# **MEDICAL AID CASH STRATEGY**

INSTITUTIONAL STRATEGY FACT SHEET AS AT 31 OCTOBER 2023



# LONG TERM OBJECTIVE

The Coronation Medical Aid Cash Strategy complies with Regulation 30 of the Medical Schemes Act. The Strategy has a low-risk approach suitable for medical aid schemes seeking returns that are superior to those of overnight cash rates, while taking into consideration capital protection and liquidity requirements. The portfolio duration is limited to 180 days and the maximum term to maturity of an individual instrument does not exceed 3 years.

## **INVESTMENT APPROACH**

STRATEGY RETURNS GROSS OF FEES

Latest 1 year

Year to date

Month

Coronation is a long-term, valuation-driven investment house. Our aim is to identify mispriced assets trading at discounts to their fair value through extensive proprietary research. The fixed income portfolios are positioned on a long term strategic market view, but this is balanced by taking advantage of shorter-term tactical opportunities when the market lags or runs ahead of that strategic view. As active managers, we consider investment decisions across the full spectrum of potential return enhancers. These include duration and yield curve positions, inflation-linked assets as well as yield enhancement through credit enhanced assets. We aim to maximise returns by actively combining both a top-down and a bottom-up approach to portfolio construction.

Period	Strategy	Benchmark	Active Return
Since Inception (cumulative)	279.6%	217.3%	62.3%
Since Inception p.a.	7.7%	6.7%	1.0%
Latest 15 years p.a.	7.4%	6.2%	1.2%
Latest 10 years p.a.	7.3%	6.0%	1.3%
Latest 5 years p.a.	6.8%	5.5%	1.3%
Latest 3 years p.a.	6.3%	5.1%	1.2%

8.8%

7.4%

0.8%

7.5%

6.4%

0.7%

1.3%

1.0%

0.1%

ASSET ALLOCATION	
Asset Type	% Strategy
Floating Rate NCDs	53.0%
Fixed Rate NCDs	19.6%
Floating Rate Corporate Bonds	13.0%
Cash	11.9%
Government ILBs	1.5%
Floating Rate Other	0.6%
Fixed Rate Corporate Bonds	0.3%
Corporate ILBs	0.1%

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Inception Date 01 December 2005
Strategy Size \* R227.2 million

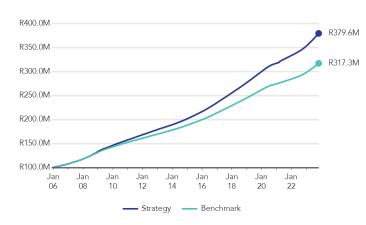
Strategy Status Open

Mandate Benchmark Short Term Fixed Interest 3-month Index

(STeFI 3m)

Dealing FrequencyDailyBase CurrencyZARRegulation 30Yes

# **GROWTH OF R100M INVESTMENT**



Benchmark: Short Term Fixed Interest 3-month Index (STeFI 3m)

#### **EFFECTIVE MATURITY PROFILE** % Strategy Term Call 2.5% 1.6% 0 to 2 months 2 to 4 months 15.9% 8.0% 4 to 6 months 31.0% 6 to 9 months 9 to 12 months 5.7% 1 to 3 years 35.2%



<sup>\*</sup>Strategy assets under management as at the most recent quarter end.

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## **PORTFOLIO MANAGERS**



### Nishan Maharaj - BSc (Hons), MBA

Nishan is head of Fixed Interest and responsible for the investment unit's process and performance across all strategies. He also manages all fixed interest assets. Nishan has 20 years' investment experience.



### Mauro Longano - BScEng (Hons), CA (SA)

Mauro is head of Fixed Interest research and a portfolio manager within the team. He co-manages the Strategic Cash Strategy along with the Strategic Income and Money Market unit trust funds, and recently started co-managing the Property Equity Unit Trust. Mauro has 12 years' investment experience.



### Sinovuyo Ndaleni - BBusSc

Sinovuyo is a portfolio manager within the Coronation Fixed Interest investment unit, where she co-manages the Coronation Strategic Cash and Medical Aid Cash strategies. She also co-manages the Coronation Defensive Income and Money Market unit trust funds and has various analytical responsibilities. Sinovuyo joined Coronation in January 2016

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