

# Target Market Determination: Bow Wow Meow Pet Insurance

Product Name: Bow Wow Meow Pet Insurance - Indoor Cat Cover Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) dated 9 March 2021.

#### What is a Target Market Determination?

This Target Market Determination (TMD) sets out the class of customers the product has been designed for and is suitable for. It sets out the target market for the product, conditions and restrictions placed on its distribution, events and circumstances that would reasonably suggest that the TMD is no longer appropriate and review periods and reporting obligations for the TMD.

This TMD does not provide any financial product advice on the product and does not take into consideration the objectives, financial situation and needs of individual customers.

The terms and conditions of the product are set out in the PDS. This TMD does not form part of the insurance contract and is not a summary of the product's terms and conditions. Customers should review the PDS before making any decision in relation to the product.

Any terms used in this TMD that are defined in the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) have the same meaning as in that Act.

This TMD is available to any person at https://bowwowinsurance.com.au/

Effective date of this TMD: 5 October 2021.

This TMD is made by The Hollard Insurance Company Pty Ltd (ABN 78 090 584 473, AFSL 241436) (Hollard). PetSure (Australia) Pty Ltd (ABN 95 075 949 923, AFSL 420183) (PetSure) acts for Hollard under a binding authority. In this document the terms, "we", "us" or "our" refer to Hollard in its own right or via PetSure.



### Product description and key attributes

The product has been designed for people who want cover towards eligible veterinary expenses for illness conditions experienced by pet cats who spend most of their time indoors. This product has one level of cover. This is briefly described below:

	Indoor Cat Cover	
Cover Type	Cover for specified range of Illnesses:	
	Feline lower urinary tract disease	
	Gastrointestinal Problems	
	Ingestion of a foreign object	
	Poisoning	
	Diabetes	
	Hyperthyroidism	
	Heart disease	
	Outer and inner ear infections	
	Arthritis	
	Renal disease	
	Cancer	
Benefit Percentage	Up to 80% of eligible vet bills	
Annual Benefit Limit	Up to \$5,000 per year	
Option(s)	Routine Care	

Other key attributes of this product include:

- it does not provide comprehensive cover for preventative care costs and general pet maintenance costs like grooming and pet food; and
- cover is subject to annual limits, sub-limits, terms, conditions and exclusions. Examples of key exclusions include: waiting period exclusions at the inception of a new policy and coverage exclusions for chronic pre-existing conditions.

# Likely objectives, financial situation and needs of customers in the target market

The likely objectives, financial situation and needs of customers in the target market is a contribution towards eligible veterinary expenses, to ensure their pet can receive appropriate treatment and to reduce the cost to the customer of that treatment.

### Target market for the product

The overall target market for the product applies to this level of cover. Option(s) chosen also have parameters which apply in addition to the overall target market.



# Indoor Cat Cover (Specified Illness)

Who this product may be suitable for	Who this product may not be suitable for
<ul> <li>A person is in our target market for this product if they:         <ul> <li>have domestic cats or hybrids that are legally available imported to Australia.</li> <li>want a level of cover for the treatment of a specified raillnesses listed below:</li></ul></li></ul>	By way of example, a person will not be in our target market if they:  • have a pet which has sustained chronic preexisting conditions which are likely to require ongoing veterinary treatment and want cover for those treatment costs; or  • want to cover the costs of treatment for illnesses not covered by this policy, or other maintenance costs associated with pet ownership.

# **Option: Routine Care**

In addition to the overall target market, these additional parameters apply based on the level of cover chosen.

Who this option may be suitable for	Who this option may not be suitable for
A person is in the target market for this option if they:	A person will not be in the target market for this option if they:
<ul> <li>want a limited amount reimbursed for specified</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>do not want reimbursement for these specified</li> </ul>
preventative treatments and ownership costs like:	preventative treatments and ownership costs.
desexing, microchipping or heartworm control.	

# Consistency between the product and target market

This product will likely meet the likely objectives, financial situation and needs of the target market because it addresses the needs of customers in the target market to reduce the costs of eligible veterinary expenses.



# **Distribution Conditions**

This product is distributed through:

- calling the Bow Wow Meow Pet Insurance call centre; or
- visiting the website of Bow Wow Meow Pet insurance.

All enquiries made online use a quotation tool which ask the customer to answer a series of questions before finalising a quote. Customers seeking a quote via the phone will be asked a series of questions from a system-based script by a trained operator. The response to these questions will determine if the customer meets the eligibility criteria, which align with the description of the target market set out above. A sale will not progress if these eligibility criteria are not met.

All call centre representatives are provided with adequate training and their sales are routinely monitored by us to ensure that they sell the product only to customers who are in the target market.

Bow Wow Meow Pet Insurance is promoted and distributed by Pet Tag Holdings Pty Limited (ABN 76 124 601 127. AR no. 318913). We have arrangements in place with Pet Tag Holdings Pty Limited with appropriate terms to ensure the product is distributed to the customers that fall within the target market.

# Reviewing this document

#### Periodic Review

We will review this TMD within 24 months from its commencement date and subsequently every 24 months thereafter.

#### **Review Triggers**

We will also review this TMD if there are events or circumstances that reasonably suggest that the TMD is no longer appropriate. The triggers for this review may arise from:

- any material changes being made to the product coverage, pricing methodology, underwriting or eligibility criteria or its method of claims assessment and settlement;
- any material changes to methods of distribution;
- changes in law or regulatory guidance or industry code which may materially affect the terms of cover or distribution or regulatory feedback or concerns raised to suggest the TMD may no longer be appropriate;
- identification of systemic issues and findings, produced from quality assurance or governance processes, that may indicate an issue with the product or the appropriateness of the TMD;
- any occurrence of a significant dealing outside of the target market;
- compliance incidents and breaches that may indicate an issue with the product and the appropriateness of the TMD; or
- material deviations developing in the customer value metrics that track:
  - o financial performance of the product;
  - o product desirability;
  - o benefit attained from the product by customers;
  - o overall claims experience;
  - o number and type of complaints received; and
  - o customer feedback received.



# Reporting

Distributors of this product are required to report the following information to us within the time specified below:

Information	Reporting period
	As soon as practicable and in any event within 10 business days of first becoming aware.
Actual of potential issue of the product in preach of distribution conditions of	As soon as practicable and in any event within 10 business days of first becoming aware.
Number and details of all complaints received	Within 10 days of the end of each quarter
Sales and marketing data including but not limited to quotes and sales made, promotions applied, cancellation of cover information	Within 10 days of the end of each quarter.
Any data that we do not hold and is requested by us in writing that allows us to monitor customer value metrics as described in "Reviewing this document"	Within 10 days of the end of each month.