

# Request to change banking details

## Contact details

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## Who we are

LA Health Medical Scheme (referred to as 'the Scheme'), registration number 1145, is a non-profit organisation, registered with the Council for Medical Schemes.

Discovery Health (Pty) Ltd (referred to as 'the administrator') is a separate company and an authorised financial services provider (registration number 1997/013480/07). We take care of the administration of your membership for the Scheme.

## How to complete this form

1. Please use one letter per block, complete in black ink and print clearly.
2. To avoid administration delays, please ensure the details on this form are completed in full.
3. Please email this completed and signed form with any support documentation to [bankingdetails@discovery.co.za](mailto:bankingdetails@discovery.co.za).
4. Alternatively, you can update your bank details by visiting [www.lahealth.co.za](http://www.lahealth.co.za) if you are a registered web-user.
5. You need to submit the following with this form:

## Supporting documents required

Please send the completed **Request to change bank details form** back to us with the documents under each type of bank account. Please only send the documents relevant to your update. These documents are only applicable or needed when you are using one of the bank account types listed below.

### When using another person's bank account (for example, spouse, aunt, uncle, friend, father, son):

- Proof of the account, like a copy of the bank statement, not older than three months;
- A copy of the ID, passport or drivers licence of the bank account holder.

### When using a joint account:

- Proof of the account, like a copy of the bank statement or letter from the bank on a bank letterhead (the proof must not be older than three months from the day that you send it to us);
- A copy of the ID, passport or drivers licence of each of the joint account holders.

### When using a company account:

- Proof of the account, like a copy of the bank statement or letter from the bank on a bank letterhead (the proof of account must not be older than three months from the day that you send it to us);
- A copy of the ID, passport or drivers licence of each signatory or person who has authority to sign on behalf of the company;
- A letter of authority including the details of all the persons of authority and the membership details;
- A copy of the company's certificate of registration.

### When using a trust account:

- Proof of the account, like a copy of the bank statement or letter from the bank on a bank letterhead (the proof must not be older than three months from the day that you send it to us);
- A copy of the ID, passport or drivers licence of each of the trustees of the account;
- A copy of the trust's certificate of registration;
- A copy of the trust resolution, showing the trustees.

### If the account is in your name, and you are the main member, but we are unable to verify the account details with the bank, we will need the following documents:

- Proof of the account, like a copy of the bank statement or letter from the bank on a bank letterhead (the proof must not be older than three months from the day that you send it to us)
- A copy of your ID, passport or drivers licence.

## 1. What would you like to change?

Debit order details  Claim payment details  Both

## 2. Main member's details

Membership number   
ID number

### 3. New bank account details for debit orders

We will start using these banking details once they are loaded onto the system.

**Please note that we cannot accept credit card details.**

Account owner (Mark with an x)      You       Someone else       Company       Trust

Bank name

Branch name       Branch code

Account number       Type of account      Cheque       Savings

Account holder

Signature of bank account holder       Date   -   -

Account holder residential address (If the account holder is a company, please state the company address)

Address line 1

Address line 2

City

Suburb

Postal code

Account holder email address (If the account holder is a company, please state the company email address)

Account holder contact number (If the account holder is a company, please state the company contact number)

Due to Payment Association of South Africa (PASA) debit order mandate requirements, you are required to supply the account holder's residential address, email address and contact number. Please note that the details you supply will only be used for the PASA debit order mandate requirement and will not be used to update your LA Health contact details we have on system. If you wish to update any of your LA Health membership contact details please visit [www.lahealth.co.za](http://www.lahealth.co.za).

If an account held in another person's name (third-party) is being used, for example, spouse, friend or daughter, company (authorised person) or trust (trustee), please complete the details below.

Title       Initials       Surname

First name(s)   
(as per identity book)

Preferred name

Gender      Male       Female       Date of birth   -   -

ID or passport number

Please also complete the details below for **company** or **trust** accounts.

Company or trust

Registration number

Signature of authorised party / trustee       Date   -   -

If there are multiple authorised parties / trustees, please attach ID copies for each authorised party / trustee.

#### 4. New bank account details for claim payments

When should we start using the new banking details?

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As per debit order details?

**Please note that we cannot accept credit card details.**

Only select someone else's name if the payments must be made into another person's bank account (for example, an account belonging to your spouse, grandfather, mother, friend, cousin, authorised party (company) or trustee (trust)).

Account owner (Mark with an X)

You

Someone else

Company

Trust

Bank name

Branch name

Branch code

Account number

Type of account

Cheque

Savings

Account holder

Signature of bank account holder

Date

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Account holder residential address (If the account holder is a company, please state the company address)

Address line 1

Address line 2

City

Suburb

Postal code

Account holder email address (If the account holder is a company, please state the company email address)

Account holder contact number (If the account holder is a company, please state the company contact number)

If an account held in another person's name (third-party) is being used, for example, spouse, friend or daughter, company (authorised person) or trust (trustee), please complete the details below.

Title

Initials

Surname

First name(s)

(as per identity book)

Preferred name

Gender

Male

Female

Date of birth

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ID or passport number

Please also complete the details below for **company** or **trust** accounts.

Company or trust

Registration number

Signature of authorised party / trustee

Date

       

If there are multiple authorised parties/trustees, please attach ID copies for each authorised party / trustee.

**Your banking details will only be changed if:**

1. All the relevant fields on this request form have been filled in

- 2. The request has been signed by the main member
- 3. Documentation required in step 5 of "How to complete this form" accompanies this form.

I (first and last name),

as the main member, give the Scheme permission to change my banking details.

Signed at (town or city)

Signature of main member

Date

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**Please do not sign an incomplete application form.**

If the account holder is not the main member, the Scheme and the administrator reserve the right to obtain bank information.

## 5. Terms and Conditions

This signed authority and mandate refer to the application on the signed date ("the agreement")

I/We, the undersigned:

1. warrant that the bank account information I/we have provided above is for an account in my/our name and that the information furnished by me/us in this authority and mandate is true and correct;
2. hereby authorise LA Health Medical Scheme to verify the banking details as provided above, for the purpose of setting up a debit order, if needed;
3. authorise LA Health Medical Scheme to issue and deliver payment instructions to my bank, recorded above, for the collection by LA Health Medical Scheme from the bank account (or any other bank or branch to which I may transfer my account) any amounts due, under or in terms of my membership on condition that the sum of such payment instructions will never exceed my obligations a member of the Scheme. The authority and mandate shall commence on the date that the banking details are effective, and shall continue until this authority and mandate is terminated by me by giving LA Health Medical Scheme no less than 20 ordinary working days written notice thereof, or immediately in the event that I instruct my bank to withdraw this authority and mandate.
4. confirm that the payment instructions mentioned above must be issued on the first working day of the month. If the change in banking details is not activated in time for the debit order collection, and there is an amount outstanding, LA Health Medical Scheme can collect that amount in the interim, upon activation of the banking details. If I change the date of a debit order after activation of the banking details, I confirm that the payment instructions must be issued and delivered on the day that I have nominated ("payment day") and thereafter on the same day in each and every successive month. If the payment day falls on a Sunday or recognised South African public holiday, the payment day will automatically be the next working day;
5. authorise LA Health Medical Scheme to track my bank account and re-present the payment instruction referred to above when there are insufficient funds in my bank account to meet my obligations under or in terms of this authority and mandate. Furthermore, I will be liable for any claims, losses or damages of whatsoever nature arising out of debits made by LA Health Medical Scheme to the account listed above, should this account have insufficient funds, be incorrect or be held in the name of any other person;
6. acknowledge that my bank will treat each payment instruction to pay contributions or amounts due under this authority and mandate to LA Health Medical Scheme as if each payment instruction came from me personally as the account holder;
7. undertake to advise LA Health Medical Scheme in writing of any changes to my account details. I acknowledge that LA Health Medical Scheme will not be held responsible or liable for any claim, loss or harm that I, or any third party, may suffer as a result of me providing incorrect banking details herein, or if the bank account is in the name of another person or entity, or as a result of my failure to notify LA Health Medical Scheme of a change in banking details, or if the bank account has insufficient funds to meet my obligations under or in terms of the authority and mandate;
8. know and understand that the withdrawals hereby authorised will be processed through a computerised system provided by South African banks. The details of each withdrawal from my bank account will be printed on my bank statement and must show the reference number indicated below so as to enable me to identify the withdrawal;
9. acknowledge that although this authority and mandate may be terminated by me, such termination does not necessarily terminate my membership of the Scheme. In the event of such termination I am not entitled to any refund of any contribution or amount due that was withdrawn by LA Health Medical Scheme whilst this authority and mandate was in force, if such contributions or amounts were legally owing to LA Health Medical Scheme in terms of the my membership of the Scheme;
10. acknowledge that by signing this authority and mandate I am bound by the payment terms applicable to this my membership of the Scheme;
11. confirm that the account listed above complies with the requirements of the Financial Intelligence Centre Act ("FICA").

## Privacy Statement

We process your personal information, as we set out in the Scheme's privacy statement, available at [www.lahealth.co.za](http://www.lahealth.co.za).

By accepting these terms and conditions or by providing personal information to us, you agree and give permission for us to use your personal information as we set out in our privacy statement. If you do not agree or give us permission to use your personal information, we may not be able to maintain your membership of the Scheme. If you believe we have acted in a way that contradicts our privacy statement, please let our privacy officer know at [www.lahealth.co.za](http://www.lahealth.co.za).

Reference number LAH CONT, LAH CLAW

Signature of bank  
account holder

Date 

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**Please only sign if you have read and understood this statement**