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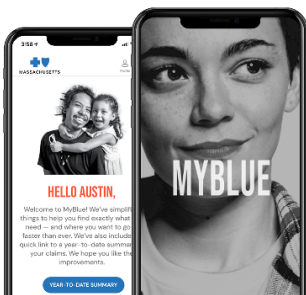
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NETWORK BLUE® NEW ENGLAND \$500 DEDUCTIBLE WITH HOSPITAL CHOICE COST SHARING

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Plan-Year Deductible: \$500/\$1,000

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Where you get care can impact what you pay for care.

This health plan option includes a tiered network feature called Hospital Choice Cost Sharing.

As a member in this plan, you will pay different levels of cost share (such as copayments and/or coinsurance) for certain services depending on the network general hospital you choose to furnish those covered services. For most network general hospitals, you will pay the lowest cost sharing level. However, if you receive certain covered services from any of the network general hospitals listed in this Summary of Benefits, you pay the highest cost sharing level. A network general hospital's cost sharing level may change from time to time. Overall changes to add another network general hospital to the highest cost sharing level will happen no more than once each calendar year. For help in finding a network general hospital (not listed in this Summary of Benefits) for which you pay the lowest cost sharing level, check the most current provider directory for your health plan option or visit the online provider search tool at bluecrossma.org/hospitalchoice. Then click on the Planning Guide link on the left navigation to download a printable network hospital list or to access the provider search page.



This health plan meets Minimum Creditable Coverage Standards for Massachusetts residents that went into effect January 1, 2014, as part of the Massachusetts Health Care Reform Law.

YOUR CARE

Your Primary Care Provider (PCP)

When you enroll in this health plan, you must choose a primary care provider. Be sure to choose a PCP who can accept you and your family members and who participates in the network of providers in New England. For children, you may choose a participating network pediatrician as the PCP.

For a list of participating PCPs or OB/GYN physicians, visit the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts website at bluecrossma.org; consult Find a Doctor at bluecrossma.com/findadoctor; or call the Member Service number on your ID card.

If you have trouble choosing a doctor, Member Service can help. They can give you the doctor's gender, the medical school the doctor attended, and whether there are languages other than English spoken in the office.

Referrals

Your PCP is the first person you call when you need routine or sick care. If your PCP decides that you need to see a specialist for covered services, your PCP will refer you to an appropriate network specialist, who is likely affiliated with your PCP's hospital or medical group.

You will not need prior authorization or referral to see an HMO Blue New England network provider who specializes in OB/GYN services. Your providers may also work with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts regarding referrals and Utilization Review Requirements, including Pre-Admission Review, Concurrent Review and Discharge Planning, Prior Approval for Certain Outpatient Services, and Individual Case Management. For detailed information about Utilization Review, see your benefit description.

Your Cost Share

This plan has two levels of hospital benefits. You will pay a higher cost share when you receive inpatient services at or by "higher cost share hospitals," even if your PCP refers you. See the chart for your cost share.

Higher Cost Share Hospitals

Your cost share will be higher at the hospitals listed below. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts will let you know if this list changes.

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| • Baystate Medical Center | • Boston Children's Hospital |
| • Brigham and Women's Hospital | • Cape Cod Hospital |
| • Dana-Farber Cancer Institute | • Fairview Hospital |
| • Massachusetts General Hospital | • UMass Memorial Medical Center |

All other network hospitals will carry the lower cost share, including network hospitals outside of Massachusetts.

Note: Some of the general hospitals listed above may have facilities in more than one location. At certain locations, the lowest cost sharing level may apply.

Your Deductible

Your deductible is the amount of money you pay out-of-pocket each plan year before you can receive coverage for certain benefits under this plan. If you are not sure when your plan year begins, contact Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts. Your deductible is **\$500** per member (or **\$1,000** per family).

Your Out-of-Pocket Maximum

Your out-of-pocket maximum is the most that you could pay during a plan year for deductible, copayments (including prescription drug copayments), and coinsurance for covered services. Your out-of-pocket maximum is **\$5,000** per member (or **\$10,000** per family).

Emergency Room Services

In an emergency, such as a suspected heart attack, stroke, or poisoning, you should go directly to the nearest medical facility or call **911** (or the local emergency phone number). After meeting your deductible, you pay a copayment per visit for emergency room services. This copayment is waived if you're admitted to the hospital or for an observation stay. See the chart for your cost share.

Telehealth Services

Telehealth services are covered when the same in-person service would be covered by the health plan and the use of telehealth is appropriate. Your health care provider will work with you to determine if a telehealth visit is medically appropriate for your health care needs or if an in-person visit is required. For a list of telehealth providers, visit the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts website at bluecrossma.org, consult Find a Doctor, or call the Member Service number on your ID card.

Service Area

The plan's service area includes all cities and towns in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State of Rhode Island, State of Vermont, State of Connecticut, State of New Hampshire, and State of Maine.

When Outside the Service Area

If you're traveling outside the service area and you need urgent or emergency care, you should go to the nearest appropriate health care facility. You are covered for the urgent or emergency care visit and one follow-up visit while outside the service area. Any additional follow-up care must be arranged by your PCP. See your benefit description for more information.

Dependent Benefits

This plan covers dependents until the end of the calendar month in which they turn age 26, regardless of their financial dependency, student status, or employment status. See your benefit description (and riders, if any) for exact coverage details.

Covered Services	Your Cost
Preventive Care	
Well-child care exams	Nothing, no deductible
Preventive dental care for children under age 12 (one visit each six months)	Nothing, no deductible
Routine adult physical exams, including related tests	Nothing, no deductible
Routine GYN exams, including related lab tests (one per calendar year)	Nothing, no deductible
Routine hearing exams, including routine tests	Nothing, no deductible
Hearing aids (up to \$2,000 per ear every 36 months for a member age 21 or younger)	All charges beyond the maximum, no deductible
Routine vision exams (one every 12 months)	Nothing, no deductible
Family planning services—office visits	Nothing, no deductible
Outpatient Care	
Emergency room visits	\$100 per visit after deductible (copayment waived if admitted or for observation stay)
Office or health center visits, when performed by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your PCP, OB/GYN physician, nurse midwife, limited services clinic, or by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as primary care Other covered providers, including a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as specialty care 	\$20 per visit, no deductible \$60 per visit, no deductible
Mental health or substance use treatment	\$20 per visit, no deductible
Outpatient telehealth services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> With a covered provider With the designated telehealth vendor 	Same as in-person visit \$20 per visit, no deductible
Chiropractors' office visits	\$20 per visit, no deductible
Acupuncture visits (up to 12 visits per calendar year)	\$60 per visit, no deductible
Short-term rehabilitation therapy—physical and occupational (up to 60 visits per calendar year*)	\$20 per visit, no deductible
Speech, hearing, and language disorder treatment—speech therapy	\$20 per visit, no deductible
Diagnostic X-rays and lab tests	Nothing after deductible
CT scans, MRIs, PET scans, and nuclear cardiac imaging tests	\$100 per category per service date after deductible
Home health care and hospice services	Nothing after deductible
Oxygen and equipment for its administration	Nothing after deductible
Durable medical equipment—such as wheelchairs, crutches, hospital beds	20% coinsurance after deductible**
Prosthetic devices	20% coinsurance after deductible
Surgery and related anesthesia in an office or health center, when performed by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your PCP, OB/GYN physician, nurse midwife, or by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as primary care Other covered providers, including a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as specialty care 	\$20 per visit***, no deductible \$60 per visit***, no deductible
Surgery and related anesthesia in an ambulatory surgical facility, hospital outpatient department, or surgical day care unit	\$250 per admission after deductible
Inpatient Care (including maternity care) in:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Other general hospitals (as many days as medically necessary) Higher cost share hospitals (as many days as medically necessary) 	\$500 per admission after deductible [†] \$1,000 per admission after deductible [†]
Chronic disease hospital care (as many days as medically necessary)	\$500 per admission after deductible
Mental hospital or substance use facility care (as many days as medically necessary)	\$500 per admission after deductible
Rehabilitation hospital care (up to 60 days per calendar year)	Nothing after deductible
Skilled nursing facility care (up to 100 days per calendar year)	Nothing after deductible

* No visit limit applies when short-term rehabilitation therapy is furnished as part of covered home health care or for the treatment of autism spectrum disorders.

** Cost share waived for one breast pump per birth, including supplies.

*** Copayment waived for restorative dental services and orthodontic treatment or prosthetic management therapy for members under age 18 to treat conditions of cleft lip and cleft palate.

† This cost share applies to mental health admissions in a general hospital.

Covered Services	Your Cost
Prescription Drug Benefits*	
At designated retail pharmacies (up to a 30-day formulary supply for each prescription or refill)**	No deductible \$10 for Tier 1 \$30 for Tier 2 \$65 for Tier 3
Through the designated mail service or designated retail pharmacy (up to a 90-day formulary supply for each prescription or refill)**	No deductible \$25 for Tier 1 \$75 for Tier 2 \$165 for Tier 3

* Generally, Tier 1 refers to generic drugs; Tier 2 refers to preferred brand-name drugs; Tier 3 refers to non-preferred brand-name drugs.

** Cost share may be waived for certain covered drugs and supplies.

Get the Most from Your Plan: Visit us at bluecrossma.org or call 1-800-782-3675 to learn about discounts, savings, resources, and special programs available to you, like those listed below.

Wellness Participation Program

Fitness Reimbursement: a program that rewards participation in qualified fitness programs or equipment (See your benefit description for details.)

\$300 per calendar year per policy

Weight Loss Reimbursement: a program that rewards participation in a qualified weight loss program (See your benefit description for details.)

\$150 per calendar year per policy



24/7 Nurse Line: Speak to a registered nurse, day or night, to get immediate guidance and advice. Call 1-888-247-BLUE (2583). No additional charge.

QUESTIONS?

For questions about Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, call 1-800-782-3675, or visit us online at bluecrossma.org.

Limitations and Exclusions. These pages summarize the benefits of your health care plan. Your benefit description and riders define the full terms and conditions in greater detail. Should any questions arise concerning benefits, the benefit description and riders will govern. Some of the services not covered are: cosmetic surgery; custodial care; most dental care; and any services covered by workers' compensation. For a complete list of limitations and exclusions, refer to your benefit description and riders. **Note:** Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc. administers claims payment only and does not assume financial risk for claims.

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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, see

www.town.Duxbury.ma.us/publicdocuments/DuxburyMA/HRpolicies/benefits. 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 bluecrossma.org/sbcglossary or call 1-800-782-3675 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall <u>deductible</u>?	\$500 member / \$1,000 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 <u>deductible</u>?	Yes. <u>Preventive care</u> , prenatal care, <u>prescription drugs</u> , most office visits, mental health visits, and therapy visits.	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 https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/ .
Are there other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services.
What is the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> for this <u>plan</u>?	\$5,000 member / \$10,000 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>?	<u>Premiums</u> , <u>balance-billing</u> charges, and health care this <u>plan</u> doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> .
Will you pay less if you use a <u>network provider</u>?	Yes. See bluecrossma.com/findadoctor or call the Member Service number on your ID card for a list of <u>network providers</u> .	This <u>plan</u> uses a <u>provider network</u> . You will pay less if you use a <u>provider</u> in the <u>plan's network</u> . 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 <u>provider's</u> 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>?	Yes.	This <u>plan</u> will pay some or all of the costs to see a <u>specialist</u> for covered services but only if you have a <u>referral</u> before you see the <u>specialist</u> .



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
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you visit a health care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$20 / visit	Not covered	A telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	<u>Specialist</u> visit	\$60 / visit; \$20 / chiropractor visit; \$60 / acupuncture visit	Not covered	Limited to 12 acupuncture visits per calendar year; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	<u>Preventive care/screening/immunization</u>	No charge	Not covered	GYN exam limited to one exam per calendar year; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable. You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your <u>provider</u> if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your <u>plan</u> will pay for.
If you have a test	<u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray, blood work)	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$100	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>copayment</u> applies per category of test / day; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at bluecrossma.org/medication	Generic drugs	\$10 / retail supply or \$25 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	Up to 30-day retail (90-day designated retail or mail service) supply; <u>cost share</u> may be waived for certain covered drugs and supplies; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain drugs
	Preferred brand drugs	\$30 / retail supply or \$75 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	
	Non-preferred brand drugs	\$65 / retail supply or \$165 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	
	<u>Specialty drugs</u>	Applicable <u>cost share</u> (generic, preferred, non-preferred)	Not covered	When obtained from a designated specialty pharmacy; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain drugs
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$250 / admission	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
If you need immediate medical attention	<u>Emergency room care</u>	\$100 / visit	\$100 / visit	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>copayment</u> waived if admitted or for observation stay
	<u>Emergency medical transportation</u>	No charge	No charge	<u>Deductible</u> applies first
	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$60 / visit	\$60 / visit	Out-of-network coverage limited to out of service area; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	\$20 / visit	Not covered	A telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	Inpatient services	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first except for prenatal care; <u>cost sharing</u> does not apply for <u>preventive services</u> ; maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound); a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No charge	Not covered	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	Not covered	

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	<u>Home health care</u>	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required
	<u>Rehabilitation services</u>	\$20 / visit for outpatient services; No charge for inpatient services	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first except for outpatient services; limited to 60 outpatient visits per calendar year (other than for autism, <u>home health care</u> , and speech therapy); limited to 60 days per calendar year for inpatient admissions; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	<u>Habilitation services</u>	\$20 / visit	Not covered	Outpatient rehabilitation therapy coverage limits apply; <u>cost share</u> and coverage limits waived for early intervention services for eligible children; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	<u>Skilled nursing care</u>	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; limited to 100 days per calendar year; <u>pre-authorization</u> required
	<u>Durable medical equipment</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>cost share</u> waived for one breast pump per birth, including supplies
	<u>Hospice services</u>	No charge	Not covered	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No charge	Not covered	Limited to one exam every 12 months
	Children's glasses	Not covered	Not covered	None
	Children's dental check-up	No charge	Not covered	Limited to children under age 12 (every 6 months) and under age 18 with a cleft palate / cleft lip condition

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.)

- Children's glasses
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care (Adult)
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Private-duty nursing

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

- Acupuncture (12 visits per calendar year)
- Bariatric surgery
- Chiropractic care
- Hearing aids (\$2,000 per ear every 36 months for members age 21 or younger)
- Infertility treatment
- Routine eye care - adult (one exam every 12 months)
- Routine foot care (only for patients with systemic circulatory disease)
- Weight loss programs (\$150 per calendar year per policy)

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 U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov. Your state insurance department might also be able to help. If you are a Massachusetts resident, you can contact the Massachusetts Division of Insurance at 1-877-563-4467 or www.mass.gov/doi. 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 or call 1-800-318-2596. For more information about possibly buying individual coverage through a state exchange, you can contact your state's marketplace, if applicable. If you are a Massachusetts resident, contact the Massachusetts Health Connector by visiting www.mahealthconnector.org. For more information on your rights to continue your employer coverage, contact your plan sponsor. (A plan sponsor is usually the member's employer or organization that provides group health coverage to the member.)

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, call 1-800-782-3675 or contact your plan sponsor. (A plan sponsor is usually the member's employer or organization that provides group health coverage to the member.)

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.

Disclaimer: This document contains only a partial description of the benefits, limitations, exclusions and other provisions of this health care plan. It is not a policy. It is a general overview only. It does not provide all the details of this coverage, including benefits, exclusions and policy limitations. In the event there are discrepancies between this document and the policy, the terms and conditions of the policy will govern.

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 prenatal care and a hospital delivery)

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Delivery fee copay</u>	\$0
■ <u>Facility fee copay</u>	\$500
■ <u>Diagnostic tests copay</u>	\$0

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*)

Total Example Cost	\$12,700
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In this example, Peg would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$500
<u>Copayments</u>	\$500
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0
<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$1,060

Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes

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

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Specialist</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$60
■ <u>Primary care</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$20
■ <u>Diagnostic tests</u> <u>copay</u>	\$0

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*)

Total Example Cost	\$5,600
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In this example, Joe would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$100
<u>Copayments</u>	\$1,200
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0
<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$20
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,320

Mia's Simple Fracture

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

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Specialist</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$60
■ <u>Emergency room</u> <u>copay</u>	\$100
■ <u>Ambulance services</u> <u>copay</u>	\$0

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

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

Total Example Cost	\$2,800
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In this example, Mia would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$500
<u>Copayments</u>	\$300
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0
<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$800

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

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This health plan meets Minimum Creditable Coverage Standards for Massachusetts residents that went into effect January 1, 2014, as part of the Massachusetts Health Care Reform Law.

This health plan option includes a tiered network feature called Hospital Choice Cost Sharing. As a member in this plan, you will pay different levels of cost share (such as copayments and coinsurance) for certain services depending on the network general hospital you choose to furnish those covered services. For most network general hospitals, you will pay the lowest cost sharing level. However, if you receive certain covered services from some network general hospitals, you pay the highest cost sharing level. A network general hospital's cost sharing level may change from time to time. Overall changes to add another network general hospital to the highest cost sharing level will happen no more than once each calendar year. For help in finding a network general hospital for which you pay the lowest cost sharing level, check the most current provider directory for your health plan option or visit the online provider search tool at **bluecrossma.org/hospitalchoice**. Then click on the Planning Guide link on the left navigation to download a printable network hospital list or to access the provider search page.

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As a member in this plan, you will pay different levels of in-network cost share (such as copayments and/or coinsurance) for certain services depending on the preferred general hospital you choose to furnish those covered services. For most preferred general hospitals, you will pay the lowest in-network cost sharing level. However, if you receive certain covered services from any of the preferred general hospitals listed in this Summary of Benefits, you pay the highest in-network cost sharing level. A preferred general hospital's cost sharing level may change from time to time. Overall changes to add another preferred general hospital to the highest cost sharing level will happen no more than once each calendar year. For help in finding a preferred general hospital (not listed in this Summary of Benefits for which you pay the lowest in-network cost sharing level, check the most current provider directory for your health plan option or visit the online provider search tool at bluecrossma.org/hospitalchoice. Then click on the Planning Guide link on the left navigation to download a printable network hospital list or to access the provider search page.



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YOUR CHOICE

Your Deductible

Your deductible is the amount of money you pay out-of-pocket each plan year before you can receive coverage for certain benefits under this plan. If you are not sure when your plan year begins, contact Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts. Your deductible is **\$500** per member (or **\$1,000** per family) for in-network and out-of-network services combined.

When You Choose Preferred Providers

You receive the highest level of benefits under your health care plan when you obtain covered services from preferred providers. These are called your “in-network” benefits. See the charts for your cost share.

The plan has two levels of hospital benefits for preferred providers. You will pay a higher cost share when you receive inpatient services at or by “higher cost share hospitals,” even if your preferred provider refers you. See the chart for your cost share.

Note: If a preferred provider refers you to another provider for covered services (such as a lab or specialist), make sure the provider is a preferred provider in order to receive benefits at the in-network level. If the provider you are referred to is not a preferred provider, you're still covered, but your benefits, in most situations, will be covered at the out-of-network level, even if the preferred provider refers you.

Higher Cost Share Hospitals

Your cost share will be higher at the hospitals listed below. Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts will let you know if this list changes.

- Baystate Medical Center
- Boston Children's Hospital
- Brigham and Women's Hospital
- Cape Cod Hospital
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- Fairview Hospital
- Massachusetts General Hospital
- UMass Memorial Medical Center

Note: Some of the general hospitals listed above may have facilities in more than one location. At certain locations, the lowest cost share may apply.

How to Find a Preferred Provider

To find a preferred provider:

- Look up a provider on Find a Doctor at bluecrossma.com/findadoctor. If you need a copy of your directory or help choosing a provider, call the Member Service number on your ID card.
- Visit the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts website at bluecrossma.org

When You Choose Non-Preferred Providers

You can also obtain covered services from non-preferred providers, but your out-of-pocket costs are higher. These are called your “out-of-network” benefits. See the charts for your cost share.

Payments for out-of-network benefits are based on the Blue Cross Blue Shield allowed charge as defined in your benefit description. You may be responsible for any difference between the allowed charge and the provider's actual billed charge (this is in addition to your deductible and/or your coinsurance).

Your Out-of-Pocket Maximum

Your out-of-pocket maximum is the most that you could pay during a plan year for deductible, copayments (including prescription drug copayments), and coinsurance for covered services. Your out-of-pocket maximums are **\$5,000** per member (or **\$10,000** per family) for in-network services and **\$3,000** per member for out-of-network services.

Emergency Room Services

In an emergency, such as a suspected heart attack, stroke, or poisoning, you should go directly to the nearest medical facility or call **911** (or the local emergency phone number). After meeting your deductible, you pay a copayment per visit for in-network or out-of-network emergency room services. The copayment is waived if you are admitted to the hospital or for an observation stay. See the chart for your cost share.

Telehealth Services

Telehealth services are covered when the same in-person service would be covered by the health plan and the use of telehealth is appropriate. Your health care provider will work with you to determine if a telehealth visit is medically appropriate for your health care needs or if an in-person visit is required. For a list of telehealth providers, visit the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts website at bluecrossma.org, consult Find a Doctor, or call the Member Service number on your ID card.

Utilization Review Requirements

Certain services require **pre-approval/prior authorization** through Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts for you to have benefit coverage; this includes non-emergency and non-maternity hospitalization and may include certain outpatient services, therapies, procedures, and drugs. You should work with your health care provider to determine if pre-approval is required for any service your provider is suggesting. If your provider, or you, don't get pre-approval when it's required, your benefits will be denied, and you may be fully responsible for payment to the provider of the service. Refer to your benefit description for requirements and the process you should follow for Utilization Review, including Pre-Admission Review, Pre-Service Approval, Concurrent Review and Discharge Planning, and Individual Case Management.

Dependent Benefits

This plan covers dependents until the end of the calendar month in which they turn age 26, regardless of their dependent's financial dependency, student status, or employment status. See your benefit description (and riders, if any) for exact coverage details.

Covered Services	Your Cost In-Network	Your Cost Out-of-Network
Preventive Care		
Well-child care exams, including routine tests, according to age-based schedule as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 10 visits during the first year of life• Three visits during the second year of life (age 1 to age 2)• Two visits for age 2• One visit per calendar year for age 3 and older	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Routine adult physical exams, including related tests (one per calendar year)	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Routine GYN exams, including related lab tests (one per calendar year)	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Routine hearing exams, including routine tests	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Hearing aids (up to \$2,000 per ear every 36 months for a member age 21 or younger)	All charges beyond the maximum, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible and all charges beyond the maximum
Routine vision exams (one per calendar year)	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Family planning services—office visits	Nothing, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Outpatient Care		
Emergency room visits	\$100 per visit after deductible (copayment waived if admitted or for an observation stay)	\$100 per visit after deductible (copayment waived if admitted or for an observation stay)
Office or health center visits, when performed by: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A family or general practitioner, internist, OB/GYN physician, pediatrician, geriatric specialist, nurse midwife, licensed dietitian nutritionist, optometrist, limited services clinic, multi-specialty provider group, or by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as primary care• Other covered providers, including a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as specialty care	\$20 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
	\$60 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Mental health or substance use treatment	\$20 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Outpatient telehealth services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• With a covered provider• With the in-network designated telehealth vendor	Same as in-person visit \$20 per visit, no deductible	Same as in-person visit Only applicable in-network
Chiropractors' office visits	\$20 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Acupuncture visits (up to 12 visits per calendar year)	\$60 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Short-term rehabilitation therapy—physical and occupational (up to 60 visits per calendar year*)	\$20 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Speech, hearing, and language disorder treatment—speech therapy	\$20 per visit, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Diagnostic X-rays and lab tests	Nothing after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
CT scans, MRIs, PET scans, and nuclear cardiac imaging tests	\$100 per category per service date after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Home health care and hospice services	Nothing after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Oxygen and equipment for its administration	Nothing after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Durable medical equipment—such as wheelchairs, crutches, hospital beds	20% coinsurance after deductible**	40% coinsurance after deductible**
Prosthetic devices	20% coinsurance after deductible	40% coinsurance after deductible
Surgery and related anesthesia in an office or health center, when performed by: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A family or general practitioner, internist, OB/GYN physician, pediatrician, geriatric specialist, nurse midwife, multi-specialty provider group, or by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as primary care• Other covered providers, including a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as specialty care	\$20 per visit***, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
	\$60 per visit***, no deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Surgery and related anesthesia in an ambulatory surgical facility, hospital outpatient department, or surgical day care unit	\$250 per admission after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Inpatient Care (including maternity care) in:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Other general hospitals (as many days as medically necessary)• In-network higher cost share hospitals (as many days as medically necessary)	\$500 per admission after deductible†	20% coinsurance after deductible
	\$1,000 per admission after deductible†	Only applicable in-network
Chronic disease hospital care (as many days as medically necessary)	\$500 per admission after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Mental hospital or substance use facility care (as many days as medically necessary)	\$500 per admission after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Rehabilitation hospital care (up to 60 days per calendar year)	Nothing after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible
Skilled nursing facility care (up to 100 days per calendar year)	Nothing after deductible	20% coinsurance after deductible

* No visit limit applies when short-term rehabilitation therapy is furnished as part of covered home health care or for the treatment of autism spectrum disorders.

** In-network cost share waived for one breast pump per birth, including supplies (20% coinsurance after deductible out-of-network).

*** Copayment waived for restorative dental services and orthodontic treatment or prosthetic management therapy for members under age 18 to treat conditions of cleft lip and cleft palate.

† This cost share applies to mental health admissions in a general hospital.

Covered Services	Your Cost In-Network	Your Cost Out-of-Network
Prescription Drug Benefits*		
At designated retail pharmacies (up to a 30-day formulary supply for each prescription or refill)**	No deductible \$10 for Tier 1 \$30 for Tier 2 \$65 for Tier 3	Not covered
Through the designated mail service or designated retail pharmacy (up to a 90-day formulary supply for each prescription or refill)**	No deductible \$25 for Tier 1 \$75 for Tier 2 \$165 for Tier 3	Not covered

* Generally, Tier 1 refers to generic drugs; Tier 2 refers to preferred brand-name drugs; Tier 3 refers to non-preferred brand-name drugs.
 ** Cost share may be waived for certain covered drugs and supplies.

Get the Most from Your Plan: Visit us at bluecrossma.org or call 1-800-782-3675 to learn about discounts, savings, resources, and special programs available to you, like those listed below.

Wellness Participation Program	
Fitness Reimbursement: a program that rewards participation in qualified fitness programs or equipment (See your benefit description for details.)	\$300 per calendar year per policy
Weight Loss Reimbursement: a program that rewards participation in a qualified weight loss program (See your benefit description for details.)	\$150 per calendar year per policy

 24/7 Nurse Line: Speak to a registered nurse, day or night, to get immediate guidance and advice. Call 1-888-247-BLUE (2583). No additional charge.

QUESTIONS?

For questions about Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, call 1-800-782-3675, or visit us online at bluecrossma.org.

Limitations and Exclusions. These pages summarize the benefits of your health care plan. Your benefit description and riders define the full terms and conditions in greater detail. Should any questions arise concerning benefits, the benefit description and riders will govern. Some of the services not covered are: cosmetic surgery; custodial care; most dental care; and any services covered by workers' compensation. For a complete list of limitations and exclusions, refer to your benefit description and riders. **Note:** Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Inc. administers claims payment only and does not assume financial risk for claims.

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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, see www.town.Duxbury.ma.us/publicdocuments/DuxburyMA/HRpolicies/benefits. 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 bluecrossma.org/sbcglossary or call 1-800-782-3675 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	\$500 member / \$1,000 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. In-network preventive and prenatal care, most office visits, mental health visits, therapy visits, prescription drugs.	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 https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/ .
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan?	\$5,000 member / \$10,000 family in-network; \$3,000 member out-of-network.	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 out-of-pocket limit?	<u>Premiums</u> , <u>balance-billing</u> charges, and health care this <u>plan</u> doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> .
Will you pay less if you use a network provider?	Yes. See bluecrossma.com/findadoctor or call the Member Service number on your ID card for a list of <u>network providers</u> .	This <u>plan</u> uses a <u>provider network</u> . You will pay less if you use a <u>provider</u> in the <u>plan's network</u> . 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 <u>provider's charge</u> 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 referral to see a specialist?	No.	You can see the <u>specialist</u> you choose without a <u>referral</u> .



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
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$20 / visit	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; family or general practitioner, internist, OB/GYN physician, pediatrician, geriatric <u>specialist</u> , nurse midwife, licensed dietitian nutritionist, optometrist, limited services clinic, multi-specialty <u>provider</u> group, or by a physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as primary care; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	<u>Specialist</u> visit	\$60 / visit; \$20 / chiropractor visit; \$60 / acupuncture visit	20% <u>coinsurance</u> ; 20% <u>coinsurance</u> / chiropractor visit; 20% <u>coinsurance</u> / acupuncture visit	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; includes physician assistant or nurse practitioner designated as specialty care; limited to 12 acupuncture visits per calendar year; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	<u>Preventive care/screening/immunization</u>	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; limited to age-based schedule and / or frequency; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable. You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your <u>provider</u> if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your <u>plan</u> will pay for.
If you have a test	<u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray, blood work)	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> may be required
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$100	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>copayment</u> applies per category of test / day; <u>pre-authorization</u> may be required

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at bluecrossma.org/medication	Generic drugs	\$10 / retail supply or \$25 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	Up to 30-day retail (90-day designated retail or mail service) supply; <u>cost share</u> may be waived for certain covered drugs and supplies; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain drugs
	Preferred brand drugs	\$30 / retail supply or \$75 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	
	Non-preferred brand drugs	\$65 / retail supply or \$165 / designated retail or mail service supply	Not covered	
	<u>Specialty drugs</u>	Applicable <u>cost share</u> (generic, preferred, non-preferred)	Not covered	When obtained from a designated specialty pharmacy; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain drugs
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$250 / admission	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
If you need immediate medical attention	<u>Emergency room care</u>	\$100 / visit	\$100 / visit	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>copayment</u> waived if admitted or for observation stay
	<u>Emergency medical transportation</u>	No charge	No charge	<u>Deductible</u> applies first
	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$60 / visit	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	\$20 / visit	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	Inpatient services	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> / authorization required for certain services
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first except for in-network prenatal care; <u>cost sharing</u> does not apply for in-network <u>preventive services</u> ; maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound); a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	\$500 / admission; \$1,000 / admission for certain hospitals	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	<u>Home health care</u>	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required
	<u>Rehabilitation services</u>	\$20 / visit for outpatient services; No charge for inpatient services	20% <u>coinsurance</u> for outpatient services; 20% <u>coinsurance</u> for inpatient services	<u>Deductible</u> applies first except for in-network outpatient services; limited to 60 outpatient visits per calendar year (other than for autism, <u>home health care</u> , and speech therapy); limited to 60 days per calendar year for inpatient admissions; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services
	<u>Habilitation services</u>	\$20 / visit	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; outpatient rehabilitation therapy coverage limits apply; <u>cost share</u> and coverage limits waived for early intervention services for eligible children; a telehealth <u>cost share</u> may be applicable
	<u>Skilled nursing care</u>	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; limited to 100 days per calendar year; <u>pre-authorization</u> required
	<u>Durable medical equipment</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; in-network <u>cost share</u> waived for one breast pump per birth, including supplies (20% <u>coinsurance</u> for out-of-network)
	<u>Hospice services</u>	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first; <u>pre-authorization</u> required for certain services

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network (You will pay the most)	
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No charge	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; limited to one exam per calendar year
	Children's glasses	Not covered	Not covered	None
	Children's dental check-up	No charge for members with a cleft palate / cleft lip condition	20% <u>coinsurance</u> for members with a cleft palate / cleft lip condition	<u>Deductible</u> applies first for out-of-network; limited to members under age 18

Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

Services Your <u>Plan</u> Generally Does NOT Cover (Check your policy or <u>plan</u> document for more information and a list of any other <u>excluded services</u> .)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children's glasses Cosmetic surgery 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dental care (Adult) Long-term care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Private-duty nursing
Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your <u>plan</u> document.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acupuncture (12 visits per calendar year) Bariatric surgery Chiropractic care Hearing aids (\$2,000 per ear every 36 months for members age 21 or younger) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Infertility treatment Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S. Routine eye care - adult (one exam per calendar year) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Routine foot care (only for patients with systemic circulatory disease) Weight loss programs (\$150 per calendar year per policy)

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 U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov. Your state insurance department might also be able to help. If you are a Massachusetts resident, you can contact the Massachusetts Division of Insurance at 1-877-563-4467 or www.mass.gov/doi. 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 or call 1-800-318-2596. For more information about possibly buying individual coverage through a state exchange, you can contact your state's marketplace, if applicable. If you are a Massachusetts resident, contact the Massachusetts Health Connector by visiting www.mahealthconnector.org. For more information on your rights to continue your employer coverage, contact your plan sponsor. (A plan sponsor is usually the member's employer or organization that provides group health coverage to the member.)

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, call 1-800-782-3675 or contact your plan sponsor. (A plan sponsor is usually the member's employer or organization that provides group health coverage to the member.)

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.

Disclaimer: This document contains only a partial description of the benefits, limitations, exclusions and other provisions of this health care plan. It is not a policy. It is a general overview only. It does not provide all the details of this coverage, including benefits, exclusions and policy limitations. In the event there are discrepancies between this document and the policy, the terms and conditions of the policy will govern.

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 prenatal care and a hospital delivery)

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Delivery fee copay</u>	\$0
■ <u>Facility fee copay</u>	\$500
■ <u>Diagnostic tests copay</u>	\$0

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*)

Total Example Cost	\$12,700
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In this example, Peg would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$500
<u>Copayments</u>	\$500
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0

<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$1,060

Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes (a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Specialist</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$60
■ <u>Primary care</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$20
■ <u>Diagnostic tests</u> <u>copay</u>	\$0

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*)

Total Example Cost	\$5,600
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In this example, Joe would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$100
<u>Copayments</u>	\$1,200
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0

<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$20
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,320

Mia's Simple Fracture (in-network emergency room visit and follow-up care)

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$500
■ <u>Specialist</u> visit <u>copay</u>	\$60
■ <u>Emergency room</u> <u>copay</u>	\$100
■ <u>Ambulance services</u> <u>copay</u>	\$0

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

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

Total Example Cost	\$2,800
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In this example, Mia would pay:

<u>Cost sharing</u>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$500
<u>Copayments</u>	\$300
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0

<u>What isn't covered</u>	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$800

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

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This health plan meets Minimum Creditable Coverage Standards for Massachusetts residents that went into effect January 1, 2014, as part of the Massachusetts Health Care Reform Law.



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INFORMATION ABOUT THE PLAN

This health plan option includes a tiered network feature called Hospital Choice Cost Sharing. As a member in this plan, you will pay different levels of in-network cost share (such as copayments and coinsurance) for certain services depending on the preferred general hospital you choose to furnish those covered services. For most preferred general hospitals, you will pay the lowest in-network cost sharing level. However, if you receive certain covered services from some preferred general hospitals, you pay the highest in-network cost sharing level. A preferred general hospital's cost sharing level may change from time to time. Overall changes to add another preferred general hospital to the highest cost sharing level will happen no more than once each calendar year. For help in finding a preferred general hospital for which you pay the lowest in-network cost sharing level, check the most current provider directory for your health plan option or visit the online provider search tool at **bluecrossma.org/hospitalchoice**. Then click on the Planning Guide link on the left navigation to download a printable network hospital list or to access the provider search page.

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GET TO KNOW THE MEDICATION LOOKUP TOOL

With a simple search, you can see which
medications your plan covers.

Our **Medication Lookup** tool lets you easily learn more about your coverage for prescription medications, including those with additional requirements like Prior Authorization. Search anytime, anywhere at **bluecrossma.org** or using the MyBlue app.



KEY FEATURES

Using the tool, you can:



SEARCH FOR ANY MEDICATION

See if it's covered
by your plan



GET DETAILED INFORMATION

Including the medication's
strength, tier, and how it's
dispensed



VIEW ADDITIONAL COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS

Such as Prior Authorization,
Step Therapy, and Quality
Care Dosing



SEE COVERED ALTERNATIVES

For non-covered
medications

Start Searching

For more information about your prescription coverage, sign in to MyBlue at **bluecrossma.org** or open the MyBlue app, and go to **Medication Lookup Tool** under **My Medications**. If you're not a member, you can get more information by visiting **bluecrossma.org/medication**.

GETTING COVERAGE INFORMATION, SIMPLIFIED

We're making it easier than ever for everyone to learn more about our medication coverage.

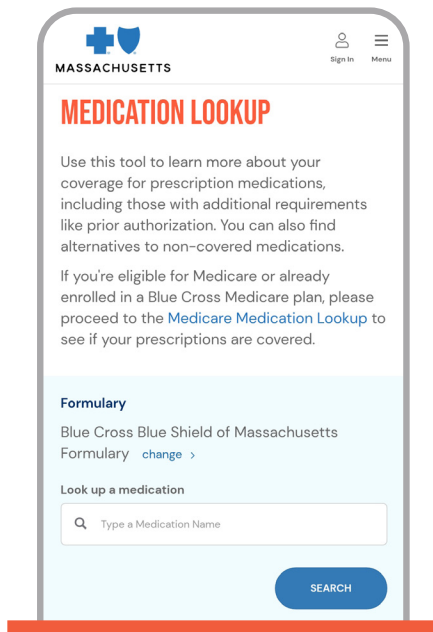
PERSONALIZED SEARCH

When you're signed in to your MyBlue account, your plan's formulary and tier structure will be automatically displayed in the tool. That way, you'll know you're getting the most accurate search results for your plan.

ANYONE CAN USE IT

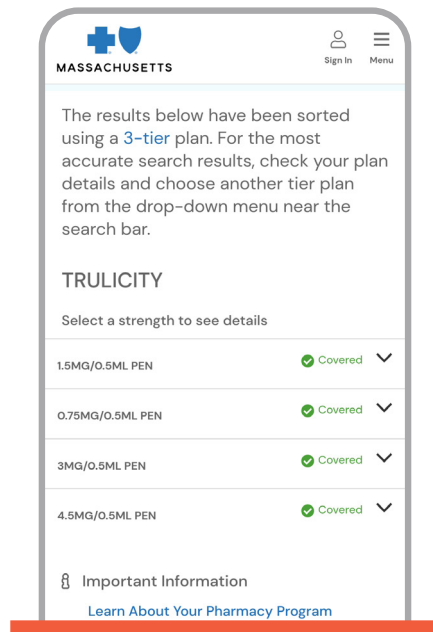
The **Medication Lookup** tool is available to everyone, even if you aren't a member yet. You can easily find out if your medication is covered, or see covered alternatives, before you enroll.

HOW TO USE THE TOOL

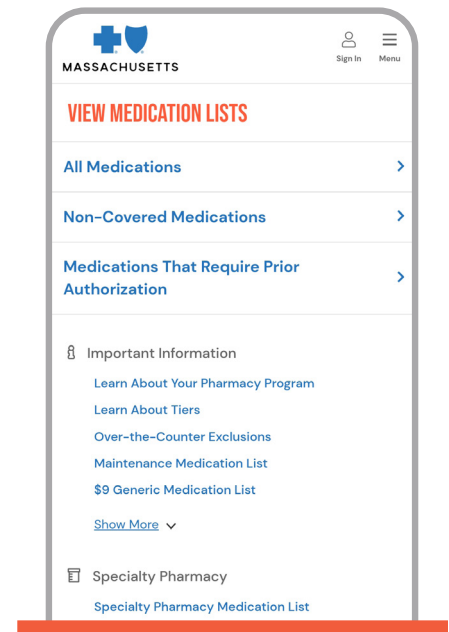


Sign in to MyBlue and go to the **Medication Lookup Tool** under **My Medications**.

If you're not a member, go to **bluecrossma.org/medication** and choose the formulary you want to search. When not signed in, the tool will default to a 3-tier plan.



Select a medication to see if it's covered and get even more information, including strength and additional coverage requirements. Plus, if it's not covered, you can see covered alternatives.



Access important resources, like medication lists and Specialty Pharmacy Contact Information lists, in the **Important Information** and **Specialty Pharmacy** sections. If you're signed in to MyBlue, this list will be customized to match your benefits.

Learn More

To learn more about your pharmacy benefits, including which tier structure your plan uses, sign in to your MyBlue account at **bluecrossma.org** or check your plan materials for details.

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DOCTORS ON CALL, ON YOUR DEVICE.

Get convenient access to telehealth care by using Well Connection. Sign in to MyBlue, or create an account, then click Well Connection Video Visit under My Care.



REAL DOCTORS. REAL EXPERIENCE. REALLY FAST.



GET MEDICAL CARE 24/7

Speak face to face with a doctor, in the privacy of your home.¹



THERAPY THAT COMES TO YOU

Talk to a licensed therapist or psychiatrist—on your terms. It's convenient and confidential.



HIGHLY EXPERIENCED, HIGHLY RATED

Qualified providers. Rated 4.8/5 stars and averaging 15 years of experience.²

Sign In

Download the MyBlue App from the App Store[®] or Google Play[™], or go to bluecrossma.org.

1. Medical services are available 24/7. Mental health visits must be made by appointment. If your local doctor in the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts network offers covered services using live video visits through a service other than Well Connection, you're still covered. This service is only available in the United States.

2. Source: American Well. Amwell Telehealth Report, February 2018. Patient Satisfaction Survey Data compiled December 2017-February 2018. Data, compiled December 2017-February 2018. Data reverified, August 2020.



IS A VIDEO DOCTOR VISIT RIGHT FOR ME?

You can do a lot over your tablet, laptop, or smartphone. Here's how members are using this service.

"I'm not feeling well."

Get care for:

- Cold and flu symptoms
- Fever
- Runny nose, sinus pain
- Sore throat
- Pink eye
- Skin rash

"I need emotional support."

Talk to a therapist about:

- Depression and anxiety
- Substance use disorder
- Loss of a loved one
- Relationship issues
- Emotional trauma
- Stress

You can also schedule a visit with a psychiatrist for medication management services.

"My loved one is under the weather."

If they're on your plan:

- Get quick, expert family care
- Save time in your busy family schedule



WELL CONNECTION IS HIGHLY RATED: 4.8 out of 5 Doctor and Provider rating from our members³

Licensed doctors and providers in the Well Connection network have an average of 15 years of experience. They can look up your medical history, diagnose and treat your symptoms, and prescribe medication,⁴ if necessary.

3. Source: American Well. AmWell TeleHealth Report, February 2018. Patient Satisfaction Survey Data, compiled December 2017–February 2018. Data reverified, August 2020.

4. Prescription availability is defined by doctor judgment.

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NURSES RIGHT NOW

When you call our 24/7 Nurse Line, you can speak to a registered nurse, when you need to, day or night. Because guidance and advice should be available around the clock.



YES, YOUR PLAN COVERS IT!



GET CONNECTED
DIRECTLY TO A NURSE



365 DAYS A YEAR,
INCLUDING HOLIDAYS



THERE'S NO
ADDITIONAL COST

KNOW WHEN TO CALL

Nurses can give you advice on:

- Treating a fever, cut, headache, or diarrhea
- Managing a new diagnosis
- Recognizing signs of a concussion after a head injury
- Taking over-the-counter medications or prescriptions
- Upcoming medical tests or appointments
- Deciding if you need immediate care
- Caring for a sick child or family member

In the case of a life-threatening emergency, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.

Call Our 24/7 Nurse Line

Nurses are ready around the clock to answer your questions. Call **1-888-247-BLUE (2583)**.



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MATERNITY CARE

Supporting you through pre-conception, pregnancy, childbirth, and caring for your new baby

Have questions about getting pregnant, pregnancy, labor, and what to expect during baby's first year? We're here to help you with a full range of maternity programs and benefits. We encourage you to explore all your benefits for starting and growing your family.



ovia Pregnancy App

We're partnering with Ovia Health™—developer of the Ovia Pregnancy app—to give our members tools to support conception and healthy pregnancies. Go to oviahealth.com to download.



Living Healthy Babies®

Our **Living Healthy Babies** website is there when you need it, providing answers, educational resources, and interactive tools—including guidelines for recommended doctor visits. From preparing for pregnancy, being pregnant, going through delivery, and what to expect during baby's first year, we're here to guide you each step of the way. Learn more at livinghealthybabies.com.



Call-in Maternity Support

We offer specialized pregnancy and post-partum support to improve your health and help avoid complications. Call a Care Manager at **1-800-392-0098** Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET. For high-risk pregnancies, Nurse Care Managers are available.



Breast Pumps

New mothers can get a cost-free manual or dual electric breast pump. Learn more at bluecrossma.com/breast-pump.



Childbirth Course Reimbursement

Expectant mothers may be eligible for reimbursement up to \$90 for completing a childbirth course. Check with your employer or call Member Service at the number on your ID card to see if you have this benefit.



Call-in Maternity Depression Care

Many women may experience anxiety, mood swings, and crying spells known as "baby blues," but these feelings usually go away in a week or two post-delivery. Others experience a more serious condition called postpartum depression, which can last up to a year. Our Maternity Depression program provides support, education, and treatment referral for pregnant women and new mothers who may be struggling with these symptoms. For help, call a Behavioral Health Care Manager at **1-800-524-4010, ext. 62398**, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. ET.

Learn More

Get started at bluecrossma.org/maternity.

FIND CARE



24/7 Nurse Line

If you have concerns about a health issue, call the 24/7 Nurse Line. A nurse can answer your medical questions and help you decide where to get the right care. Call **1-888-247-BLUE (2583)**.



Find a Doctor

To find a doctor or hospital near you, use our **Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs** tool, or call **1-800-588-5507** for help, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. ET.



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STOPPING THE FLU STARTS WITH YOU

Get your no-cost¹ flu shot!

If you haven't gotten your flu shot yet, now's the time. It will help protect you and everyone around you from getting sick, especially young children and older adults who are most at risk. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) says that it's safe,² effective, and can be given at the same time as the Covid-19 shot or booster. Get your no-cost¹ flu shot at a convenient location near you. We're in this together!



WHERE TO GET YOUR SHOT



FLU SHOT PROVIDERS

- Your In-network Primary Care Provider
- Limited Service Clinics (such as a MinuteClinic[®] at CVS[®])
- Urgent Care Centers
- Community Health Centers
- Public Access Clinics (available in some cities and towns and may be available at no charge)
- Hospital Outpatient Departments
- Skilled Nursing Facilities, for members in outpatient care, like physical or occupational therapy
- Home Health Care Providers (in your home, or at a flu clinic hosted by a home health care provider)
- Certified Nurse/Midwife's Office
- Physician Assistant's Office or Specialist Physician's Office
- Nurse Practitioner's Office
- Pharmacies



FIND A FLU SHOT PROVIDER NEAR YOU

- Visit [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov) and click **Find Flu Vaccines** at the top of the page.
- To verify the provider is in-network, sign in to MyBlue or create an account at bluecrossma.org and click **Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs**.
- If you need additional help, call Team Blue at **1-800-262-2583**.

Myth:

“I don't need the flu shot if I'm vaccinated for COVID-19.”

Learn fact from fiction at bluecrossma.org/flu.

1. Flu vaccines recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) are covered in full when administered by an in-network provider. Exceptions may apply. Check plan materials for details.

2. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, "Influenza (Flu) Vaccine Safety," August 25, 2022; cdc.gov/flu/prevent/vaccinesafety.htm.

YOUR BEST SHOT AT AVOIDING THE FLU

To prevent getting sick, make the following steps part of your routine:



GET YOUR
FLU SHOT



AVOID CLOSE
CONTACT WITH
PEOPLE WHO
ARE SICK



WASH YOUR HANDS
FREQUENTLY



AVOID TOUCHING
YOUR EYES, NOSE,
AND MOUTH



GET PLENTY OF
REST, EXERCISE,
FLUIDS, AND GOOD
NUTRITION

TIPS FOR GETTING YOUR SHOT

- Make an appointment ahead of time, if possible, to avoid a wait.
- If the location doesn't take appointments, call and ask when slower times of the day/week are—try to go then.
- Pharmacies inside big-box retail chains and grocery stores, or local independent pharmacies, may be less busy than standalone pharmacies for flu shots.



LEARN MORE

Just about everyone six months and older should get the flu shot. If you aren't feeling well or have a health condition, talk to your doctor before getting vaccinated. Learn more about the flu and the flu shot at bluecrossma.org/flu.



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WEIGHT-LOSS REIMBURSEMENT

Your reward for healthy behavior:

Receive up to \$150 annually when you participate in a qualified weight-loss program.¹



Qualified for Weight-Loss Reimbursement

Participation fees for:

- Hospital-based programs and Weight Watchers[®] in-person
- Weight Watchers online and other non-hospital programs (in-person or online) that combine healthy eating, exercise, and coaching sessions with certified health professionals such as nutritionists, registered dietitians, or exercise physiologists.



Not Qualified for Weight-Loss Reimbursement

- One-time initiation or termination fees
- Food, supplements, books, scales, or exercise equipment
- Individual nutrition counseling sessions, doctor/nurse visits, lab tests, or other services that are covered benefits under your medical plan

GET REIMBURSED IN THREE EASY STEPS

1

Choose

Start by picking a qualified weight-loss program.

2

Complete

Once you pay for the program, fill out the attached form, or sign in to MyBlue to submit online at member.bluecrossma.com/login.

3

Mail

Send the completed form to the address listed.

Be sure to check with your doctor before starting any weight-loss program.

1. To verify this reimbursement is offered for your plan, or for more information, sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.com/myblue or call the Member Service number on your ID card. Most plans offer the reimbursement shown, but refer to your plan information for specific details.

Questions?

Contact Member Service by calling the phone number on your member ID card.

WEIGHT-LOSS REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST

Please Print All Information Clearly: To verify this reimbursement is offered within your plan, or for more information, please sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.com/myblue or call the Member Service number on your ID card. All weight-loss reimbursement requests must be submitted by March 31 of the following year.

Complete this form and mail it to: Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, Local Claims Department, PO Box 986030, Boston, MA 02298

Subscriber Information (Policyholder)

Identification Number on Subscriber ID Card (including first 3 characters)	Subscriber's Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Address – Number and Street	City	State	Zip Code
Employer's Name			

Claim Information

Member Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Gender (color in the entire box) <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Date of Birth ____/____/____
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Claim is for (choose one and color in the entire box):

- ☐ Subscriber (policyholder)
- ☐ Spouse (of policyholder)
- ☐ Ex-Spouse
- ☐ Dependent (up to age 26)
- ☐ Other (specify):

Name, Address, and Phone Number of Qualified Weight-Loss Program

Total dollars requested: \$ _____

Monthly program participation fee: \$ _____

Calendar Year: ____/____/____

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts will make a reimbursement decision within 30 calendar days of receiving a completed request form. Reimbursement is sent to the member's address on file with Blue Cross. Reimbursement may be considered taxable income, so consult your tax advisor.

Certification and Authorization (This form must be signed and dated below.)

I certify that the information provided in support of this submission is complete and correct and that I have not previously submitted for these services. I understand that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts may require proof of payment for a reimbursement decision. I authorize the release of any information about my qualified weight-loss program to Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts.

Subscriber's or Member's Signature:

Date: ____/____/____

Important Information:

- Weight-loss reimbursement can be granted for any single member or combination of members enrolled under the same Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts health plan. Blue Cross will make a reimbursement decision within 30 days of receiving a completed request.
- Reimbursement requests must be submitted by March 31 of the following year.
- Keep copies of proof of payment in case we request it from you. Proof of payment includes:
 - Receipts (cash/check/credit/electronic) for participation fees clearly documenting your name, the weight-loss program name, and individual amounts charged with date paid.
 - Your weight-loss program membership or participation agreement clearly documenting your name and date of enrollment/participation.
- Your reimbursement may be considered taxable income, so consult a tax advisor.

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Worldwide Coverage

For Foreign and Domestic Travelers



Get quality health care no matter where you are in the world.

Whether you're traveling within the United States or abroad, BlueCard® and Blue Cross Blue Shield Global® Core make sure you have access to top doctors and hospitals and concierge-level service.



Take this reference card with you when you travel.

When you need care, you'll be prepared.

TEAR HERE

Urgent Care

1. Call **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)**, or visit **bcbs.com** to find nearby doctors and hospitals anywhere in the world that participate in the Blue Cross Blue Shield network.
2. Show your member ID card when you get care.
3. If you're admitted, or if you have questions about your coverage, call Member Service at the number on the front of your ID card.

Your Passport to Good Health

Always carry your Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts ID card.

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Emergency Care

For emergency services, call the local emergency number or go to the nearest hospital immediately.

Call **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)**


for a list of participating doctors and hospitals, or to obtain an international claim form.

Getting Care in the United States

More than 85 percent of all doctors and hospitals in the United States participate in the BlueCard program. If you need care outside your plan's service area, call **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)**, or visit **bcbs.com** to find a doctor near you. Be sure to show your ID card before you receive service.

When you get service:

- There's no paperwork
- Participating doctors and hospitals submit claims for you
- All you pay is the copayment, co-insurance, or deductible
- If you receive care from a non-participating doctor or hospital, you may need to pay for the services up front and submit a claim for reimbursement

BlueCard PPO Members Only: If you see this symbol, , on your ID card, you're a BlueCard PPO member. To save the most money when getting service, use a participating BlueCard PPO doctor or hospital.

In Case of Emergency

For emergency services, call the local emergency number or go to the nearest hospital immediately.

Getting Care Outside the United States

The Blue Cross Blue Shield Global® Core network gives you access to doctors and hospitals around the world. If you need care, call the Service Center at **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)**, or call collect at **1-804-673-1177**, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. An assistance coordinator, along with a medical professional, will arrange a doctor's appointment or hospitalization if necessary. You can also visit **bcbsglobalcore.com**.

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An Association of Independent Blue Cross and Blue Shield Plans

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Primary Care Provider's Name: _____

Doctor's Phone: _____

Doctor's Hospital Affiliation: _____

Your Blue Cross Blue Shield Member ID: _____

Member Service Phone Number (from your ID card): _____

For Inpatient Services:

- Call the Service Center at **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)**, or Member Service at the number on your ID card, for precertification or preauthorization
- In most cases, all you pay is the copayment, co-insurance, or deductible
- The hospital should submit the claim on your behalf

For Outpatient Services:

- Show your ID card
- Pay the doctor or hospital
- Fill out a Blue Cross Blue Shield Global® Core International Claim form for reimbursement (Call **1-800-810-BLUE (2583)** or visit **bcbsglobalcore.com** for the form)
- You're only responsible for copayments, co-insurance, or deductible when seeing in-network doctors and hospitals
- You'll pay more when seeing out-of-network doctors and hospitals

Doctors and Hospitals

In most cases, participating doctors and hospitals will file the claim for you. If they need information about eligibility or your coverage, have them call **1-800-676-BLUE (2583)**.

Your Member Responsibilities

As a Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts member, you're still responsible for any copayments, co-insurance, deductible, or non-covered services. For out-of-country services, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts payments will be based on the provider's charge.

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OUR COMMITMENT TO CONFIDENTIALITY (NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES) AND WOMEN'S HEALTH AND CANCER RIGHTS ACT (WHCRA) NOTICE

This notice describes how medical and dental information about you may be used and disclosed and how you can get access to this information. Please review it carefully.

Our Commitment: We respect your right to privacy. We will not disclose personally identifiable information about you without your permission, unless the disclosure is necessary to provide our services to you or is otherwise in accordance with the law.

Collection of Information

We collect only the information about you that we need to operate our business. We collect information from other parties, such as your health care providers and employers. Examples of the information we collect are (i) medical and dental information from health care providers when they submit claims for services and (ii) personal information such as name, address, and date of birth, which is most often supplied by you or your employer when you enroll in a plan.

USE AND DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

We are required by law to protect the confidentiality of information about you and to notify you in case of a breach affecting your information. We may use and disclose information about you without your written authorization for the following purposes, to the extent otherwise permitted or required by law:

You or Your Representatives—to you or your “personal representative” upon request or to help you (or your personal representative) understand treatment options, benefits, or the rights available to you. Your “personal representative” is a person who has legal authority to make health-related decisions on your behalf, such as a person with a health-care power of attorney. Your request must be in writing. Please complete the Documentation of Legal Representative Status for Members form available on our website. You also may designate a family member or friend to receive information and interact with us on your behalf. Your designation and any subsequent revocation must be in writing. Please complete the Member's Designation of an Authorized Representative form available on our website. You may also call Member Service for a copy of these forms.

- **Treatment**—to help health care providers manage or coordinate your health care and related services. For example, we may use and disclose information about you to inform providers of medications you take or to remind you of appointments.
- **Payment**—to obtain payment for your coverage, pay claims for your health benefits, or help another health plan or health care provider in its payment activities. For example, we may use or disclose information about you to make coverage determinations, administer claims, or coordinate benefits with other coverage you may have.
- **Health Care Operations**—to perform other activities necessary for the operation of our business, including customer service, disease management, and determining how to improve the quality of care. For example, we may use or disclose information about you to respond to your call to customer service, arrange for medical review of your claims, or conduct quality assessment and improvement activities.

- **Legal Compliance**—to comply with applicable law. For example, we may be required to use or disclose information about you to respond to regulatory authorities responsible for oversight of government benefit programs or our business operations; to parties or courts in the course of judicial or administrative proceedings; or pursuant to workers' compensation laws.
- **Government Agencies**—under limited circumstances established by law, to public health authorities, coroners or medical examiners, law enforcement, or other government officials
- **Research**—for health-related research studies that meet legal standards for protection of the individuals involved in the studies and their personal information. We may also create a database of our members' information that does not include individual identifiers and use the database for research or other purposes, provided that the information cannot be traced back to specific members.
- **To Your Employer** (or other plan sponsor), if applicable, for administration of its health plan. This applies only if you receive coverage through an employer-sponsored plan (or plan sponsored by your union or other entity). For example, we may disclose information about you to your employer (or other plan sponsor) to confirm

enrollment in the plan or (if the employer or other plan sponsor is self-insured) for claim review and audits. We will disclose your information only to designated individuals. That, along with legal prohibitions on use of your personal information for discriminatory purposes, helps protect your information from unauthorized use.

To carry out these purposes, we share information with entities that perform functions for us subject to contracts that limit use and disclosure for intended purposes. We use physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards to protect your privacy. Even when allowed, we limit uses and disclosures of your information to the minimum amount reasonably necessary for the intended task.

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) generally does not override other laws that give people greater privacy protections. As a result, we must comply with any state or federal privacy laws that require us to provide you with more privacy protections. For example, federal law provides special protections for substance use disorder information; Massachusetts state law restricts the disclosure of HIV and AIDS related information. In addition, we will not use (and are prohibited from using) your genetic information for underwriting purposes.

OTHER DISCLOSURES REQUIRE YOUR WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION

Except as provided in this notice, we will not use or disclose information about you without your written authorization. For example, we must have your written authorization to use or disclose your information for marketing purposes or (in most cases) to use or disclose psychotherapy notes. Although we would need written authorization to sell information about you, we do not sell members' information.

You may revoke your authorization at any time. Your authorization must be in writing. Your revocation will not affect any action that we have already taken in reliance on your authorization. If you would like us to disclose information about you to a third party, please complete the Permission for One-Time Disclosure of Information form available on our website or call Member Service for a copy of the form.

YOUR PRIVACY RIGHTS

You have the following rights with respect to information about you. You may exercise any of these rights by calling the Member Service number listed on your member ID card or contacting us at the address listed at the end of this notice. The forms listed below are also available on our website.

- **You have the right to receive information about privacy protections.** Your member-education materials include a notice of your rights, and you may request a paper copy of this notice at any time.
- **You have the right to inspect and get copies of information that we use to make decisions about you.** This is your designated record set. Your request must be in writing. We may charge a reasonable fee for copying and mailing you this information. Please complete the Request for Access to Copies of Protected Health Information in Designated Record Set form to request copies of your information.
- **You have the right to receive an accounting of certain disclosures that we make of information about you.** Your request must be in writing. Please complete the Members Request for an Accounting of Disclosures form. Our response will exclude any disclosures made in support of treatment, payment, and health care operations or that you authorized (among others). An example of a disclosure that would be reported to you is our disclosure of your information in response to a court order.
- **You have the right to ask us to correct or amend information you believe to be incorrect.** Your request to correct or amend information must be in writing. Please complete the Members Request to Amend Protected Health Information form. If we deny your request, you may ask us to make your request part of your records.

- **You have the right to ask that we restrict or refuse the disclosure of information about you and that we direct communications to you by alternative means or to alternative locations.** While we may not always be able to agree to your request, we will make reasonable efforts to accommodate requests. Unless you've notified us to request a different mailing address, Summary of Health Plan Payments statements for the subscriber, and all members listed on the subscriber's plan, are generally delivered to the subscriber's address. Under certain circumstances, you can request to not receive statements for a particular service, or to have statements delivered through an alternate method or to an alternate address, when required by state law. If you have concerns about protecting the privacy of your medical information in your

statements, you can have these statements delivered to an address other than the plan subscriber's address, or have them delivered only via electronic means. For help understanding your delivery options, please call Member Service at the number listed on your member ID card. Your request and any subsequent revocation must be in writing.

If you believe your privacy rights have been violated, you have the right to complain to us using the grievance process outlined in your benefit materials, or to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, without fear of retaliation.

ABOUT THIS NOTICE

The original effective date of this notice was April 14, 2003. The effective date of the most recent revision is indicated in the footer of this notice. We are required by law to provide you with this notice of our legal duties and privacy practices and to abide by the notice for as long as it is in effect. We reserve the right to change this notice. Any changes will apply to all information that we maintain, regardless of when it was created or received. If we make a material change to this notice, we will post the revised notice on our website and notify you of the change and how to obtain the revised notice in our next regular mailing to you. If you have any questions, please call the Member Service number listed on your member ID card, or write us at:

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts
Privacy Officer
101 Huntington Ave.
Suite 1300
Boston, MA 02199-7611

WHCRA NOTICE

Did you know that your medical plan provides benefits for many mastectomy-related services? This is the case even if you were not covered by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts at the time of the mastectomy. It's required by the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998. If you are covered for a mastectomy and elect breast reconstruction in connection with a mastectomy, then benefits are also provided for:

- All stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy has been performed;
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance; and
- Prostheses and treatment of physical complications at all stages of the mastectomy, including lymphedemas.

Coverage will be provided as determined in consultation with you and your attending doctor. The costs that you pay for these services are the same as those you pay for other services in the same category. To learn more, please call the Member Service number on your member ID card.

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Meet the MyBlue Member App

Simple, Secure, Convenient

Get Health Care Information Quickly and Easily

The MyBlue Member App gives members instant access to their personal health care information anytime they need it. A simple tap connects them to their doctor, recent prescriptions, and claims history.



Personalized health care, right at their fingertips:



Use the digital ID card to direct-dial important numbers, email a PDF version to a doctor, or save a digital card to their phone.

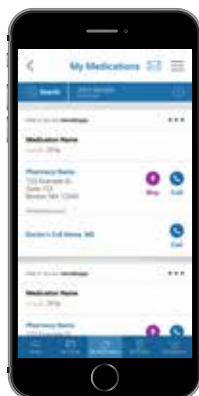


Get access to recent claims history and see copayment amounts.



View financial account balances, like HealthEquity® or Blue Cross

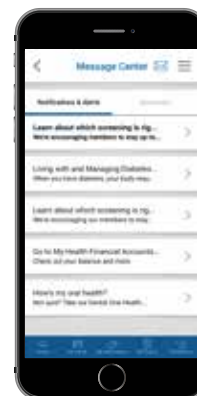
Additional MyBlue Member App features:



See prescription history, including dosage and who prescribed it.



Look up and get directions to nearby doctors, dentists, and hospitals.



Receive push notifications and view important information in the Message Center.

Available On



The MyBlue Member App is not available for members with Federal Employee Program (FEP), Blue Benefit Administrators (BBA), Ancillary (Indigo®), Medicare Advantage or standalone Part D plans. Those with standalone dental, vision, or wellness coverage cannot register for the app at this time.

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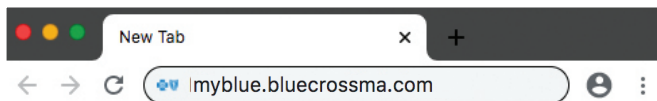
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HOW TO FIND YOUR PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER'S ID NUMBER

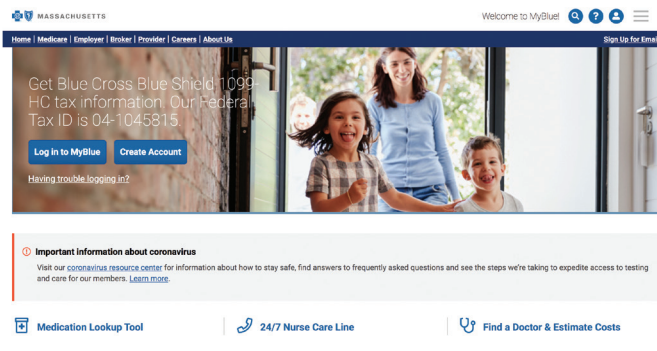
Instructions for Using Our Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs Tool

If your plan requires you to choose a primary care provider (PCP), you'll need to enter your PCP's ID number on your enrollment form. You can find this number in your plan's provider directory, or by following these steps:



1

Go to MyBlue at myblue.bluecrossma.com. You can create a new account, sign in to your personalized MyBlue account, or continue without signing in.



2

Click Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs.

 Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs

Questions?

Call Member Service at **1-888-456-1351**. You can also find this number on the front of your ID card and in your Summary of Benefits.

Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs

Enter all fields to see results

Doctor, hospital, Specialty 02170 - Quincy, MA Enter a Network Search

3

Enter your doctor's name, and your location. Select **Search** to bring up your doctor's profile page. When you sign in to MyBlue, your network information will appear. Otherwise, members with an HMO plan or Blue Choice® should select HMO Blue as the network.

Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs

Enter all fields to see results

Doctor, hospital, Specialty 02170 - Quincy, MA Enter a Network Search

4

If you don't have a PCP, you can search for one by entering **Primary Care** in the **Specialty** field. You can then sort based on location, ratings, languages spoken, or other attributes listed along the left-hand side of the page.

John Sampler, MD

★★★★★ (0)

Hospital Affiliations

Where this doctor has admitting privileges.

Cooley Dickinson Hospital

Boston Children's Hospital

Group Affiliations

This doctor is part of this group of health care professionals.

Provider Details

Identifiers

PCP : 700J07595

BCA : 700|MA1LJ07595|01

NPI : 1851371645

Languages

None reported

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To find details about a provider, click the provider's name. Clicking on **Provider Details** will show the Identifiers, including the PCP's ID number.

Identifiers

PCP : 700J07595

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FITNESS REIMBURSEMENT

Get rewarded for your healthy habits!

Save up to

\$300



Qualified for Reimbursement:

- A full service health club with cardiovascular and strength-training equipment like treadmills, bikes, weight machines, and free weights
- A fitness studio with instructor-led group classes such as yoga, Pilates, Zumba®, kickboxing, indoor cycling/spinning, and other exercise programs
- Online fitness memberships, subscriptions, programs, or classes
- Cardiovascular and strength-training equipment for fitness that is purchased for use in the home, such as stationary bikes, weights, exercise bands, treadmills, fitness machines



Not Qualified for Reimbursement:

- One-time initiation or termination fees
- Fees paid for gymnastics, tennis, pool-only facilities, martial arts schools, instructional dance studios, country clubs or social clubs, sports teams or leagues
- Personal trainer sessions
- Fitness clothing

Get Started

To submit your reimbursement, sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.org.

Your reimbursement is waiting!

FITNESS REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST

Please print all information clearly. To verify that this reimbursement is offered within your plan, or for more information, you can sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.org or call the Member Service number on your ID card.

All fitness reimbursement requests must be submitted by March 31 of the following year.

Subscriber Information (Policyholder)			
Identification Number on Subscriber ID Card (including first 3 characters)	Subscriber's Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Address – Number and Street	City	State	ZIP Code
Employer's Name			

Claim Information			
Member's Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Date of Birth ____/____/____
Claim is for (choose one and color in the entire box): <input type="checkbox"/> Subscriber (policyholder) <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse (of policyholder) <input type="checkbox"/> Ex-Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Dependent (up to age 26) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____	Name, Address, and Phone Number of Qualified Fitness Expense 		
	Total Dollars requested for Qualified Fitness Expense: \$ _____ Calendar year that fees were paid: _____		

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts will make a reimbursement decision within 30 calendar days of receiving a completed request form. Reimbursement is sent to the member's address on file with Blue Cross. Reimbursement may be considered taxable income, so you should consult your tax advisor.

Certification and Authorization (This form must be signed and dated below.)

I certify that the information provided in support of this submission is complete and correct, and that I have not previously submitted for these services. I enrolled in the qualified program with the full intention of using such program. I understand that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts may require proof of payment for a reimbursement decision. I authorize the release of any information about my qualified fitness program to Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts.

Subscriber's or Member's Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Complete this form and mail it to:
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts,
Local Claims Department,
PO Box 986030, Boston, MA 02298

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A WHOLE NEW WAY TO DO PRIMARY CARE

Your Virtual Care Team is coming

If you've been looking for primary care that's convenient, thorough, engaging, and modern, we're on it. Starting next year, you can choose a virtual primary care provider (PCP) to lead your new Virtual Care Team.



PRIMARY CARE THAT'S A PRIME EXPERIENCE

It's a new kind of primary care — one that comes with a team of experts committed to getting you the care you need.



CONVENIENT

With virtual visits, there's no need to travel to the doctor's office and no waiting room.



COMPREHENSIVE

Your team is here to make sure your physical and mental health needs are met.



COORDINATED

If you need in-person care, a care coordinator will help find in-network specialists who work for you.

SIGN UP TODAY!

Log into your MyBlue account to get started.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS

START BY PICKING
YOUR VIRTUAL PCP



ENJOY MORE
CONVENIENT CARE



GET THE BEST
OF BOTH WORLDS



To get started with your Virtual Care Team, the first step is selecting a virtual PCP. You'll also get access to a care coordinator, and your team may include other experts, such as a mental health specialist, picked based on your health needs. It's the care you need most, in the most convenient way.

Scheduling visits is as easy as hopping online, with appointments available in days, and you can get them within days, not weeks. Plus, you can reach out to your team with questions via talk, text, email, and chat. It's care that works on your terms, on your schedule, wherever you are, with a level of communication, technology, and access that will surprise you.

After your first visit, you'll receive a welcome kit which may include connected medical devices, like a blood pressure monitor, that make your virtual care as thorough as in-person sessions. When you do need in-person care, your team will help find a specialist who works for you and follow up with you after the appointment.

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THE CARE YOU NEED. WHENEVER AND WHEREVER.

You have more ways than ever to get
expert medical opinions and advice.
Right when you need them.



24/7 NURSE
LINE



VIDEO DOCTOR
VISIT



DOCTOR'S
OFFICE



LIMITED SERVICE
CLINICS



URGENT
CARE

Learn More

Visit bluecrossma.org to review your medical care options.

Go to the nearest emergency room, or call 911 when you're facing a life-threatening situation
or think you could put your health in danger by delaying care.

KNOWING YOUR OPTIONS FOR CARE COULD SAVE YOUR TIME AND MONEY



24/7 NURSE LINE

When you're uncertain if your symptoms are serious or if an injury needs immediate care, get a nurse's advice 24/7, even on holidays. Call 1-888-247-BLUE (2583).

Best for: advice on when to seek care or questions about your symptoms, or whether they might be serious.

Cost:

Time:

Severity:



VIDEO DOCTOR VISIT

Get convenient medical and mental health care from licensed doctors, therapists, and psychologists using your favorite device. Sign in to the MyBlue app or visit bluecrossma.org, and click Well Connection.

Best for: colds, minor cuts, cough, wheezing, sore throat, headache or migraine, mild allergies, fever, skin rash, etc.

Cost:

Time:

Severity:



DOCTOR'S OFFICE

Visit your doctor for scheduled checkups and urgent health concerns that occur during office hours.

Best for: asthma, minor burns, nausea, urination problems, back pain, minor injuries, suspected flu, sinus infection, behavioral health, conjunctivitis or other eye irritation.

Cost:

Time:

Severity:



LIMITED SERVICE CLINICS

Found in local pharmacies, you can visit a limited service clinic for simple medical concerns.

Best for: cold and flu, bronchitis, sinus and respiratory infections, sore throat, diarrhea, gout, strep throat, urinary tract infections, pinkeye, hypertension, migraines, pneumonia.

Cost:

Time:

Severity:



URGENT CARE

Go to a nearby urgent care center when you need immediate, in-person help for a non-life-threatening problem and you can't see your doctor.

Best for: joint/muscle pain or injuries, nausea or diarrhea, respiratory issues, bites, cuts, concussion screening, stitches, asthma attack, X-rays, and suspected strep throat or bronchitis.

Cost:

Time:

Severity:

Find a Provider

To find a doctor, hospital, limited service clinic, or urgent care center near you, sign in to MyBlue at bluecrossma.org and go to **Find a Doctor & Estimate Costs**.

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DOCTORS ON CALL, ON YOUR DEVICE.

Get convenient access to telehealth care by using Well Connection. Sign in to MyBlue, or create an account, then click Well Connection Video Visit under My Care.



REAL DOCTORS. REAL EXPERIENCE. REALLY FAST.



GET MEDICAL CARE 24/7

Speak face to face with a doctor, in the privacy of your home.¹



THERAPY THAT COMES TO YOU

Talk to a licensed therapist or psychiatrist—on your terms. It's convenient and confidential.



HIGHLY EXPERIENCED, HIGHLY RATED

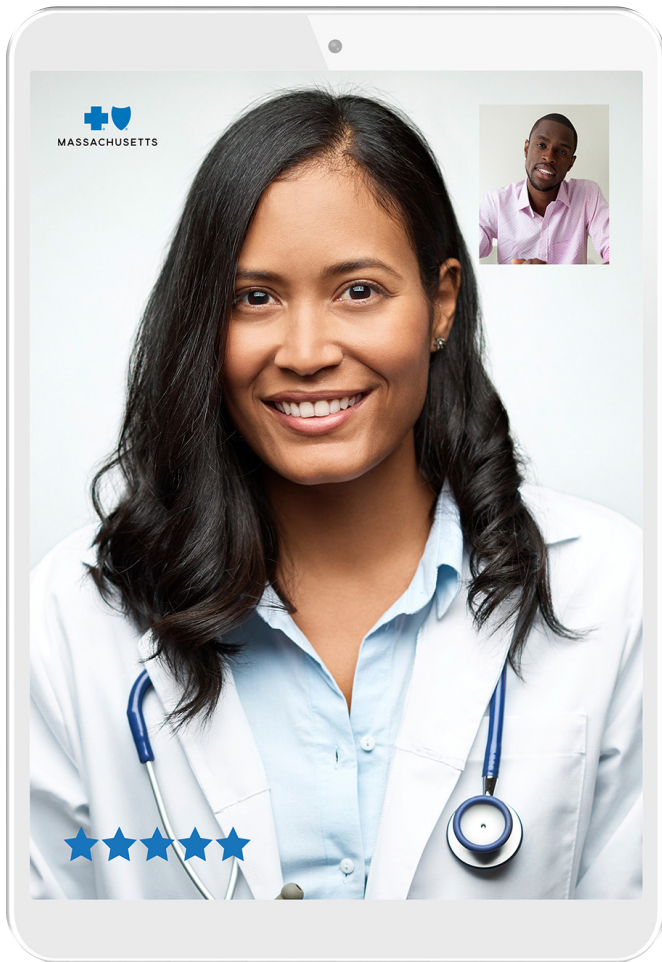
Qualified providers. Rated 4.8/5 stars and averaging 15 years of experience.²

Sign In

Download the MyBlue App from
the App Store[®] or Google Play[™], or go to **bluecrossma.org**.

1. Medical services are available 24/7. Mental health visits must be made by appointment. If your local doctor in the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts network offers covered services using live video visits through a service other than Well Connection, you're still covered. This service is only available in the United States.

2. Source: American Well. Amwell Telehealth Report, February 2018. Patient Satisfaction Survey Data compiled December 2017-February 2018. Data, compiled December 2017-February 2018. Data reverified, August 2020.



IS A VIDEO DOCTOR VISIT RIGHT FOR ME?

You can do a lot over your tablet, laptop, or smartphone. Here's how members are using this service.

"I'm not feeling well."

Get care for:

- Cold and flu symptoms
- Fever
- Runny nose, sinus pain
- Sore throat
- Pink eye
- Skin rash

"I need emotional support."

Talk to a therapist about:

- Depression and anxiety
- Substance use disorder
- Loss of a loved one
- Relationship issues
- Emotional trauma
- Stress

You can also schedule a visit with a psychiatrist for medication management services.

"My loved one is under the weather."

If they're on your plan:

- Get quick, expert family care
- Save time in your busy family schedule



WELL CONNECTION IS HIGHLY RATED: 4.8 out of 5 Doctor and Provider rating from our members³

Licensed doctors and providers in the Well Connection network have an average of 15 years of experience. They can look up your medical history, diagnose and treat your symptoms, and prescribe medication,⁴ if necessary.

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ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, são-lhe disponibilizados gratuitamente serviços de assistência de idiomas. Telefone para os Serviços aos Membros, através do número no seu cartão ID (TTY: 711).

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Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity. It does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity.

BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF MASSACHUSETTS PROVIDES:

- Free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as qualified sign language interpreters and written information in other formats (large print or other formats).
- Free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as qualified interpreters and information written in other languages.

If you need these services, call Member Service at the number on your ID card.

If you believe that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity, you can file a grievance with the Civil Rights Coordinator by mail at Civil Rights Coordinator, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts, One Enterprise Drive, Quincy, MA 02171-2126; phone at **1-800-472-2689 (TTY: 711)**; fax at **1-617-246-3616**; or email at **civilrightscordinator@bcbsma.com**.

If you need help filing a grievance, the 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, online at **ocrportal.hhs.gov**; by mail at U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201; by phone at **1-800-368-1019** or **1-800-537-7697 (TDD)**.

Complaint forms are available at **hhs.gov**.

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PROFICIENCY OF LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE SERVICES

Spanish/Español: ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia con el idioma. Llame al número de Servicio al Cliente que figura en su tarjeta de identificación (TTY: **711**).

Portuguese/Português: ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, são-lhe disponibilizados gratuitamente serviços de assistência de idiomas. Telefone para os Serviços aos Membros, através do número no seu cartão ID (TTY: **711**).

Chinese/简体中文: 注意：如果您讲中文，我们可向您免费提供语言协助服务。请拨打您 ID 卡上的号码联系会员服务部（TTY 号码：**711**）。

Haitian Creole/Kreyòl Ayisyen: ATANSYON: Si ou pale kreyòl ayisyen, sèvis asistans nan lang disponib pou ou gratis. Rele nimewo Sèvis Manm nan ki sou kat Idantifikasyon w lan (Sèvis pou Malantandan TTY: **711**).

Vietnamese/Tiếng Việt: LƯU Ý: Nếu quý vị nói Tiếng Việt, các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ được cung cấp cho quý vị miễn phí. Gọi cho Dịch vụ Hội viên theo số trên thẻ ID của quý vị (TTY: **711**).

Russian/Русский: ВНИМАНИЕ: если Вы говорите по-русски, Вы можете воспользоваться бесплатными услугами переводчика. Позвоните в отдел обслуживания клиентов по номеру, указанному в Вашей идентификационной карте (телетайп: **711**).

Arabic/العربية:

انتباه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية، فتتوفر خدمات المساعدة اللغوية مجاناً بالنسبة لك. اتصل بخدمات الأعضاء على الرقم الموجود على بطاقة هويتك (جهاز الهاتف النصي للصم والبكم "TTY": **711**).

Mon-Khmer, Cambodian/ខ្មែរ: ការជូនដំណឹង៖ ប្រសិនបើអ្នកនិយាយភាសា ខ្មែរ សេវាជំនួយភាសាឥតគិតថ្លៃ គឺអាចរកបានសម្រាប់អ្នក។ សូមទូរស័ព្ទទៅផ្នែកសេវាសមាជិកតាមលេខ នៅលើប័ណ្ណសម្គាល់ខ្លួនរបស់អ្នក (TTY: **711**)។

French/Français: ATTENTION : si vous parlez français, des services d'assistance linguistique sont disponibles gratuitement. Appelez le Service adhérents au numéro indiqué sur votre carte d'assuré (TTY : **711**).

Italian/Italiano: ATTENZIONE: se parlate italiano, sono disponibili per voi servizi gratuiti di assistenza linguistica. Chiamate il Servizio per i membri al numero riportato sulla vostra scheda identificativa (TTY: **711**).

Korean/한국어: 주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 귀하의 ID 카드에 있는 전화번호(TTY: **711**)를 사용하여 회원 서비스에 전화하십시오.

Greek/Ελληνικά: ΠΡΟΣΟΧΗ: Εάν μιλάτε Ελληνικά, διατίθενται για σας υπηρεσίες γλωσσικής βοήθειας, δωρεάν. Καλέστε την Υπηρεσία Εξυπηρέτησης Μελών στον αριθμό της κάρτας μέλους σας (ID Card) (TTY: **711**).

Polish/Polski: UWAGA: Osoby posługujące się językiem polskim mogą bezpłatnie skorzystać z pomocy językowej. Należy zadzwonić do Działu obsługi ubezpieczonych pod numer podany na identyfikatorze (TTY: 711).

Hindi/हिंदी: ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिन्दी बोलते हैं, तो भाषा सहायता सेवाएँ, आप के लिए निःशुल्क उपलब्ध हैं। सदस्य सेवाओं को आपके आई.डी. कार्ड पर दिए गए नंबर पर कॉल करें (टी.टी.वाई.: 711).

Gujarati/ગુજરાતી: ધ્યાન આપો: જો તમે ગુજરાતી બોલતા હો, તો તમને ભાષાકીય સહાયતા સેવાઓ વિના મૂલ્યે ઉપલબ્ધ છે. તમારા આઈડી કાર્ડ પર આપેલા નંબર પર Member Service ને કોલ કરો (TTY: 711).

Tagalog/Tagalog: PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng wikang Tagalog, mayroon kang magagamit na mga libreng serbisyo para sa tulong sa wika. Tawagan ang Mga Serbisyo sa Miyembro sa numerong nasa iyong ID Card (TTY: 711).

Japanese/日本語: お知らせ:日本語をお話しになる方は無料の言語アシスタンスサービスをご利用いただけます。IDカードに記載の電話番号を使用してメンバーサービスまでお電話ください (TTY: 711)。

German/Deutsch: ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsche sprechen, steht Ihnen kostenlos fremdsprachliche Unterstützung zur Verfügung. Rufen Sie den Mitgliederdienst unter der Nummer auf Ihrer ID-Karte an (TTY: 711).

Persian/پارسیان:

توج: اگر زبان شما فارسی است، خدمات کمک زبانی ب صورت رایگان در اختیار شما قرار می گیرد. با شمار تلفن مندرج بروی کارت شناسایی خود با بخش «خدمات اعضا» تماس بگیرید (TTY: 711).

Lao/ພາສາລາວ: ຂໍຄວນໃສ່ໃຈ: ຖ້າເຈົ້າເວົ້າພາສາລາວໄດ້, ມີການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາໃຫ້ທ່ານໂດຍບໍ່ເສຍຄ່າ. ໂທຫາຝ່າຍບໍລິການສະມາຊິກທີໝາຍເລກໂທລະສັບຢູ່ໃນບັດຂອງທ່ານ (TTY: 711).

Navajo/Diné Bizaad: BAA ÁKOHWIINDZIN DOOÍGÍ: Diné k'ehjí yáníłt'i'go saad bee yát'i' éí t'áájíík'e bee níká'a'doowolgo éí ná'ahoot'i'. Díí bee anítahígí ninaaltsoos bine'dée' nóomba biká'ígíjij' béesh bee hodíílnih (TTY: 711).