




The Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) document will help you choose a health [plan](#). The SBC shows you how you and the [plan](#) would share the cost for covered health care services. **NOTE: Information about the cost of this [plan](#) (called the [premium](#)) 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 [www.bcbstx.com](http://www.bcbstx.com) or by calling 1-855-357-5228. For general definitions of common terms, such as [allowed amount](#), [balance billing](#), [coinsurance](#), [copayment](#), [deductible](#), [provider](#), or other underlined terms, see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <https://www.cms.gov/CCIIO/Resources/Forms-Reports-and-Other-Resources/> or call 1-800-456-5974 to request a copy.

| Important Questions   | Answers   | Why This Matters:   |
|---|---|---|
| <b>What is the overall <a href="#">deductible</a>?</b>  | In-Network: \$1,500 Individual / \$3,000 Family Out-of-Network: \$3,000 Individual / \$6,000 Family   | Generally, you must pay all of the costs from <a href="#">providers</a> up to the <a href="#">deductible</a> amount before this <a href="#">plan</a> begins to pay. If you have other family members on the <a href="#">plan</a> , each family member must meet their own individual <a href="#">deductible</a> until the total amount of <a href="#">deductible</a> expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family <a href="#">deductible</a> .  |
| <b>Are there services covered before you meet your <a href="#">deductible</a>?</b>                      | Yes. Services that charge a <a href="#">copay</a> , Tier 1 <a href="#">prescription</a> drugs, and, <a href="#">home health</a> are covered before you meet before you meet your <a href="#">deductible</a> . | This <a href="#">plan</a> covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the <a href="#">deductible</a> amount. But a <a href="#">copayment</a> or <a href="#">coinsurance</a> may apply. For example, this <a href="#">plan</a> covers certain <a href="#">preventive services</a> without <a href="#">cost sharing</a> and before you meet your <a href="#">deductible</a> . See a list of covered <a href="#">preventive services</a> at <a href="https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/">https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/</a> . |
| <b>Are there other <a href="#">deductibles</a> or <a href="#">copayments</a> for specific services?</b> | Yes. Morbid Obesity Surgery Copayment - \$3,500   | Limited to one (1) surgery per lifetime.  |
| <b>What is the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> for this <a href="#">plan</a>?</b>                   | For <a href="#">In-Network providers</a> \$5,500 individual / \$11,000 family; for <a href="#">Out-of-Network providers</a> \$17,000 individual / \$32,000 family   | The <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> is the most you could pay in a year for covered services.   |
| <b>What is not included in the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a>?</b>                                 | <a href="#">Premiums</a> , <a href="#">balance-billing</a> charges, preauthorization penalties, and health care this <a href="#">plan</a> doesn't cover. Morbid Obesity Copayment.                            | Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> .   |
| <b>Will you pay less if you use a <a href="#">network provider</a>?</b>                                 | Yes. See <a href="http://www.bcbstx.com">www.bcbstx.com</a> or call 1-855-357-5228 for a list of <a href="#">network providers</a> .  | This <a href="#">plan</a> uses a <a href="#">provider network</a> . You will pay less if you use a <a href="#">provider</a> in the <a href="#">plan's network</a> . You will pay the most if you use an <a href="#">out-of-network provider</a> , and you might receive a bill from a <a href="#">provider</a> for the difference between the <a href="#">provider's</a> charge and what your <a href="#">plan</a> pays ( <a href="#">balance billing</a> ). Be aware, your <a href="#">network provider</a> might use an <a href="#">out-of-network provider</a> for some                          |

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|  |         | services (such as lab work). Check with your <a href="#">provider</a> before you get services. |
| Do you need a <a href="#">referral</a> to see a <a href="#">specialist</a> ? | No.     | You can see a <a href="#">specialist</a> you choose without a <a href="#">referral</a> .       |

 All [copayment](#) and [coinsurance](#) costs shown in this chart are after your [deductible](#) has been met, if a [deductible](#) applies.

| Common Medical Event   | Services You May Need                                  | What You Will Pay  |  | Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information  |
|--|--|--|--|---|
|  |  | Network Provider<br>(You will pay the least)   | Out-of-Network Provider<br>(You will pay the most)         |   |
| If you visit a health care <a href="#">provider's office</a> or <a href="#">clinic</a>                           | Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness       | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> (PYD)   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year deductible | Virtual visits available through MDLive <a href="#">\$0 copay</a> . In-Network.   |
|  | Citizens Convenient Care                               | \$40 <a href="#">copay</a> /office visit   | Not Applicable   |   |
|  | <a href="#">Specialist</a> visit                       | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year deductible | None  |
|  | <a href="#">Preventive care/screening/immunization</a> | No charge; deductible does not apply   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year deductible | You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your <a href="#">provider</a> if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your <a href="#">plan</a> will pay for.<br>No Charge for child immunizations Out-of-Network through the 6th birthday. |
| If you have a test   | <a href="#">Diagnostic test</a> (x-ray, blood work)    | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year deductible | None  |
|  | Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)                           | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year deductible |   |
| If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition<br>More information about <a href="#">prescription drug</a> | Tier 1   | <b>Retail:</b> \$15 <a href="#">copay</a> / prescription <b>Mail:</b> \$30 <a href="#">copay</a> /prescription (2-month supply)<br>\$45* <a href="#">copay</a> /prescription | Total Cost of Prescription                                 | \$1,500 Individual / \$3,000 Family deductible combined with Medical.<br>*Up to a 90-day supply at In-Network Retail or Mail Service Pharmacy.<br>Members electing to purchase brand name   |

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| Common Medical Event  | Services You May Need  | What You Will Pay  |  | Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information   |
|---|--|--|--|--|
|   |  | Network Provider<br>(You will pay the least)                               | Out-of-Network Provider<br>(You will pay the most)                         |  |
| <a href="#">coverage</a> is available at <a href="http://www.mybenefits.org">www.mybenefits.org</a> |  | (3-month supply)   |  | <p>drugs when a generic is available will be required to pay the difference between the cost of the Generic drug and Brand Name drug, plus the Brand Name Copayment. Specialty drug prescriptions must be filled through Lumicera Specialty Pharmacy. One copay per 30-day supply.</p> <p><b>Step Therapy Program</b><br/>The Victoria County Employees' Primary Healthcare Clinic will provide a Step Therapy Program for asthma, cholesterol, diabetic and high blood pressure medications. After the patient has attempted and failed all viable generic medications, the clinic staff will make the determination to prescribe the more expensive brand name medication (Tier 2 / Tier 3).<br/>All copays in the Step Therapy Program are at a 30-day supply and the copay for Tier 2 / Tier 3 Brands is \$25.</p> |
|   | Tier 2   | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | Total Cost of Prescription   |  |
|   | Tier 3   | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | Total Cost of Prescription   |  |
|   | <a href="#">Specialty drugs</a>  | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | Total Cost of Prescription   |  |
| <b>If you have outpatient surgery</b>   | Citizens Medical Center facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center) | No charge; deductible does not apply                                       | Not Applicable   | <a href="#">Preauthorization</a> is required.  |
|   | All other facilities   | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> |  |
|   | Physician/surgeon fees   | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | <a href="#">Preauthorization</a> is required.  |
| <b>If you need immediate medical attention</b>  | <a href="#">Emergency room care</a>                                    |  |  | Copayment Amount waived if admitted, Inpatient Hospital Expenses will apply  |
|   | Citizens Medical Center facility charge                                | No charge after \$100 copay/visit  | Not Applicable   |  |

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|--|--|--|--|--|
|  |  | Network Provider<br>(You will pay the least)   | Out-of-Network Provider<br>(You will pay the most)   |  |
|  | All other  | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after \$500 copay/visit & plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after \$500 copay/visit & plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | Non-Emergency care = Network 20% coinsurance after deductible, Out of Network 70% coinsurance after deductible. The copay is waived if patient is admitted or visit is for Emergency Care as defined by the plan. 50% coinsurance for non-emergencies both Network & Out of Network. |
|  | <a href="#">Emergency medical transportation</a>           | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
|  | <a href="#">Urgent care</a>                                | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
| <b>If you have a hospital stay</b>   | Citizens Medical Center Facility fee (e.g., hospital room) | No charge: deductible does not apply   | Not Applicable   | <a href="#">Preauthorization</a> is required.  |
|  | All Other Facilities                                       | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
|  | Physician/surgeon fees                                     | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | <a href="#">Preauthorization</a> is required.  |
| <b>If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services</b> | Outpatient services  | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | <a href="#">Preauthorization</a> is required.  |
|  | Inpatient services   | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
| <b>If you are pregnant</b>   | Office visits  | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | All services must be preauthorized; \$250 penalty applies Out-of-Network for failure to preauthorize.  |
|  | Childbirth/delivery professional services                  | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
|  | Childbirth/delivery facility services                      | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>                     |  |
| <b>If you need help recovering or have other special health needs</b>            | <a href="#">Home health care</a>                           | No charge: deductible does not apply   | No charge: deductible does not apply   | All services must be preauthorized; Unlimited  |
|  | <a href="#">Rehabilitation services</a>                    | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after  | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after  | Some services must be preauthorized  |

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| Common Medical Event                          | Services You May Need                     | What You Will Pay   |   | Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information     |
|---|---|---|---|--|
|   |   | Network Provider<br>(You will pay the least)  | Out-of-Network Provider<br>(You will pay the most)  |  |
|   | <a href="#">Habilitation services</a>     | plan year <a href="#">deductible</a><br>20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> | plan year <a href="#">deductible</a><br>70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a> |  |
|   | <a href="#">Skilled nursing care</a>      | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | All services must be preauthorized;<br>Limited to 90 days. |
|   | <a href="#">Durable medical equipment</a> | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | Some services must be preauthorized                        |
|   | <a href="#">Hospice services</a>          | 20% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | 70% <a href="#">coinsurance</a> after<br>plan year <a href="#">deductible</a>   | All services must be preauthorized;<br>Unlimited           |
|   |   |   |   |  |
| <b>If your child needs dental or eye care</b> | Children's eye exam                       | Not Covered   | Not Covered   | None   |
|   | Children's glasses                        | Not Covered   | Not Covered   | None   |
|   | Children's dental check-up                | Not Covered   | Not Covered   | None   |

#### Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

| Services Your <a href="#">Plan</a> Generally Does NOT Cover (Check your policy or <a href="#">plan</a> document for more information and a list of any other <a href="#">excluded services</a> .)                      |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Abortion (except in cases of rape, incest, or when the life of the mother is endangered)</li> <li>Acupuncture</li> <li>Cosmetic Surgery</li> <li>Dental Care (Adult)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hearing Aids</li> <li>Infertility Treatment</li> <li>Long-Term Care</li> <li>Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Routine Eye Care (Adult)</li> <li>Routine Foot Care</li> <li>Weight Loss Programs</li> </ul> |

| Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your <a href="#">plan</a> document.) |   |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bariatric Surgery</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chiropractic Care</li> </ul> |

**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: The contact information for those agencies is: the plan at 1-855-357-5228, U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or [www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform), or Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or [www.cciio.cms.gov](http://www.cciio.cms.gov). 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](http://www.HealthCare.gov) or call 1-800-318- 2596.

**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 on how 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: Blue Cross Blue Shield of Texas at 1-855-357-5228 or visit [www.bcbstx.com](http://www.bcbstx.com), or contact the U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administrations at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or visit [www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform). Contact the Texas Department of Insurance at 1-800-252-3439 or visit [www.texashealthoptions.com](http://www.texashealthoptions.com).

**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](#).

**Language Access Services:**

[Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-855-357-5228.]

[Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-855-357-5228.]

[Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助, 请拨打这个号码 1-855-357-5228.]

[Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwijigo holne' 1-855-357-5228.]

*To see examples of how this [plan](#) might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.*

## About these Coverage Examples:



**This is not a cost estimator.** Treatments shown are just examples of how this [plan](#) might cover medical care. Your actual costs will be different depending on the actual care you receive, the prices your [providers](#) charge, and many other factors. Focus on the [cost-sharing](#) amounts ([deductibles](#), [copayments](#) and [coinsurance](#)) and [excluded services](#) under the [plan](#). Use this information to compare the portion of costs you might pay under different health [plans](#). 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](#) \$1,500
- [Specialist copayment](#) \$40
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 20%

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*)

|                           |                 |
|---------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Total Example Cost</b> | <b>\$12,500</b> |
|---------------------------|-----------------|

In this example, Peg would pay:

| <i>Cost Sharing</i>               |                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <a href="#">Deductibles</a>       | \$1,500        |
| <a href="#">Copayments</a>        | \$360          |
| <a href="#">Coinsurance</a>       | \$2,480        |
| <i>What isn't covered</i>         |                |
| Limits or exclusions              | \$60           |
| <b>The total Peg would pay is</b> | <b>\$4,400</b> |

### Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes

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

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$1,500
- [Specialist copayment](#) \$40
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 20%

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*)

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Total Example Cost</b> | <b>\$9,400</b> |
|---------------------------|----------------|

In this example, Joe would pay:

| <i>Cost Sharing</i>               |                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <a href="#">Deductibles</a>       | \$1,500        |
| <a href="#">Copayments</a>        | \$160          |
| <a href="#">Coinsurance</a>       | \$1,300        |
| <i>What isn't covered</i>         |                |
| Limits or exclusions              | \$20           |
| <b>The total Joe would pay is</b> | <b>\$2,980</b> |

### Mia's Simple Fracture

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

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$1,500
- [Specialist copayment](#) \$40
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 20%

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

[Emergency room care](#) (*including medical supplies*)  
[Diagnostic test](#) (*x-ray*)  
[Durable medical equipment](#) (*crutches*)  
[Rehabilitation services](#) (*physical therapy*)

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| <b>Total Example Cost</b> | <b>\$5,520</b> |
|---------------------------|----------------|

In this example, Mia would pay:

| <i>Cost Sharing</i>               |                |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <a href="#">Deductibles</a>       | \$1,500        |
| <a href="#">Copayments</a>        | \$80           |
| <a href="#">Coinsurance</a>       | \$804          |
| <i>What isn't covered</i>         |                |
| Limits or exclusions              | \$0            |
| <b>The total Mia would pay is</b> | <b>\$2,384</b> |

The [plan](#) would be responsible for the other costs of these EXAMPLE covered services.