HealthPartners: HP Choice Ded - $1750 Ded Non JW Participant

Coverage Period: 01/01/2013 - 12/31/2013

Summary of Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What it Costs

Coverage for: All Coverage Levels | **Plan Type:** PPO

This is only a summary. If you want more detail about your coverage and costs, you can get the complete terms in the policy or plan document at www.healthpartners.com or by calling 1-800-883-2177.

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	In-network: **$1,750** Individual, **$2,750** Family Out-of-network: **$2,250** Individual, **$4,250** Family Services marked with * in Common Medical Events and copays are not subject to deductible	You must pay all the costs up to the **deductible** amount before this plan begins to pay for covered services you use. Check your policy or plan document to see when the **deductible** starts over (usually, but not always, January 1st). See the chart starting on page 2 for how much you pay for covered services after you meet the **deductible**.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet **deductibles** for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an out–of–pocket limit on my expenses?	Yes. In-network: **$2,750** Individual, **$2,750** Family Out-of-network: **$4,250** Individual, **$7,250** Family	The **out-of-pocket limit** is the most you could pay during a coverage period (usually one year) for your share of the cost of covered services. This limit helps you plan for health care expenses.
What is not included in the out–of–pocket limit?	Premium, balance-billed charges (unless balanced billing is prohibited), and health care this plan doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the **out-of-pocket limit**.
Is there an overall annual limit on what the plan pays?	No.	The chart starting on page 2 describes any limits on what the plan will pay for *specific* covered services, such as office visits.
Does this plan use a network of providers?	Yes. For a list of **in-network providers**, see www.healthpartners.com/networks or call 1-800-883-2177.	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care **provider**, this plan will pay some or all of the costs of covered services. Be aware, your in-network doctor or hospital may use an out-of-network **provider** for some services. Plans use the term in-network, **preferred**, or participating for **providers** in their **network**. See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of **providers**.
Do I need a referral to see a specialist?	No. You don't need a referral to see a specialist.	You can see the **specialist** you choose without permission from this plan.

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Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
Are there services this plan doesn't cover?	Yes.	Some of the services this plan doesn't cover are listed on page 4. See your policy or plan document for additional information about **excluded services**.

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

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Your cost if you use a		Limitations & Exceptions
		In-Network Provider	Out-Of-Network Provider	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none
	Specialist visit	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none
	Other practitioner office visit	20% coinsurance	Acupuncture: Not covered Chiropractic: 35% coinsurance	none
	Preventive care/screening/immunization	No charge	Preventive care: Not covered, Screening and Immunizations: 35% coinsurance	none
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none

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If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about **prescription drug coverage** is available at www.healthpartners.com/formulary.	Generic drugs	$10 copay at retail, $20 copay at mail	Preferred: 35% coinsurance at retail, mail not covered Non Preferred: 35% coinsurance at retail, mail not covered	30 Day supply retail/90 day supply mail order
	Preferred brand drugs	$20 copay at retail, $40 copay at mail	35% coinsurance at retail, mail not covered	
	Non-preferred brand drugs	Not covered	35% coinsurance at retail, mail not covered	
	Specialty drugs	20% coinsurance*	35% coinsurance at retail, mail not covered	$200 maximum copay per prescription per month.
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room services	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	——none——
	Emergency medical transportation	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	——none——
	Urgent care	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	——none——
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
	Physician/surgeon fee	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
If you have mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse needs	Mental/Behavioral health outpatient services	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
	Mental/Behavioral health inpatient services	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
	Substance use disorder outpatient services	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	——none——
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If you are pregnant	Prenatal and postnatal care	No charge	35% coinsurance	none
	Delivery and all inpatient services	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	120 visit limit
	Rehabilitation services	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	none
	Habilitation services	20% coinsurance	Not covered	none
	Skilled nursing care	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	120 Days per confinement
	Durable medical equipment	20% coinsurance	35% coinsurance	$350 Maximum on Wigs for Alopecia Areata.
	Hospice service	20% coinsurance	Not covered	none
If your child needs dental or eye care	Eye exam	No charge	Not covered	none
	Glasses	Not covered	Not covered	none
	Dental check-up	No charge	Not covered	none

Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

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

- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care (Adult)
- Hearing aids
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Private-duty nursing
- Routine foot care
- Weight loss programs

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

- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Chiropractic care
- Infertility treatment
- Routine eye care (Adult)

Your Rights to Continue Coverage:

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

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the plan at **1-800-883-2177**. You may also contact your state insurance department, the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at **1-866-444-3272** or **www.dol.gov/ebsa**, or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at **1-877-267-2323 x61565** or **www.cciio.cms.gov**.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights:

If you have a complaint or are dissatisfied with a denial of coverage for claims under your plan, you may be able to **appeal** or file a **grievance**. You can contact your issuer's member assistance resources at **1-800-883-2177**. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact **the following: MN Dept of Health at 651-201-5100 / 1-800-657-3916 or the MN Dept of Commerce at 651-296-4026 / 1-800-657-3602**.

Language Access Services:

Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al **1-866-398-9119**.
Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa **1-800-883-2177**.
Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助， □□□□□□□□ **1-800-883-2177**.
Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwiijigo holne' **1-800-883-2177**.

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

About these Coverage Examples:

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

This is not a cost estimator.

Don't use these examples to estimate your actual costs under this plan. The actual care you receive will be different from these examples, and the cost of that care will also be different. Cost sharing or "Patient pays" amounts are based on self-only coverage.

Having a baby
(normal delivery)

- **Amount owed to providers:** $7,540
- **Plan pays** $4,790
- **Patient pays** $2,750

Sample care costs:

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

Patient pays:

Deductibles	$1,750
Copays	$0
Coinsurance	$800
Limits or exclusions	$200
Total	**$2,750**

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

- **Amount owed to providers:** $5,400
- **Plan pays** $3,270
- **Patient pays** $2,130

Sample care costs:

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

Patient pays:

Deductibles	$1,240
Copays	$810
Coinsurance	$0
Limits or exclusions	$80
Total	**$2,130**

Questions and answers about the Coverage Examples:

What are some of the assumptions behind the Coverage Examples?

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

What does a Coverage Example show?

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

Does the Coverage Example predict my own care needs?

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

Does the Coverage Example predict my future expenses?

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

Can I use Coverage Examples to compare plans?

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

Are there other costs I should consider when comparing plans?

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

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