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Medical Aid IRP5 Code	Description		
3810	 Fringe Benefit. Full Company Contribution Value. Medical Aid contributions paid on behalf of an employee. 		
3860	 Fringe Benefit. Full Company Contribution Value. Must only be used for Foreign Service Income. 		
3813	 Medical costs incurred on behalf of an employee in respect of medical, dental and similar services, hospital and/or nursing services or medicine. 		
3863	 Medical costs incurred on behalf of an employee in respect of medical, dental and similar services, hospital and/or nursing services or medicine. Note: Must only be used for Foreign Service Income. 		
4005	Employee Contribution.		
	 Medical scheme fees (contributions) paid and deemed paid by employee). 		
	 'Deemed paid' by employee is the value of the taxable benefit (code 3810) included in the income of the employee. 		
	 Note: On the 4005 IRP5 Code the Employee Contribution (4005) + the Fringe Benefit (3810) amount will appear on the IRP5 Certificate. 		

4024	 Medical services costs deemed to be paid by the employee in respect of himself/herself, spouse or child.
4116	Tax Credit.
4120	Additional Tax Credit.
4474	 Employer contribution. Employer's medical scheme fees (contributions) paid for the benefit for employees not included in code 4493.
4493	 Employer contribution. Employer's medical scheme fees (contributions) paid for the benefit of a retired/former employee who qualifies for the "no value" provisions in the 7th Schedule: A pensioner (a person who by reason of superannuation, ill-health or other infirmity retired from the employ of such employer); The dependants of a pensioner after the death of the pensioner – if such pensioner retired from the employ of such employer by reason of superannuation, ill-health or other infirmity; The dependants of a deceased employee after such employee's death, if such deceases employee was in the employ of the employer on the date of death; An employee who is 65 years or older (not applicable from the 2013 year of assessment).

IRP5 Codes: Legally Retired/Not Legally Retired:

Medical Aid IRP5 Code	Not Legally Retired	Legally Retired and younger than 65	Legally retired and 65 or older	Younger than 65	65 and older
3810	\checkmark			✓	✓
4005	\checkmark	~	~	\checkmark	\checkmark
4024					
4116	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	~	\checkmark
4120			~		✓
4474	\checkmark			~	\checkmark
4493		✓	~		

Note: If the employee is legally retired (no matter the employee's age) and there is only a company contribution on IRP5 code 4493, meaning there is no value for IRP5 code 4005 (employee contribution and fringe benefit value), then there will be no tax credit value for either IRP5 code 4116 or 4120