

Please complete: Australian Government Rebate Form

Complete parts A, B and C of this application for the nominated Rebate level and mail to Latrobe Health Services, Reply Paid 41, Morwell VIC 3840

Part A: Fill in your Medicare information

Latrobe Health Services is the private health fund issuing the policy to which this application relates.

Fund membership number

Are you covered by this policy?

Y N

Applicants not covered by the policy cannot claim the Australian Government Rebate on Private Health Insurance (excluding child only policies) and employers and trustees of organisations cannot claim the Australian Government Rebate on Private Health Insurance on policies paid on behalf of employees.

Policy holder name

Daytime phone number

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Your full name as it appears on your Medicare card

Gender

Date of birth

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Medicare card number

Valid to

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Residential address

Postcode

Postal address (if different to above)

Postcode

Full names of all people covered by this policy (do not include yourself)

Gender

Date of birth

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Are all the people listed above on a Medicare card or entitled to a Medicare card?

Y N

See following page for information about who is entitled to a Medicare card

Please indicate if any person listed above is a dependent child

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Part B: Select the level of Rebate you wish to claim*

Age	Base Tier	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3
Aged under 65	<input type="checkbox"/> 25.934%	<input type="checkbox"/> 17.289%	<input type="checkbox"/> 8.644%	<input type="checkbox"/> 0.00%
Aged 65-69	<input type="checkbox"/> 30.256%	<input type="checkbox"/> 21.612%	<input type="checkbox"/> 12.966%	<input type="checkbox"/> 0.00%
Aged 70 or over	<input type="checkbox"/> 34.579%	<input type="checkbox"/> 25.934%	<input type="checkbox"/> 17.289%	<input type="checkbox"/> 0.00%

* See following page for information about income tiers

Date joined fund

Date premium reduction to commence

If different to adjacent, date you wish Rebate to commence

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Part C: Declaration and signature

I declare that the information I have provided in this form is complete and correct. I understand that giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

Signature

Date signed

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Note: Electronic signatures not accepted on this form.

Privacy note: Your personal information is protected by law, including the Privacy Act 1988, and is collected by the Australian Government Department of Human Services for the assessment and administration of payments and services. This information is required to process your application or claim. Your information may be used by the department or given to other parties for the purpose of research, investigation or where you have agreed or it is required or authorised by law. You can get more information about the way in which the Department of Human Services will manage your personal information, including our privacy policy at humanservices.gov.au/privacy or by requesting a copy from the department.

Please read:

Application to receive the Australian Government Rebate

Private Health Insurance as a reduced premium

Complete parts A, B and C of the application on the reverse side of this form for the nominated Rebate level and mail to Latrobe Health Services, Reply Paid 41, Morwell VIC 3840. The Rebate level depends on your age and taxable income. To determine the private health insurance tier that relates to your membership, please visit health.gov.au or seek advice from your tax accountant or financial planner.

Who is eligible to receive the Rebate?

Your Rebate eligibility is based on the age of the oldest person on your policy and your expected taxable income for the current financial year (or your combined taxable income for couples and families). All people listed on the policy must be able to claim Medicare for you to receive the Rebate as a reduced premium.

You may be entitled to a Medicare card if:

- you are a person who lives in Australia, **and**
- you are an Australian citizen; **or**
- a holder of a permanent resident Visa; **or**
- a New Zealand citizen; **or**
- an applicant for permanent resident Visa.

Employers and trustees of organisations cannot claim the Australian Government Rebate on behalf of employees.

For more information about the Australian Government Rebate on Private Health Insurance go to humanservices.gov.au/privatehealth

Questions about Medicare eligibility can be made at any Human Services' Service Centre or by calling 132 011 or go to: <https://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/services/medicare/medicare-card>

Note: Call charges apply – calls from mobile phones may be charged at a higher rate.

What level of Rebate can you receive?

Refer to the table below to see the level of Rebate you could be entitled to.

Income Tier Thresholds effective 1 April 2017

Select your level of income	Base Tier	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3
Couples and Families	\$180,000 or less	\$180,001 – \$210,000	\$210,001 – \$280,000	\$280,001 or more
Singles	\$90,000 or less	\$90,001 – \$105,000	\$105,001 – \$140,000	\$140,001 or more

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How do you claim or stop claiming the Rebate as a reduced premium?

Most people choose to claim the Rebate as a reduced premium. You simply need to complete and return this form. However, if you wish to claim the Rebate when you lodge your tax return, you do not need to complete this form.

If, at any stage, you wish to nominate a new income tier, or stop receiving the Australian Government Rebate as a reduced premium, you must contact Latrobe Health Services as soon as possible. At the cost of a local call, you can contact our Member Service Centre between 8.30am and 5.30pm, Monday to Friday on 1300 362 144.

What else do you need to know?

The Australian Taxation Office has specific rules regarding how to define your income for Australian Government Rebate purposes. For more information you should contact your accountant, financial planner or visit ato.gov.au