

**HOSPITAL INSURANCE (STANDARD HOSPITAL BENEFIT)  
AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2004**

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**HOSPITAL INSURANCE ACT 1970**

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**THE HOSPITAL INSURANCE (STANDARD HOSPITAL BENEFIT)  
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The Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred on her under section 40(1)(a) of the Hospital Insurance Act 1970, makes the following Regulations:

**Citation**

1 These Regulations may be cited as the Hospital Insurance (Standard Hospital Benefit) Amendment Regulations 2004.

**Amends regulation 2 of SR&O 13/1971**

2 Regulation 2 of the Hospital Insurance (Standard Hospital Benefit) Regulations 1971 is amended—

(a) by deleting the full stop from paragraph (xxiii) and substituting a semicolon; and

(b) by inserting next after paragraph (xxiii) the following new paragraphs—

"(xxiv) assessment and treatment in the rehabilitation unit;

(xxv) neonatal hearing screening for newborns."

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**Amends regulation 5 of SR&O 13/1971**

3 Regulation 5 of the Hospital Insurance (Standard Hospital Benefit) Regulations 1971 is amended in paragraph (ii) by deleting the words "and rehabilitation".

**Commencement**

4 These Regulations shall come into operation on 1 April 2004.

Made this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2004

Minister of Finance