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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 1-877-258-3334 or visit www.bluecrossnc.com/booklets and sign into the Member Portal. 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.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary or call at 1-877-258-3334 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	In-Network: \$5,000 Individual/\$5,000 Family Member/\$10,000 Family. Out-of-Network: \$10,000 Individual/\$10,000 Family Member/\$20,000 Family.	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from <u>providers</u> up to the <u>deductible</u> amount before this <u>plan</u> begins to pay. If you have other family members on the <u>plan</u> , each family member must meet their own individual <u>deductible</u> until the total amount of <u>deductible</u> expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family <u>deductible</u> .
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.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services.
What is the <u>out-of-</u> <u>pocket limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	In-Network: \$8,300 Individual/\$8,300 Family Member/\$16,600 Family. Out-of-Network: \$16,600 Individual/\$16,600 Family Member/\$33,200 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> ?	Premiums, balance-billing charges, health care this plan doesn't cover and penalties for failure to obtain pre-authorization for services.	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  www.bluecrossnc.com/FindADoctor or call 1-877-258-3334 for a list of network providers.	This plan uses a provider network. You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network. You will pay the most if you use an out-of-network provider, and you might receive a bill from a provider for the difference between the provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). Be aware, your network provider might use an out-of-network provider for some services (such as lab work). Check with your provider before you get services.



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 Event	Services You May Need	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.	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
If you visit a health	Specialist visit	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Preventive care/screening/immunization	No Charge	30% <u>coinsurance</u>	-You may have to pay for services that aren't <u>preventive</u> . Ask your <u>provider</u> if the services needed are <u>preventive</u> . Then check what your <u>plan</u> will pay forLimits may apply.	
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.bluecrossnc.com/rxinfo	Tier 1 Drugs	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	-Prior authorization may be required and coverage limits may apply. *See Prescription Drugs sectionFor infertility Dosage Limits Lifetime Maximum applies.	
	Tier 2 Drugs	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>		
	Tier 3 Drugs	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>		
	Tier 4 Drugs	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>		
	Tier 5 Drugs	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>	30% <u>coinsurance</u> after <u>deductible</u>		

	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay			
Common Medical Event		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
	Physician/surgeon fees	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
	Emergency room care	30% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	None	
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency medical transportation	30% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	None	
	<u>Urgent care</u>	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered	
	Physician/surgeon fees	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered.	
	Inpatient services	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered.	
	Office visits	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	*See Family Planning section.	
If you are pregnant	Childbirth/delivery professional services	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	None	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered.	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered	
	Rehabilitation services	30% coinsurance	60% <u>coinsurance</u>	-Combined 30 visits for physical/occupational therapy and chiropractic services. 30 visits for speech therapy. Visit limits do not apply to mental illness diagnoses.	

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Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information	
	Habilitation services	30% <u>coinsurance</u>	60% coinsurance	Habilitation services are combined with the Rehabilitation service limits listed above.	
	Skilled nursing care	30% <u>coinsurance</u>	60% coinsurance	-Coverage is limited to 60 daysPrior authorization may be required or services will not be covered	
	Durable medical equipment	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered -Limits may apply.	
	Hospice services	30% coinsurance	60% coinsurance	-Prior authorization may be required or services will not be covered	
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	Not Covered	Not Covered	Excluded Service	
	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	Excluded Service.	
	Children's dental check- up	Not Covered	Not Covered	Excluded Service	

## **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 care (Adult) • Routine eye care (Adult)
- Cosmetic surgery Weight loss programs Long-term care

HSA funds, if available, may be used to cover eligible medical expenses.

# Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your plan document.)

- Abortion (except in cases of rape, incest, or Hearing aids when the life of the mother is endangered)

Private-duty nursing

Bariatric surgery

Infertility treatment

 Routine foot care other than palliative or cosmetic

Chiropractic care

• Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.

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 www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform, or contact Blue Cross NC at 1-877-258-3334 or www.BlueConnectNC.com. 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 https://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 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 NC at 1-877-258-3334 or www.BlueConnectNC.com. You may also receive assistance from the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform, if applicable. You may also contact N.C. Department of Insurance at 1201 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1201, or Toll free (855) 408-1212. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact Health Insurance Smart NC, N.C. Department of Insurance, at 1201 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1201, 855-408-1212 (toll free).

## 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.

# **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 plans. Please note these coverage examples are based on self-only coverage.

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Peg is Having a Baby		Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes		Mia's Simple Fracture	
(9 months of in-network pre-natal care and a		(a year of routine in-network care of a well-		(in-network emergency room visit and follow	
hospital delivery)		controlled condition)		up care)	
■ The <u>plan's</u> overall	\$5,000	■ The plan's overall \$5,000		■ The <u>plan's</u> overall	\$5,000
<u>deductible</u>		deductible		<u>deductible</u>	
■ Specialist coinsurance	30%	■ <u>Specialist</u> <u>coinsurance</u>	30%	■ <u>Specialist</u> <u>coinsurance</u>	30%
■ Hospital (facility)	30%	■ Hospital (facility) 30%		■ Hospital (facility)	30%
<u>coinsurance</u>		coinsurance		coinsurance	
Other <u>coinsurance</u>	30%	Other <u>coinsurance</u>	30%	Other <u>coinsurance</u>	30%
This EXAMPLE event include	s services	This EXAMPLE event includes services like:		This EXAMPLE event includes services	
like:		Primary care physician office visits (including		like:	
Specialist office visits (prenatal care)		disease education)		Emergency room care (including medical	
Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services		Diagnostic tests (blood work) supplies)			
Childbirth/Delivery Facility Services		Prescription drugs		Diagnostic test (x-ray)	
Diagnostic tests (ultrasounds and blood work)		Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)		Durable medical equipment (crutches)	
Specialist visit (anesthesia)				Rehabilitation services (physical therapy)	
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	
Deductibles	\$5,000	Deductibles	\$1,100	Deductibles	\$2,800
Copayments	\$0	Copayments	\$0	Copayments	\$0
Coinsurance	\$2,300	Coinsurance	\$1,300	Coinsurance \$	
What isn't covered		What isn't covered		What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60	Limits or exclusions	\$20	Limits or exclusions \$0	
The total Peg would pay is	\$7,360	The total Joe would pay is	\$2,420	The total Mia would pay is	\$2,800

The plan would be responsible for the other costs of these EXAMPLE covered services.



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