BlueCross BlueShield of Illinois: BlueCare Direct Gold<sup>SM</sup> 409 with Advocate

Coverage for: Individual/Family | Plan Type: HMO

The Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) document will help you choose a health <u>plan</u>. The SBC shows you how you and the <u>plan</u> would share the cost for covered health care services. NOTE: Information about the cost of this <u>plan</u> (called the <u>premium</u>) will be provided separately. This is only a summary. For more information about your coverage, or to get a copy of the complete terms of coverage, visit <u>www.bcbsil.com/bb/ind/bb-qhsa01bhdiilo-il-2022.pdf</u> or by calling 1-800-892-2803. For general definitions of common terms, such as <u>allowed amount</u>, <u>balance billing</u>, <u>coinsurance</u>, <u>copayment</u>, <u>deductible</u>, <u>provider</u>, or other <u>underlined</u> terms, see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <u>www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary</u>/ or call 1-855-756-4448 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	Individual: Participating \$750 Family: Participating \$2,250	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 Health Care services and services with a <u>copayment</u> are covered before you meet your <u>deductible</u> .	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 <u>www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/</u> .
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</u> <u>limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	Individual: Participating \$8,700 Family: Participating \$17,400	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> must be met.
What is not included in the <u>out-of-pocket limit?</u>	Premiums, balance-billed charges, and health care this plan 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 <a href="www.bcbsil.com">www.bcbsil.com</a> or call 1-800-892-2803 for a list of <a href="Participating">Participating</a> <a href="Providers">Providers</a> .	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  $\underline{\textbf{copayment}}$  and  $\underline{\textbf{coinsurance}}$  costs shown in this chart are after your  $\underline{\textbf{deductible}}$  has been met, if a  $\underline{\textbf{deductible}}$  applies.

Common		What You Will Pay		Limitationa Evacutiona 9 Other
Medical Event	Services You May Need	Participating Provider (You will pay the least)	Non-Participating Provider (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$20/visit; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	None
If you visit a health care	Specialist visit	\$40/visit; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
provider's office or clinic		No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	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	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	\$40/test; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$250/test; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.

Common		What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other
Medical Event	Services You May Need	Participating Provider (You will pay the least)	Non-Participating Provider (You will pay the most)	Important Information
	Preferred generic drugs	10% coinsurance	Not Covered	Limited to a 30-day supply at retail (or a 90-day supply at a <u>network</u> of select retail
If you need drugs to treat your illness or	Non-preferred generic drugs	15% <u>coinsurance</u>	Not Covered	day supply at a <u>network</u> of select retail pharmacies). Up to a 90-day supply at mail order. <u>Specialty drugs</u> limited to a 30-day supply.
condition	Preferred brand drugs	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	Payment of the difference between the cost of a brand name drug and generic may also
More information about prescription drug	Non-preferred brand drugs	30% coinsurance	Not Covered	be required if a generic drug is available.
coverage is available at	Preferred specialty drugs	40% coinsurance	Not Covered	The amount you may pay per 30-day supply of a covered insulin drug,
www.bcbsil.com/rx22h	Non-preferred specialty drugs	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Not Covered	regardless of quantity or type, shall not exceed \$100, when obtained from a Participating Pharmacy.
If you have outpatient	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$300/visit plus 30% coinsurance	Not Covered	Referral required. For Outpatient Infusion Therapy, see your
surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	\$40/visit; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	benefit booklet* for details.
	Emergency room care	\$1,000/visit plus 30% coinsurance	\$1,000/visit plus 30% coinsurance	Per occurrence <u>copayment</u> waived upon inpatient admission.
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency medical transportation	30% <u>coinsurance</u>	30% coinsurance	None
	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$40/visit; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	Must be affiliated with member's chosen medical group or referral required.
If you have a hospital	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	\$750/day; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
stay	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.

Common		What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other
Medical Event	Services You May Need	Participating Provider (You will pay the least)	Non-Participating Provider (You will pay the most)	Important Information
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	\$20/office visits; <u>deductible</u> does not apply 30% <u>coinsurance</u> for other outpatient services	Not Covered	Referral required. Telepsychiatry benefits are available; see your benefit booklet* for details.
abuse services	Inpatient services	\$750/day; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
	Office visits	Primary Care: \$20 Specialist: \$40; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Copayment applies to first prenatal visit (per pregnancy). Cost sharing does not apply for preventive services. Depending on the type of services, deductible may apply. Maternity care may include tests and
If you are pregnant	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	\$750/day; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e., ultrasound).
	Home health care	No Charge; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
If you need help	Rehabilitation services	\$40/visit; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
recovering or have	Habilitation services	\$40/visit; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	<u>Reierrai</u> required.
other special health needs	Skilled nursing care	\$500/day; deductible does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
necus	Durable medical equipment	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	Referral required.
	Hospice services	30% coinsurance	Not Covered	Referral required.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	One visit per year. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	Children's glasses	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not Covered	One pair of glasses per year up to age 19. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	None

### **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.)

Acupuncture

Long-term care

Weight loss programs

Dental care (Adult)

• Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.

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

- Abortion care
- Bariatric surgery
- Chiropractic care (Chiropractic and Osteopathic manipulation limited to 25 visits per calendar year)
- Cosmetic surgery (only for the correction of congenital Private-duty nursing (with the exception of inpatient deformities or conditions resulting from accidental injuries, scars, tumors, or diseases)
- Hearing aids (for children 1 per ear every 24 months. for adults up to \$2,500 per ear every 24 months)
- Infertility treatment (covered for 4 procedures per benefit period)
- private duty nursing)
- Routine eye care (Adult, 1 visit per benefit period)
- Routine foot care (due to systemic disease and in connection with diabetes)

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 plan at 1-800-892-2803. You may also contact your state insurance department at 1-877-527-9431. 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.

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, contact: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois at 1-800-892-2803 or visit www.bcbsil.com, or contact the U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or visit www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact the Illinois Department of Insurance at (877) 527-9431 or visit http://insurance.illinois.gov.

# 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 eliqible for certain types of Minimum Essential Coverage, you may not be eliqible for the premium tax credit.

## Does this plan meet the Minimum Value Standards? Not Applicable

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.

# **Language Access Services:**

Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-800-892-2803.

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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 <u>plan</u> might cover medical care. Your actual costs will be different depending on the actual care you receive, the prices your <u>providers</u> charge, and many other factors. Focus on the <u>cost-sharing</u> amounts (<u>deductibles</u>, <u>copayments</u> and <u>coinsurance</u>) and <u>excluded services</u> under the <u>plan</u>. Use this information to compare the portion of costs you might pay under different health <u>plans</u>. Please note these coverage examples are based on self-only coverage.

# Peg is Having a Baby

(9 months of in-network pre-natal care and a hospital delivery)

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$750
Specialist copayment	\$40
■ Hospital (facility) <u>copayment</u>	\$750
Other coinsurance	30%

#### 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:

Cost Sharing		
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$10	
<u>Copayments</u>	\$1,600	
Coinsurance	\$0	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions	\$60	
The total Peg would pay is	\$1,670	

# **Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes**

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

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$750
Specialist copayment	\$40
■ Hospital (facility) copayment	\$750
Other coinsurance	30%

#### This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

<u>Primary care physician</u> office visits (*including disease education*)

<u>Diagnostic tests</u> (blood work)

Prescription drugs

Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)

Total Example Cost	\$5,600

## In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$750
<u>Copayments</u>	\$400
Coinsurance	\$500
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$20
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,670

## **Mia's Simple Fracture**

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

■ The <u>plan's</u> overall <u>deductible</u>	\$750
■ Specialist copayment	\$40
■ Hospital (facility) copayment	\$750
Other coinsurance	30%

#### This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Emergency room care (including medical supplies)

Diagnostic test (x-ray)

<u>Durable medical equipment</u> (crutches)

Rehabilitation services (physical therapy)

Total Example Cost	\$2,800

## In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$750
<u>Copayments</u>	\$800
Coinsurance	\$200
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$1,750

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