How to find your position on the EMSN

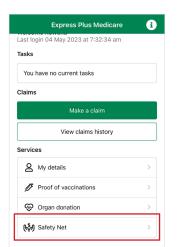
To get a more accurate estimate of your out of pocket (OOP) costs, it's helpful if you arrive to the fee conversation with your position on the Extended Medicare Safety Net (EMSN). You can get this from the Medicare app on your mobile phone or from your myGov account or by phoning Medicare. Unfortunately, it's difficult for healthcare providers to get this information on behalf of patients.



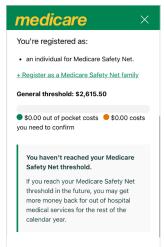


Option 1: Medicare app

Step 1: log into your Medicare app, and go to Safety Net



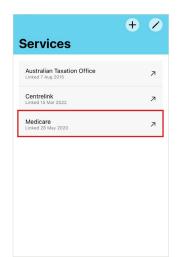
Step 2: your position should be easily visible



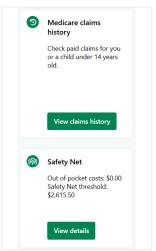


Option 2: myGov

Step 1: log in to myGov to access Medicare through linked services



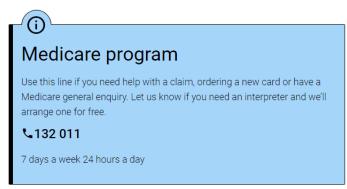
Step 2: scroll to the bottom to view safety net





Option 3: phoning Medicare

Step 1: Dial 132 011 and follow the prompts





Further information

Medicare Safety Nets resets every calendar year, 1 January - 31 December. This means your Medicare rebate will be reduced from 1 January until you reach the Extended Medicare Safety Net threshold again.





