

## FAQs

- **Payments are made directly to you, regardless of any other medical insurance or policies you may have**
- All information provided is strictly confidential and will remain private. After your claim is coded and processed, it remains securely filed within the confines of the Central Council office

### Consider this...

- For just **\$25 per year**, your investment gives you:
  - **Extra cash** to pay your medical bills, co-pays and expenses while you recover from a hospital stay or surgical outpatient procedure
  - **Peace of mind**; knowing that you will be eligible for reimbursement when you need it most
  - **Satisfaction**; knowing that your enrollment in the plan is also an investment in the future of the Italian Catholic Federation!

**For more information,  
please contact:**

### Italian Catholic Federation

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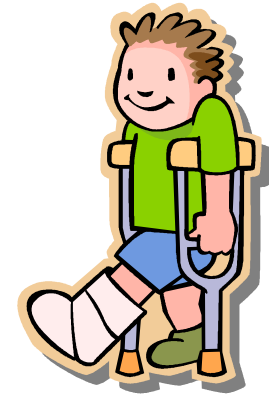
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## Hospitalization Plan



**What You Need  
to Know**

## Benefits

### Who is eligible?

Any **ICF member under 70** years of age

**After 90 days of membership** in the plan, the fund will pay:

- **\$75 for the first day**
- **\$50 for the second day**
- **\$25 for the third day and any additional days thereafter**

*A member must stay overnight in an acute care facility unless an outpatient surgery is performed. Stays in convalescent or rehabilitation facilities are not covered by this plan and do not qualify for reimbursement.*

- **\$100 for use of operating room** during hospital stay or for outpatient procedure at a state licensed surgical center
- Up to \$500 per calendar year
- \$500 maximum per illness



## Features

### How much does it cost?

- Dues are only **\$25 per year!**



### How do I join?

- Just fill out a **simple application** form and submit along with payment to your Branch Financial Secretary... that's it!
- **No medical exam** is required to join the Hospitalization Plan
- **Payments are made directly to you**
- Membership continues beyond 70 years of age
- Claims are accepted up to one year after hospital stay or outpatient procedure

## Submitting A Claim

### How do I submit a claim?

- **Obtain a Hospitalization Plan Claim Form**; available on ICF website at [www.icf.org](http://www.icf.org). Go to Member's Area and look under "Other Forms"
- **Complete information in the upper portion of form** and sign the Authorization to Release Information.
- **Have your doctor, nurse or facility representative circle a diagnosis and sign the claim form.**
- **Mail claim form, with a copy of bill** (*exception for Kaiser patients*) **to ICF Central Council office**



*See Hospitalization Plan Claim Form and Procedures for further details.*