

Summary of Benefits

Group Plan

Access+HMO[®] Facility Coinsurance 25-25%

HMO Benefit Plan

This Summary of Benefits shows the amount you will pay for covered services under this Blue Shield of California benefit plan. It is only a summary and it is part of the contract for health care coverage, called the Evidence of Coverage (EOC).¹ Please read both documents carefully for details.

Provider Network:

Access+ HMO Network

This benefit plan uses a specific network of health care providers, called the Access+ HMO provider network. Medical groups, independent practice associations (IPAs), and physicians in this network are called participating providers. You must select a primary care physician from this network to provide your primary care and help you access services, but there are some exceptions. Please review your Evidence of Coverage for details about how to access care under this plan. You can find participating providers in this network at blueshieldca.com.

Calendar Year Deductibles (CYD)²

A calendar year deductible (CYD) is the amount a member pays each calendar year before Blue Shield pays for covered services under the benefit plan.

		When using a participating provider ³
Calendar year medical deductible	<i>Individual coverage</i>	\$0
	<i>Family coverage</i>	\$0: individual \$0: family

Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum⁴

An out-of-pocket maximum is the most a member will pay for covered services each calendar year. Any exceptions are listed in the EOC.

When using a participating provider ³	
<i>Individual coverage</i>	\$3,000
<i>Family coverage</i>	\$3,000: individual \$6,000: family

No Lifetime Benefit Maximum

Under this benefit plan there is no dollar limit on the total amount Blue Shield will pay for covered services in a member's lifetime.

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Your payment

	When using a participating provider³	CYD² applies
Preventive Health Services⁶	\$0	
Physician services		
Primary care office visit	\$25/visit	
Access+ specialist care office visit	\$40/visit	
Other specialist care office visit	\$25/visit	
Physician home visit	\$50/visit	
Physician inpatient, outpatient, and surgery services	\$0	
Other professional services		
Other practitioner office visit <i>Includes nurses, nurse practitioners, and therapists.</i>	\$25/visit	
Teladoc consultation	\$5/consult	
Family planning		
• Counseling, consulting, and education	\$0	
• Injectable contraceptive; diaphragm fitting, intrauterine device (IUD), implantable contraceptive, and related procedure.	\$0	
• Tubal ligation	\$0	
• Vasectomy	\$0	
• Infertility services	50%	
Podiatric services	\$25/visit	
Pregnancy and maternity care⁶		
Physician office visits: prenatal and postnatal	\$0	
Physician services for pregnancy termination	\$0	
Emergency services and urgent care		
Emergency room services <i>If admitted to the hospital, this payment for emergency room services does not apply. Instead, you pay the participating provider payment under Inpatient facility services/ Hospital services and stay.</i>	\$100/visit	
Emergency room physician services	\$0	
Urgent care physician services <i>Inside your primary care physician's service area, services must be provided or referred by your primary care physician or medical group/IPA. Services outside your primary care physician's service area are also covered. Services inside your primary care physician's service area not provided or referred by your primary care physician or medical group/IPA are not covered.</i>	\$25/visit	
Ambulance services	\$100/transport	

	When using a participating provider ³	CYD ² applies
Outpatient facility services		
Ambulatory surgery center	25%	
Outpatient department of a hospital: surgery	25%	
Outpatient department of a hospital: treatment of illness or injury, radiation therapy, chemotherapy, and necessary supplies	\$0	
Inpatient facility services		
Hospital services and stay	\$100/admission plus 25%	
Transplant services		
<i>This payment is for all covered transplants except tissue and kidney. For tissue and kidney transplant services, the payment for Inpatient facility services/ Hospital services and stay applies.</i>		
• Special transplant facility inpatient services	\$100/admission plus 25%	
• Physician inpatient services	\$0	
Diagnostic x-ray, imaging, pathology, and laboratory services		
<i>This payment is for covered services that are diagnostic, non-preventive health services, and diagnostic radiological procedures, such as CT scans, MRIs, MRAs, and PET scans. For the payments for covered services that are considered Preventive Health Services, see Preventive Health Services.</i>		
Laboratory services		
<i>Includes diagnostic Papanicolau (Pap) test.</i>		
• Laboratory center	\$0	
• Outpatient department of a hospital	\$0	
• California Prenatal Screening Program	\$0	
X-ray and imaging services		
<i>Includes diagnostic mammography.</i>		
• Outpatient radiology center	\$0	
• Outpatient department of a hospital	\$0	
Other outpatient diagnostic testing		
<i>Testing to diagnose illness or injury such as vestibular function tests, EKG, ECG, cardiac monitoring, non-invasive vascular studies, sleep medicine testing, muscle and range of motion tests, EEG, and EMG.</i>		
• Office location	\$0	
• Outpatient department of a hospital	\$0	
Radiological and nuclear imaging services		
• Outpatient radiology center	\$0	
• Outpatient department of a hospital	\$0	

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Your payment

	When using a participating provider³	CYD² applies
Rehabilitation and habilitative services		
<i>Includes physical therapy, occupational therapy, respiratory therapy, and speech therapy services.</i>		
Office location	\$25/visit	
Outpatient department of a hospital	\$25/visit	
Durable medical equipment (DME)		
DME	50%	
Breast pump	\$0	
Orthotic equipment and devices	\$0	
Prosthetic equipment and devices	\$0	
Home health services		
<i>Up to 100 visits per member, per calendar year, by a home health care agency. All visits count towards the limit, including visits during any applicable deductible period, except hemophilia and home infusion nursing visits.</i>		
Home health agency services	\$25/visit	
<i>Includes home visits by a nurse, home health aide, medical social worker, physical therapist, speech therapist, or occupational therapist.</i>		
Home visits by an infusion nurse	\$25/visit	
Home health medical supplies	\$0	
Home infusion agency services	\$0	
Hemophilia home infusion services	\$0	
<i>Includes blood factor products.</i>		
Skilled nursing facility (SNF) services		
<i>Up to 100 days per member, per benefit period, except when provided as part of a hospice program. All days count towards the limit, including days during any applicable deductible period and days in different SNFs during the calendar year.</i>		
Freestanding SNF	25%	
Hospital-based SNF	25%	
Hospice program services		
<i>Includes pre-hospice consultation, routine home care, 24-hour continuous home care, short-term inpatient care for pain and symptom management, and inpatient respite care.</i>		
Other services and supplies		
Diabetes care services		
• Devices, equipment, and supplies	20%	

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	Your payment	
	When using a participating provider ³	CYD ² applies
• Self-management training	\$25/visit	
Dialysis services	\$0	
PKU product formulas and special food products	\$0	
Allergy serum	50%	

Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Benefits

	Your payment	
	When using a MHSA participating provider ³	CYD ² applies
<i>Mental health and substance use disorder benefits are provided through Blue Shield's mental health services administrator (MHSA).</i>		
Outpatient services		
Office visit, including physician office visit	\$25/visit	
Other outpatient services, including intensive outpatient care, behavioral health treatment for pervasive developmental disorder or autism in an office setting, home, or other non-institutional facility setting, and office-based opioid treatment	\$0	
Partial hospitalization program	\$0	
Psychological testing	\$0	
Inpatient services		
Physician inpatient services	\$0	
Hospital services	\$100/admission plus 25%	
Residential care	\$100/admission plus 25%	

Notes

1 Evidence of Coverage (EOC):

The Evidence of Coverage (EOC) describes the benefits, limitations, and exclusions that apply to coverage under this benefit plan. Please review the EOC for more details of coverage outlined in this Summary of Benefits. You can request a copy of the EOC at any time.

Defined terms are in the EOC. Refer to the EOC for an explanation of the terms used in this Summary of Benefits.

2 Calendar Year Deductible (CYD):

Calendar Year Deductible explained. A deductible is the amount you pay each calendar year before Blue Shield pays for Covered Services under the benefit plan.

If this benefit plan has any Calendar Year Deductible(s), Covered Services subject to that Deductible are identified with a check mark (✓) in the Benefits chart above.

Notes

3 Using Participating Providers:

Participating Providers have a contract to provide health care services to Members. When you receive Covered Services from a Participating Provider, you are only responsible for the Copayment or Coinsurance, once any Calendar Year Deductible has been met.

Your payment for services from "Other Providers." You will pay the Copayment or Coinsurance applicable to Participating Providers for Covered Services received from Other Providers. However, Other Providers do not have a contract to provide health care services to Members and so are not Participating Providers. Therefore, you will also pay all charges above the Allowable Amount. This out-of-pocket expense can be significant.

4 Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum (OOPM):

Your payment after you reach the calendar year OOPM. You will continue to be responsible for Copayments or Coinsurance for the following Covered Services after the Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum is met:

- benefit maximum: charges for services after any benefit limit is reached

Essential health benefits count towards the OOPM.

Family coverage has an individual OOPM within the family OOPM. This means that the OOPM will be met for an individual who meets the individual OOPM prior to the family meeting the family OOPM within a Calendar Year.

5 Separate Member Payments When Multiple Covered Services are Received:

Each time you receive multiple Covered Services, you might have separate payments (Copayment or Coinsurance) for each service. When this happens, you may be responsible for multiple Copayments or Coinsurance. For example, you may owe an office visit Copayment in addition to an allergy serum Copayment when you visit the doctor for an allergy shot.

6 Preventive Health Services:

If you only receive Preventive Health Services during a physician office visit, there is no Copayment or Coinsurance for the visit. If you receive both Preventive Health Services and other Covered Services during the physician office visit, you may have a Copayment or Coinsurance for the visit.

Benefit Plans may be modified to ensure compliance with State and Federal requirements.

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Blue Shield of California:

- Provides aids and services at no cost to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (including large print, audio, accessible electronic formats and other formats)
- Provides language services at no cost to people whose primary language is not English such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact the Blue Shield of California Civil Rights Coordinator.

If you believe that Blue Shield of California 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:

Blue Shield of California
Civil Rights Coordinator
P.O. Box 629007
El Dorado Hills, CA 95762-9007

Phone: (844) 831-4133 (TTY: 711)

Fax: (916) 350-7405

Email: BlueShieldCivilRightsCoordinator@blueshieldca.com

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax or email. 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
(800) 368-1019; TTY: (800) 537-7697

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

IMPORTANT: Can you read this letter? If not, we can have somebody help you read it. You may also be able to get this letter written in your language. For help at no cost, please call right away at the Member/Customer Service telephone number on the back of your Blue Shield ID card, or (866) 346-7198.

IMPORTANTE: ¿Puede leer esta carta? Si no, podemos hacer que alguien le ayude a leerla. También puede recibir esta carta en su idioma. Para ayuda sin cargo, por favor llame inmediatamente al teléfono de Servicios al miembro/cliente que se encuentra al reverso de su tarjeta de identificación de Blue Shield o al (866) 346-7198. (Spanish)

重要通知: 您能讀懂這封信嗎? 如果不能, 我們可以請人幫您閱讀。這封信也可以 用您所講的語言書寫。如需免費幫助, 請立即撥打登列在您的Blue Shield ID卡背面上的 會員/客戶服務部的電話, 或者撥打電話 (866) 346-7198。(Chinese)

QUAN TRỌNG: Quý vị có thể đọc lá thư này không? Nếu không, chúng tôi có thể nhờ người giúp quý vị đọc thư. Quý vị cũng có thể nhận lá thư này được viết bằng ngôn ngữ của quý vị. Để được hỗ trợ miễn phí, vui lòng gọi ngay đến Ban Dịch vụ Hội viên/Khách hàng theo số ở mặt sau thẻ ID Blue Shield của quý vị hoặc theo số (866) 346-7198. (Vietnamese)

MAHALAGA: Nababasa mo ba ang sulat na ito? Kung hindi, maari kaming kumuha ng isang tao upang matulungan ka upang mabasa ito. Maari ka ring makakuha ng sulat na ito na nakasulat sa iyong wika. Para sa libreng tulong, mangyaring tumawag kaagad sa numerong telepono ng Miyembro/Customer Service sa likod ng iyong Blue Shield ID kard, o (866) 346-7198. (Tagalog)

Baa' ákohwiindzindooígí: Díí naaltsoosish yíiniłta'go bíníghah? Doo bíníghahgóó éí, naaltsoos nich'í' yiidóoltahígíí ła' nihee hółó. Díí naaltsoos áłdó' t'áá Diné k'ehjí ádoolníł nínízingo bíghah. Doo ąąąh ílínígó shíká' adoowoł nínízingó nihich'í' béesh bee hodíłnih dóó námboo éí díí Blue Shield bee néłho'díłzinígí bine'dée' bikáá' éí doodagó éí (866) 346-7198 jí' hodíłnih. (Navajo)

중요: 이 서신을 읽을 수 있으세요? 읽으실 수 경우, 도움을 드릴 수 있는 사람이 있습니다. 또한 다른 언어로 작성된 이 서신을 받으실 수도 있습니다. 무료로 도움을 받으시려면 Blue Shield ID 카드 뒷면의 회원/고객 서비스 전화번호 또는 (866) 346-7198로 지금 전환하세요. (Korean)

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重要: お客様は、この手紙を読むことができますか? もし読むことができない場合、弊社が、お客様をサポートする人物を手配いたします。また、お客様の母国語で書かれた手紙をお送りすることも可能です。無料のサポートを希望される場合は、Blue Shield IDカードの裏面に記載されている会員/お客様サービスの電話番号、または、(866) 346-7198にお電話をおかけください。 (Japanese)

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ਮਹੱਤਵਪੂਰਨ: ਕੀ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਇਸ ਪੱਤਰ ਨੂੰ ਪੜ੍ਹ ਸਕਦੇ ਹੋ? ਜੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਤਾਂ ਇਸ ਨੂੰ ਪੜ੍ਹਨ ਵਿਚ ਮਦਦ ਲਈ ਅਸੀਂ ਕਿਸੇ ਵਿਅਕਤੀ ਦਾ ਪ੍ਰਬੰਧ ਕਰ ਸਕਦੇ ਹਾਂ। ਤੁਸੀਂ ਇਹ ਪੱਤਰ ਆਪਣੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿਚ ਲਿਖਿਆ ਹੋਇਆ ਵੀ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕਰ ਸਕਦੇ ਹੋ। ਮੁਫਤ ਵਿਚ ਮਦਦ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕਰਨ ਲਈ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ Blue Shield ID ਕਾਰਡ ਦੇ ਪਿੱਛੇ ਦਿੱਤੇ ਮੈਂਬਰ/ਕਸਟਮਰ ਸਰਵਿਸ ਟੈਲੀਫੋਨ ਨੰਬਰ ਤੇ, ਜਾਂ (866) 346-7198 ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ। (Punjabi)

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TSEEM CEEB: Koj pos tuaj yeem nyeem tau tsab ntawv no? Yog hais tias nyeem tsis tau, peb tuaj yeem nrhiv ib tug neeg los pab nyeem nws rau koj. Tej zaum koj kuj yuav tau txais muab tsab ntawv no sau ua koj hom lus. Rau kev pab txhais dawb, thov hu kiag rau tus xov tooj Kev Pab Cuam Tub Koom Xeeb/Tub Lag Luam uas nyob rau sab nraum nrob qaum ntawm koj daim npav Blue Shield ID, los yog hu rau tus xov tooj (866) 346-7198. (Hmong)

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