

Application for Overseas Suspension of Policy

ASTUTE SIMPLICITY HEALTH
we've got you covered

Membership number		
Members name		
Home address		
	Suburb	Postcode

^Date of departure from Australia ^Date of return to Australia

^The period of suspension commences from the day after the date of departure from Australia and ceases on the date of return to Australia.

Application for Overseas Suspension must be submitted to Astute Simplicity Health prior to departure from Australia.

* Persons covered by the policy may be liable for the additional Medicare Levy Surcharge for the period their policy is suspended if their income exceeds the Government threshold amount.

Conditions

1. The policy must be paid up to or in advance of the date of departure.
2. Partial suspension of cover on a combined hospital and extras policy is not permitted. The whole policy must be suspended.
3. The whole policy can only be suspended if all persons covered by the policy are travelling overseas.
4. Period of suspension – A policy can only be suspended for a minimum period of two weeks at any time.
5. Period of suspension – A policy can only be suspended for a maximum period of two years at any time.
6. The period of suspension **cannot** be extended beyond the date of return to Australia.
7. Claims cannot be paid for services rendered during a period of suspension. It is the responsibility of the policyholder to ensure they have adequate alternative cover whilst overseas.
8. The policyholder must contact Astute Simplicity Health on return to Australia and resume payments from the date of return. Contact should be made within two weeks of return.
9. Waiting Periods – Memberships suspended prior to completing ALL waiting periods will have to complete their waiting periods on re-instating their membership. Providing **all** waiting periods have been completed at the date of suspension, no waiting periods will be imposed when the policy is re-activated.
10. Natural Children born outside Australia during a period of suspension will be covered at the time of recommencement providing all waiting periods were served at the time of the suspension.
11. All waiting periods will be applied to children adopted during a period of suspension.

Signature

Date

Have you attached a copy of your travel itinerary?

Staff use only

Date joined fund Date paid to Payment method

Travel document sighted for verification

Have all waiting periods been served on current level of cover? Yes No

*Period of suspension from to

Suspension for Whole policy Member only Spouse only

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