

Our structure is our strength.

2022 CLAIMS FACT SHEET



PERFORMANCE.

It can be volatile. Growing one moment on market confidence and strength. Shrinking the next.

Stalling.

You cannot avoid the global storms

but you can leverage them a lot better

with the principle of mutuality and shared success.

A structure based on mutuality lets us make the most of good times

while balancing out the tough through long-term support and shared success

It connects our business, our intermediaries and our members in a way that allows all to thrive. Through pooled resources and shared success, we enjoy resilience and sustainable growth.



2022 claim statistics



Claims in numbers

R3.35 billion**

Claims per benefit

DOWN 48% from 2021

R956.8 million Life Cover

DOWN 5% from 2021

R1 044.4 million Sickness benefit

UP 10% from 2021

R416.5 million Critical Illness Cover UP 7% from 2021

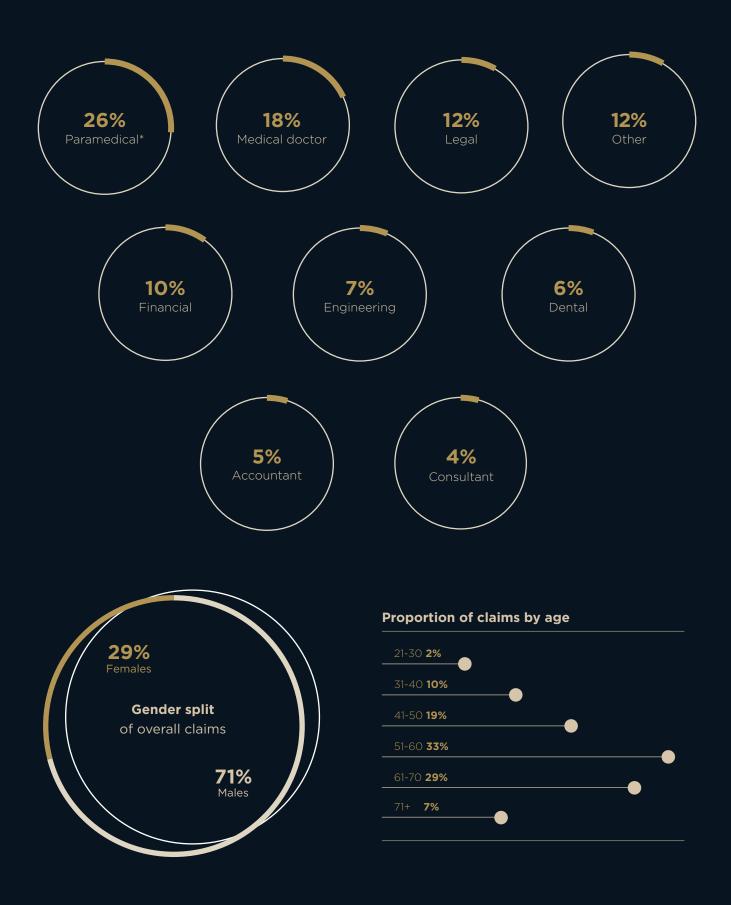
R749.9 million Permanent Incapacity benefit

DOWN 22% from 2021

R186.7 million Lump-sum Disability benefit

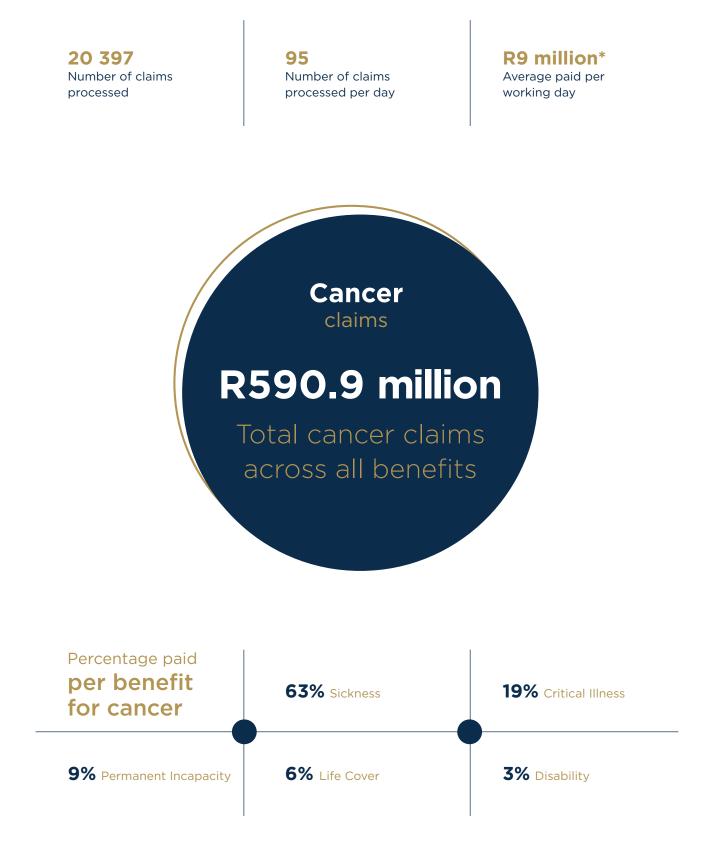
*All risk benefits (including car and household insurance and Profit-Share payouts). **All health and life risk claims (excluding short-term insurance and Profit-Share payouts).

Proportion of total claims by professional field



*Includes physiotherapists, occupational therapists, nurses, etc., excluding medical and dental doctors

Breakdown of total claims paid



COVID-19 Claims

Although we have seen a decline in COVID-19 claims in 2022, we paid the following in COVID-19-related claims:



Number of claims and amount paid

Sickness	7699 claims	R213.2 million
Death	9 claims	R39 million
Critical Illness	4 claims	R11.2 million

COVID-19 Sickness claims by profession



*Excluding medical doctors and dentists.



R32.6 billon Total cumulative benefits paid to members over the last 10 years

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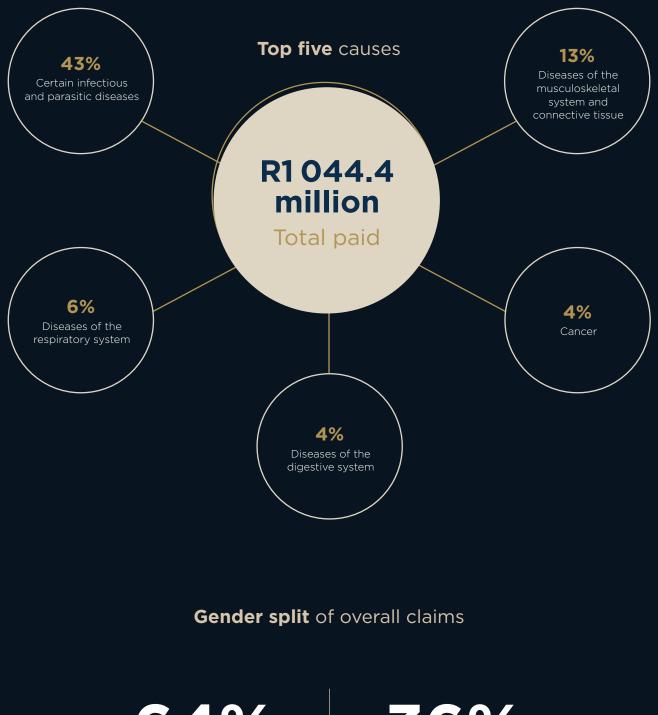
PPS Profit-Share Account[™] payments

R1 023 million on retirement

R131 million on death

R1 469 million total exit

Sickness benefit



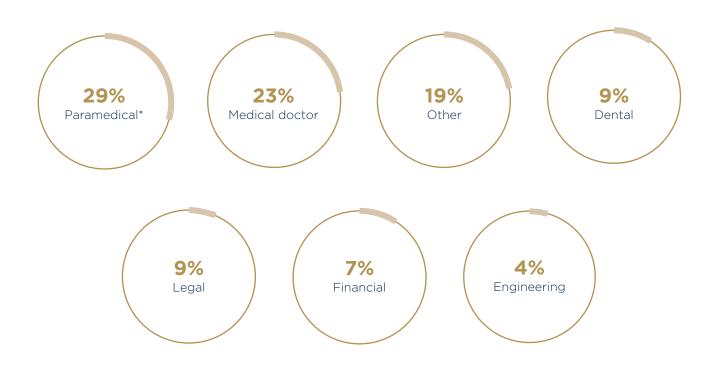




We paid 96% of all Sickness benefit claims



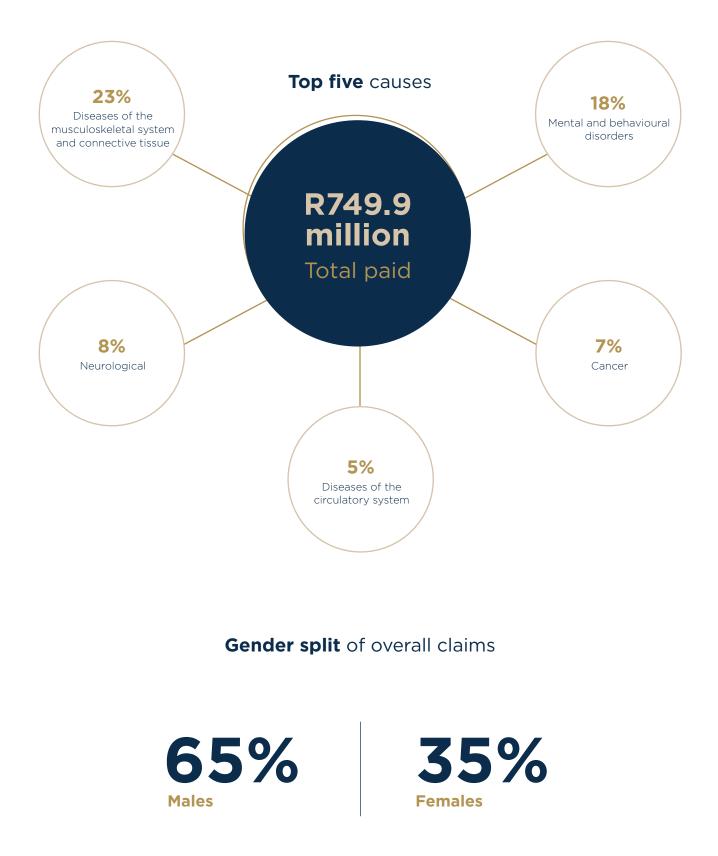
Claims by profession



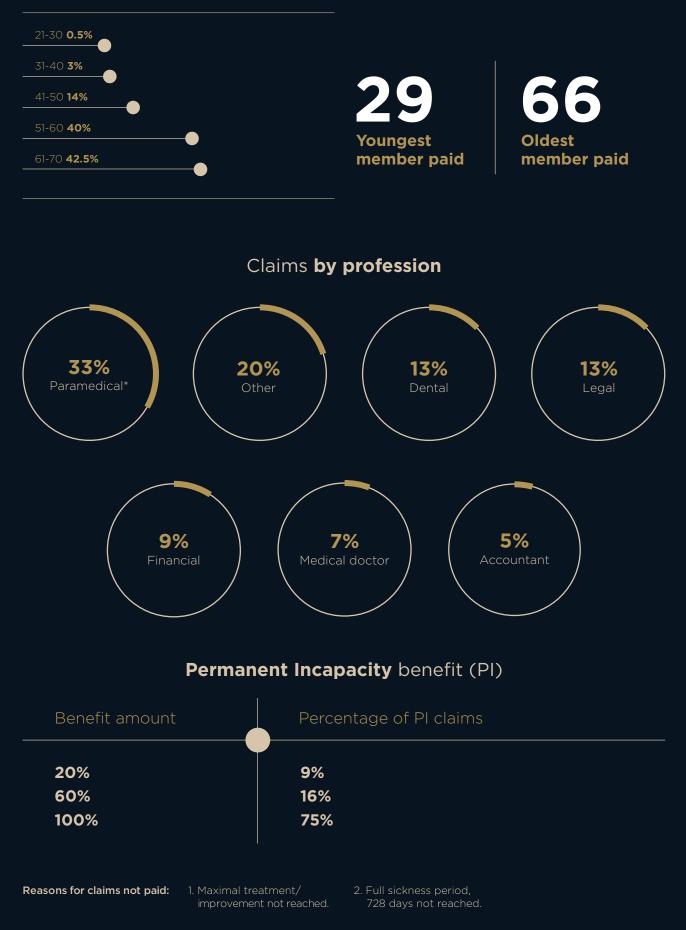
Reasons for claims not paid:

- 1. Claim period is less than the waiting period.
- 2. Declaration by doctor not submitted.
- 3. Exclusions applicable.

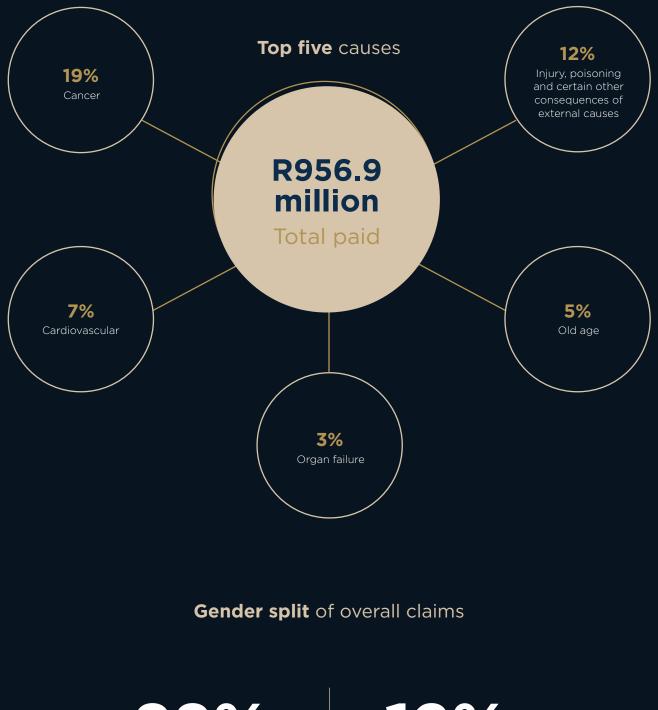
Permanent Incapacity benefit



93% of all Permanent Incapacity claims



Life cover



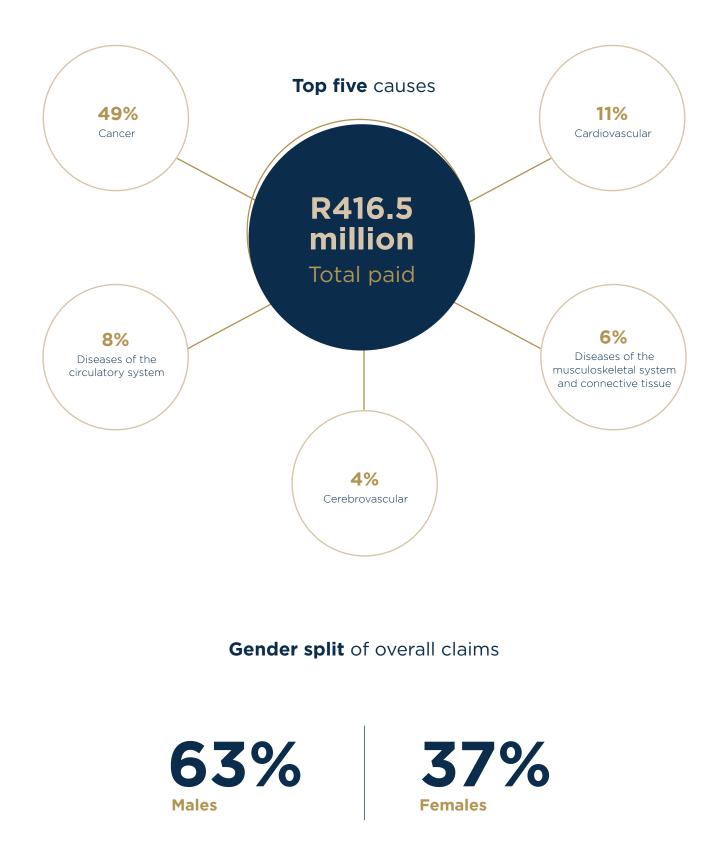




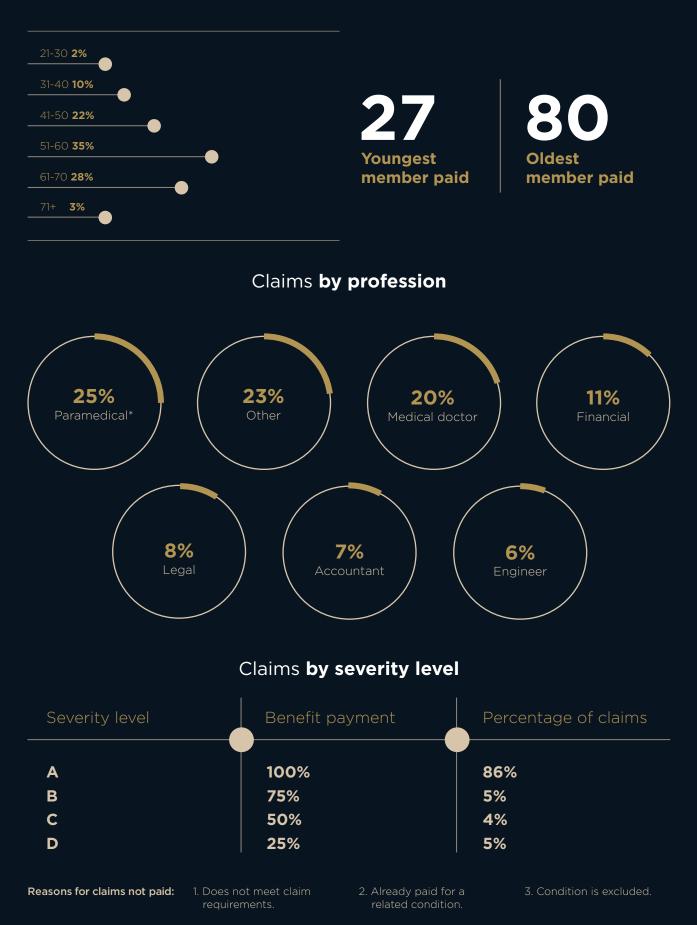
We paid 100% of all Death claims



Critical Illness Cover

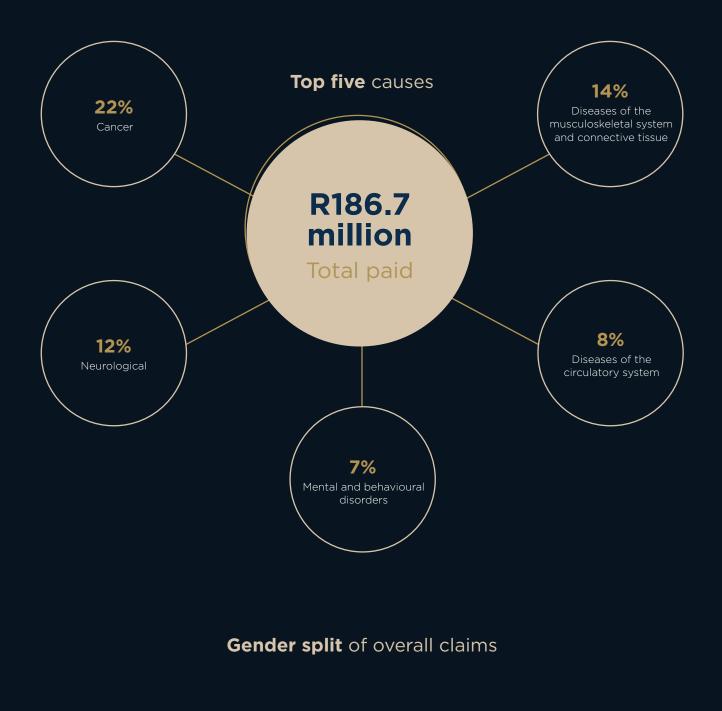


We paid 73% of all Critical Illness claims



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Lump-sum Disability

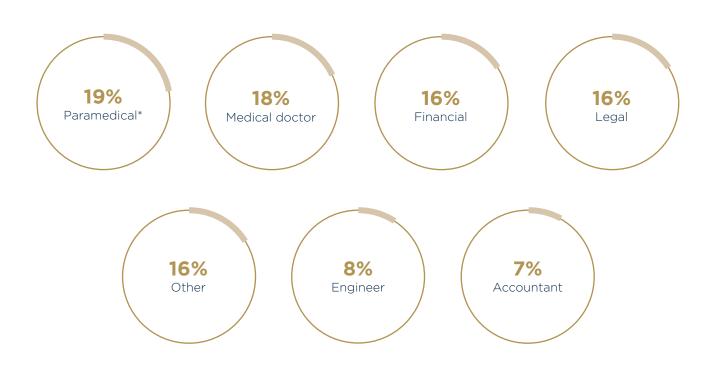




We paid 73% of all Lump-sum Disability claims

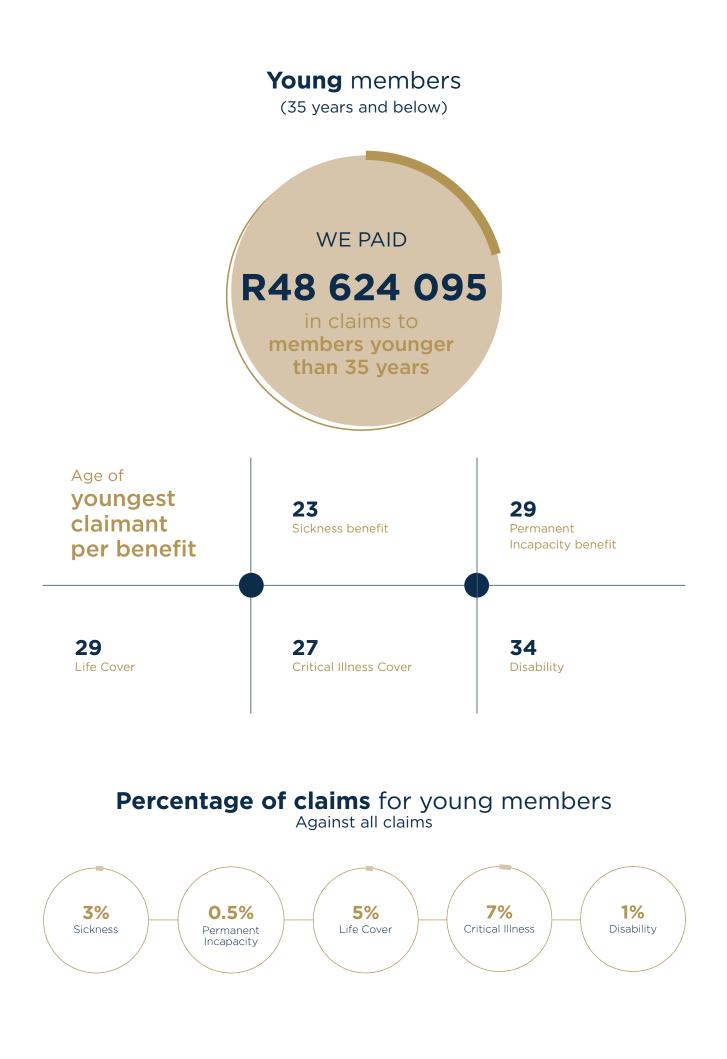


Claims by profession



Reasons for claims not paid:

- 1. Does not meet claim requirements.
- 2. Still performing occupational duties.



Top causes per benefit

	Percentage
Sickness	
Certain infectious and parasitic diseases Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium Diseases of the respiratory system Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue Diseases of the digestive system	51% 5% 5% 4% 3%
Permanent Incapacity	
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	100%
Death benefits	
Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes Motor vehicle accidents Suicide Cancer Cardiovascular	25% 16% 8% 8% 8%
Critical Illness	
Diseases of the circulatory system Cancer Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes Cerebrovascular and cardiovascular	18% 14% 14% 5% 2%
Disability	
Mental & behavioural disorders	100%



SUCCESS.

It does not just happen. It is calculated, planned, built on. It is the consequence of time and effort. It is the result of every decision big and small. And also of every individual who has contributed. Every employee, intermediary and member becomes involved. Contributing to an extensive pool of diverse skills and resources and playing their part in the growth and mutual success of us all.

Case studies

Sickness benefit

Meet William, a 56-year-old radiologist employed at a hospital. Since the pandemic started, he has worked with other essential health workers in the hospital. On 2 July 2021, he tested positive for COVID-19 and was diagnosed with COVID-19 pneumonia. William's symptoms started on 1 July 2021 and continued until 16 July 2021. He experienced coughing, body pain, a sore throat, shortness of breath and weakness, but was not hospitalised.

For his sickness period, William received payment for 15 days (2 July 2021 to 16 July 2021) and another partial Sickness award for the five days (19 July 2021 to 23 July 2021) when he could not perform his usual professional duties.

2 Permanent Incapacity benefit

Malebo is a 51-year-old female quantity surveyor who became a PPS member in 1994. Unfortunately, in 2019, she was diagnosed with stage 4 breast cancer. Over two years, Malebo continued to undergo treatment while claiming her Sickness benefit. However, the condition impacted her ability to meet the demands of her job. She received a Sickness benefit payment for 728 days. After the conclusion that she had reached maximal medical improvement, she was awarded a 100% Permanent Incapacity benefit.

3 Critical Illness Cover

Meet 67-year-old Kate, who is a physiotherapist. She was first diagnosed with primary open-angle glaucoma, which did not qualify for an award under Appendix A of the PPS Provider[™] Policy as visual acuity (measurement of the eye's ability to distinguish shapes and the details of objects at a given distance is within normal range). Kate's impairment is in the visual field.

The condition resulted in a Whole Person Impairment (WPI) of 12%, which equates to a 25% award on the CatchAll benefit.

4 ■ PPS Professional Disability Provider[™]

50-year-old dentist Pam worked in her private practice. She experienced pain and redness in her eye. In 2021, tests confirmed that she had fungal keratitis in her right eye.

The condition permanently affected her vision in the right eye, and as a result, PPS considered Pam's condition to be permanent, significant and severe. Her claim on her PPS Professional Disability Provider[™] was granted.

PPS Short-Term Insurance claims

R131.4 million*

Total motor and household benefits paid

*Value-added products not included.

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ccidental damage	33%
heft	13%
torm and wind	8%
Vindscreen	4%
sset-all risk	4%
Commercial lines: Top five causes of claims	•
ccidental damage	37%
torm and wind	24%
heft	16%
ower surge	7%
sset-all risk	5%
plit by profession (top five): Personal lines	-
ledical	33%
inancial	21%
ngineering	10%
aramedical*	9%
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egal	7%

Profmed claims





COVID-19-positive deaths as a percentage of positive beneficiaries

R364.9 million

COVID-19 total interim hospital cost





Past performance is not necessarily indicative of future performance. The PPS Profit-Share Account™ is a notional account and vests on retirement from age 60.

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