

V-Insurance Group is the appointed insurance broker for Baseball Australia.

Coverage is provided automatically as part of your baseball membership. If you have suffered an injury whilst participating in an official Baseball Australia activity (including training, games, or other sanctioned activities) please follow the below steps to lodge a Personal Accident claim.

WHO IS INSURED?

All Baseball Victoria registered members, administrators, officials, coaches, umpires, scorers, executives, and volunteers.

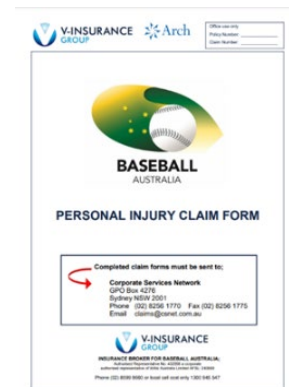
INSURANCE SUMMARY

Click [HERE](#) for a summary of Insurance for Baseball Australia.

HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM

Step 1: Click [HERE](#) for the V Insurance Claim form.

Step 2: Complete each section of the claim form.
Please be advised that incomplete claim forms may cause a delay in processing your claim.



The image shows a 'PERSONAL INJURY CLAIM FORM' for Baseball Australia. It includes the V-Insurance Group and Arch logos at the top. Below the logos is the Baseball Australia logo. The form title is 'PERSONAL INJURY CLAIM FORM'. A red arrow points to a box containing the following text: 'Completed claim forms must be sent to: Corporate Services Network, GPO Box 4276, Sydney NSW 2001, Phone (02) 8236 1170 Fax (02) 8236 1775, Email claims@vinsure.com.au'. At the bottom, it says 'V-INSURANCE GROUP' and 'INSURANCE BROKER FOR BASEBALL AUSTRALIA'.

Page 2	Summary of Insurance Cover	Please read
Page 3	How to make a claim	Please read
Page 4	Personal accident claim form	Details of the person who was injured
	Declaration agreement	Injured player or parent of injured player to sign
	Declaration by Club	Club representative to sign
Page 5	Declaration by State Association	Baseball Victoria to sign
Page 6	Accident details	Describe the accident and actions as clearly as possible
Page 7	Risk management	Describe surroundings
Page 8	Loss of Income	Complete if you are claiming loss of income
Page 9	Tax File Number	Complete if you are claiming loss of income
Page 10	Non-Medicare medical expenses	List expenses. Invoice copies need to be forwarded also
Page 11 - 12	Physicians Report	Medical practitioner, surgeon or physiotherapist to complete
Page 12	Method of payment	Bank details where funds are to be deposited

Step 3: Scan your completed documents (page 5 will be unsigned) and forward to Baseball Victoria [HERE](#) for completion of page 5.

Step 4: The documents will be forwarded to V-Insurance and/or returned to the claimant.

If you have any questions, please contact Baseball Victoria office on 03 9645 8000

Frequently Asked Questions

What does the Personal Accident (Sports Injury) insurance cover?

The Personal Accident policy covers items such as death, paraplegia, quadriplegia, non-Medicare medical expenses, loss of income, funeral benefit, student assistance benefit, home help, parents inconvenience allowance, rehabilitation benefit, bed care benefit, dependent children allowance, home renovation benefit, in memoriam benefit, kidnapping benefit and membership benefit. You are covered for injuries even if the accident was your fault.

When does the cover apply?

Whilst participating in sanctioned Baseball Australia Inc. activities including all: official events, playing, training and trialling, official social events and fundraising activities, travel to and from the above activities.

Do I need to have private health insurance if I am covered by the Personal Accident section of this program?

This is a personal decision. However, it must be remembered that the Personal Accident cover has limited benefits to keep the cost as low as possible.

When should I send in a Personal Accident claim form?

A claim form should be completed, signed by your Club and BV then submitted to V-Insurance Group as soon as you become aware that you will be making a claim. ***You do not have to wait until after you have completed treatment for your injury.*** Please note that any treatment rendered necessary by injury must be completed within 12 calendar months from the date of such injury occurring for expenses to be covered.

What is the maximum benefit period for Loss of Income and Non-Medicare Medical Claims?

52 weeks for Loss of Income claims and 52 weeks for Non-Medicare Medical Claims.

Is the Medicare Gap claimable under the Personal Accident Policy?

No, the Health Insurance Act (Cth) 1973 does not permit the Insurer to contribute to any charges covered by Medicare (including the Medicare Gap). This means that any charges for treatment from a Doctor, Surgeon, Anaesthetist or Surgeon's Assistant are not covered. It also means charges for X-Ray, some MRI Scans (if Medicare registered) and Public Hospitals are not covered.

What is the Excess/Elimination Period under the Personal Accident Policy?

There is a \$20 excess in respect to making a claim for non-Medicare medical treatment (there is a nil excess if the member belongs to a private health fund.) This amount will be deducted from any reimbursements that you are entitled to. If you are making a loss of income claim you are subject to a 7 day elimination period which also takes into account any accrued sick leave or other entitlements. This means that any loss of income during this period is not claimable.

Is the cost of Ambulance transport covered under the program?

Yes, Ambulance transport is a non-Medicare medical expense and as such covered under the Personal Accident section of the program (up to the limits that you are entitled to).

Can I claim on my Private Health Insurance as well as the Insurance Scheme for personal injury claims?

You must initially claim on your Private Health Insurance and then claim on the Insurance Scheme for any Non-Medicare medical costs that exceed the limits of your Private Health Insurance.

Can I make more than one claim during the year?

Yes, you can make more than one claim during the year. It is important however, that you obtain a clearance from your treating physician prior to returning to baseball activities.

V-Insurance Group: 1300 945 547.
Completed Claims are lodged to: claims@csmnet.com.au