



CARER COVER

We often focus just on the person who is ill, however, recent cases have made us aware of a need to provide assistance where the carer has had an accident or become ill, which leaves the sick person e.g. wheelchair bound left to fend for themselves. **This is not covered under a standard insurance.**

This person has not become ill or had an accident and as such there is no section under a standard policy to provide cover. Of course it is even more concerning when it comes to returning home to the UK. The carer who may need medical assistance on the return flight will be provided with a medical escort. This does not, however, resolve the problem of getting the person for whom they care, home. We can provide additional cover for this event.

We are able to offer additional cover for such circumstances at **double the premium rate** for the person who is wheelchair bound or requires care.

This means that in such circumstances where the carer becomes ill or incapacitated, we can make appropriate arrangements for the travel Companion who requires care or assistance, especially e.g. escorting them home, whilst the normal insurance takes care of the Carer.