Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What You Pay For Covered Services

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Custom HMO

Coverage Period: Beginning On or After 8/1/2021

Coverage for: Individual + Family | Plan Type: HMO

The Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) document will help you choose a health <u>plan</u>. The SBC shows you how you and the <u>plan</u> would share the cost for covered health care services. NOTE: Information about the cost of this <u>plan</u> (called the <u>premium</u>) will be provided separately. This is only a summary. For more information about your coverage, or to get a copy of the complete terms of coverage, visit <u>bsca.com/policies/W0051514-</u> <u>M0027027EOC_COI202108.pdf</u> or call 1-855-256-9404. For general definitions of common terms, such as <u>allowed amount</u>, <u>balance billing</u>, <u>coinsurance</u>, <u>copayment</u>, <u>deductible</u>, <u>provider</u>, or other <u>underlined</u> terms see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <u>healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary</u> or call 1-866-444-3272 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall <u>deductible</u> ?	\$0.	See the Common Medical Events chart below for your costs for services this plan covers.
Are there services covered before you meet your <u>deductible</u> ?	Yes. <u>Preventive care</u> and services listed in your complete terms of coverage.	This <u>plan</u> covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the <u>deductible</u> amount. But a <u>copayment</u> or <u>coinsurance</u> may apply. For example, this <u>plan</u> covers certain <u>preventive services</u> without <u>cost-sharing</u> and before you meet your <u>deductible</u> . See a list of covered <u>preventive services</u> at <u>healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits</u> .
Are there other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services.
What is the <u>out-of-pocket</u> <u>limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	\$2,000 per individual / \$4,000 per two party / \$6,000 per family for <u>participating providers</u> .	The <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. If you have other family members in this <u>plan</u> , they have to meet their own <u>out-of-pocket limits</u> until the overall family <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> has been met.
What is not included in the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> ?	Copayments for certain services, premiums, and health care this plan doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit.
Will you pay less if you use a <u>network provider</u> ?	Yes. See <u>blueshieldca.com/fad</u> or call 1-855-256-9404 for a list of <u>network</u> <u>providers</u> .	This <u>plan</u> uses a <u>provider network</u> . You will pay less if you use a <u>provider</u> in the <u>plan's</u> network. You will pay the most if you use an <u>out-of-network provider</u> , and you might receive a bill from a <u>provider</u> for the difference between the <u>provider's</u> charge and what your <u>plan</u> pays (<u>balance billing</u>). Be aware, your <u>network provider</u> might use an <u>out-of-network provider</u> for some services (such as lab work). Check with your <u>provider</u> before you get services.
Do you need a <u>referral</u> to see a <u>specialist</u> ?	Yes.	This <u>plan</u> will pay some or all of the costs to see a <u>specialist</u> for covered services but only if you have a <u>referral</u> before you see the <u>specialist</u> .

All copayment and coinsurance costs shown in this chart are after your deductible has been met, if a deductible applies. What You Will Pay **Common Medical** Limitations, Exceptions, & Other **Services You May Need Non-Participating Provider Participating Provider Important Information** Event (You will pay the least) (You will pay the most) Primary care visit to treat an \$25/visit Not Covered -----None-----injury or illness Self-referral is available for Access+ Access+ Specialist: \$30/visit If you visit a health Not Covered Specialist visit Other Specialist: \$25/visit Specialist visits. care provider's office You may have to pay for services that or clinic aren't preventive. Ask your provider if Preventive care/screening No Charge Not Covered /immunization the services needed are preventive. Then check what your plan will pay for. Lab & Path: Not Covered Lab & Path: No Charge Preauthorization is required. Failure to X-Ray & Imaging: Not Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood X-Ray & Imaging: No Charge obtain preauthorization may result in Covered Other Diagnostic Examination: non-payment of benefits. The services work) Other Diagnostic No Charge listed are at a freestanding location. Examination: Not Covered If you have a test Outpatient Radiology Center: Outpatient Radiology Center: Preauthorization is required. Failure to Not Covered No Charge Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs) obtain preauthorization may result in Outpatient Hospital: No *Outpatient Hospital*: Not non-payment of benefits. Charge Covered Retail: \$15/prescription Retail: Not Covered If you need drugs to Preauthorization is required for select Tier 1 treat your illness or drugs. Failure to obtain Mail Service: \$30/prescription Mail Service: Not Covered preauthorization may result in noncondition Retail: \$30/prescription Retail: Not Covered Tier 2 More information about Mail Service: \$60/prescription payment of benefits. Mail Service: Not Covered *Retail*: Covers up to a 30-day supply: prescription drug Retail: Not Covered Retail: Not Covered Mail Service: Covers up to a 90-day coverage is available at Tier 3 Mail Service: Not Covered Mail Service: Not Covered blueshieldca.com/ supply.

Common Medical		What You	Limitations Expontions 8 Other		
Event	Services You May Need	<u>Participating Provider</u> (You will pay the least)	<u>Non-Participating Provider</u> (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information	
<u>formulary</u>	Tier 4	Retail and Network Specialty Pharmacies: 20% <u>coinsurance</u> up to \$100/prescription <i>Mail Service</i> : 20% <u>coinsurance</u> up to \$200/prescription	<i>Retail</i> : Not Covered <i>Mail Service</i> : Not Covered	Preauthorization is required. Failure to obtain preauthorization may result in non-payment of benefits. <i>Retail and Network Specialty</i> <i>Pharmacies</i> : Covers up to a 30-day supply; Specialty drugs must be obtained at a Network Specialty Pharmacy. <i>Mail Service</i> : Covers up to a 90-day supply.	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	Ambulatory Surgery Center: No Charge Outpatient Hospital: \$50/surgery	Ambulatory Surgery Center: Not Covered Outpatient Hospital: Not Covered	None	
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered		
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	Facility Fee: \$100/visit Physician Fee: No Charge	<i>Facility Fee</i> : \$100/visit <i>Physician Fee</i> : No Charge	None	
	Emergency medical transportation	No Charge	No Charge	This payment is for emergency or authorized transport.	
	Urgent care	\$25/visit	<i>Within <u>Plan</u> Service Area:</i> Not Covered <i>Outside <u>Plan</u> Service Area:</i> \$25/visit	None	
lf you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	\$100/admission	Not Covered	Preauthorization is required. Failure to obtain preauthorization may result in non-payment of benefits.	
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered	None	
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	Office Visit: No Charge Other Outpatient Services: No Charge Partial Hospitalization: No Charge Psychological Testing: No Charge	Office Visit: Not Covered Other Outpatient Services: Not Covered Partial Hospitalization: Not Covered Psychological Testing: Not Covered	<u>Preauthorization</u> is required except for office visits. Failure to obtain <u>preauthorization</u> may result in non- payment of benefits.	

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	Inpatient services	Physician Inpatient Services: No Charge Hospital Services: No Charge Residential Care: No Charge	Physician Inpatient Services: Not Covered Hospital Services: Not Covered Residential Care: Not Covered	<u>Preauthorization</u> is required. Failure to obtain <u>preauthorization</u> may result in non-payment of benefits.	
	Office visits	No Charge	Not Covered		
lf you are pregnant	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No Charge	Not Covered	None	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	\$100/admission	Not Covered		
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	No Charge	Not Covered	Preauthorization is required. Failure to obtain preauthorization may result in non-payment of benefits. Coverage limited to 100 visits per member per calendar year.	
	Rehabilitation services	<i>Office Visit: \$25/visit Outpatient Hospital: \$25/visit</i>	Office Visit: Not Covered Outpatient Hospital: Not Covered	Nere	
	Habilitation services	Office Visit: \$25/visit Outpatient Hospital: \$25/visit	Office Visit: Not Covered Outpatient Hospital: Not Covered	None	
	Skilled nursing care	Freestanding SNF: No Charge Hospital-based SNF: No Charge	<i>Freestanding SNF</i> : Not Covered <i>Hospital-based SNF</i> : Not Covered	<u>Preauthorization</u> is required. Failure to obtain <u>preauthorization</u> may result in non-payment of benefits. Coverage limited to 100 days per member per benefit period.	
	Durable medical equipment	No Charge	Not Covered	<u>Preauthorization</u> is required. Failure to obtain <u>preauthorization</u> may result in non-payment of benefits.	
	Hospice services	No Charge	Not Covered	Preauthorization is required except for pre-hospice consultation. Failure to obtain preauthorization may result in non-payment of benefits.	

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If your child needs	Children's eye exam	Not Covered	Not Covered		
	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	None	
dental or eye care	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered		
Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:					
Services Your Plan Generally Does NOT Cover (Check your policy or plan document for more information and a list of any other excluded services.)					
Acupuncture	Dental ca	are (Adult) •	Long-term care	Routine eye care (Adult)	
Chiropractic Care		•	Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.	Routine foot care	
Cosmetic surgery	• Infertility	Treatment •	Private-duty nursing	Weight loss programs	
Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your <u>plan</u> document.)					

Bariatric surgery

Your Rights to Continue Coverage: There are agencies that can help if you want to continue your coverage after it ends. The contact information for those agencies is: Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or <u>cciio.cms.gov</u>. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance <u>Marketplace</u>. For more information about the <u>Marketplace</u>, visit <u>HealthCare.gov</u> or call 1-800-318-2596.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights: There are agencies that can help if you have a complaint against your <u>plan</u> for a denial of a <u>claim</u>. This complaint is called a <u>grievance</u> or <u>appeal</u>. For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical <u>claim</u>. Your <u>plan</u> documents also provide complete information to submit a <u>claim</u>, <u>appeal</u>, or a <u>grievance</u> for any reason to your <u>plan</u>. For more information about your rights, this notice or assistance, contact: Blue Shield Customer Service at 1-855-256-9404 or the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at **1-866-444-EBSA (3272)** or <u>dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform</u>. Additionally, you can contact the California Department of Managed Health Care Help at 1-888-466-2219 or visit <u>helpline@dmhc.ca.gov</u> or visit <u>http://www.healthhelp.ca.gov</u>.

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

Minimum Essential Coverage generally includes plans, health insurance available through the Marketplace or other individual market policies, Medicare, Medicaid, CHIP, TRICARE, and certain other coverage. If you are eligible for certain types of Minimum Essential Coverage, you may not be eligible for the premium tax credit.

Does this plan meet the Minimum Value Standards? Yes

If your plan doesn't meet the Minimum Value Standards, you may be eligible for a premium tax credit to help you pay for a plan through the Marketplace.

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-To see examples of how this <u>plan</u> might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.--

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About these Coverage Examples:



Limits or exclusions

The total Peg would pay is

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Peg is Having a Baby (9 months of <u>participating</u> pre-natal care and a hospital delivery)		Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes (a year of routine <u>participating</u> care of a well- controlled condition)		Mia's Simple Fracture (<u>participating</u> emergency room visit and follow up care)	
 The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u> <u>Specialist</u> <u>copayment</u> Hospital (facility) <u>copayment</u> Other <u>copayment</u> 	\$0 \$25 \$100 \$0	 The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u> <u>Specialist copayment</u> Hospital (facility) <u>copayment</u> Other <u>copayment</u> 	\$0 \$25 \$100 \$0	 The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u> <u>Specialist copayment</u> Hospital (facility) <u>copayment</u> Other <u>copayment</u> 	\$0 \$25 \$100 \$0
This EXAMPLE event includes service Specialist office visits (prenatal care) Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services Childbirth/Delivery Facility Services Diagnostic tests (ultrasounds and blood Specialist visit (anesthesia)	S	This EXAMPLE event includes service <u>Primary care physician</u> office visits (including <u>disease education)</u> <u>Diagnostic tests</u> (blood work) <u>Prescription drugs</u> <u>Durable medical equipment</u> (glucose me	uding	This EXAMPLE event includes servic <u>Emergency room care</u> (including medical supplies) <u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray) <u>Durable medical equipment</u> (crutches) <u>Rehabilitation services</u> (physical therapy	al
Total Example Cost	\$12,700	Total Example Cost	\$5,600	Total Example Cost	\$2,800
In this example, Peg would pay:		In this example, Joe would pay:		In this example, Mia would pay:	
Cost Sharing		Cost Sharing		Cost Sharing	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0	<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0	<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0
<u>Copayments</u>	\$100	<u>Copayments</u>	\$800	<u>Copayments</u>	\$100
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0	<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0	Coinsurance \$	
What isn't covered		What isn't covered		What isn't covered	

Limits or exclusions

The total Mia would pay is

\$20

\$820

\$60

\$160

Limits or exclusions

The total Joe would pay is

\$0

\$100

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