About the Product(s)

Countries of Operation: Kenya
Product status: Active
Institutional Model: Partner-agent
Type of Coverage: Voluntary
Type of Policy: Individual + family policy

The Health Benefit covers all in-patient costs in Jamii Bora's partner hospitals, largely mission hospitals. The main hospital used in Nairobi is St Mary's Mission Hospital in Langata. Jamii Bora presently has over 30 partner hospitals all over the country.

Benefits and services covered: Hospitalization

Beneficiaries receive comprehensive in-patient and maternity care.

Premium Amount: The premium amount for a family policy is KSH 1,200 (US$12.9) per year (as of 2009). If the member wants to pay in installments, she can pay 120 Shillings per month for twelve months or 30 KSH (US$0.35) per week for 50 weeks.

Frequency of premium payment: Payment in regular installments

Subsidy: Partial subsidy for all members

The premium is subsidized from the profits of the MFI.

Other information:

Jamii Bora see the insurance as a way to increase loan repayment rates.

More about the scheme/information sources

Sources:
1. Jamii Bora website

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