Microcare [1]

About the Product(s)

Countries of Operation: Uganda
Product status: Terminated
Number of Members: Microcare covered 29,900 lives at the end of 2008.
Institutional Model: Commercial Insurer
Type of Coverage: Voluntary
Type of Policy: Individual + family policy
Benefits and services covered: In-patient and out-patient care

The product primarily covers in-patient services including surgeries and hospitalizations, some out-patient services and all primary health care consultations.

Subsidy: Partial subsidy for select members
There is a 25% subsidy for the informal sector.
Healthcare provider paid by: Fee for service (includes full charges, discounted charges, per diem or per case rates - any payment made based on services utilized)

Other information:
Microcare ceased operations in late 2009 due to a mix of political and regulatory reasons.

More about the scheme/information sources

Sources:
2. The Observer. 2009. Medical insurer regulator colludes to kill Microcare.[3]

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