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Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall <u>deductible</u> ?	For participating providers \$1,500 person / \$3,000 family. For non-participating providers \$5,000 person / \$10,000 family. Deductible may not apply to all services.	You must pay all the costs up to the <u>deductible</u> amount before this plan begins to pay for covered services you use. Check your policy or plan document to see when the <u>deductible</u> starts over (usually, but not always, January 1st). See the chart starting on page 2 for how much you pay for covered services after you meet the <u>deductible</u> .
Are there other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> on my expenses?	Yes. For participating providers \$5,600 person / \$11,200 family. For non-participating providers \$10,000 person / \$20,000 family.	The <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> is the most you could pay during a coverage period (usually one year) for your share of the cost of covered services. This limit helps you plan for health care expenses.
What is not included in the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> ?	Premiums, out-of-network deductibles, out-of-network balance-billed charges, health care this plan doesn't cover, and member penalties for failure to obtain precert.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> .
Is there an overall annual limit on what the plan pays?	No.	The chart starting on page 2 describes any limits on what the plan will pay for <u>specific</u> covered services, such as office visits.
Does this plan use a <u>network of providers</u> ?	Yes. See <a href="http://www.ibx.com/find_a_provider">www.ibx.com/find_a_provider</a> or call 1-800-ASK-BLUE (TTY:711) for a list of participating providers.	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care <u>provider</u> , this plan will pay some or all of the costs of covered services. Be aware, your in-network doctor or hospital may use an out-of-network <u>provider</u> for some services. Plans use the term in-network, <u>preferred</u> , or participating for <u>providers</u> in their <u>network</u> . See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of <u>providers</u> .
Do I need a referral to see a <u>specialist</u> ?	No. You don't need a referral to see a specialist.	You can see the <u>specialist</u> you choose without permission from this plan.
Are there services this plan doesn't cover?	Yes.	Some of the services this plan doesn't cover are listed in the Excluded Services & Other Covered Services section. See your policy or plan document for additional information about <u>excluded services</u> .

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- **Copayments** are fixed dollar amounts (for example, \$15) you pay for covered health care, usually when you receive the service.
- **Coinsurance** is *your* share of the costs of a covered service, calculated as a percent of the **allowed amount** for the service. For example, if the plan's **allowed amount** for an overnight hospital stay is \$1,000, your **coinsurance** payment of 20% would be \$200. This may change if you haven't met your **deductible**.
- The amount the plan pays for covered services is based on the **allowed amount**. If an out-of-network **provider** charges more than the **allowed amount**, you may have to pay the difference. For example, if an out-of-network hospital charges \$1,500 for an overnight stay and the **allowed amount** is \$1,000, you may have to pay the \$500 difference. (This is called **balance billing**.)
- This plan may encourage you to use participating **providers** by charging you lower **deductibles**, **copayments** and **coinsurance** amounts.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Your Cost If You Use		Limitations & Exceptions
		an In-Network Provider	an Out-Of Network Provider	
If you visit a health care <b>provider's</b> office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	No Charge after Deductible (ded)	50%, after ded	-----none-----
	Specialist visit	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	-----none-----
	Other practitioner office visit	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Visit limits may apply for spinal manipulation. See benefit booklet.
	Preventive care / screening / immunization	No Charge no ded	50%, no ded	Age and frequency schedules may apply.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	-----none-----
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required for certain services. See benefit booklet.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition  More information about <b>prescription drug coverage</b> is available at <a href="http://www.ibx.com/p_reapproval">http://www.ibx.com/p_reapproval</a>	Generic drugs	\$5 Copayment (copay), after ded(Retail)/ \$10 copay, after ded(Mail Order)	50%, after ded	Prior authorization required on some drugs; age, gender and quantity limits for some drugs; days supply limits on retail & mail order. See benefit booklet.
	Preferred brand drugs	\$20 copay, after ded(Retail)/ \$40 copay, after ded(Mail Order)	50%, after ded	Prior authorization and/or dispensing limits may apply. This plan has a Preferred Pharmacy Network which excludes Walgreens and Rite-Aid. See benefit booklet.
	Non-preferred brand drugs	\$45 copay, after ded(Retail)/ \$90 copay, after ded(Mail Order)	50%, after ded	Prior authorization and/or dispensing limits may apply. This plan has a Preferred Pharmacy Network which excludes Walgreens and Rite-Aid. See benefit booklet.
	Specialty drugs	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	This cost share amount is for specialty injectable or infusion therapy drugs covered by the medical plan. These drugs are typically administered in an office or outpatient facility. Self-administered specialty drugs are covered under the FutureScripts pharmacy plan. Prior-authorization required; see drug list at <a href="http://www.ibx.com/preapproval">www.ibx.com/preapproval</a> .

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Your Cost If You Use		Limitations & Exceptions
		an In-Network Provider	an Out-Of Network Provider	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification may be required. See benefit booklet.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification may be required. See benefit booklet.
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room services	No Charge after ded	No Charge after in-network ded	-----none-----
	Emergency medical transportation	No Charge after ded	No Charge after in-network ded	-----none-----
	Urgent care	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Your costs for urgent care are based on care received at a designated urgent care center or facility.
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required.
	Physician/surgeon fee	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required.
If you have mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse needs	Mental/Behavioral health outpatient services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	-----none-----
	Mental/Behavioral health inpatient services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required.
	Substance abuse disorder outpatient services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required.
	Substance abuse disorder inpatient services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required.
If you are pregnant	Prenatal and postnatal care	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Your cost is for first OB visit only.
	Delivery and all inpatient services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Pre-notification requested.
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required. Limits may apply. See benefit booklet.
	Rehabilitation services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Visit limits may apply. See benefit booklet.
	Habilitation services	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Visit limits may apply. See benefit booklet.
	Skilled nursing care	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required. Limits may apply. See benefit booklet.
	Durable medical equipment	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	Precertification required for selected items. See benefit booklet.
	Hospice service	No Charge after ded	50%, after ded	-----none-----
If your child needs dental or eye care	Eye exam	Not Covered	Not Covered	-----none-----
	Glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	-----none-----
	Dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	-----none-----

## Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

**Services Your Plan Does NOT Cover** (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other excluded services.)

- Acupuncture
- Hearing aids
- Routine eye care (Adult)
- Cosmetic surgery
- Infertility treatment (See Benefit Booklet/Member handbook for limitations)
- Routine foot care
- Dental care (Adult)
- Long-term care
- Weight loss programs

**Other Covered Services** (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other covered services and your costs for these services.)

- Bariatric surgery
- Private-duty nursing
- Chiropractic care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S. (For details, see [www.ibx.com](http://www.ibx.com))

## Your Rights to Continue Coverage:

If you lose coverage under the plan, then, depending upon the circumstances, Federal and State laws may provide protections that allow you to keep health coverage. Any such rights may be limited in duration and will require you to pay a premium, which may be significantly higher than the premium you pay while covered under the plan. Other limitations on your rights to continue coverage may also apply.

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the plan at 1-888-671-5276 (TTY:711). You may also contact your state insurance department, the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272 or [www.dol.gov/ebsa](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa), or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or [www.cciio.cms.gov](http://www.cciio.cms.gov).

## Your Grievance and Appeals Rights:

Your health plan is subject to Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) requirements. If you are dissatisfied with a denial of coverage for claims under your plan, you may contact IBC at 1-800-ASK-BLUE (TTY:711). You may also contact the U.S. Dept. of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272. As an alternative, the Pennsylvania Department of Insurance can also provide assistance. Please contact them at 1-877-881-6388.

## Does this Coverage Provide Minimum Essential Coverage?

The Affordable Care Act requires most people to have health care coverage that qualifies as "minimum essential coverage". This plan or policy does provide minimum essential coverage.

## Does this Coverage Meet the Minimum Value Standard?

The Affordable Care Act establishes a minimum value standard of benefits of a health plan. The minimum value standard is 60% (actuarial value). This health coverage does meet the minimum value standard for the benefits it provides.

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

## About these Coverage Examples:

These examples show how this plan might cover medical care in given situations. Use these examples to see, in general, how much financial protection a sample patient might get if they are covered under different plans.



### This is not a cost estimator.

Don't use these examples to estimate your actual costs under this plan. The actual care you receive will be different from these examples, and the cost of that care will also be different.

See the next page for important information about these examples.

### Having a baby (normal delivery)

- Amount owed to providers: \$7,540
- Plan Pays \$5,880
- Patient Pays \$1,660

#### Sample Care Costs:

Hospital charges (mother)	\$2,700
Routine obstetric care	\$2,100
Hospital charges (baby)	\$900
Anesthesia	\$900
Laboratory tests	\$500
Prescriptions	\$200
Radiology	\$200
Vaccines, other preventive	\$40
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7,540</b>

#### Patient Pays

Deductibles	\$1,500
Copays	\$10
Coinsurance	\$0
Limits or exclusions	\$150
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,660</b>

### Managing type 2 diabetes (routine maintenance of a well-controlled condition)

- Amount owed to providers: \$5,400
- Plan Pays \$3,190
- Patient Pays \$2,210

#### Sample Care Costs:

Prescriptions	\$2,900
Medical Equipment and Supplies	\$1,300
Office Visits and Procedures	\$700
Education	\$300
Laboratory tests	\$100
Vaccines, other preventive	\$100
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,400</b>

#### Patient Pays

Deductibles	\$1,500
Copays	\$630
Coinsurance	\$0
Limits or exclusions	\$80
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,210</b>

## Questions and answers about the Coverage Examples:

### What are some of the assumptions behind the Coverage Examples?

- Costs don't include premiums.
- Sample care costs are based on national averages supplied by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and aren't specific to a particular geographic area or health plan.
- The patient's condition was not an excluded or preexisting condition.
- All services and treatments started and ended in the same coverage period.
- There are no other medical expenses for any member covered under this plan.
- Out-of-pocket expenses are based only on treating the condition in the example.
- The patient received all care from in-network providers. If the patient had received care from out-of-network providers, costs would have been higher.

### What does a Coverage Example show?

For each treatment situation, the Coverage Example helps you see how deductibles, copayments, and coinsurance can add up. It also helps you see what expenses might be left up to you to pay because the service or treatment isn't covered or payment is limited.

### Does the Coverage Example predict my own care needs?

✘ No. Treatments shown are just examples. The care you would receive for this condition could be different based on your doctor's advice, your age, how serious your condition is, and many other factors.

### Does the Coverage Example predict my future expenses?

✘ No. Coverage Examples are not cost estimators. You can't use the examples to estimate costs for an actual condition. They are for comparative purposes only. Your own costs will be different depending on the care you receive, the prices your providers charge, and the reimbursement your health plan allows.

### Can I use Coverage Examples to compare plans?

✔ Yes. When you look at the Summary of Benefits and Coverage for other plans, you'll find the same Coverage Examples. When you compare plans, check the "Patient Pays" box in each example. The smaller that number, the more coverage the plan provides.

### Are there other costs I should consider when comparing plans?

✔ Yes. An important cost is the premium you pay. Generally, the lower your premium, the more you'll pay in out-of-pocket costs, such as copayments, deductibles and coinsurance. You should also consider contributions to accounts such as health savings accounts (HSAs), flexible spending arrangements (FSAs) or health reimbursement accounts (HRAs) that help you pay out-of-pocket expenses.

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## Language Access Services

If you, or someone you're helping, has questions about Independence Blue Cross, you have the right to get help and information in your language at no cost. To talk to an interpreter, call 1-800-275-2583 TTY 711.

Si usted, o alguien a quien usted está ayudando, tiene preguntas acerca de Independence Blue Cross, tiene derecho a obtener ayuda e información en su idioma sin costo alguno. Para hablar con un intérprete, llame al 1-800-275-2583 TTY 711.

如對 Independence Blue Cross 有任何問題，請您或您所幫助的人联系我们提供的免費多語言信息服務。翻譯服務請撥打 1-800-275-2583。

Nếu quý vị hoặc người mà quý vị đang trợ giúp có câu hỏi về Independence Blue Cross, quý vị có quyền nhận được trợ giúp và thông tin bằng ngôn ngữ của quý vị hoàn toàn miễn phí. Để yêu cầu thông dịch viên, hãy gọi số 1-800-275-2583.

Если у вас или лица, которому вы помогаете, имеются вопросы по поводу программы Independence Blue Cross, то вы имеете право на бесплатное получение помощи и информации на вашем языке. Для разговора с переводчиком позвоните по телефону 1-800-275-2583.

Wann du hoscht en Froog, odder ebber, wu du helpscht, hot en Froog baut Independence Blue Cross, hoscht du es Recht fer Hilf un Information in deinre eegne Schprooch griege, un die Hilf koschtet nix. Wann du mit me Interpreter schwetze witt, kannscht du 1-800-275-2583 uffrufe.

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Se tu o qualcuno che stai aiutando avete domande su Independence Blue Cross, hai il diritto di ottenere gratuitamente aiuto e informazioni nella tua lingua. Per parlare con un interprete, puoi chiamare il numero 1-800-275-2583.

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Si vous, ou quelqu'un que vous aidez, a des questions à propos d'Independence Blue Cross, vous avez le droit d'obtenir gratuitement de l'aide et l'information dans votre langue. Pour parler à un interprète, appelez 1-800-275-2583.

Wenn Sie selbst oder eine Person, der Sie helfen, Fragen über Independence Blue Cross haben, so haben Sie das Recht, kostenlos Hilfe und Informationen in Ihrer Sprache anzufordern. Um mit einem Dolmetscher zu sprechen, rufen Sie bitte die Nummer 1-800-275-2583 an.

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Independence Blue Cross:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters
  - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact our Civil Rights Coordinator. If you believe that Independence Blue Cross has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with our Civil Rights Coordinator. You have five ways to file a grievance:

- In person or by mail :  
Independence Blue Cross  
ATTN: Civil Rights Coordinator  
1901 Market Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19103
- By phone: 888-377-3933 (TTY 711)
- By fax: 215-761-0245
- By email: [civilrightscordinator@ibx.com](mailto:civilrightscordinator@ibx.com)

If you need help filing a grievance, our Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you.

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 Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf> or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD).

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