

#### BERMUDA

# **HEALTH INSURANCE AMENDMENT ACT 2023**

## 2023:31

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Health Insurance Act 1970;

Be it enacted by The King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Assembly of Bermuda, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

#### Citation

1 This Act may be cited as the Health Insurance Amendment Act 2023.

## Amends section 3A

- 2 (1) Section 3A(2H) of the Health Insurance Act 1970 is amended—
  - (a) by inserting after the word "education" the words "(the "programme")"; and
  - (b) by inserting after the word "uninsured" the following words and paragraphs thereunder ", and also in respect of women who are insured if their health insurance—
    - "(a) does not include maternity care; or
    - (b) includes maternity care, but does not include maternity care benefits equivalent to those provided with respect to women who are enrolled in the programme.".

(2) Section 3A of the Health Insurance Act 1970 is amended by inserting after subsection (2H) the following—  $\,$ 

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"(2I) With respect to women who are insured persons, maternity care benefits provided under the programme shall have effect only in relation to health care which is not met out of their health insurance.".

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