Excellus BCBS: Blue Choice 25

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Coverage for: 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, call 1-800-499-1275 or visit Our website at www.excellusbcbs.com. 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 www.cciio.cms.gov or www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary or call 1-800-499-1275 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	Not Applicable	See the Common Medical Events chart below for your costs for services this plan covers
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes, <u>Preventive Care</u>	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 https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/.
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 limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	In-Network: \$6,350 Individual/\$12,700 Family; Out-of-Network: NC Individual/NC Family	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>	Costs for <u>premiums</u> , <u>balance billing</u> charges, and health care this <u>plan</u> 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 network provider?	Yes. See www.excellusbcbs.com or call 1-800-499-1275 for a list of network providers.	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 network</u> . 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> ?	No	You can see the <u>specialist</u> you choose without a <u>referral</u> .

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Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information	
	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$25 <u>Copay/</u> visit \$5 Copayment for Members to age 19	Not Covered	None	
	Specialist visit	\$25 Copay/visit	Not Covered		
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	Adult Physical: No Charge Adult Immunizations: No Charge Well Child Visit: No Charge	Adult Physical: Not Covered Adult Immunizations: Not Covered Well Child Visit: Not Covered	You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your <u>provider</u> if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your <u>plan</u> will pay for 1 Exam per calendar year	
	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	X-Ray: \$25 <u>Copay/</u> visit Blood Work: No Charge	X-Ray: Not Covered Blood Work: Not Covered	None	
If you have a test	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$25 Copay/visit	Not Covered		
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition	Tier 1 (Generic drugs)	\$10/prescription retail, \$20/ prescription mail order	Not Covered	Covers up to a 30-day supply (retail); 90-day supply (mail	
More information about prescription drug coverage is	Tier 2 (Preferred brand drugs)	\$30/prescription retail, \$60/ prescription mail order	Not Covered	order)/prescription <u>Preauthorization</u> required for certain <u>prescription drugs</u> . If you don't get a preauthorization, you must pay the entire	
available at www.excellusbcbs.com	Tier 3 (Non-preferred brand drugs)	\$50/prescription retail, \$100/ prescription mail order	Not Covered	cost and submit a claim to us for reimbursement.	
If you have outpatient	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$50 <u>Copay</u>	Not Covered	None	
surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	\$25/surgery Copay	Not Covered		
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If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency medical transportation	\$100 <u>Copay/</u> visit	\$100 Copay/visit	None	
	Urgent care	\$35 <u>Copay/</u> visit	Not Covered	None	
	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No Charge	Not Covered	None	
If you have a hospital stay	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered	INOTIC	
If you need mental health,	Outpatient services	\$25 <u>Copay</u> /visit	Not Covered	Maria	
behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Inpatient services	No Charge	Not Covered	None	
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No Charge	Not Covered	Cost sharing does not apply for preventive services.	

^{*} For more information about limitations and exceptions, see <u>plan</u> or policy document at www.excellusbcbs.com

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	Childbirth/delivery professional services	\$50/delivery <u>Copay</u>	Not Covered	Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound.). Depending on the type of services, a <u>copayment</u> , <u>coinsurance</u> , or <u>deductible</u> may apply.	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	No Charge	Not Covered	None	
	Home health care	No Charge	Not Covered	40 Visits per plan year limit	
	Rehabilitation services	\$25 Copay/visit	Not Covered	30 Visits per plan year limit	
If you need help recovering	Habilitation services	\$25 Copay/visit	Not Covered	30 Visits per plan year limit	
or have other special	Skilled nursing care	No Charge	Not Covered	45 Days per year limit	
health needs	Durable medical equipment	50% Coinsurance	Not Covered	None	
	Hospice services	No Charge	Not Covered	210 Days per year limit Family bereavement counseling limited to 5 days per year	
	Children's eye exam	\$25 Copay/visit	Not Covered	1 Exam per plan year	
If your child needs dental	Children's glasses	50% Coinsurance	Not Covered	1 Pair per plan year	
or eye care	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	None	

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
 Cosmetic surgery
 Dental care (Adult)
- Dental care (Child)
 Long-term care
 Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
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Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your plan document.)

- Bariatric surgery
 Chiropractic care
 Hearing aids
- Infertility treatment
 Routine eye care (Adult)
 Routine foot care

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 Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or https://www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa/about-ebsa/ask-a-question/ask-ebsa. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information about the Marketplace, visit www.HealthCare.gov or call 1-800-318-2596.

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Your Grievance and Appeals Rights: There are agencies that can help if you have a complaint against your plan for a denial of a claim. This complaint is called a grievance or appeal. For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical claim. Your plan documents also provide complete information to submit a claim, appeal, or a grievance for any reason to your plan. For more information about your rights, this notice, or assistance, contact: the phone number on Your ID card or www.excellusbcbs.com; Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa/about-ebsa/ask-a-question/ask-ebsa; New York State Department of Financial Services Consumer Assistance Unit at 1-800-342-3736 or www.dfs.ny.gov. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact the Consumer Assistance Program at 1-888-614-5400, or e-mail cha@cssny.org or www.communityhealthadvocates.org. A list of states with Consumer Assistance Programs is available at: https://www.dol.gov/sites/dolgov/files/EBSA/laws-and-regulations/laws/affordable-care-act/foremployers-and-advisers/consumer-assistance-programs.doc and www.cms.gov/CCIIO/Resources/Consumer-Assistance-Grants.

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

<u>Minimum Essential Coverage</u> 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 <u>Minimum Essential Coverage</u>, 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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About these Coverage Examples:



This is not a cost estimator. Treatments shown are just examples of how this <u>plan</u> might cover medical care. Your actual costs will be different depending on the actual care you receive, the prices your <u>providers</u> charge, and many other factors. Focus on the <u>cost sharing</u> amounts (<u>deductibles</u>, <u>copayments</u> and <u>coinsurance</u>) and <u>excluded services</u> under the <u>plan</u>. Use this information to compare the portion of costs you might pay under different health <u>plans</u>. Please note these coverage examples are based on self-only coverage.

Peg is Having a Baby

(9 months of in-network pre-natal care and a hospital delivery)

The plan's overall deductible	\$0 \$25
Copayment Hospital (facility) copayment	\$25 \$0
Other coinsurance	50%

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Specialist office visits (prenatal care)
Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services
Childbirth/Delivery Facility Services
Diagnostic tests (ultrasounds and blood work)
Specialist visit (anesthesia)

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Total Example Cost	\$12,700

in this example, reg would pay:		
Cost Sharing		
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0	
Copayments	\$100	
Coinsurance	\$0	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions \$6		
The total Peg would pay is	\$160	

Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes

(a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)

The plan's overall deductible	\$0
Copayment	\$25
Hospital (facility) copayment	\$0
Other coinsurance	50%

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Primary care physician office visits (including disease education)
Diagnostic tests (blood work)
Prescription drugs

Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)

Total Example Cost

In this example, Joe would pay:		
Cost Sharing		
Deductibles	\$0	
Copayments	\$1,090	
Coinsurance	\$0	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions \$		
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,110	

Mia's Simple Fracture

(in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>dec</u>	ductible \$0
Copayment	\$25
Hospital (facility) cor	payment \$0
Other coinsurance	50%

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Emergency room care (including medical supplies)

Diagnostic test (*x-ray*)

Total Example Cost

\$5,600

Durable medical equipment (crutches)

Rehabilitation services (physical therapy)

In this example, Mia would pay:		
Cost Sharing		
Deductibles	\$0	
Copayments	\$330	
Coinsurance	\$120	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions	\$0	
The total Mia would pay is	\$450	

\$2.800

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of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or sex (consistent with the scope of sex discrimination as described at 45CFR section 92.10(a)(2)) national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or sex. Our Health Plan complies with federal civil rights laws. We do not discriminate on the basis The Health Plan does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, The Health Plan:

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- Qualified sign language interpreters
- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
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- Qualified interpreters
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another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or sex; you can file a grievance with the Health Plan's Section 1557 If you believe that the Health Plan has failed to provide these services or discriminated in Coordinator at:

Advocacy Department Attn: Civil Rights Coordinator

PO Box 4717

Syracuse, NY 13221

Email: Advocacy.Department@excellus.com

Telephone number: 1-800-614-6575

TTY number: 1-800-662-1220

Fax: 1-315-671-6656

the Health Plan's Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you. You can file a grievance in person or by mail or fax. If you need help filing a grievance,

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights phone at: Complaint Portal, available at https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf, or by mail or

200 Independence Avenue, SW U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Room 509F, HHH Building

Washington, D.C. 20201

1-800-368-1019, 1-800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

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