

6 Week Option – Key Facts

- If you have a **six week** option and the NHS can treat you as an **in-patient or day-patient** within 6 weeks of your **specialist** recommending treatment, your policy **will not** cover you to have that treatment privately.
- Conditions such as cancer, gastro-intestinal and cardiovascular are often treated following an emergency admission or **within six weeks** of seeing a consultant. In this situation your policy **will not** cover you for **private treatment** for your **in-patient or day-patient admission**.
- If you are having treatment for an ongoing condition, for example cancer, the **six week** option will apply to **all in-patient or day-patient admissions**, not just the first one.
- Choosing a **six week** option **reduces** your **premiums** but still allows cover for non urgent admissions.
- The **six week** option is not available to Channel Islands or Isle of Man residents.
- Your policy does not cover you for any **emergency admissions, NHS cash benefit, NHS cancer cash benefit** or for the cost of an **NHS amenity bed** if your planned admission is available **within six weeks**.
- Consultations and treatment for eligible conditions carried out as an **out-patient will be covered** subject to any **out-patient** limit you may have chosen.
- It is important that you call us before **all in-patient or day-patient** admissions, so we can confirm whether you are covered for that treatment privately.
- If we have confirmed that you can have your treatment as an **out-patient** or at home, for example chemotherapy, and this treatment results in an emergency admission to hospital, this **will not be covered** by your policy **as the admission would be available within six weeks on the NHS**. Your GP/Specialist will help you get the treatment you require.

Helpful information regarding your 6 Week Option

Did you know... you can view and track your out-patient and excess benefit limits online through MyAviva?

To activate or view your account just visit [aviva.co.uk/myaviva](https://www.aviva.co.uk/myaviva)

How your six week option works:



Any Questions

For more information please visit the **Aviva website**



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