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Manulife Malaysia launches protection plan for mother and baby

Manulife Precious Gift is a unit-deducting rider that offers comprehensive maternity and childcare benefits

KUALA LUMPUR – Ahead of Mother’s Day, Manulife Malaysia launches a new comprehensive maternity and childcare early protection plan, [Manulife Precious Gift](#). This plan aims to support empowering health and wellbeing for mothers and their babies.

“Becoming a mother can be both exciting and a bit overwhelming. At Manulife, we are offering solutions that help our customers and their families feel protected, while providing peace of mind so they can spend more time with the people that matter most,” said Vibha Coburn, Group Chief Executive Officer, Manulife Malaysia. “It’s not what we have in life, but who we have that matters.”

Manulife Precious Gift is carefully curated to make decisions easier and lives better for expectant mothers by covering some of the most common pregnancy-related and newborn unexpected medical needs with protection for both the mother and the baby during the pregnancy – and even shortly after birth.

For mothers, *Manulife Precious Gift* helps protect against pregnancy-related complications that may arise during pregnancy, provide cash relief for hospitalisation, and lump sum payment in the event of unexpected health issues such as cancer during pregnancy for the mother and congenital and developmental disorders for the child, and emotional health support throughout pregnancy and up to a year after delivery.

This insurance rider can be added to any ManuLink Essential Investment-linked Plan. The earlier parents purchase *Manulife Precious Gift*, the quicker the plan can help to protect against unexpected complications that might arise throughout the course of the pregnancy. Parents can also secure additional medical coverage for their baby before birth – from as early as 13 weeks to 35 weeks into pregnancy – with Manulife Health Saver Benefit – Baby (MHSB – Baby).

The product information in this press release does not contain the full terms and conditions of the product and is for reference only. Please visit [Manulife Precious Gift](#), or please call 1-300-13-2323, or email MYCARE@manulife.com for more information.

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About Manulife

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