CareFirst BlueChoice: Blue Value Plus FEHB

Coverage for: Self Only, Self Plus One or Self and 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. Please read the FEHB Plan brochure RI 73-718 that contains the complete terms of this plan. All benefits are subject to the definitions, limitations, and exclusions set forth in the FEHB Plan brochure. Benefits may vary if you have other coverage, such as Medicare. 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 get the FEHB Plan brochure at <u>www.carefirst.com/fedhmo</u> and view the Glossary at <u>www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary</u>. You can call 1-888-789-9065 to request a copy of either document.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	\$0	See the Common Medical Events chart below for your costs for services this plan covers
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes, all In-Network services are provided without a deductible.	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 <a href="https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/">https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/</a> .
Are there other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services?	Yes. Prescription Drug: \$100 self only /\$200 self plus one or self and family for tiers 2-4 There are no other specific deductibles.	You must pay all of the costs for these services up to the specific <u>deductible</u> amount before this <u>plan</u> begins to pay for these services.
What is the <u>out-of-pocket</u> <u>limit</u> for this <u>plan</u> ?	\$7,500 self only \$15,000 self plus one \$15,000 self and family	The <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> , or catastrophic maximum, is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. If you have other family members in this plan, they have to meet their own out-of-pocket limits until the overall family out-of pocket limit has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit?	Plan premiums, health care services that plan does not cover, and balance-billing charges	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="https://www.carefirst.com/fedhmoor.call">www.carefirst.com/fedhmoor.call</a> 1-888-789-9065 for a list of <a href="https://www.network.com/fedhmoor.call">network providers</a> .	This <u>plan</u> uses a provider <u>network</u> . You will pay less if you use a provider 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 provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). 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>?

No.

You can see the <u>specialist</u> you choose without a <u>referral</u>.

		What You V	Vill Pay	
Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most, plus you may be balance billed)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
If you visit a health care provider's office	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$15 copay per visit	Not Covered	Virtual Connect through CloseKnit available at \$0 cost share to members 18 and over.  (closeknithealth.com)
or clinic	<u>Specialist</u> visit	\$50 copay per visit	Not Covered	None
	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	No Charge	Not Covered	None
If you have a test	<u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray, blood work)	Lab tests: Non-Hospital: \$30 copay per visit Outpatient Hospital: \$50 copay per visit X-rays: Non-Hospital: \$50 copay per visit Outpatient Hospital: \$100 copay per visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required for services rendered at a hospital.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	Non-Hospital: \$100 copay per visit Outpatient Hospital: \$150 copay per visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required for services rendered at a hospital.



	What You Will Pay			
Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most, plus you may be balance billed)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
	Generic drugs	\$10 copay (34-day supply) \$20 copay (90-day supply)	Not Covered	Call CareFirst Pharmacy Member Services with questions at 1-800-241- 3371.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about	Preferred brand drugs	Deductible, then \$50 copay (34-day supply) Deductible, then \$100 copay (90-day supply)	Not Covered	Call CareFirst Pharmacy Member Services with questions at 1-800-241- 3371.
coverage is available at https://www.carefirst.com/fedhmo/plan-information/prescription-drug-benefits.html	Preferred <u>Specialty generic</u> <u>drugs</u>	Deductible, then \$100 copay (34-day supply) Deductible, then \$200 copay (90-day supply)	Not Covered	Drugs must be pre-approved and preferred pharmacies must be used.
	Preferred Specialty brand drugs	Deductible, then \$150 copay (34-day supply) Deductible, then \$300 copay (90-day supply)	Not Covered	Drugs must be pre-approved and preferred pharmacies must be used.
If you have outpatient	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	Non-Hospital: \$150 copay per visit Hospital: \$200 copay per visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required. Procedures may be subject to medical review.
surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	Non-Hospital & Hospital PCP: \$15 copay per visit Specialist: \$50 copay per visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required. Procedures may be subject to medical review.
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$275 copay per visit	Paid as In-Network	For urgent situations, please call your primary care physician or FirstHelp at 1-800-535-9700. Copay waived if admitted.
	Emergency medical transportation	\$200 copay per transport	Paid as In-Network	For urgent situations, please call your primary care physician or FirstHelp at 1-800-535-9700.



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If you need immediate medical attention	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$50 copay per visit	Paid as In-Network	For urgent situations, please call your primary care physician or FirstHelp at 1-800-535-9700.	
If you have a hospital	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	All non-emergency admissions must be preauthorized.	
stay	Physician/surgeon fees	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	Coverage subject to medical policy guidelines.	
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance	Outpatient services	Office Visit: \$15 copay per visit Outpatient Hospital Facility: \$50 copay per visit	Not Covered	Virtual Connect through CloseKnit is available at \$0 cost share to members 18 and over. (closeknithealth.com)	
abuse services	Inpatient services	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required.	
	Office visits	No Charge	Not Covered	No copay for routine maternity care.	
If you are pregnant	Childbirth/delivery professional services	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	Coverage subject to medical policy guidelines	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	Maternity admissions do not require precertification.	
	Home health care	No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required.	
	Rehabilitation services	\$50 copay per visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required.	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Habilitation services	\$50 copay per visit	Not Covered	Coverage only applies to physical, speech and occupational therapy for children with specified childhood conditions. Care must be medically necessary but visit limits do not apply. Prior authorization is required.	
	Skilled nursing care	25% of Allowed Benefit	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required.	



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Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most, plus you may be balance billed)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information	
	Durable medical equipment	25% of Allowed Benefit per device/item	Not Covered	Service must be medically necessary.	
	Hospice services	Inpatient Care: No Charge Outpatient Care: No Charge	Not Covered	Service must be pre-approved and may have limits. See on-line brochure.	
If your shild poods	Children's eye exam	\$10 copay per visit at Davis Vision Providers	Not Covered	Routine eye care for children may be covered.	
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	Discount program available to all members. This benefit is limited by fee schedule.	
	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	Discount program available to all members.	

#### **Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:**

## Services Your Plan Generally Does NOT Cover (Check your FEHB Plan brochure for more information and a list of any other excluded services.)

Cosmetic surgery

Dental Care (Adult)

- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside of the U.S.
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental Care (Adult)

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

- Acupuncture
- Bariatric Surgery
- Chiropractic care

- Hearing aids
- Infertility treatment
- Routine eye care (Adult)

- Routine foot care
- Weight loss program

Your Rights to Continue Coverage: You can get help if you want to continue your coverage after it ends. See the FEHB Plan brochure, contact your HR office/retirement system, contact your plan at 888-789-9065 or visit <a href="https://www.opm.gov/healthcare-insurance/">https://www.opm.gov/healthcare-insurance/</a>. Generally, if you lose coverage under the plan, then, depending on the circumstances, you may be eligible for a 31-day free extension of coverage, a conversion policy (a non-FEHB individual policy), spouse equity coverage, or



temporary continuation of coverage (TCC). 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 <a href="https://www.HealthCare.gov">www.HealthCare.gov</a> or call 1-800-318-2596.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights: If you are dissatisfied with a denial of coverage for <u>claims</u> under your <u>plan</u>, you may be able to <u>appeal</u>. For information about your <u>appeal</u> rights please see Section 3, "How you get care," and Section 8 "The disputed claims process," in your FEHB Plan brochure. If you need assistance, you can contact: CareFirst BlueChoice, Inc. at 888-789-9065.

### 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.

## **Language Access Services:**

[Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-800-318-2596

[Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-800-318-2596

[Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助, 请拨打这个号码 1-800-318-2596

[Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwiijigo holne' 1-800-318-2596

To see examples of how this <u>plan</u> might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.





**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 plan's overall <u>deductible</u>	\$0
Specialist Copayment	\$50
■ Hospital (facility) Coinsurance	25%
Other Copayment	\$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:

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Cost Sharing		
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0	
<u>Copayments</u>	\$220	
Coinsurance	\$2,125	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions	\$1\0	
The total Peg would pay is	\$2,355	

# Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes

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

■ The plan's overall <u>deductible</u>	\$0
■ Specialist Copayment	\$50
■ Hospital (facility) Coinsurance	25%
Other Coinsurance	25%

#### This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

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

Diagnostic tests (blood work)

Prescription drugs

<u>Durable medical equipment</u> (glucose meter)

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

Cost Sharing		
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0	
Copayments	\$950	
Coinsurance	\$203	
What isn't covered		
Limits or exclusions	\$0	
0The total Joe would pay is	\$1,153	

## **Mia's Simple Fracture**

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

■ The plan's overall <u>deductible</u>	\$0
Specialist Copayment	\$50
■ Hospital (facility) Copayment	275
Other Copayment	\$50

#### 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
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## In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$0
<u>Copayments</u>	\$885
Coinsurance	\$73
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$958