

# Summary of Discovery Health Direct Payment Arrangement Options and Rates for 2008 \*

## 1. Premier Rate Payment Arrangement

OR

## 2. Classic Direct Payment Arrangement

Essential / Coastal and Classic Plans	
<b>A</b>	<b>155%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for out of hospital claims  and  <b>130%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for in hospital claims.
<b>OR</b>	
<b>B</b>	<b>140%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for both in and out of hospital claims.

<b>Executive Plan</b>	<b>300%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for both in and out of hospital claims.
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<b>Essential and Coastal Plans</b>	<b>100%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for both in and out of hospital claims. Specialists have the <b>option of balance billing</b> members directly for amounts above the DH Rate.
<b>Classic Plans</b>	<b>100%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for out of hospital claims. Specialists have the <b>option of balance billing</b> members directly for amounts above the DH Rate. <b>210%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for in hospital claims. <b>No balance billing above the 210%</b> of the DH Rate.

<b>Executive Plan</b>	<b>300%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate for both in and out of hospital claims. <b>No balance billing above the 300%</b> of the 2008 DH Rate.
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Specialists on the **Premier Rate** agree **not to balance bill** members on any Discovery Health Plan.

\* Please note that these payment arrangements apply to all the Health Plans on the Discovery Health Medical Scheme, with the exception of the KeyCare Plans.