Dear Family Practitioner

Medscheme High-Quality Integrated Chronic Care Family Practitioner Network Rates for 2026

Please find the updated Integrated Chronic Care (ICC) Family Practitioner (FP) Network Rates for 2026 below:

Integrated Chronic Care Program (ICC) Benefit Basket			
Benefit	**Tariff Code**	**Annual amount**	**Tariff Rate**
ICC 30-minute prolonged consultation	07347	1	Bonitas Medical Fund: **R 1 054.78**
			Fedhealth Medical Scheme: **R 1 046.65**
			AECI Medical Aid Society: **R 1 056.83**
			SAMWUMED: **R 1 054.78**
ICC virtual consultation	0130	1	Per participating scheme rate
Chronic consultations from aPMB Benefit Basket	0190	2	Per participating scheme rate
Additional chronic consultation upon motivation and authorisation	0190	1 (Upon motivation and authorisation)	Per participating scheme rate

- *The above references the full aPMB and ICC Chronic Benefit Basket to which all participating beneficiaries have access.*
- *The 'Chronic consultations from aPMB Benefit Basket' refers to the benefits the participating beneficiaries ALREADY have access to within their chronic condition aPMB level benefit basket. It's not an additional benefit included within the ICC Programme.*

Which Medscheme-administered schemes are participating in the ICC Programme?

As of 1 January 2026, the following medical schemes will participate:

- AECI Medical Aid Society
- Bonitas Medical Fund
- Fedhealth Medical Scheme
- SAMWUMED

We are pleased to announce that **SAMWUMED** has joined the ICC Programme as a new participant.

Which patients have access to the Expanded Annual Chronic Benefit Basket?

1. Patients living with diabetes
2. Patients living with hypertension

Patients living with diabetes and hypertension will NOT have access to this Expanded Annual Chronic Benefit Basket when seeking chronic care at NON-ICC FPs.

Which unique tariff codes should be utilised when submitting claims for ICC-related consultations?

- The exclusive, unique tariff code for the ICC Programme is 07347, a 30-minute ICC prolonged consultation. For additional details on tariff codes, please refer to the table above.

Will patients enrolled in the program be able to access the extended ICC benefit basket when they receive care from non-ICC doctors?

- Participating beneficiaries will not have access to the ICC Benefits if they opt to receive care from a doctor not under contract with the ICC Network.

Please address any further queries to: **nc@medscheme.co.za**

Kind regards

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