

+44 (0) 2920 474 235

This service is provided by Global Response Ltd.

Please ensure that *You* or *Your* representative has the following information in hand when calling:

- Name of *Insured Person*
- Policy Number
- Telephone and/or fax number
- Location of *Insured Person*
- The medical *Emergency*

In the event of an *Emergency* or *Emergency* admission, please do not delay obtaining *Emergency Treatment*.

Subject to the *Terms* of this Policy Wording, including without limitation the *Excess*, *Co-Insurance*, and limits and *Sub-Limits* set forth in the *Schedule of Cover* applicable for *Your* chosen *Plan*, We will pay *Emergency Care & Assistance* Benefits and other *Eligible Charges* *You* incur as follows, when co-ordinated through and arranged by the *Plan Administrator* and as long as the costs, charges or expenses are *Reasonable and Customary* ("*Eligible Charges*"):

B1. Emergency Medical Evacuation

We will reimburse *You*, subject to the Lifetime *Maximum Limits* (independent of the *Maximum Limit* selected by *You*) as indicated in the *Schedule of Cover for Your Plan*, and other *Terms* of this *Plan*, including the Conditions and Restrictions set forth below, *Reasonable and Customary Charges* incurred by *You* arising out of, or in connection with *Your Pre-Certified Emergency Medical Evacuation* occurring while *Your Plan* is in effect and during the *Period of Insurance*:

- (1) *Emergency* air transportation to a suitable airport to the nearest appropriate medical facility within *Your* selected *Area of Cover* for the purpose of admission to *Hospital* where *You* will receive *Medically Necessary Treatment* directly related to an *Eligible Medical Condition*; and *Emergency* ground transportation necessarily preceding *Emergency* air transportation and from the destination airport to the *Hospital* where *You* will receive *Treatment*; and
- (2) Return ground and air transportation, upon medical release by the attending *Medical Practitioner*, to the country where the evacuation initially occurred or to the *Insured Person's Home Country*, at the *Insured Person's* option.

Conditions and Restrictions: To be eligible for coverage under this section, Emergency Medical Evacuation: Section B1:

- (a) *Your Eligible Medical Condition* is an *Emergency* and *You* must be in compliance with all *Terms* of this *Plan*; and
- (b) The *Medical Condition, Illness, Injury* or occurrence necessitating *Emergency Medical Evacuation* is covered under the *Terms* of this *Plan*; and
- (c) *Emergency Medical Evacuation* must be recommended by *Your* attending *Medical Practitioner*, who must provide certified instructions in writing to *Us* confirming that *Medically Necessary Treatment* for *Your Eligible Medical Condition* is not available locally and transportation by any other method may result in loss of *Your* life or limb based upon reasonable medical certainty; and
- (d) *You* or *Your Relative* agree to the *Emergency Medical Evacuation*; and
- (e) *Emergency Medical Evacuation* is subject to *Pre-Certification* and approved by *Us* prior to transportation and all arrangements must be coordinated and approved by *Us*; transportation will be limited to economy class unless it is *Medically Necessary* to do otherwise; and
- (f) The *Eligible Medical Condition, Illness, Injury* or occurrence giving rise to the *Emergency Medical Evacuation* occurred suddenly and/or spontaneously, and without: (i) advance warning, (ii) advance *Treatment*, diagnosis or recommendation for *Treatment* by a *Medical Practitioner*, or (iii) prior manifestation of symptoms or conditions which would have caused a prudent person to seek medical attention prior to the onset of the *Emergency*; and was not a *Pre-Existing Condition*.

We will arrange *Emergency Medical Evacuation* only to the nearest *Hospital* that is qualified to provide the *Medically Necessary Treatment* to prevent *Your* loss of life or limb.

The *Insured Person* may select a different *Hospital* in his/her *Home Country* at his/her option, but in such event, shall retain for the *Insured Person's* own account and responsibility all costs and expenses in excess of the amounts that would have been incurred to the nearest qualified *Hospital*. If a *Hospital* other than the nearest qualified *Hospital* is selected by the *Insured Person*, the attending *Medical Practitioner, Insured Person*, or a *Relative* of the *Insured Person* shall certify to *Us* the *Insured Person's* understanding and acknowledgement of such responsibility for excess costs and expenses in addition to the matters set forth in subsection (c) of the *Conditions and Restrictions* above. In all cases the *Plan Administrator* will make the necessary arrangements for the *Emergency Medical Evacuation*.

We will use *Our* best efforts to arrange with independent, third-party contractors any *Emergency Medical Evacuation* within the least amount of time reasonably possible. By acceptance of this *Plan* and request for *Emergency Medical Evacuation* coverage herein, the *Insured Person* understands and agrees that the timeliness, duration, and outcome of an *Emergency Medical Evacuation* can be affected by events and/or circumstances which are not within *Our* direct control or supervision, including but not limited to: availability and performance of competent transportation equipment and staff; delays or restrictions on flights or other modes of transportation caused by mechanical problems, government officials, telecommunications problems, non-availability of routes and/or other travel, geographical or weather conditions; and other acts of God and unforeseeable and/or uncontrollable occurrences. *You* agree to release and hold *Us, Our Plan Administrator, the Plan Manager* and *Our* agents and representatives harmless from, and agree that *We, Our Plan Administrator, the Plan Manager* and *Our* agents and representatives shall not be held liable for any delays, losses, damages, further *Injuries* or *Illnesses* or other claims that arise from or are caused by the acts or omissions of such independent third-party contractors, or that arise from or are caused by any acts, omissions, events or circumstances that are not within the direct and immediate supervision or control of *Us, Our Plan Administrator, the Plan Manager* and/or *Our* authorized agents and representatives, including without limitation the events and circumstances set forth above.

You further agree that upon seeking an *Emergency Medical Evacuation, You* will cooperate fully as required above and that failure to so cooperate and/or failure to use or accept *Emergency Medical Evacuation* once it has been arranged by *Us* will require the *Insured Person* to reimburse *Us* for costs incurred for any *Emergency Medical Evacuation* that was arranged, but not used, by the *Insured Person*. Furthermore, the *Insured Person* may be required to arrange for payment of any subsequent *Emergency Medical Evacuation* and seek reimbursement thereafter for eligible costs associated with that subsequent *Emergency Medical Evacuation*, and/or result in denial of future claims for *Emergency Medical Evacuation* or, at *Our* discretion, only reimbursement for eligible costs associated with any *Emergency Medical Evacuation* request subsequently made and paid for by *You*.

B2. Emergency Reunion

We will reimburse to an *Insured Person*, Emergency Reunion expenses up to the amount as shown in the *Schedule of Cover per Period of Insurance*, in cases where there has been an *Emergency Medical Evacuation* covered under the *Terms* of this *Plan* and the *Relative* or friend were not responsible for the *Injury* or *Illness*.

Subject to the applicable *Excess* and *Co-Insurance* and other limits and *Sub-Limits* as specified in the *Schedule of Cover*, and subject to the Conditions and Restrictions set forth below, the following *Pre-Certified* costs and expenses incurred in respect of travel by a *Relative* or friend of the *Insured Person* will be reimbursable to the *Insured Person* upon *Our* recommendation and prior approval:

- (1) the reasonable cost of a round-trip economy air ticket for one (1) *Relative* or friend from the airport nearest to the location of the *Relative* or friend at the time of the *Emergency* to the airport serving the area where the *Insured Person* is *Hospitalised* as a result of the *Emergency* or is to be *Hospitalised* as a result of the *Emergency Medical Evacuation* (to be determined pursuant to the *Terms* of subsection (c) of the Conditions and Restrictions, below), and return from whichever of such locations is actually selected to the point of the original departure; and
- (2) reasonable and necessary travel costs, meals (up to a maximum of \$25/£15/€20 per person, per day), transportation and accommodation expenses incurred in relation to the Emergency Reunion (but excluding entertainment).

Conditions and Restrictions:

- (a) The allowable period of coverage for the Emergency Reunion shall not exceed fifteen (15) days, including travel days, and all costs and expenses incurred beyond such *Period of Insurance* shall be retained for the sole account and responsibility of the *Insured Person*, *Relative*, or friend; and
- (b) The Emergency Reunion must be due to an *Emergency Medical Evacuation* covered under the *Terms* of this *Plan*; and
- (c) The *Insured Person* must be so seriously ill that the attending *Medical Practitioner* deems it necessary and recommends the presence of a *Relative* or friend at either the location where the *Insured Person* is being evacuated from or the destination of the evacuation, whichever is considered by the attending *Medical Practitioner* and *Us* to be the more reasonable; and
- (d) All Emergency Reunion travel, transportation and accommodation arrangements and benefits must be coordinated and approved in advance by *Us* in order to be eligible for coverage under this *Plan*; and
- (e) The *Insured Person*, *Relative* and/or friend must submit to *Us* upon completion of the Emergency Reunion travel, legible and verifiable copies of all paid receipts for the travel and transportation costs and expenses so incurred for which reimbursement is sought.

B3. Cremation/Burial or Repatriation of Remains

In the event *You* die during a *Period of Insurance* as a result of an *Eligible Medical Condition* while *You* are outside of *Your Home Country*, We will reimburse the authorised personal representative or *Your* estate for *Reasonable and Customary Charges* toward the costs of: transportation of *Your Mortal Remains* (but not including any costs of burial of *Your* body) from place of death to *Your Home Country* and thereafter to the place of burial or other final disposition (but not including any costs of burial or other disposition), provided that all transportation charges are *Pre-Certified* and coordinated by *Us*; or preparation, local burial or cremation of *Your Mortal Remains* at the place of death in accordance with the commonly recognised, accepted cultural and religious beliefs practiced by *You*.

Cover is not provided for burial and cremation costs incurred for religious practitioners, flowers, music, food or beverages. No cover is provided under this section, Cremation/Burial or Repatriation of Remains: Section B3, for any costs incurred where *Your* death has occurred within *Your Home Country*.

B4. Return of Minor Children

In the event the *Insured Person* is *Hospitalised* as an *In-Patient*, or dies, during the *Period of Insurance* as a result of an *Eligible Medical Condition* suffered during the *Period of Insurance*, and at the time of such *Hospitalisation* the *Insured Person* is travelling alone with a *Dependent Child* or *Children*, We will reimburse the *Insured Person's* actual expense up to the amount as shown in the *Schedule of Cover* for the costs of one-way economy airfare to return the *Dependent Child* or *Children* to their *Home Country*, including such costs for a chaperone if necessary for the safety of the *Dependent Child* or *Children*, subject to the following conditions and limitations:

- (1) The *Insured Person* must be outside the *Home Country* at the time of death or the *Hospitalisation* as an *In-Patient*; and
- (2) The return of the *Dependent Child* or *Children* must occur during the *Hospitalisation*; and
- (3) Reimbursable costs are only for one-way economy airfares from the International airport nearest to where the *Dependent Child* or *Children* were located at the time of the *Insured Person's* death or *Hospitalisation*, to the International airport nearest to the *Dependent Child's* or *Children's* principal residence in the *Home Country*; and
- (4) All travel and transportation arrangements for the *Dependent Child* or *Children* must be coordinated and approved in advance by *Us* in order to be eligible for coverage under this *Plan*; and

- (5) We will deduct from the return transportation benefits payable hereunder the value, if any, of the unused return ticket(s) held by or for the benefit of the *Dependent Child* or *Children* at the time of the *Insured Person's* death or *Hospitalisation*, which value the *Insured Person* and/or the *Dependent Child* or *Children* must attempt to receive credit for or apply towards the costs of the return trip.

We will not provide any benefits, reimbursements or coverage for any costs or expenses incurred by the *Insured Person* and/or by the *Dependent Child* or *Children* for a re-return trip, if any, to the original location of the *Dependent Child* or *Children* at the time of the death or *Hospitalisation*.

B5. Identity Theft Assistance

We will pay for *Your Reasonable, Customary and necessary* costs, solely and in direct relation to, a stolen identity event, occurring and incurred, during the *Period of Insurance* for:

- (1) Restoring, re-filing loan or other credit applications that are rejected;
- (2) Notarisation of legal documents, including replacement driving licenses, long distance telephone calls and postage that has been solely incurred as a result of reporting, amending and/or rectifying records;
- (3) Up to three (3) credit reports obtained from a credit reference agency within one (1) year of *Your* knowledge of the stolen identity event;
- (4) Stopped payment orders placed on missing or unauthorised cheques as a result of the stolen identity event.

Please Note: Cover is not provided where the Identity Theft Event was undertaken by a *Relative* of *You*. Coverage is not subject to *Excess* or *Co-Insurance*.

B6. Security & Political Evacuation

If the Bureau of Consular Affairs (or similar Governmental Organisation) or Local Embassy, of the Government of *Your Home Country* issues a mandatory evacuation order of all non-emergency governmental personnel from the *Host Country* in which *You* are located due to political unrest, that becomes effective on or after *Your* date of arrival in the *Host Country* and within *Your Period of Insurance*, We will pay, up to *Lifetime Limit* as shown in the *Schedule of Cover*, for the most appropriate and economical means of transportation, to the nearest place of safety or for repatriation to *Your Home Country* or *Country of Residence*; Provided that:

- (1) The evacuation order applies specifically to *You* and is in effect; and
- (2) *You* contact *Us* within ten (10) days of the evacuation order being issued; and
- (3) The Security and Political Evacuation is approved and co-ordinated by *Us*.

In no event will We pay for a Security and Political Evacuation if *Your Home Country* government issues a travel advisory or warning that travel is hazardous or not advised, covering the country in which *You* are travelling at the time of purchase or that is in effect on or within six months prior to *Your* date of arrival in the *Host Country*.

B7. Natural Disaster Evacuation & Accommodation

We will pay, up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover*, for *Your* reasonable, customary and necessary emergency travel, accommodation and subsistence costs solely and in direct relation to a *Natural Disaster*, arising during the *Period of Insurance* if *You* are displaced from planned, paid accommodation due to evacuation from forecasted *Natural Disaster*, or during or following a *Natural Disaster*. The evacuation must have been ordered by the responsible civil or military authorities governing the location of the predicted or actual *Natural Disaster*.

SECTION C: Additional Benefits

Subject to all the *Terms* of this Policy Wording, including the *Sub-limits* and *Lifetime Limits*, as indicated in the *Schedule of Cover*, We will pay the following:

C1. Terrorism Coverage

Subject to the *Terms* of Medical Exclusions: Section E(1)(2), We will pay or reimburse the *Insured Person* up to the amounts and *Lifetime Limit* shown in the *Schedule of Cover*, for *Eligible Charges* in total under this *Plan*, arising out of *Injury* or *Illness* incurred by the *Insured Person* as a result of, or in connection with, an Act of *Terrorism* whilst they are outside of their *Home Country* and during the *Period of Insurance*.

C2. Common Carrier Accidental Death

Subject to the *Terms* of this *Plan*, including the *Pre-Existing Conditions* exclusion as defined herein, in the event of the *Unexpected* death of an *Insured Person* during the *Period of Insurance* as a result of an *Injury* that was suffered due to an *Accident outside of their Home Country* that occurred during the *Period of Insurance* and while the *Insured Person* was travelling on a *Common Carrier*, We will pay a *Common Carrier* Accidental Death benefit up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover*; provided, however, that such *Common Carrier* Accidental Death benefits shall not exceed the Maximum Per Family shown in the *Schedule of Cover*, for those involved in the same *Accident*.

We will pay the benefit owed, upon proper application therefor, in the following order: (1) to the beneficiary designated in writing by the *Insured Person*, (2) to the *Insured Person's* closest surviving *Relative* in the following order: (a) spouse, (b) *Children*, (c)

issue of deceased *Children*, (d) parent(s), (e) siblings, (f) issue of siblings, (g) grandparents (h) siblings of parents, (3) the *Insured Person's* estate, (4) to a claimant entitled to payment under applicable small estate affidavit laws. Coverage is not subject to *Excess* or *Co-Insurance*.

C3. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D)

(1) **Accidental Death Benefit:** Subject to the *Terms* of this *Plan*, including all the Medical Exclusions contained in Section E, in the event of the *Unexpected* death of an *Insured Person* during the *Period of Insurance* as a result of a covered *Injury* that was suffered due to an *Accident* that occurred outside their *Home Country* during the *Period of Insurance*, regardless of whether or not a claim for medical expenses is submitted, *We* will pay the benefit owed, upon proper application therefor, in the following order: (1) to the beneficiary designated in writing by the *Insured Person*, (2) to the *Insured Person's* closest surviving *Relative* in the following order: (a) spouse, (b) *Children*, (c) issue of deceased *Children*, (d) parent(s), (e) siblings, (f) issue of siblings, (g) grandparents, (h) siblings of parents, (3) the *Insured Person's* estate; (4) to a claimant entitled to payment under applicable small estate affidavit laws. The Accidental Death Benefit up to the Principal Sum Amount as shown in the *Schedule of Cover* based upon the following schedule:

Accidental Death Benefit (aged under eighteen (18) years):	\$5,000/£3,000/€3,750
Accidental Death Benefit (aged eighteen (18) to sixty-five (65) years):	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
Accidental Death Benefit (aged sixty-six (66) to sixty-nine (69) years):	\$10,000/£6,000/€7,500

(2) **Dismemberment:** Subject to the *Terms* of this *Plan*, including all the Medical Exclusions contained in Section E, in the event of an *Unexpected* dismemberment/loss suffered by an *Insured Person*, as detailed below, during the *Period of Insurance* as a result of an *Injury* or *Illness* that was suffered due to an *Accident* that occurred outside their *Home Country* during the *Period of Insurance*, *We* will pay to the *Insured Person* the applicable loss/dismemberment benefit as specified below.

<u>Loss</u>	<u>Benefit</u>
Dismemberment Benefit (aged under eighteen (18) years):	\$5,000/£3,000/€3,750
Dismemberment Benefit (aged eighteen (18) to sixty-five (65) years):	
Sight of one eye	\$12,500/£8,000/ €10,000
One hand or one foot	\$12,500/£8,000/€10,000
One hand and the loss of sight of one eye	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
One foot and the loss of sight of one eye	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
One hand and one foot	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
Both hands or both feet	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
Sight of both eyes	\$25,000/£16,000/€20,000
Dismemberment Benefit (aged sixty-six (66) to sixty-nine (69) years):	\$5,000/£3,000/€3,750

The maximum benefit payable for all dismemberment or losses resulting from any one (1) *Accident* or *Injury* shall not exceed \$25,000/£16,000/ €20,000.

The loss of a hand or foot means the complete severance at or above the wrist or ankle joint. The loss of sight means the entire and irrecoverable loss of sight.

Coverage is not subject to *Excess* or *Co-Insurance*.

C4. Citizenship Return Coverage

Your Plan provides coverage for trips to *Your Country of Citizenship*, subject to the *Terms* of *Your Plan*, anywhere within *Your Area of Cover*, including *Your Country of Citizenship* provided it is within *Your Area of Cover* and during a *Period of Insurance*.

For USA Citizens: Cover is provided for up to a maximum of no more than sixty (60) days per any twelve (12) month *Period of Insurance* for brief returns to the USA provided that *You*:

- (1) maintain a current health plan in force; and
- (2) have resided outside the USA continuously for the past six (6) months prior to arrival in the USA.
- (3) *Your Area of Cover* is Worldwide.

No coverage is available after the *Termination Date* of *Your Certificate of Insurance*.

C5. Incidental Home Trip Coverage

Your Plan provides eligible coverage for, up to a cumulative of fourteen (14) days in total during the *Period of Insurance* for an *Insured Person* during incidental return trips to their *Home Country* ("*Incidental Trips*"), beginning with the date the *Insured Person* first arrives back in his/her *Home Country*. Subject to the following conditions and limitations:

- (1) The *Insured Person* has departed their *Home Country* prior to any *Incidental Trip*; and

- (2) The *Insured Person* has timely paid applicable *Premium* for at least thirty (30) days of continuous coverage; and
- (3) The intention or purpose of the *Insured Person's* return trip to the *Home Country* is not to receive *Treatment* for an *Illness* or *Injury* incurred or sustained while travelling outside of their *Home Country*; and
- (4) The *Insured Person's* return trip to the *Home Country* does not result in receiving *Treatment* for an *Illness* or *Injury* incurred or sustained while travelling outside of their *Home Country*; and
- (5) The *Insured Person*, at the commencement of the *Incidental Trip* to the *Home Country*, was planning to depart the *Home Country* within less than fifteen (15) days from the date of arrival back in the *Home Country*; and

No coverage is available after the *Termination Date of Your Certificate of Insurance*.

SECTION D. Travel Benefits

Subject to the *Terms* of this Policy Wording, including without limitation the *Excess*, and limits set forth in the *Schedule of Cover*, We will pay travel charges and expenses *You* incur during the *Period of Insurance* or any applicable *Coverage Extension Period* sustained by the *Insured Person* during the *Period of Insurance* and while *Your Certificate of Insurance* is in effect:

D1. Cancellation or Curtailment

Cover under this section, Cancellation or *Curtailment*. Section D1, for Cancellation starts from the *Purchase Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance* or the date travel is booked, whichever is the later and ends on *Your Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. Cover under this section for Curtailment starts from the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. *You* are covered up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* for *Your* part of the unused travel and accommodation costs (including unused pre-booked excursions and course fees) that have been paid or where there is a contract to pay that cannot be recovered from anywhere else if it is necessary to cancel or *Curtail* the planned *Trip* because of any of the following events involving *You* or a *Travelling Companion* that first occur during the *Period of Insurance* and after *Your* planned *Trip* had been booked:

- (1) the accidental bodily *Injury*, *Unexpected Illness* or death of *You*, *Your Travelling Companion*, *Your Business Colleague* or person with whom *You* intended to stay.
- (2) the accidental bodily *Injury*, *Unexpected Illness* or death of *Your Relative* or the *Relative* of *Your Travelling Companion*, a *Business Colleague* or person with whom *You* intended to stay.
- (3) receipt of a summons for jury service during the planned *Trip*, being subpoenaed as a court witness for testimony during the planned *Trip* or being placed in compulsory quarantine.
- (4) *Unexpected* requirement for emergency and unavoidable duty as a member of the armed forces, police, fire, nursing, ambulance or coastguard services resulting in cancellation of previously agreed leave.
- (5) redundancy, provided that *You* are entitled to payment under the current redundancy payments legislation and that at the time of booking *Your Trip* *You* had no reason to believe that *You* would be made redundant. *You* must have had two (2) years continuous employment with that employer.
- (6) *Your* presence being required to make *Your* property safe and secure following fire, flood or burglary that causes serious damage at *Your Home* within forty-eight (48) hours prior to *Your* departure, or whilst *You* are away.
- (7) *Your* car becoming unusable as a result of theft, fire or accident within seven (7) days prior to *Your* departure. This only applies if *You* are planning to go on a self-drive *Trip* in the car.

You are not covered for:

- (a) the amount of the *Excess* shown in the *Schedule of Cover*.
- (b) anything not included in items (1-7) of this section.
- (c) any directly or indirectly related claims if at the time this insurance was arranged and each time *You* make arrangements for a *Trip*:
 - (i) *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* have or had been given a terminal diagnosis, or
 - (ii) *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* plan or were planning to travel against the advice of a *Medical Practitioner* or travelling specifically to seek medical *Treatment* while *You* are away, or
 - (iii) *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* know *You* or they will need, medical *Treatment* while *You* are away, or
 - (iv) *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* are aware of *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* need for an operation or course of *Treatment* at a *Hospital* or clinic or *You* have any undiagnosed symptoms that require tests or investigation or *You* are awaiting the results of any tests or investigations.
- (d) any directly or indirectly related claims if, within the last twelve (12) months prior to *Your Departure Date*, *You* or *Your Travelling Companions* have suffered from, been investigated for, *Treated* for or diagnosed with;
 - (i) any cancer or malignant condition.

- (ii) any lung related condition (other than stable, well controlled asthma that requires no more than two (2) medications, including inhalers).
- (iii) any heart related condition (including angina).
- (iv) any *Existing Medical Condition*, as defined.
- (e) any claim related to the health of a non-traveller if you made arrangements for *Your Trip* in the knowledge that their state of health was likely to cause *You* to cancel or amend *Your* travel plans, unless agreed by *Us* and confirmed in writing.
- (f) any costs incurred in respect of visas obtained in connection with the *Trip*.
- (g) disinclination to travel.
- (h) failure to obtain the necessary passport, visa or permit for *Your Trip*.
- (i) the cost of this policy.
- (j) claims arising from *Your* anxiety, stress, depression or any other *Mental or Nervous Disorder* unless *You* provide a medical certificate from a registered mental health professional stating that this necessarily prevented *You* from travelling.
- (k) the cost of *Your* unused original tickets where *Our* nominated emergency service or *We* have arranged and paid for *You* to come *Home* following *Curtailment* of the *Trip*. If, however, *You* have not purchased a return ticket, *We* reserve the right to deduct the cost of an economy flight from any additional costs *We* have incurred which are *Medically Necessary* to repatriate *You* to *Your Home*.

Please note that *Curtailment* claims will be calculated from the day *You* return to *Your Home Country*, or *You* are admitted to *Hospital* as an *In-Patient*, so that *You* lose the benefit of accommodation *You* have paid for, or *You* are confined to *Your* accommodation. *Your* claim will be based solely on the number of complete nights' accommodation lost. In respect of travel expenses, *We* will pay for any additional costs but not for the loss of *Your* pre-booked arrangements.

It is a requirement of this insurance that if *You*;

- (a) for cancellation: become aware of any circumstances which make it necessary for *You* to cancel your *Trip*, *You* must advise all parties with whom *You* have made pre-booked arrangements in writing within seventy-two (72) hours of the event causing need to cancel. If the event delays the reporting of the cancellation by beyond seventy-two (72) hours, the event should be reported as soon as possible. All other delays of reporting beyond seventy-two (72) hours will result in reduced benefit payments. The maximum amount *We* will pay will be limited to the applicable cancellation charges at that time.
- (b) for *Curtailment*: wish to return *Home* earlier than *Your* original plans and claim any additional costs under this insurance, *You* must contact *Our* customer service and obtain their agreement to the new arrangements. Failure to do so will affect the assessment of *Your* claim.

D2. Travel Delay

Cover under this section, Travel Delay: Section D2, starts on the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*.

- (1) Travel delay: *You* are covered up to the amounts (a), (b) and (c) shown in the *Schedule of Cover* if the departure of the *Common Carrier* on which *You* are booked to travel is delayed by at least twelve (12) hours: (a) for the first complete twelve (12) hour period of delay and (b) for each subsequent complete twelve (12) hour period, up to the maximum payable (c).
- (2) Abandonment: However, if *Your* departure from *Your Home Country* is delayed for more than twelve (12) hours and *You* choose to abandon *Your Trip*, instead of a payment for delay, *You* are covered for the cost of the *Trip*, up to the maximum claimable under Cancellation or *Curtailment*. Section D1 in the Summary *Schedule of Cover* and Plan Highlights.

You are not covered:

- (a) for a claim caused by a strike if it had started or been announced before *You* arranged this insurance or booked *Your Trip*, whichever is the earlier.
- (b) if *You* fail to check-in on time.
- (c) if transport services are withdrawn as the result of a recommendation or instruction from the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or similar body.
- (d) for the amount of the *Excess* shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of each claim for abandonment.
- (e) for any claims arising from a volcanic ash cloud.
- (f) to claim under this section, Travel Delay: Section D2, if *You* have claimed under Missed Departure & Journey Disruption from the same cause.

D3. Missed Departure & Journey Disruption

Cover under this section, Missed Departure & Journey Disruption: Section D3, starts on the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. You are covered up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* for necessary additional travel and accommodation expenses that You incur.

- (1) Missed Departure: To get You to *Your Trip* destination if You arrive at any departure point shown in *Your* pre-booked itinerary too late to board the *Common Carrier* on which You are booked to travel as a result of:
 - (a) the failure of a *Common Carrier*, or
 - (b) a road traffic accident or vehicle *Breakdown* delaying the vehicle in which You are travelling.
- (2) Catastrophe: Because You are forced to move from pre-booked accommodation to continue *Your Trip* or, if the *Trip* cannot be continued, to return *Home* as a result of:
 - (a) fire, lightning or explosion rendering the pre-booked accommodation uninhabitable,
 - (b) local medical epidemic or directive from a qualified national or local authority directly affecting the area where the pre-booked accommodation is,
 - (c) hurricane, storm or other *Natural Disaster* that threatens *Your* safety such that official evacuation orders are issued or that the pre-booked accommodation is rendered uninhabitable, or
 - (d) civil unrest, rebellion or war directly affecting the area where You are.
- (3) Alternative Travel & Accommodation Arrangements: To get You to *Your Trip* destination if the transport arrangements that You originally booked are cancelled or will be delayed by more than twenty-four (24) hours beyond the departure time shown in *Your* itinerary because of:
 - (a) a serious fire, storm or flood damage to the departure point.
 - (b) industrial action or strike.
 - (c) bad weather.
 - (d) mechanical *Breakdown* of the international train or sea vessel.
 - (e) grounding of the aircraft due to a mechanical or structural defect.
 - (f) withdrawal of *Common Carrier* services or closure of any airport, sea port or railway station from which You are booked to travel on the instructions of a competent national or local authority, or
 - (g) the financial failure of the transport provider.

You are not covered:

- (a) for the amount of the *Excess* shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of each claim.
- (b) for a claim caused by a strike if it had started or been announced before You arranged this insurance or booked *Your Trip*, whichever is the earlier.
- (c) to claim under this section, Missed Departure & Journey Disruption: Section D3, if You have claimed under Travel Delay, from the same cause.
- (d) *Your* own decision not to stay in *Your* pre-booked accommodation when the official directives from qualified national or local authorities state it is safe and acceptable to do so, unless the Foreign and Commonwealth Office deem otherwise.
- (e) any costs, expenses or compensation recoverable from a tour operator, airline, hotel or other service provider or that they are legally liable to pay.
- (f) any amounts recoverable from any other insurance policy, bond, credit/debit card provider or from any other source.
- (g) any extra costs incurred for accommodation or transport of a higher standard or fare category than that which You originally booked.
- (h) any expenses that would normally have been incurred during *Your Trip*.
- (i) any claim where You were travelling against the advice of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office or other national or local authorities.
- (j) any claims arising from a volcanic ash cloud.
- (k) any claim where the circumstances giving rise to the claim were a matter of public knowledge prior to *Your* departure for that area.
- (l) any claims unless:

- (i) *You* had planned to arrive at *Your* departure point in advance of *Your* earliest scheduled check-in time and provide a written report from the *Common Carrier*, police or relevant transport authority confirming the delay and stating its cause.
- (ii) *You* provide a report from the repairers if *Your* claim is because of *Breakdown* or accident to *Your* car.
- (iii) *You* provide a statement from the appropriate local authority and/or accommodation provider confirming the reason, nature and duration of the catastrophe leading to a claim under this section, Missed Departure & Journey Disruption: Section D3.
- (iv) *You* contacted *Our* nominated emergency service and obtained their prior authority before *You* made any arrangements to return *Home* by any means other than *Your* original pre-booked transport.

D4. Baggage

Cover under this section, Baggage: Section D4, starts on the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. *You* are covered up to the amounts shown in the *Schedule of Cover*, after making reasonable allowance for wear, tear and depreciation for the loss or theft of, or damage to:

(1) *Your Baggage*,

(2) *Your Valuables*.

You are also covered up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of emergency purchases for the cost of buying necessary items (for example clothing, medication and toiletries) if *You* are deprived of *Your Baggage* for more than twelve (12) hours after arrival at *Your* outbound destination. *You* must provide receipts for the items that *You* buy. If *Your Baggage* is permanently lost, any amount that *We* pay for emergency purchases will be deducted from the total claim.

You are not covered for:

- (a) the amount of the *Excess* shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of each claim, except for emergency purchases.
- (b) more than the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* for any one (1) item, pair or set in respect of *Baggage* and *Valuables*.
- (c) any additional value an item may have because it forms part of a pair or set.
- (d) more than \$125/£100/€100 in total for *Baggage* stolen from an *Unattended* motor vehicle between the hours of 8 PM and 8 AM or, if the theft occurs at any other time of day, unless the vehicle is being used for travel between different points of overnight accommodation.
- (e) loss or theft of or damage to *Valuables* whilst *Unattended* unless locked in a hotel safe (or equivalent facility) or locked in *Your* private accommodation.
- (f) breakage of fragile articles unless caused by fire or by an accident to the aeroplane, ship or vehicle in which they are being carried.
- (g) loss or theft of or damage:
 - (i) to household goods, bicycles, waterborne craft and their fittings of any kind.
 - (ii) to motor vehicles, trailers or caravans or any fixtures, fittings or accessories therein or thereon.
 - (iii) to watersports and *Ski Equipment*.
 - (iv) to contact lenses, dentures and hearing aids.
 - (v) to *Baggage* in transit unless reported to the carrier immediately and a written Property Irregularity Report is obtained.
 - (vi) to *Baggage* sent by post, freight or any other form of unaccompanied transit.
 - (vii) to sports clothes and equipment whilst in use.
 - (viii) caused by moth or vermin or by gradual wear and tear in normal use.
 - (ix) caused by any process of cleaning, repairing or restoring.
 - (x) caused by leakage of powder or fluid from containers carried in *Your Baggage*.
- (h) mechanical or electrical *Breakdown*.
- (i) more than \$65/£50/€50 in respect of sunglasses unless substantiated by the original purchase receipt pre-dating the loss.

D5. Personal Money

Cover under this section, Personal Money: Section D5, starts at the time of collection from the bank, or seventy-two (72) hours prior to the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*, whichever is the later. *You* are covered up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* for loss or theft of *Personal Money*.

You are not covered for:

- (a) the amount of the *Excess* shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of each claim.
- (b) loss or theft from an *Unattended* motor vehicle at any time.
- (c) more than the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* in respect of all cash carried by *You* whoever it may belong to.
- (d) any loss resulting from shortages due to error, omission or depreciation in value.
- (e) loss or theft of *Personal Money* whilst *Unattended* unless locked in a hotel safe (or equivalent facility) or locked in *Your* private accommodation.

D6. Loss of Passport

Cover under this section, Loss of Passport: Section D6, starts on the *Departure Date* shown on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. *You* are covered up to the amount shown in the *Schedule of Cover* following loss or theft of *Your* passport for any additional necessary travel and accommodation costs, including the cost of any emergency passports, visas or permits incurred to enable *You* to continue *Your Trip* or return to *Your Home Country*.

You are not covered for:

- (a) loss or theft either from an *Unattended* motor vehicle at any time or from *Baggage* whilst in transit unless *You* are carrying the *Baggage* containing *Your* passport.
- (b) the cost of a permanent replacement for the passport itself.

SECTION E. Medical Exclusions

We will not pay any charges, fees, costs, expenses and/or claims (collectively called "charges") *You* incur which directly or indirectly relate to, or arise from, or are in connection with any of the following acts, omissions, events, conditions, charges, consequences, claims, *Treatments* (including diagnosis, consultations, tests, examinations, and evaluations related thereto), services and/or supplies are expressly excluded from coverage under this *Plan*, and *We* shall provide no benefits or reimbursements and shall have no liability or obligation for any coverage thereof or herefor:

(1) War; Military Action: Subject to the *Terms* of Terrorism Coverage: Section C1 above and Medical Exclusions: E(2) below, *We* shall not be liable for and will provide coverage or benefits for any claim or charges incurred with respect to any *Illness*, *Injury* or other consequence, whether directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely occasioned by, contributed to by, or traceable to or arising or incurred in connection with or as a result of any of the following acts or events (collectively, "Occurrences"):

- (a) War or any act of war (whether declared or not), invasion, act of foreign enemy hostilities, warlike operations, civil war;
- (b) Mutiny, riot, strike, military or popular uprising, insurrection, rebellion, revolution, military or usurped power;
- (c) Attempted overthrow of government, any act of any person acting on behalf of or in connection with any organisation with activities directed towards the overthrow by force of the government de jure or de facto or to the influencing of it by violence of any type;
- (d) Martial law or state of siege or any events or causes which determine the proclamation or maintenance of martial law or state of siege; or
- (e) Any use of any radiological, chemical, nuclear or biological weapons or any other radiological, chemical, nuclear or biological events of any type (including in connection with an act of *Terrorism*).

Any claim, charges, *Illness*, *Injury* or other consequence happening or arising during the existence of abnormal conditions (whether physical or otherwise), whether or not directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely occasioned by, or contributed to by, traceable to, or arising in connection with, any of the said Occurrences shall be deemed and considered to be consequences for which *We* shall not be liable under this *Plan*, except to the extent that *You* shall prove that such claim, charges, *Illness*, *Injury* or other consequence happened independently of the existence of such abnormal conditions and/or Occurrences.

(2) Terrorism: *We* shall not be liable for and will not provide coverage or benefits in excess of a \$50,000/£30,000/€40,000 lifetime maximum benefit for any claim or charges, *Illness*, *Injury* or other consequence, whether directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely occasioned by, contributed to by, or traceable to or arising in connection with any act of *Terrorism*; and provided, further, *We* shall not be liable for and will not provide any coverage or benefits for any claim, charges, *Illness*, *Injury* or other consequence, whether directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely occasioned by, contributed to by, or traceable to or arising in connection with the following:

- (a) the *Insured Person's* active and voluntary planning or coordination of or participation in any act of *Terrorism*; and/or
- (b) any act of *Terrorism* that takes place in a location, post, area, territory or country for which the United States Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs and/or the Government of *Your Country of Citizenship*, issued a *Travel Warning* that was in effect on or within six (6) months prior to the *Insured Person's* date of arrival in said location, post, area, territory or country; and/or

- (c) any act of *Terrorism* that takes place in a location, post, area, territory or country for which the United States Department of State, Bureau of Consular Affairs and/or the Government of *Your Country of Citizenship*, issues a *Travel Warning* that becomes effective or is in effect on or after the *Insured Person's* date of arrival in said location, post, area, territory or country, and the *Insured Person* unreasonably fails or refuses to heed such warning and thereafter remains in said location, post, area, territory or country.
- (3) Any charges arising or resulting directly or indirectly from or relating to any *Pre-Existing Condition*.
- (4) Any charges incurred by *You* for *Treatment* or supplies within *Your Home Country*, or whilst outside the *Area of Cover* are excluded, other than as expressly provided for under Citizenship Return Coverage: Section C4 or Incidental Home Trip Coverage: Section C5 and/or General Conditions: End of Trip Home Country Coverage Section G17.
- (5) Maternity, *Pregnancy* and *Newborn* care, including charges for pre-natal care, delivery, post-natal care, and care of *Newborns*, including complications of *Pregnancy*, miscarriage, complications of delivery and/or complications of *Newborns*.
- (6) *Treatment of Mental or Nervous Disorders*.
- (7) *Charges* for any *Treatment*, service or supply that is:
- (a) not incurred, obtained or received by an *Insured Person* during the *Period of Insurance*;
 - (b) not presented to *Us* for payment by way of a complete Proof of Claim within ninety (90) days of the date such *Charges* are incurred;
 - (c) not administered or ordered by a *Medical Practitioner*;
 - (d) not *Medically Necessary*;
 - (e) provided at no cost to the *Insured Person* or for which the *Insured Person* is not otherwise liable;
 - (f) in excess of *Reasonable and Customary Charges*;
 - (g) incurred by an *Insured Person* who was HIV + on or before the *Departure Date* of this *Plan* relating to or arising or resulting directly or indirectly from HIV, *AIDS* virus, *AIDS* related *Illness*, *ARC* Syndrome, *AIDS* and/or any other *Illness* arising or resulting from any complications or consequences of any of the foregoing conditions; whether or not the *Insured Person* had knowledge of their HIV status prior to the *Departure Date*, and whether or not the *Charges* are incurred in relation to or as a result of said status;
 - (h) provided by or at the direction or recommendation of a Chiropractor, unless ordered in advance by a *Medical Practitioner*;
 - (i) performed or provided by a *Relative* of the *Insured Person*;
 - (j) not expressly included as *Eligible Charges* within a section of Cover of this *Plan*, above;
 - (k) provided by a person who resides or has resided with the *Insured Person* or in the *Insured Person's Home*;
 - (l) required or recommended as a result of complications or consequences arising from or related to any *Treatment, Injury, Illness* or supply which is excluded from cover or which is otherwise not insured under *Your Plan*;
 - (m) any *In-Patient Treatment* which could have been provided on a *Day-Patient* basis or as an *Out-Patient*.
- (8) For *Congenital Disorders* and conditions arising out of or resulting there from.
- (9) Charges for Telephone consultations except *Telemedicine* consultations through an established *Telemedicine* protocol system will be considered individually based on *Medical Necessity* and appropriateness as determined by *Us* under the *Plan*; completion of *Treatment*; completion of claim forms; or *Your* failure to keep a scheduled appointment.
- (10) Charges incurred for Surgeries or *Treatment* or supplies which are:
- (a) *Investigational, Experimental*, or for research purposes, and/or
 - (b) related to genetic medicine, genetic testing, surveillance testing and/or wellness screening procedures for genetically predisposed conditions indicated by genetic medicine or genetic testing, including, but not limited to amniocentesis, genetic screening, risk assessment, preventive and prophylactic surgeries recommended by genetic testing, and/or any procedures used to determine pre-disposition, provide genetic counselling, or administration of gene therapy.
- (11) Rest cures, institutionalisation, isolation, quarantine, or sanatorium care.
- (12) Confinement primarily to receive *Custodial Care, Educational or Rehabilitative Care*.
- (13) Education or training aimed at restoring *Your* ability to function in a normal or near normal manner following a *Medical Condition*; including, but not limited to, vocational therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy.
- (14) *Treatment* or supply received in a health hydro, nature cure clinic, spa, health farm or similar establishment, or private bed registered as a nursing home attached to such establishment or a *Hospital* where the *Hospital* has effectively become *Your Home* or permanent abode or where admission is arranged wholly or partly for domestic reasons.
- (15) Charges incurred for any *Surgery, Treatment* or supplies relating to, arising from or in connection with, for, or as a result of:

- (a) weight loss or weight modification, obesity (including without limitation morbid obesity), including without limitation wiring of the teeth and all forms or procedures of bariatric Surgery by whatever name called, or reversal thereof, including without limitation intestinal bypass, gastric bypass, gastric banding, vertical banded gastroplasty, biliopancreatic diversion, duodenal switch, or stomach reduction or stapling; or the reversal by *Surgery* of any such *Treatment*; or removal of fat or other surplus tissue from any part of the body, whether or not for medical or psychological purposes, and any associated consequent *Treatment*;
- (b) Any medical prescription relating to a special diet, weight control, *Children's food*, baby supplies or vitamin/mineral supplements (unless expressly covered herein); or any alternative medicine (such as chiropractors, optometrists and podiatrists, non-prescription medicines, vitamins, food extracts, or nutritional supplements); vitamin or herbal therapy; *Drugs* not approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, European Medicines Agency, or which are considered "off label" use; non-*Drugs* or medicines, or *Drugs* or medicines not prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner*;
- (c) modification of the physical body in order to change or improve or attempt to change or improve the physical appearance or psychological, mental or emotional well-being of the *Insured Person* (such as but not limited to sex-change *Surgery* or *Surgery* relating to sexual performance or enhancement thereof);
- (d) *Treatment* to correct or deal with a problem that arises out of any *Treatment* *You* receive if the charges incurred by *You* for that *Treatment* were not covered under the *Terms of Your Plan*;
- (e) elective *Surgery* or *Treatment* of any kind;
- (f) cosmetic or aesthetic reasons, whether or not for psychological purposes, except for reconstructive *Surgery* when such *Surgery* is *Medically Necessary* and is directly related to and follows a *Surgery* which was covered under this *Plan*; or ear or body piercing;
- (g) any *Illness* or *Injury* sustained while taking part in: *Amateur Athletics*, *Professional Athletics*, athletic activity that is sponsored or sanctioned by any collegiate sanctioning or governing body, or the International Olympic Committee, and adventure sports and activities, including, without limitation the following (including any combination or derivative of the following): abseiling; mountaineering activities where specialised climbing equipment, ropes or guides are normally or reasonably should have been used; athletic or sporting activities (except for activities that are non-contact, non-professional, and engaged in by *You* solely for recreational, entertainment or fitness purposes); aviation (except when travelling solely as a passenger in a commercial aircraft); motocross (MOTO-X); BMX; BASE jumping; bobsledding; bungee jumping; canyoning; caving; hang gliding; heli-skiing; high diving; hot air ballooning; inline skating; jet skiing; jungle zip lining; kiteboarding; kayaking; luge; mountain biking; parachuting; paragliding; parascending; rappelling; racing of any kind including without limitation by horse, motor or other vehicle (of any type) or motorcycle; rock climbing; any rodeo activity; ski jumping; sky diving; snow skiing except for recreational downhill and/or cross country snow skiing (provided that there is no coverage for any *Illness* or *Injury* sustained while skiing in violation of applicable laws, rules or regulations, away from prepared and marked in-bound territories, and/or against the advice of the local ski school or local authoritative body); snowboarding; snowmobiling; spelunking; surfing; trekking; whitewater rafting; windsurfing; wildlife safaris; and subaqua pursuits involving underwater breathing apparatus below a depth of ten (10) meters. Practice or training in preparation for any excluded activity which results in *Illness* or *Injury* will be considered as activity while taking part in such activity; and/or
- (h) any *Medical Condition* sustained while participating in any sporting, recreational or adventure activity where such activity is undertaken against the advice or direction of any local authority or any qualified instructor or contrary to the rules, recommendations and procedures of a recognised governing body for the sport or activity;
- (i) any *Medical Condition* sustained while participating in any activity where such activity is undertaken in disregard of or against the recommendations, *Treatment* programmes, or medical advice of a *Medical Practitioner* or other healthcare provider;
- (j) *Treatment* of *Alcohol and Substance Abuse*;
- (k) any *Medical Condition* sustained as a result of being under the influence of or due wholly or partly to the effects of alcohol, liquor, intoxicating substances, narcotics or *Drugs*, other than *Drugs* taken in strict accordance with *Treatment* prescribed and directed by a *Medical Practitioner*, but not for the *Treatment* of *Substance Abuse*;
- (l) any *Medical Condition* sustained while operating a moving vehicle after consumption of intoxicating liquor or *Drugs* other than *Drugs* taken in strict accordance with *Treatment* prescribed and directed by a *Medical Practitioner*. For purposes of this exclusion, "vehicle" shall include both motorised devices regardless of whether or not a driver or operator license is required (including watercraft and aircraft) and non-motorized bicycles and scooters for which no permit or license is required;
- (m) Suicide or attempted suicide, or any wilfully *Self-inflicted Injury* or *Illness*, or wilful exposure to danger (other than in an attempt to save human life);
- (n) any venereal disease or any other sexually transmitted disease;
- (o) any testing for the following: HIV, seropositivity to the *AIDS* virus, *AIDS* related *Illnesses*, *ARC Syndrome*, *AIDS*;
- (p) any *Medical Condition* resulting from or occurring during the commission of a violation of law by the *Insured Person*, including, without limitation, the engaging in an illegal or malicious occupation or act, but excluding minor traffic violations;

- (q) Professional services performed by a psychotherapist, psychologist, family therapist or bereavement counsellor for the *Treatment* for learning difficulties, hyperactivity, attention deficit disorder, developmental or behavioural problems in *Children*; or speech, vocational, occupational, biofeedback, acupuncture, recreational, sleep or music therapy;
 - (r) orthoptics, visual therapy or visual eye training;
 - (s) any *Illness* or *Treatment* of the feet, including without limitation: orthopaedic shoes; orthopaedic prescription devices to be attached to or placed in shoes; *Treatment* of weak, strained, flat, unstable or unbalanced feet; metatarsalgia, bone spurs, hammer toes or bunions; and any *Treatment* or supplies for corns, calluses or toenails; provided, however, that claims for *Treatment* or supplies for the feet may be eligible for coverage under this insurance at *Our* sole option and subject to all other *Terms* of this *Plan* when related to:
 - (i) an *Injury* to the foot arising from an *Accident* covered hereunder;
 - (ii) an *Illness* for which foot *Surgery* is *Medically Necessary* and determined to be the only appropriate method of *Treatment*;
 - (t) hair loss, including without limitation wigs, hair *Treatments*, hair transplants or any *Drug* that promises to promote hair growth, whether or not prescribed by a *Medical Practitioner*;
 - (u) Any sleep disorder, including sleep apnoea (temporarily stopping breathing during sleeping), snoring, fatigue, jet lag or work related stress;
 - (v) any exercise programme, whether or not prescribed or recommended by a *Medical Practitioner*;
 - (w) Exposure to any non-medical nuclear or atomic radiation, and/or radioactive material(s), chemical contamination or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear material whatsoever or from the combustion of nuclear fuel, asbestosis or any related condition;
 - (x) any organ or tissue or other transplant or related services, *Treatment* or supplies;
 - (y) any artificial or mechanical devices designed to replace human organs temporarily or permanently;
 - (z) any efforts to keep a donor alive for a transplant procedure;
- (16)** *Charges* incurred for any *Treatment* or supply that either promotes or prevents or attempts to promote or prevent conception or birth; including but not limited to: birth control, sterilisation (or its reversal), vasectomy (or its reversal), contraception, infertility, fertility, surrogacy or abortion, oral contraceptives, artificial insemination, *Treatment* for infertility or any form of assisted conception or assisted reproduction or any complication thereof including but not limited to premature or multiple births following assisted conception.
- (17)** *Charges* incurred for any *Treatment* or supply that either promotes, enhances, prevents or corrects or attempts to promote, enhance, prevent or correct impotency, sexual performance or sexual dysfunction or any consequence thereof.
- (18)** *Charges* incurred for *Dental Treatment* (except as provided for under Dental Injury due to Accident: Section A10 and Sudden Dental Pain: Section A11; Orthodontic *Treatment*, gingivitis, gum disease of any kind, or periodontitis; damage to dentures whilst not being worn; dental veneers (unless as a result of damage to existing veneers as a result of an *Accident*); tooth whitening of any kind; missed dental appointments; *Charges* for services and supplies (to include crowns, dentures and bridges) to replace extracted or missing teeth prior to coverage.
- (19)** *Treatment*, supplies, examination or fitting related to vision correcting spectacles, eyeglasses or contact lenses; eye refraction for any reason; non-medical or natural degenerative eye defects, including but not limited to myopia, presbyopia and astigmatism; or any corrective *Surgery* for non-medical or natural degenerative sight defects and eye *Surgery*, such as but not limited to radial keratotomy, when the primary purpose is to correct or attempt to correct nearsightedness, farsightedness, or astigmatism. However, *We* will pay *Eligible Charges* for corrective sight *Surgery* consequent of an *Injury*.
- (20)** *Treatment*, supplies, examination or fitting related to hearing aids; providing, maintaining or fitting any hearing *Implants* or hearing transplants; or any corrective *Surgery* for non-medical or natural degenerative hearing defects.
- (21)** *Charges* incurred for *Treatment* of the temporomandibular joint, unless required as a result of an *Accident*.
- (22)** *Charges* incurred for any immunisations and/or *Routine Physical Exams*.
- (23)** *Charges* incurred for *Illness* or *Injury* where the trip to the *Host Country* is undertaken for the purpose of securing medical *Treatment* or advice for such *Illness* or *Injury*.
- (24)** *Charges* incurred for any travel, meals, transportation and/or accommodations, except as otherwise expressly provided for in this *Plan*.
- (25)** Any taxes, involuntary or forced contributions, assessments, charges, fees or surcharges imposed by any governmental agency or authority;
- (a) arising out of or as a result of any *Treatment* or supplies received by the *Insured Person*;
 - (b) based upon *Our* election hereunder, if any, to pay benefits directly to providers as an accommodation to the *Insured Person*;
 - (c) for any other reason.

- (26) Serving in the military, navy or air force in time of declared war, or while under orders for war-like operations, or restorations of public orders, or any *Medical Conditions* sustained whilst on military, naval or air force training exercise.
- (27) Travelling against the advice of a *Medical Practitioner*.
- (28) *Treatment* or supplies obtained or received after the *Termination Date* of *Your Plan* for whatever reason including non-renewal and non-payment of *Premium*.
- (29) Any second or subsequent medical opinion from a *Medical Practitioner* or *Specialist* which is not required by *Us*.
- (30) Any *Treatment* or *Surgery* which *We* think *You* do not need immediately and can wait until *You* return *Home* at the end of *Your Trip*. *Our* decision is final.
- (31) Any *charges* that are as a result of a tropical disease, if *You* have not had the recommended vaccinations or taken the recommended medication.
- (32) Any claim if *You* refuse disclosure of the data to a third party, which in turn prevents *Us* from providing cover under this *Plan*.
- (33) Any infection of the urinary tract (including, without limitation, infection of the kidney, ureter, bladder, prostate or urethra) and any complication, *Medical Condition* or other *Illness* directly or indirectly arising therefrom, that occurs within ninety (90) days of the *Departure Date* of this *Plan* and that requires *Treatment* of the *Insured Person* in a *Hospital*; provided that any such *Illness*, infection, complication or condition shall be deemed by *Us* to be a *Pre-Existing Condition* and eligible for coverage as otherwise provided herein.

SECTION F: Travel Exclusions

We will not pay any charges, fees, costs, expenses and/or claims (collectively called "charges") *You* incur which directly or indirectly relate to, or arise from, or are in connection with any of the following acts, omissions, events, conditions, charges, consequences, claims, loss, theft, damage, *Treatments* (including diagnosis, consultations, tests, examinations, and evaluations related thereto), services and/or supplies are expressly excluded from coverage under this *Plan*, and *We* shall provide no benefits or reimbursements and shall have no liability or obligation for any coverage thereof or herefor:

- (1) *You* are not covered for claims arising out of:
 - (a) loss or damage directly or indirectly occasioned by, happening through or in consequence of war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies, *Terrorism*, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power or confiscation or nationalisation, or requisition or destruction of or damage to property by or under the order of any government or public or local authority.
 - (b) loss, damage, expense or indemnity incurred as a result of travelling to an area that the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (or its equivalent in other EEA countries) have advised against, prior to booking *Your Trip*, all or all but essential travel provided that such loss, damage, expense or indemnity is directly or indirectly related to any such circumstances that are the reason for the advice.
 - (c) loss, damage, expense or indemnity directly or indirectly resulting from or attributable to radioactive contamination of any nature.
 - (d) *You* being exposed to the utilisation of nuclear, chemical or biological weapons of mass destruction.
 - (e) loss, destruction or damage directly occasioned by pressure waves caused by aircraft and other flying objects travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds.
 - (f) *You* travelling in an aircraft other than as a fare paying passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft.
 - (g) *Your* suicide or attempted suicide or *Your* deliberate exposure to unnecessary danger (except in an attempt to save human life).
 - (h) sexually transmitted diseases.
 - (i) *Your* excessive consumption of alcohol or use of drugs.
 - (j) *Your* alcohol intake whilst taking any combination of medication or drugs known (or would reasonably be suspected) to cause drowsiness, impaired vision or judgement when combined with alcohol whether such drugs are prescribed or not.
 - (k) any claim which is as a result of *You* having been diagnosed as suffering from acute alcohol intoxication, alcohol dependency or alcohol withdrawal.
 - (l) *Your* participation that was planned or intended at the time of arranging this insurance in activities of a hazardous nature.
 - (m) *You* taking part in civil commotions or riots of any kind.
 - (n) any other loss, damage or additional expense following on or from the event for which *You* are claiming, unless we provide cover under this insurance. Examples of such loss, damage or additional expense would be the cost of replacing locks after losing keys, costs incurred in preparing a claim or loss of earnings following bodily *Injury*, *Illness* or disease.

- (o) *You* breaking or failing to comply with any law whatsoever.
 - (p) *Your* financial incapacity, whether directly or indirectly related to the claim except as provided for under Cancellation or *Curtailment*: Section D1.
 - (q) any claim for *Trip* Cancellation after *Your Departure Date*
 - (r) the bankruptcy or insolvency of a tour operator, travel agent, transport company or accommodation supplier.
 - (s) a tour operator failing to supply advertised facilities.
 - (t) any government regulation or act.
 - (u) *You* travelling against any health requirements stipulated by the carrier, their handling agents or any other *Common Carrier* provider.
 - (v) *You* travelling against the advice of a *Medical Practitioner*.
 - (w) *Your* failure to obtain any recommended vaccines, inoculations or medications prior to *Your Trip* departure and take the complete course of any recommended medications, wherever such precautions are strongly recommended (or would have been but *You* failed to seek suitable alternative advice) in the light of *Your* age, personal medical history, circumstances and travel plans.
 - (x) loss or theft of, or damage to, items of *Baggage*, gadgets or sports/golf/business equipment under more than one (1) section in respect of any one (1) item.
 - (y) loss or theft of, or damage to laptops, tablet PCs (including iPads), netbook computers, computer equipment, eReaders (including ebooks and Kindles) and/or smart phones.
- (2) Special exclusions applicable to sections Missed Departure & Journey Disruption, *Baggage* and Loss of Passport. *You* are not covered for:
- (a) more than \$125/£100/€100 in total under these sections in respect of loss or theft of anything left *Unattended* in a public place, including on a beach. In any event, *You* are not covered for loss or theft of *Valuables* or *Personal Money* whilst *Unattended* unless locked in a hotel safe (or equivalent facility) or locked in *Your* private accommodation.
 - (b) any loss or theft unless reported to the police within twenty-four (24) hours of discovering the loss, or as soon as possible after that, and a written report or reference obtained in the country where the incident occurred.
 - (c) loss of bonds or securities of any kind.
 - (d) delay, detention, seizure or confiscation by customs or other officials.

SECTION G: General Conditions

The following *Terms* shall apply to all sections of this Policy Wording and are precedent to *Our* liability under *Your Plan*:

1. Entire Agreement

The *Application*, the *Certificate of Insurance*, the Policy Wording, any *Endorsements*, *Our* written acceptance, and the *Schedule of Cover* relevant to *Your* chosen *Plan* form the basis of *Your* contract with *Us* and shall constitute the entire agreement between *You* and *Us* and must be read together to avoid any misunderstanding.

2. Third Parties, Assignment, Change or Waiver

The only parties to the *Plan* are *You* and *Us*. No other person is a third party beneficiary or has any right to enforce the Policy Wording or any part of it.

Notwithstanding any law, statute, judicial decision, or rule to the contrary which may be or may purport to be otherwise applicable within the jurisdiction, locale or forum state of any healthcare or medical service provider, no transfer or assignment of any of the *Insured Person's* rights, benefits or interests under this *Plan* shall be valid, binding on, or enforceable against *Us* (or the *Plan Administrator*, or *Plan Manager*) unless first expressly agreed and consented to in writing by *Us*. Any such purported transfer or assignment not in compliance with the foregoing *Terms* shall be void *ab initio* and without effect as against *Us* (or the *Plan Administrator*, or *Plan Manager*), and *We* shall have no liability of any kind under this *Plan* to any such purported transferee or assignee with respect thereto. The *Terms* of the *Plan* shall not be waived, modified or changed except by *Our* express written agreement.

3. Compliance with Policy Terms

We shall not be liable under *Your Plan* in the event of any failure by *You* to comply with the *Terms* of this Policy Wording.

4. Your Duty of Care

You shall at all times act in a prudent manner and shall exercise reasonable care and take reasonable precautions to prevent *Injury* or *Illness*, to minimise any costs incurred, and *You* shall comply with recommended vaccination schedules and take appropriate malaria and other medicinal prophylaxis.

5. Premiums and Plan Duration

Payment of required *Premium* shall be remitted to *Us* on or before the *Departure Date* of coverage. *Your Plan* is effective for the *Period of Insurance* as indicated on *Your Certificate of Insurance*. All *Premiums* are payable in advance of any cover under *Your Plan* being provided.

Premiums are payable in \$US dollars, £Sterling, or €Euros.

6. Government Law and Taxes

We reserve the right to amend *Your Plan*, this Policy Wording and the *Premiums* at any time in order to reflect any change in regulatory requirements, insurance law, insurance *Premium* tax or other government levies as may be imposed upon *Us*.

7. Eligibility

If an *Insured Person* is not eligible, this *Plan* is void *ab initio* and all *Premium* paid will be refunded. This *Plan* is available to eligible persons of any nationality worldwide. In order to be eligible and qualified for coverage under this *Plan*, a person must:

- (a) complete and sign an *Application* as the *Insured Person* (or be listed thereon by proxy as an applicant and proposed *Insured Person*), and/or as the *Insured Person's* spouse and/or *Dependent Child*;
- (b) be at least fifteen (15) days and under the age of seventy (70) years at the *Departure Date* and not be a citizen of the *Host Country*;
- (c) have a *Departure Date* which is on or after the date they legally departed their *Home Country* and legally entered the *Host Country*; and
 - (i) for *Insured Persons* under sixty-five (65) years of age visiting the United States of America (USA), *Your* initial *Period of Insurance* must begin within six (6) months of arrival in the USA;
 - (ii) for *Insured Persons* aged sixty-five (65) to sixty-nine (69) years visiting the USA, initial *Period of Insurance* must begin within thirty (30) days of arrival in the USA or must have proof of valid international travel insurance coverage expiring no more than thirty (30) days prior to initial *Departure Date of Coverage*. Prior USA domestic health care coverage does not meet this eligibility requirement;
- (d) pay the required *Premium* on or before the *Departure Date* of coverage;
- (e) USA Citizens, in addition to the above;
 - (i) must depart the USA on, or be located outside of the USA, as of the *Departure Date* (or date of extension, or *Renewal Date*);

8. Acceptance Clause

We are entitled to refuse to accept an *Application* from any person without giving a reason. We reserve the right to apply additional *Terms*, options, exclusions or *Premium* increases to reflect any circumstances *You* advised in *Your Application* or declared to *Us* as a material fact.

9. Choice of Law

The law applicable to *Your Plan* shall be as specified in the *Certificate of Insurance*. If no law is specified then *Your Plan* shall be construed according to the laws of England and shall be subject to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England and Wales.

The subjects, risks and benefits of insurance covered by *Your Plan* are not intended or considered by *You* or *Us* to be resident, located, or to be performed in any particular state of the USA or in any particular country.

10. Misrepresentation/Fraud

Any false representation, incomplete information, misleading statement, misstatement, omission, concealment or fraud, whether or not innocently made, in *Your Application* which forms a part of the *Plan* and Policy Wording, including any statement, certification or warranty made by *You* or *Your* representatives, agents or proxies, whether in writing or otherwise, to *Us* as well as any claim under *Your Plan* in which *You* fail to act with utmost good faith, or any claim that is in any respect fraudulent, unfounded, misrepresented, or any claim where *You* otherwise fail to observe the *Terms* of the Policy Wording, shall render *Your Plan* null and void and all claims and benefits under *Your Plan* shall be forfeited and waived and (if appropriate) recoverable by *Us*, and *We* shall have no liability for such benefits or claims. In addition, *Your Plan* shall be cancelled and rendered void from the *Departure Date* without refund of *Premiums*.

Please note that *We* may use, share or disclose information about *You* and *Your* claims with third parties for the purpose of the identification and prevention of fraud and crime.

11. Several Liability

The various underwriters which may be referenced in *Your Plan* are several and not joint and are limited solely to the extent of their individual covers. *We* are not responsible for the cover of any other underwriter referenced by *Us* that for any reason does not satisfy all or part of its obligations.

12. Subrogation

We retain all rights of subrogation. Other than with *Our* written consent *You* have no entitlement to admit liability for any eventuality or give promise of any undertaking which is binding upon *You* or *Us*. *Your* submission of a claim or acceptance of cover or benefits under *Your Plan* shall be deemed to constitute an assignment of such subrogation rights by *You* to *Us*. Any amount recovered by *Us* shall first be used to pay the costs and expenses of collection incurred by *Us*, including reasonable lawyer's fees, and for reimbursement to *Us* for any amount that *We* may have paid or become liable to pay under *Your Plan*. Any remaining amounts recovered shall be paid to *You* or other persons lawfully entitled thereto, as applicable. *We* shall be entitled to conduct all proceedings arising out of, or in connection with, claims in *Your* name and to instruct lawyers of *Our* own choice for any such purpose.

13. Other Insurance

You must inform *Us* if any of the benefits covered under *Your Plan* are covered or otherwise payable by any other insurance, membership benefit, reimbursement or indemnification cover, right of contribution, recoupment or recovery, contract, or other third party obligation or provision of benefits. *We* shall not be liable to pay more than *Our* rateable proportion of the claim. *We* shall not be obligated to provide any benefit or to pay any claim in respect to *Treatment* or supplies furnished by any programme or agency funded by any government.

Where charges are made for *Treatment* of a *Medical Condition* for which payment is made or available through workers compensation, employer's liability, similar law or government programme, any payment made by *Us* will be secondary to any payment or cover available elsewhere. If it is found that *You* were repaid for all or some of those expenses by any other source, *We* will have the right to a refund from *You*. Where necessary, *We* retain the right to deduct such refund from any impending or future claim settlements or to cancel *Your Plan* from the *Departure Date*.

14. Cancellation and Premium Refunds

Provided *You* have not travelled and no claims have been paid or are in progress, *You* may cancel *Your Plan*, by providing written cancellation instructions (by e-mail, fax or post) and return the Policy Wording with the *Certificate of Insurance* within fourteen (14) days after receipt to the *Plan Manager*.

- (1) For *Plans* cancelled within fourteen (14) days of *Application*, and prior to the *Departure Date*, *You* will receive a full refund;
- (2) For *Plans* cancelled after fourteen (14) days from the date of *Application*, but prior to the *Departure Date*;, *You* will receive a full refund of the *Premium* paid less a \$50/£30/€40 cancellation fee;
- (3) For *Plans* that are cancelled after the *Departure Date*, and provided no claims have been paid or are in progress:
 - (a) if less than full one (1) months *Period of Insurance* remaining, there will be no refund payable;
 - (b) if one (1) or more full months *Periods of Insurance* remaining, *You* will receive a full refund of each complete full month's coverage remaining, less a \$50/£30/€40 cancellation fee.

Of course, if *You* cancel *Your Plan* *You* cannot make a claim under it and neither *You* nor *Us* will have any further rights, liabilities or obligations under the *Plan*.

Your request for cancellation will be dealt with promptly and *Your Plan* will be retroactively cancelled.

If *You* have any doubts regarding the *Terms of Your Plan*, please contact the *Plan Manager* directly for clarification, otherwise it shall be assumed that all *Terms* are understood and acceptable to *You*.

We reserve the right to require *You* to execute a release of claims as a condition to granting such refund. Upon cancellation and refund, neither *We* nor *You* shall have any further rights, liabilities or obligations under this *Plan*.

15. Liability

Our liability shall cease immediately upon cancellation or termination of *Your Plan* for whatever reason, including without limitation non-extension, non-renewal and non-payment of *Premium*, or if *You* are no longer eligible.

16. Arbitration

No claim for benefits for which liability, eligibility, or cover under *Your Plan* has been denied in whole or in part by *Us* nor any other dispute or controversy arising under or related to *Your Plan* shall be arbitrable or subject to arbitration under any circumstances or for any reason, other than in the United Kingdom by the Financial Ombudsman Service.

17. Termination of Cover

Whilst *We* shall not cancel *Your Plan* because of eligible claims made by *You*, *We* may at any time terminate *Your Plan* in the event of any non-payment of *Premium*, fraud or misrepresentation, non-refund of an over-paid claim, or if *You* no longer meet the eligibility requirements of *Your Plan*.

Coverage and benefits for the *Insured Person* under this *Plan* will terminate effective at 12:01 AM, GMT, on the earliest of the following dates:

- (1) the next day following the end of the *Period of Insurance* for which *Premium* has been fully and timely paid; or
- (2) the *Termination Date* as shown on the *Certificate of Insurance*; or

- (3) the date the *Insured Person* returns to his/her *Home Country*, unless: extended by cover provided under Citizenship Return Coverage: Section C4 or Incidental Home Trip Coverage: Section C5; or *You* selected *End of Trip Home Country Coverage* (below) at time of initial purchase of *Your Plan*, the appropriate *Premium* paid and confirmed coverage is indicated on *Your Certificate of Insurance*:

End of Trip Home Country Coverage

(Note: US Citizens: For this provision coverage applies only in the *Country of Residence* that is NOT the United States)

- (a) if the *Insured Person* has paid *Premium* for at least six (6) months of continuous coverage under the *Plan* and made the appropriate selection for *End of Trip Home Country Coverage* and designated one (1) extra coverage month on the *Application*, coverage and benefits under this *Plan* will terminate on the thirtieth (30th) day after the date the *Insured Person* returns to their *Home Country*, provided that *Premium* has been paid for the full *Period of Insurance* including the thirty (30) days of *Home Country* coverage
- (b) if the *Insured Person* has paid *Premium* for at least twelve (12) months of continuous coverage under the *Plan* and made the appropriate selection for *End of Trip Home Country Coverage* and designated two (2) extra coverage months on the *Application*, coverage and benefits under this *Plan* will terminate on the sixtieth (60th) day after the date the *Insured Person* returns to their *Home Country*, provided that *Premium* has been paid for the full *Period of Insurance* including the sixty (60) days of *Home Country* coverage
- (4) the next day following twenty-four (24) months from the initial *Departure Date*; or
- (5) the date the *Insured Person* first fails to meet or no longer meets the eligibility requirements for this *Plan* as outlined in Eligibility: Section G7 of this *Plan*; or
- (6) the date specified by *Us* in any notice of cancellation, forfeiture or rescission issued pursuant to or as a result of the circumstances set forth in Misrepresentation/Fraud: Section G10, above, or Right of Recovery: Section G10 below.

Coverage for the *Insured Person* shall remain in full force and effect unless terminated pursuant to the provisions of this section, except as otherwise provided in the *Plan* or *Certificate of Insurance*.

18. Right of Recovery

In the event of overpayment by *Us* of any claim for benefits under *Your Plan*, for any reason, *We* shall have the right to a prompt refund and to recover the amount of overpayment from *You*, the *Hospital*, *Medical Practitioner*, or other provider of services or supplies, as the case may be.

If *You* or the *Hospital*, *Medical Practitioner* or other provider of services or supplies does not promptly make any such refund to *Us*, *We* may, in addition to any other rights or remedies available to *Us*: reduce or deduct from the amount of any future claim that is otherwise eligible for cover or payment under *Your Plan*, to the full extent of the refund due to *Us*; and/or terminate *Your Plan* by giving thirty (30) days advance written notice by mail to *Your* last known residence or mailing address; and/or charge such amount to any valid credit card if the details of which are held by *Us*, if the overpayment was made to *You*.

19. Renewal & Amendment

If *Your* initial *Period of Insurance* is one (1) month or more, then *You* can request *Your Plan* to be renewed for extended *Periods of Insurance* from five (5) days to twelve (12) months up to a maximum total of twenty-four (24) continuous months and will be renewed subject to the *Terms* in force at each *Renewal Date*. Renewability is subject to *Your* continued eligibility for the *Plan*. Any one (1) *Period of Insurance* may not exceed twelve (12) months. If any *Period of Insurance* under this *Plan* has lapsed or terminated for any reason, coverage under this *Plan* cannot be renewed, but may be separately written under a new *Plan* (only after all applicable eligibility guidelines are met). A new *Application* with *Premium* must be received by *Us* in order to effect newly written coverage, and upon acceptance, a new *Plan* and Policy Wording will be issued and a new initial *Period of Insurance* will be established. New *Excesses*, *Schedule of Cover* including benefit limits and *Sub-Limits*, *Terms* and conditions of coverage, eligibility requirements, and *Pre-Existing Condition* exclusions will apply to any separately written and non-continuous *Periods of Insurance*.

- (a) At the time of any request for renewal, the *Insured Person* must satisfy all of the then current eligibility requirements for this *Plan*, as established by *Us* at *Our* sole discretions (refer to Eligibility: Section G7); and
- (b) The maximum period of continuous coverage under this *Plan*, including the initial *Period of Insurance* and any renewed and extended *Period(s) of Insurance*, may not exceed a total of twenty-four (24) continuous months; and
- (c) After the first twelve (12) months of continuous coverage under this *Plan*, a new *Excess* and *Co- Insurance* requirement will apply for each period of twelve (12) months of continuous coverage thereafter, under this *Plan*,
- (d) Upon *Our* acceptance of a renewal *Application*, a new *Certificate of Insurance* and the then current form of Policy Wording for this *Plan* will be issued to the *Insured Person* by *Us* and will supersede and replace all previously issued Policy Wordings.
- (e) *We* reserve the right to charge a renewal/extension administration fee. *You* will be advised of any such fee at time of payment of *Your* renewal/extension *Premium*.

We will write to *You* and/or *Your* Intermediary through whom *You* applied for cover, with *Our* renewal *Terms* and provide *You* with a renewal *Premium* notice prior to each *Renewal Date*. *Our* commitment and the *Insured Person's* ability to renew is also

subject to termination upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party prior to the *Termination Date* of the then existing *Period of Insurance*.

The renewal *Premium* must be received by *Us* prior to the *Renewal Date*, and no cover is in effect until *We* have received *Your Premium* and such time as *We* have confirmed *Your* renewal has been accepted in writing by *Us*.

If *You* cancel or fail to renew *Your Plan* upon renewal, *You* cannot make a claim under it and neither *You* nor *Us* shall have any further rights, liabilities or obligations under *Your Plan*.

We reserve the right, at *Our* sole discretion to alter, amend or discontinue the benefits, and/or other make other changes to the *Terms of Your Plan*, renewals or replacement of either (including issuing *Endorsements* to effect such change) at any time or from time to time after the *Departure Date* of this *Plan*, upon no less than ninety (90) days prior written notice to *You* (Notice of *Endorsement*). The Notice of *Endorsement* shall include a complete description of the changes, additional and/or deletions to be made, the *Departure Date* thereof (the Change Date), and the notice of *Your* cancellation rights as set forth below, and shall be sent to *Your* last known mailing address. Failure to receive notice for whatever reason shall not invalidate the change.

Upon issuance of the Notice of *Endorsement* *You* shall have the right to request cancellation of *Your Plan* at any time prior to the Change Date; provided, however that cancellation under this section, Renewal & Amendment: Section G19, shall be at *Your* option and coverage under this Plan shall terminate with effect from the cancellation date specified by *You* (subject to the Termination of Cover: Section G17). If *You* do not elect to cancel this Plan, the changes, additions and/or deletions *We* made and specified in the Notice of Amendment shall take effect as of the Change Date and this Plan shall thereafter continue in effect as amended and modified.

20. Mid Term Adjustments and Changes at Renewal

No changes may be made to *Your Plan* mid-term or at renewal, with the exception of:

- (1) Cancellation in accordance to the *Terms* of this *Plan*,
- (2) Change of *Your* name or address;

21. Medical Evaluation

We reserve the right to request further tests and/or independent evaluation where *We* reasonably decide that a condition being claimed for may be directly or indirectly related to an excluded condition.

22. Waiver

Waiver by *Us* in any instance of any term of *Your Plan* will not prevent *Us* from relying on such term in other instances.

23. Local Insurance Law, Taxation & Regulations

We accept no liability in the unlikely event that *You* infringe any local insurance law, regulation or taxation issue by purchasing the *Plan*. *Your Plan* is deemed made and issued in London, England.

You warrant that *You* are not infringing any local insurance law, regulation or taxation issue by purchasing *Your Plan*, and *You* understand and agree that *Your Plan* is not designed to comply with any particular local insurance law or regulation. It is agreed by *You* and *Us* that the subjects of this insurance are not considered to be resident, located, or to be performed in any particular state of the USA, or any particular country. *You* further agree that *You* are solely responsible for compliance with any other laws applicable to *You*.

24. Insolvency

The insolvency, bankruptcy, financial impairment, receivership, voluntary plan of arrangement with creditors or dissolution of *You* or *Us* shall not impose upon *Us* any liability or obligation other than that specifically included under the *Terms* of this Policy Wording.

25. Patient Protection And Affordable Care Act (PPACA) - Important Notice

This *Plan* is not subject to, and does not provide benefits required by, PPACA. On 1st January 2014, PPACA will require USA citizens and certain USA residents to obtain PPACA compliant insurance coverage unless they are exempt from PPACA. Penalties may be imposed on USA citizens and USA residents who are required to maintain PPACA compliant coverage but do not do so. Eligibility to purchase, extend or renew this product, or its terms and conditions, may be modified or amended based upon changes to applicable law, including PPACA. Please note that it is solely *Your* responsibility to determine if PPACA is applicable to *You*.

How To Make a Claim

Please follow the guidelines below to help *Us* process *Your* claims promptly and efficiently.

- All claims should be submitted to *Us* with a fully completed claim form, original invoices, receipts and all other supporting documentation within ninety (90) days of *Your* initial *Treatment*. *We* may deny cover for any claim submitted thereafter.
- Before *You* make a claim, it is important for *You* to review the *Terms* of this Policy Wording with respect to covers for the *Treatment* *You* are seeking and *Pre-Certification* requirements. *You* must follow any and all *Pre-Certification* procedures.

- We supply a personalised membership card to You, which contains essential contact numbers and addresses. We therefore suggest You keep this card with You at all times and that You also take a printed copy of this Policy Wording with You on Your trip.

A. Emergency Admissions

In the event of *Emergency* admissions, You should contact the *Emergency and Medical Assistance* helpline as soon as possible after admission, giving full details of the *Medical Condition* and *Treatment* (including dates and name of procedure if known) together with the name of the *Specialist* and *Hospital* details. (The telephone number is provided on the back of Your membership card and below). Please do not delay obtaining *Emergency Treatment*.

B. Planned In-Patient & Day-Patient Treatment

In the event of a planned admission on an *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient* basis to a *Hospital*, You should contact *Our Emergency and Medical Assistance* helpline as soon as possible prior to Your admission, giving full details of the *Medical Condition*, proposed *Treatment* (including dates and name of procedure if known) together with the name of the *Specialist* and *Hospital* details. (The telephone number is provided on the back of Your membership card and below).

Where possible, We will make arrangements with the *Hospital* or *Treatment* provider for all *Eligible Charges* to be settled directly (*Direct Settlement*). Where this has been arranged, You should send the original claim form and the unpaid invoices (if given to You by the *Hospital*) to Us. You are responsible for paying any *Excess* and *Co-Insurance* to the *Treatment* provider. If *Direct Settlement* has not been arranged, You should pay all of the charges and submit the originals to Us, together with the claim form.

C. Out-Patient Treatment

You should pay for any *Treatment* You receive as an *Out-Patient* and then submit Your charges, as per the cover and instructions in this Policy Wording.

- Whenever You visit a *Medical Practitioner* or *Specialist* on an *Out-Patient* basis, please make sure You take Our claim form with You.
- Fill in the section that is assigned to You, then date and sign the claim form. Make sure that Your *Medical Practitioner* or *Specialist* provides all relevant medical information in the specified section and then dates, signs and stamps the claim form.
- Attach all original supporting documentation, invoices and receipts to the claim form (e.g. *Medical Practitioner* invoices, pharmacy receipts with related prescriptions), and post to Us at the address below.

ALL CLAIM FORMS SHOULD BE SENT TO:

Global Response Ltd.
GlobeHopper Claims Department
P.O. Box 1114
Cardiff
CF11 1UL
United Kingdom

Telephone Number: +44 (0) 2920 474 236
Fax Number: +44 (0) 2920 468 797
E-mail: Claims@imgeurope.co.uk
Website: <http://www.global-response.co.uk/globehopper/>

The above numbers are for the Claims Department only and should be used to discuss claims submitted and on-going issues. The *Emergency and Medical Assistance* helpline number can be found on the back of Your membership card.

Claims Handling Service Standards

Upon receipt of all complete final claims documentation required by Us, We will aim to complete Your claim and make payment to You or the *Hospital* or provider as follows:

\$US Dollar, £Sterling and €Euros payments: within fifteen (15) working days

For other payments: within twenty (20) working days

General Conditions and Information Regarding Medical Benefits

(1) *Proof of Claim*: When We receive notice of a claim for benefits under this *Plan* from or on behalf of an *Insured Person* it will provide the *Insured Person* with Claimant's Statement and Authorisation Forms ("Claim Forms") for filing *Proof of Claim*. The following items must be submitted by or on behalf of the *Insured Person* to be considered a complete *Proof of Claim* eligible for consideration of coverage under this insurance ("Proof of Claim"):

- a duly completed, timely submitted, and signed Claim Form and authorisation for release of information; and
- all original itemised bills and statements of services rendered from all *Medical Practitioners*, *Hospitals* and other healthcare or medical service providers involved with respect to the claim; and

- (c) all original receipts for any costs, fees or expenses that have been incurred or paid by or on behalf of the *Insured Person* with respect to the claim, including without limitation all original receipts for any cash and/or credit card payments.

The *Insured Person* shall have ninety (90) days from the date a claim is incurred to submit a complete *Proof of Claim*, and *We* at *Our* option may pend resolution and adjudication of submitted claims and/or may deny coverage: for *Proofs of Claim* submitted thereafter; or for incomplete *Proofs of Claim*; and/or for failure to submit a *Proof of Claim*; provided, however, that *We* at *Our* option may waive the requirements of subsection (a) above, regarding submission of a new *Claim Form* for subsequent claims incurred by an *Insured Person* relating to a continuing *Illness, Injury* or other *Eligible Medical Condition* for which a properly completed and signed *Claim Form* has previously been submitted and received.

- (2) Claims may only be made for *Treatment* actually given during a *Period of Insurance* and benefits will be considered only for *Eligible Charges* *You* incur prior to the *Termination Date* of *Your Plan*.
- (3) All documents, medical reports and other materials that *We* require and request to support a claim shall be provided without expense to *Us*. In instances where medical information is required by *Us* for consideration of a claim but it is not available to *Us*, it is *Your* responsibility to obtain such information from *Your* current or previous *Medical Practitioner*, as appropriate.
- (4) Where *We* deem a consequence is not covered under *Your Plan* by reasons of an exclusion in the Policy Wording, the burden of proof to the contrary shall be upon *You*.
- (5) Where an *Excess* applies to *Your Plan*, the payment of any benefit will occur only if the total amount of *Eligible Charges* for *Treatment* and supplies covered under *Your Plan* exceeds the *Excess* in each *Period of Insurance*. *You* are liable for the amount of the *Excess* and any *Co-Insurance*, and this should be settled directly with the relevant medical provider.
- (6) *We* will reapply the *Excess* after each twelve (12) month *Period of Insurance*, regardless of whether or not the *Treatment* is for a continuation of a *Medical Condition* for which *Treatment* had been previously sought in a prior *Period of Insurance*.
- (7) *You* may choose to have *Your* claim reimbursement paid in any currency convenient to *Your* location. However, the payment to *You* will be converted to the equivalent amount in the base currency of *Your Plan*. If *We* have to make a conversion from one (1) currency to another, *We* will choose a fair exchange rate on the date on which *You* paid for *Your Treatment*, or if *Your Treatment* spanned a period of time and *We* pay the provider, *We* will choose a fair exchange rate at the date of processing the payment. *We* are not responsible for any loss *You* may incur due to fluctuations in exchange rates, or for any bank charges *You* may suffer when *You* cash a foreign currency draft, a cheque or when *You* receive a bank transfer or payment from *Us*.
- (8) Without delay, *You* must give *Us* written notification of any claim or right of action against any third party arising out of circumstances which gave rise to a claim under *Your Plan*. *You* must continue to keep *Us* fully informed in writing and take all steps reasonably required in making a claim upon that other party. To the extent permissible under the laws of *Your Home Country*, *We* shall be entitled to take legal action in *Your* name for *Our* own benefit and claim for indemnity or damages or otherwise which relates to any benefit and cost paid or payable under *Your Plan*. *We* shall have full discretion in the conduct of any such proceedings and in the settlement of any claim.
- (9) In the event *We* deny all or part of a claim, *You* shall have a reasonable opportunity to appeal the denial under which there will be a review of the claim and the determination. *You* shall have sixty (60) days from the date that the notice of denial was mailed to *Your* last known residence or mailing address within which to appeal the determination, and shall have the opportunity to submit written comments, documents, records, and other information relating to the claim. *Our* review will take into account all comments, documents, records, and other information submitted by *You* relating to the claim, without regard to whether such information was submitted or considered in the initial claim determination. *You* must file two (2) appeals of a claim denial prior to bringing any legal action. Upon receipt of a written appeal, *We* shall have an opportunity for further reasonable investigation and/or review, and will respond in writing as soon as reasonably practicable, and in any event within ninety (90) days from receipt thereof. An appeal is considered to be part of the claims process and not a complaint.
- (10) *You* cannot bring a legal action to recover under *Your Plan* within the first ninety (90) days after *We* have been furnished with proof of claim in accordance with the requirements or after twelve (12) months from the date proof of loss is required to be given to *Us*. *You* must file two (2) appeals of a claim denial prior to bringing any legal action under the *Plan*. No action at law or in equity can be brought after the expiration of three (3) years after the time written *Proof of Claim* is required to be furnished.
- (11) *You*, and *Your Medical Practitioners, Hospitals* and other healthcare and medical service providers and suppliers shall undertake to cooperate fully with *Us* in reviewing, investigating, adjudicating, considering an appeal of, and/or administering any claim for benefits, including granting full right of access to all relevant, pertinent or related records, medical documentation, medical histories, reports, lab or test results, x-rays, and all other available evidence relating to or affecting the review, investigation, adjudication or administration of the claim. *We* shall have the right and opportunity to examine all evidence related to a claim when and as often as it may reasonably require during the pendency of a claim hereunder and to request an autopsy in case of death where it is not forbidden by law. *We* at *Our* option may suspend or pend adjudication of a claim, and/or may deny benefits and/or coverage for a claim, when there has been: (i) a refusal to so cooperate, (ii) an unreasonable delay in such cooperation, and/or (iii) any other act or omission on the part of *You* and/or *Your* healthcare providers which hinders, delays, impairs, or otherwise prejudices the performance of *Our* obligations under this insurance.
- (12) *Eligible Charges* will be paid by cheque, or electronic funds transfer, or direct payment onto *Your* preferred VISA or MasterCard, to *You* at *Your* last known residence or mailing address, or, at *Our* sole option and discretion directly to the

provider. All claim settlements are subject to the applicable *Excess* and *Co-Insurance*, and to all limits and other *Terms* of this Policy Wording. Where *Direct Settlement* has been undertaken *You* are responsible for direct payment of the *Excess* and *Co-Insurance* amounts and any non-*Eligible Charges*. In the rare event that a provider refuses *Direct Settlement*, or *We* are prevented from making *Direct Settlement* for operational or legal reasons (such restrictions on payments with certain countries which may be subject to a comprehensive sanctions programmes as published by the United States Office of Foreign Assets Control), then *You* will be responsible for settling direct with the provider and seeking reimbursement from *Us*.

- (13) Under *Your Plan*, *You* can claim benefit from start of *Treatment* until the time when it is medically confirmed that the *Treatment* is no longer necessary, or until *Your Plan* is no longer in force, whichever is the earlier. If *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.
- (14) If *You* are under eighteen (18) years of age, claim payments will be made payable to the parent or guardian who signed *Your Application*.
- (15) **Explanation or Verification of Benefits:** In the event of any verbal or telephone enquiry, every attempt will be made to help the *Insured Person* and his/her healthcare providers and suppliers understand the status, scope and extent of available benefits and coverage under this Plan; provided, however, that no statement made by any agent, employee or representative of *Us*, the *Plan Administrator* or *Plan Manager* will be deemed or construed as an actionable representation, promise, or an estoppel, or will create any liability against *Us*, or the *Plan Administrator* or *Plan Manager* or be deemed or construed to bind *Us* or to modify, replace, waive, extend or amend any of the *Terms* of the *Plan* or this Policy Wording, unless expressly set forth in writing and signed by an authorised agent or representative of *Us*. Actual eligibility determinations, benefit verifications, final coverage decisions and claim adjudications, and final payments and/or reimbursements of benefits or claims shall be determined and adjudicated only after or at the time a proper and complete *Application* and/or *Proof of Claim* is submitted (as the case may be), an opportunity for reasonable investigation and/or review is provided, cooperation required hereunder received, and all facts and supporting information, including relevant data, information and medical records when deemed necessary or appropriate by *Us*, are presented in writing. Appealed claims may be further investigated and/or reviewed. The *Terms* of *Plan* govern all available coverage and payments made or to be made. If a definite answer to a specific benefits or coverage question is required for any reason, the *Insured Person* or his/her healthcare providers may submit a written request to *Us*, including all pertinent medical information and a statement from the attending *Medical Practitioner* (if applicable), and a written reply will be sent by *Us* and kept on file. If *We* elect to verify generally and/or preliminarily to a provider or the *Insured Person* that an *Injury*, *Illness*, diagnosis or proposed *Treatment* is or may be covered under this *Plan*, or that benefits for same are or may be available as outlined in this *Plan*, any such verification of benefits does not guarantee either payment of benefits or the amount or eligibility of benefits. Final eligibility determinations, coverage decisions, claim appeals, and actual reimbursement or payment of claims or benefits are subject to all *Terms* of this *Plan*, including without limitation filing a proper and complete *Proof of Claim* under General Conditions and Information Regarding Medical Benefits: Section (1) above and cooperation under General Conditions and Information Regarding Medical Benefits: Section (11) above.

General Conditions and Information Regarding Travel Benefits

- (1) **Proof of Claim:** The following items must be submitted by or on behalf of the *Insured Person* to be considered a complete *Proof of Claim* eligible for consideration of coverage under this insurance ("Proof of Claim"):
- Provide receipts or other documentation to prove ownership, value and payment, especially in respect of *Valuables* and any items for which *You* are claiming more than \$125/£100/€100.
 - Provide a copy of any ATM receipts, bank statements or verification of any other source if claiming for cash under *Personal Money*: Section D5.
 - Provide original *Trip* itinerary and a copy of all itemised invoices showing amount paid for *Your Trip* and proof of payment.
 - Provide written proof from travel suppliers verifying *Your* reservation was cancelled including indication of any refund, reimbursement, credit, and/or voucher issued.
 - Retain any damaged items for *Our* inspection. Failure to exercise all reasonable care may result in *Your* claim being reduced or declined.
 - Provide a copy of death certificate, if cancellation or *Curtailment* is due to an unexpected *Illness*, accidental bodily *Injury* or death of *You*, *Your* travelling companion, *Your Business Colleague* or person with whom *You* intended to stay.
 - Provide proof of relationship, if cancellation or *Curtailment* is due to an unexpected *Illness*, accidental bodily *Injury* or death of *Your Relative* or the *Relative* of *Your Business Colleague* or person with whom *You* intended to stay.
 - Provide a copy of jury duty notice or summons to appear in court as a witness.
 - Provide a copy of military orders and documentation from commanding officer verifying call for emergency and unavoidable duty as a member of the armed forces, police, fire, nursing, ambulance or coastguard services resulting in cancellation of previously agreed leave.
 - Provide letter from employer outlining dates of hire and redundancy.

- (k) Provide copies of police reports, insurance company reports and/or fire marshal reports following fire, flood or burglary to *Your Home* causing Cancellation or *Curtailment* to *Your Trip*.
 - (l) Provide copies of police reports and insurance company reports following theft, fire or accident to *Your car* causing Cancellation or *Curtailment* to *Your Trip*.
- (2) You must assist Us to obtain or pursue a recovery or contribution from any third party or other insurers (including the Department of Work & Pensions) by providing all necessary details and by completing any forms.
- (3) You must take care of *Your* property at all times and take all practical steps to recover any item lost or stolen.

Medical Management Services

1. Pre-Certification

For many of the benefits under *Your Plan* You are required to notify Us PRIOR to incurring or undertaking any *Treatment* and before being admitted to *Hospital*. *Pre-Certification* is a general determination of *Medical Necessity* only and all such determinations are made by Us in reliance and based upon the completeness and accuracy of the information provided by You or on *Your* behalf at the time of *Pre-Certification*. Subject to all of the *Terms* of this Policy Wording, if You comply with the *Pre-Certification* requirements under *Your Plan*, We will pay *Eligible Charges* for the costs or *Treatment* which is *Pre-Certified* as *Medically Necessary*. We reserve the right under the *Terms* of this Policy Wording to challenge, dispute, or retrospectively revoke a prior determination of *Medical Necessity* based on information obtained. *Pre-Certification* is not an assurance, authorisation, preauthorisation, or verification of *Treatment* or coverage, a verification of benefits, or a guarantee of payment. The fact that *Treatment* or supplies are *Pre-Certified* by Us does not guarantee the payment of benefits, the availability of cover, or the amount of or eligibility for benefits.

Notification to Us for purposes of *Pre-Certification* may be undertaken by You, *Your Medical Practitioner*, the *Hospital* administrator or a *Relative*.

- (1) *Pre-Certification* is required within forty-eight (48) hours after an *Emergency* admission to the *Hospital*. *Pre-Certification* for *Medical Necessity* must always be obtained through the *Plan Administrator* or *Plan Manager* before any of the following *Treatments* and/or supplies:
- (a) Incurring any costs in an amount beyond \$900/£500/€750 (if You are unsure, always check with *Your Medical Practitioner*, *Hospital* or *Medical Provider* before incurring any costs).
 - (b) *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient: Admission, Treatment and/or supplies of any kind, or Surgery in Hospital*
 - (c) *Out-Patient Surgery*
 - (d) *Second Surgical Opinion*
 - (e) CAT and MRI scans, Echocardiography, Endoscopy, Gastroscopy, Colonoscopy and Cystoscopy
 - (f) *Home Nursing Care*
 - (g) Care in an *Extended Care Facility* or rehabilitation facility
 - (h) Incurring charges for *Emergency* evacuation/repatriation
 - (i) Incurring charges for travel and accommodation
 - (j) Cremation/burial or repatriation of *Your* remains
 - (k) Incurring charges for *Durable Medical Equipment*
 - (l) Physiotherapy of more than ten (10) visits
 - (m) Incurring charges for prosthetic devices or artificial limbs
- (2) Loss of Cover for Non-Compliance with *Pre-Certification* Requirements: If You are not *Pre-Certified* or fail to comply or co-operate with the *Pre-Certification* requirements the following reductions in cover will apply:
- (a) For *Treatment* and supplies requiring *Pre-Certification*, *Eligible Charges* will be reduced by fifty percent (50%).
- (3) For *Pre-Certification* You must follow the below procedure:
- (a) Contact Global Response Ltd. at the telephone number printed on the membership card, as follows:

This service is provided by Global Response Ltd.

Telephone Number: +44 (0) 2920 474 235

Fax Number: +44 (0) 2920 468 797

E-mail: globehopper@global-response.co.uk
 - (b) Contact Us as soon as possible, preferably at least four weeks prior to admission or before *Treatment* is obtained.
 - (c) In the event of an *Emergency Hospital* admission, *Pre-Certification* must be completed within forty-eight (48) hours after the admission, or as soon as is reasonably possible.

- (d) Comply with *Our* instructions and submit any information or documents required by *Us*; and
- (e) Notify all *Medical Practitioners, Hospitals* and other healthcare providers that *Your Plan* contains *Pre-Certification* requirements and ask them to fully cooperate with *Us*.

Pre-Certification will be confirmed to *You* in writing. A verbal confirmation does not constitute pre-approval. If in doubt, please contact the *Emergency and Medical Assistance* helpline, as shown on *Your* membership card.

If *You* give *Us* less than thirty (30) days notice, *We* will endeavour to confirm *Your* cover, but this may not be possible due to short timescales and the inability of outside parties (such as the *Hospital, Specialist* or *Your Medical Practitioner*) to assist in the process.

- (4) **Pre-Certification Appeal Process:** If *You* disagree with a *Pre-Certification* decision, *You* may ask *Us* to reconsider the decision within ninety (90) days of *Our* decision and may supply additional documentation to support *Your* appeal. *We* will reconsider *Our* decision based on review of the additional documentation and facts, if any. *We* will advise *You* of *Our* decision.

2. USA Medical Concierge Service

The Medical Concierge Service is a proprietary service of IMG that helps *You* navigate the US.

Healthcare system to identify the highest quality, most cost-effective providers for scheduled *In-Patient, Day-Patient* and certain *Out-Patient Treatments*. With Medical Concierge, when *You* are scheduling *In-Patient* or *Out-Patient Treatment* in the USA *You* will receive important information to help *You* choose *Your Medical Practitioner*, including information on the number of procedures performed by the highest quality practitioners, the reported quality of the outcomes, the cost of the *Treatment* and other important information, thereby maximising the benefits provided under the *Plan*.

For non-*Emergency In-Patient Treatment* and the additional services listed below incurred within the United States of America, use of *Our* USA Medical Concierge Service will provide *You* with the ability to choose *Your Medical Practitioner* or *Hospital* from a list of high quality, yet competitively priced providers within the geographical area they are located when *Treatment* is *Medically Necessary*.

In order to maximise the effectiveness of the Medical Concierge for these enhanced benefits, *You* must notify *Us* immediately upon recommendation of their *Medical Practitioner* of any of the following:

- *In-Patient* or *Day-Patient Treatment* or *Surgery* in *Hospital*
- *Out-Patient Surgery*
- CT and MRI scans, Echocardiography, Endoscopy, Gastroscopy, Colonoscopy and Cystoscopy
- *Home Nursing Care*
- Care in an *Extended Care Facility* or rehabilitation facility

Contact *Us* as soon as possible PRIOR to the scheduling of *Treatment* on:

Telephone Number: +44 (0) 2920 474 235
E-Mail: globehopper@global-response.co.uk

3. Concurrent Review

While *You* are an *In-Patient*, *We* reserve the right to conduct an ongoing review of *Your Treatment* for purposes of detecting unnecessary *Treatment*, to help assure quality medical care and to contain costs. Beginning with *Your* admission as an *In-Patient*, *We* will approve a limited number of days of confinement based upon the *Eligible Medical Condition*. Thereafter, if additional days of *In-Patient Treatment* are necessary, *Your* continued stay in *Hospital* must again be reviewed and approved.

4. Plan Administrator's Provider Network United States Preferred Provider Organisation (PPO)

You are free to choose the provider and location for *Your Treatment* within *Your Area of Cover*. It is not a requirement of *Your Plan* that *You* seek *Treatment* or supplies exclusively from a provider within *Our Plan Administrator's* network of providers. However, *Your* use or non-use of *Our Plan Administrator's* network of providers may affect the scope and extent of benefits available under *Your Plan*, including the applicable *Co-Insurance*, as set forth below:

(1) Special benefit When Using the United States PPO Network:

If *Treatment* or supplies eligible for coverage under this *Plan* are received directly from *Our* approved list of independent PPO providers while *You* are in the USA: (a) *We* will pay eligible expenses at ninety percent (90%) *Co-Insurance* (up to the maximum as indicated in the *Schedule of Cover* and *Plan Highlights*) to such claim for *Outpatient* and any *In-Patient Treatment*.

However, all *Eligible Charges* received in the USA from a provider that is not within *Our Plan Administrators* United States PPO will remain subject to the eighty percent (80%) *Co-Insurance* as stated in the *Schedule of Cover* and *Plan Highlights*.

(2) Utilisation of the Provider Network:

You may contact *Our Plan Administrator* and request a directory of providers within the USA PPO Network, or within the network for the area where *You* will be receiving *Treatment* (therein listing the *Medical Practitioners, Hospitals* and other healthcare
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providers within the provider network by location and speciality), or *You* may obtain such information by accessing the website www.imglobal.com

PPO Information: *We*, through the *Plan Administrator*, endeavour to maintain a contractual arrangement with independent Preferred Provider Organisations (PPOs) that have established and maintained networks of US and Non-US based *Medical Practitioners, Hospitals* and other healthcare and health service providers who are contracted separately and directly with the PPO and who may provide re-pricings, discounts or reduced charges for *Treatment* or supplies provided to *You*. Neither *Us* nor the *Plan Administrator, or Plan Manager* have any authority or control over the operations or business of the PPO, or over the operations or business of any provider within the independent PPO network. Neither the PPO nor any provider within the PPO network nor any of their respective agents, employees or representatives has or shall have any power or authority whatsoever to act for or on behalf of *Us*, the *Plan Administrator* or the *Plan Manager* in any respect, including without limitation no power or authority to:

- (a) approve *Applications* or enrolments for initial, renewal or reinstated coverage under this insurance plan or to accept *Premium* payments,
- (b) accept risks for or on behalf of *Us*,
- (c) act for, speak for, or bind *Us* or the *Plan Administrator* in any way,
- (d) waive, alter or amend any of the *Terms* of this Plan or waive, release, compromise or settle any of *Our* rights, remedies, or interests thereunder or hereunder, or
- (e) determine *Pre-Certification*, eligibility for coverage, verification of benefits, or make any coverage, benefit or claim adjudications or decisions of any kind.

5. **Medical Case Management**

We reserve the right to make recommendations in respect of any *Treatment* or supply with respect to an *Eligible Medical Condition*. Such recommendations will be based on *Our* assessing, coordinating and collaborating with *You, Your* guardians, family members, *Medical Practitioners* and other healthcare providers to help ensure a well-coordinated continuity of care.

You are under no obligation to accept or follow any of *Our* recommendations. However, by accepting or following any of *Our* recommendations, *You* are agreeing to hold *Us* harmless from same, and *We* shall not be held liable or otherwise responsible for any *Treatment* or supply provided to *You* except for the payment of *Eligible Charges* under the *Terms* of this Policy Wording.

After *You* have been notified of *Our* medical case management recommendations, *We* reserve the right, at *Our* option and in *Our* sole discretion without liability, to:

- (1) pay for *Treatment* and supplies which, although not expressly covered under *Your Plan*, may be beneficial to *You* and cost effective to *Us*; and
- (2) deny cover or benefits for any charges which exceed the amount *We* would have covered had *You* accepted and followed *Our* recommendations.

Making a Complaint

Our aim is to provide *You* with a first class standard of service at all times. Nevertheless, there may be an occasion when *You* may feel this objective has not been achieved by *Us*. In the unlikely event of this happening, should *You* have any complaint or query regarding *Your Plan* and/or the service provided by *Us*, then please contact one of *Our* customer service advisors in the first instance.

IMG Europe Ltd.:

Telephone Number (UK): +44 (0) 1737 360710
Fax Number (UK): +44 (0) 1737 860600
E-mail: info@imgeuropa.co.uk

We will try and resolve *Your* complaint.

If *You* are unhappy with the response, *You* are advised to write explaining the nature of *Your* complaint to:

Sirius International Insurance Corporation (publ) UK Branch
Floor 4, 20 Fenchurch Street
London EC3M 3BY
United Kingdom

Please quote *Your Certificate of Insurance* number and give full information regarding the query or complaint. Also include details of where *You* can be contacted. *We* will send a written acknowledgement of receipt and give *You* details of who is handling *Your* complaint and how to contact him or her.

We or *Our Plan Manager* will resolve, or issue a final response to *Your* complaint within eight (8) weeks of receiving the complaint.

In the unlikely event *You* are not satisfied with *Our* final response, *You* may refer eligible complaints within six (6) months to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) if *You* are: a personal customer, or a business customer with a turnover under £1 million per year. The FOS can be contacted at:

The Financial Ombudsman Service
South Quay Plaza
183 Marsh Wall
London E14 9SR
United Kingdom

Please make sure *You* follow the above procedure for submitting or escalating *Your* complaint or query, since failure to do so may inadvertently delay *Our* response to *You*.

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