



**AFPA**  
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Police Association

# MEMBER UPDATE

## AFPA and Police Health Partnership



Dear members,

The AFPA has until recently had a corporate relationship with BUPA under which some members accessed a corporate rate from BUPA. This arrangement with BUPA has now expired and will not be renewed. If you are a BUPA member this may mean that BUPA will adjust your member premiums.

Currently, the AFPA is exploring an ongoing long-term partnership with Police Health and has previously provided members information relating to Police Health's benefits and services.

Police Health is the health fund run by police, exclusively for the police community. It started in South Australia in 1935 by police to benefit police, and is one of the oldest health funds in Australia with more than 50,000 police community members.

Police Health has strong existing relationships with the Police Association of South Australia, Northern Territory Police Association, West Australian Police Union, Police Association Tasmania, Queensland Police Union, and The Police Association Victoria.

The AFPA Executive, staff and numerous members have for many years dealt with the staff and Board of Police Health and find their integrity and focus on the welfare of police central to the way they operate.

Choices around private health insurance, whether to have it and who to insure with, are personal, however, in our view quality health insurance for police personnel is a must have.

We acknowledge that private health insurance forms a considerable portion of household spend. Our decision to pursue a long-term partnership with Police Health is based on more than simply promoting a health insurance product.

Police Health is an insurance option that compares very favourably to larger insurers for value and benefits.

Police Health is a Members Own, not-for-profit, and police focused private health insurer, its Extras benefits are among the highest available and its Hospital benefits come without excess or exclusions.

We encourage all members to review the information on the AFPA website [www.afpa.org.au](http://www.afpa.org.au) that relates to your state of residency and assess if Police Health might better fulfil your health insurance needs.

For more information, to compare cover, or to make the switch to Police Health call their customer service team on 1800 603 603 or email [enquiries@policehealth.com.au](mailto:enquiries@policehealth.com.au).

Kind regards,

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