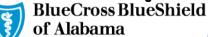
Coverage For: Individual + Family Plan Type: PPO





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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 1-800-292-8868 or visit us at <a href="AlabamaBlue.com">AlabamaBlue.com</a>. For general definitions of common terms, such as <a href="allowed amount">allowed amount</a>, <a href="balance billing">balance billing</a>, <a href="coinsurance">coinsurance</a>, <a href="coinsurance">copayment</a>, <a href="deductible">deductible</a>, <a href="provider">provider</a>, or other <a href="underlined">underlined</a> terms see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <a href="www.bcbsal.org/sbcglossary/">www.bcbsal.org/sbcglossary/</a> or call 1-800-292-8868 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	\$4,000 individual/\$8,000 family innetwork. \$8,000 individual/\$16,000 family out-of-network.	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. Preventive services innetwork are covered before you meet your deductible.	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 <a href="https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/">https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/</a> .
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductible</u> for specific services.
What is the <u>out-of-pocket</u> <u>limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	For in-network \$6,800 individual/\$13,600 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 limit</u> until the overall family <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit?	Premiums, balance-billed charges, health care this plan doesn't cover, cost sharing for most out-of-network benefits and precertification penalties.	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>AlabamaBlue.com</u> or call 1-800-810-BLUE for a list of network providers.	This <u>plan</u> uses a <u>provider</u> network. You will pay less if you use a <u>provider</u> in the <u>plan</u> 's 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 provider's 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 specialist you choose without a referral.

Common		What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important	
Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider	Information	
	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	(You will pay the least) \$45 copay/visit No overall deductible	(You will pay the most) 50% coinsurance	None	
If you visit a health	Specialist visit	\$65 <u>copay</u> /visit No overall deductible	50% coinsurance	NOTIC	
care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	No Charge No overall deductible	AlabamaBlue.com/p You may have to pa preventive. Ask you you need are prevent your plan will pay fo  50% coinsurance  Benefits listed are p	Please visit AlabamaBlue.com/preventiveservices. You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your provider if the services you need are preventive. Then check what your plan will pay for.	
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	Benefits listed are physician services; facility benefits are also available; precertification may	
,	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% coinsurance	be required	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or	Tier 1 Drugs	\$15 <u>copay</u> (retail) \$37.50 <u>copay</u> (mail order) No overall deductible	Not Covered		
condition	Tier 2 Drugs	\$60 <u>copay</u> (retail) \$150 <u>copay</u> (mail order) No overall deductible	Not Covered	Prior authorization required for specific drugs	
More information about prescription drug coverage is available at	Tier 3 Drugs	\$100 <u>copay</u> (retail) \$250 <u>copay</u> (mail order) No overall deductible	Not Covered	The dution added to openio drugo	
AlabamaBlue.com/phar macy	Tier 4 Drugs	\$425 <u>copay</u> (retail) No overall deductible	Not Covered		
If you have outpatient	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	In Alabama, out-of-network not covered	
surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	None	
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	Accident: 20% coinsurance Medical Emergency: 20% coinsurance	Accident: 20% coinsurance Medical Emergency: 20% coinsurance	Physician charges will apply	
	Emergency medical transportation	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	None	
	Urgent care	\$65 <u>copay</u> /visit No overall deductible	50% coinsurance	None	

<sup>\*</sup> For more information about limitations and exceptions, see the plan or policy document at <u>AlabamaBlue.com</u>.

Common		What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important	
Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	Information	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	In Alabama, out-of-network benefits are only available for accidental injury and medical emergency; precertification is required	
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	None	
If you need mental health, behavioral	Outpatient services	\$65 copay/visit No overall deductible	50% coinsurance	Benefits listed are physician services; additional benefits are available;	
health, or substance abuse services	Inpatient services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance No overall deductible	precertification is required for intensive outpatient, partial hospitalization and inpatient hospitalization	
	Office visits	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	Cost sharing does not apply to certain	
If you are pregnant	Childbirth/delivery professional services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	preventive services. Depending on the type of services, a copayment, coinsurance or	
ii you are program	Childbirth/delivery facility services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	deductible may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound)	
	Home health care	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	In Alabama, out-of-network not covered; precertification may be required	
	Rehabilitation services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	Benefits listed are for Rehabilitation &	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Habilitation services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	Habilitation services; each service has a combined maximum of 30 visits for occupational, physical and speech therapy per year; children ages 0-18 with an autistic diagnosis are allowed unlimited visits for occupational, physical and speech therapy	
	Skilled nursing care	Not Covered	Not Covered	Not covered; member pays 100%	
	<u>Durable medical equipment</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% coinsurance	None	
	Hospice services	20% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	In Alabama, out-of-network not covered; precertification may be required	
If your shild woods	Children's eye exam	No Charge No overall deductible	Not Covered	Please visit AlabamaBlue.com/preventiveservices	
If your child needs	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	Not covered; member pays 100%	
dental or eye care	Children's dental check-up	No Charge No overall deductible	Not Covered	Please visit AlabamaBlue.com/preventiveservices	

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### **Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:**

Services Your Plan Generally Does I	NOT Cover (Check your policy or <u>plan</u> document for m	ore information and a list of any other excluded services.)
Acupuncture	Glasses, child	Routine eye care (Adult)
Bariatric surgery	<ul> <li>Hearing aids</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Routine foot care</li> </ul>
Cosmetic surgery	<ul> <li>Long-term care</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Skilled nursing care</li> </ul>
Dental care (Adult)	Private-duty nursing	Weight loss programs

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

- Chiropractic care (limited to 15 visits per member per calendar year)
- Infertility treatment (Assisted Reproductive Technology not covered)
- 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 <a href="www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform.">www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform.</a>. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance <a href="Marketplace">Marketplace</a>. For more information about the <a href="Marketplace">Marketplace</a>, visit <a href="www.HealthCare.gov">www.HealthCare.gov</a> 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 <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: Your plan administrator at the phone number listed in your benefit booklet. You may also contact Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform or your state insurance department.

## Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

If you don't have Minimum Essential Coverage for a month, you'll have to make a payment when you file your tax return unless you qualify for an exemption from the requirement that you have health coverage for that month.

## Does this plan meet Minimum Value Standards? Yes

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

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

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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)		Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes (a year of routine in-network care of a well- controlled condition)		Mia's Simple Fracture (in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)	
■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u> ■ <u>Specialist copay/coinsurance</u>	\$4000 \$65/0%	■ The plan's overall deductible ■ Specialist copay/coinsurance	\$4000 \$65/0%	■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u> ■ <u>Specialist</u> <u>copay/coinsurance</u>	\$4000 \$65/0%
<ul><li>Hospital (facility)</li><li>copay/coinsurance</li><li>Other copay/coinsurance</li></ul>	\$0/20% \$65/20%	<ul><li>Hospital (facility)</li><li>copay/coinsurance</li><li>Other copay/coinsurance</li></ul>	\$0/20% \$65/20%	<ul><li>■ Hospital (facility)</li></ul>	\$0/20% \$65/20%

#### 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)

The total Peg would pay is

### This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Primary care physician office visits (including disease education)

Diagnostic tests (blood work)

Prescription drugs

\$5,820

Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)

### This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Emergency room care (including medical supplies)

Diagnostic tests (x-ray)

\$2,050

Durable medical equipment (crutches)
Rehabilitation services (physical therapy)

The total Mia would pay is

Total Example Cost	\$12,800	Total Example Cost	\$7,400	Total Example Cost	\$1,900
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	\$4000	Deductibles	\$140	Deductibles	\$1360
Copayments	\$40	Copayments	\$1490	Copayments	\$200
Coinsurance	\$1720	Coinsurance	\$0	Coinsurance	\$0
What isn't covered		What isn't covered		What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60	Limits or exclusions	\$420	Limits or exclusions	\$0

Note: These numbers assume the patient does not participate in the <u>plan's</u> wellness program. If you participate in the <u>plan's</u> wellness program, you may be able to reduce your costs. For more information about the wellness program, please contact: <u>AlabamaBlue.com</u>.

The total Joe would pay is

\$1,560

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## **Foreign Language Assistance**

Spanish: ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-855-216-3144 (TTY: 711)

**Korean:** 주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 1-855-216-3144 (TTY: 711) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.

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Vietnamese: CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-855-216-3144 (TTY: 711).

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**German:** ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-855-216-3144 (TTY: 711).

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