

South Carolina South Carolina Student Health Insurance Consortium : USC Voluntary

Coverage Period: 08/01/2019 - 07/31/2020 Coverage for: Individual | Plan Type: Standard PPO



This 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 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, call 1.855.823.0319. 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 www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform or www.coiio.cms.gov or call 1.855.823.0319 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	In-Network \$750 person/\$1,500 family. Out-of-Network \$1,500 person/\$3,000 family.	Generally, you must pay all 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> services, some <u>prescription</u> drugs, and Routine Dental Care 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 copayment or coinsurance may apply. For example, this plan covers certain preventive <u>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?	Yes. <u>Prescription Drugs</u> : \$100 at In-Network and Out-of-Network pharmacies only	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> ?	In-Network \$6,350 person/ \$12,700 family. Out-of-Network \$15,000 person/ \$30,000 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 out-of-pocket limit?	<u>Premiums</u> , <u>balance-billing</u> charges, <u>out-of-network</u> <u>copayments</u> and health care this <u>plan</u> doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit.
Will you pay less if you use a <u>network provider</u> ?	Yes. See <u>www.SouthCarolinaBlues.com</u> or call 1-800-810-BLUE (2583) 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 might</u> use an <u>out-of-network provider</u> for some services (such as lab work). Check with your <u>provider before</u> 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		What You	Will Pay	
Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$25 Copay/ visit then 20% Coinsurance	\$40 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Services administered at the Student Health Center will be covered at 100%. Some services administered at the Student Health Center will require a \$20 copay/visit.
	Specialist visit	\$25 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	\$40 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Services administered at the Student Health Center will be covered at 100%. Some services administered at the Student Health Center will require a \$20 copay/visit.
	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	No Charge	No Charge	See www.healthcare.gov for preventive care guidelines. There may be additional benefits available. See your Employer for details. You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive . Ask your provider if the services needed are preventive . Then check what your plan will pay for.
If you have a test	<u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray, blood work)	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	Services administered at the Student Health Center will be covered at 100%. Some services administered at the Student Health Center will require a \$20 copay/visit.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$150 <u>Copay</u> / test then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	\$300 <u>Copay</u> / test then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	<u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of all charges.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition	Generic drugs (Retail)	\$20 Copay/ prescription	\$20 Copay/ prescription	90 day supply. Copay applies to each 31 day supply. Generic prescriptions filled at the onsite pharmacy are covered at a \$10 copay/prescription; RX deductible does not apply at the onsite pharmacy.
	Generic drugs (Mail Order)	Not Covered	Not Covered	None
	Preferred brand drugs (Retail)	\$40 Copay/ prescription	\$40 Copay/ prescription	31 day supply. Preferred Brand prescriptions filled at the onsite pharmacy are covered at a \$20 copay/prescription; RX deductible does not apply at the onsite pharmacy.
More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.SouthCarolinaBlues.com	Preferred brand drugs (Mail Order)	Not Covered	Not Covered	None

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	Non-preferred brand drugs (Retail)	\$100 <u>Copay</u> / prescription	\$100 <u>Copay/</u> prescription	31 day supply. Non-Preferred Brand prescriptions filled at the onsite pharmacy are covered at a \$20 copay/prescription; RX deductible does not apply at the onsite pharmacy.
	Non-preferred brand drugs (Mail Order)	Not Covered	Not Covered	None
	Specialty drugs	\$100 Copay/prescription	Not Covered	31 day supply. Specialty Drugs are covered at a \$20 Copay/prescription at the onsite pharmacy. RX deductible does not apply at the onsite pharmacy.
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	<u>Pre-authorization</u> is required for some outpatient surgeries. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is 50% of the allowable charge.
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$450 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	\$450 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Copayment will be waived if admitted.
	Emergency medical transportation	20% Coinsurance	20% Coinsurance	None
	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$75 <u>Copay</u> / visit then <u>20%Coinsur</u> ance	\$75 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Doctor's Care is covered at a \$25 Copay/visit then 20% Coinsurance.
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	<u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of room and board.
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	None
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Mental/behavioral health outpatient services Substance use disorder	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	Pre-authorization is required. Penalty for not obtaining pre-authorization is 50% of the allowable charge. Office visits are covered at a \$25 copay then 20% Coinsurance/visit In-Network and \$40 copay then 30% Coinsurance Out-of-Network. Psychiatric office visits are covered at a \$20 copay/visit at the Student Health Center; deductible does not apply. Office visits do not require pre-authorization.
	outpatient services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	

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	Mental/behavioral health inpatient services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	<u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of room and board.
	Substance use disorder inpatient services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	
If you are pregnant	Office visits	\$25 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	\$40 <u>Copay</u> / visit then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Pre-authorization for facility services is required. Penalty for not obtaining pre-authorization is denial of room and board. Depending on the type of services, a copayment, coinsurance, or deductible may apply. Cost sharing does not apply to certain preventive services.
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound.)
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	60 visits/benefit year. <u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of all charges.
	Rehabilitation services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	30 combined visits/benefit year for Occupational Therapy & Physical Therapy. 20 visits/benefit year for Speech Therapy. Services administered at the Student Health Center will be covered at 100%. Physical Therapy evaluations are covered at a \$20 copay/benefit year.
	Habilitation services	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	30 combined visits/benefit year for Occupational Therapy & Physical Therapy. 20 visits/benefit year for Speech Therapy. Services administered at the Student Health Center will be covered at 100%. Physical Therapy evaluations are covered at a \$20 copay/benefit year.
	Skilled nursing care	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	60 days/benefit year. <u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of room and board.

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	Durable medical equipment	\$25 <u>Copay</u> then 20% <u>Coinsurance</u>	\$40 <u>Copay</u> then 30% <u>Coinsurance</u>	Purchase or rentals of \$500 or more require pre-authorization . Penalty for not obtaining pre-authorization is denial of all charges. Durable Medical Equipment obtained at the Student Health Center is covered at a \$20 copay/device .
	<u>Hospice services</u>	20% Coinsurance	30% Coinsurance	6 months/episode. <u>Pre-authorization</u> is required. Penalty for not obtaining <u>pre-authorization</u> is denial of all charges.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No Charge	No Charge	Limited to one visit/member under the age of 18/benefit year. Routine eye exams for members over age 18 are covered at a \$20 copay/visit after the deductible has been met. Limited to one visit/member/benefit year.
	Children's glasses	No Charge	No Charge	Limited to one pair of prescribed lenses and frames or a 12 month supply of contact lenses/member under the age of 18/benefit year. For members over age 18, lenses and frames or a 12 month supply of contact lenses are covered at a \$20 copay after the deductible has been met/member/benefit year.
	Children's dental check-up	No Charge	No Charge	Limited to two routine oral exams/member/benefit year.

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

Hearing Aids

Long-Term Care

Bariatric Surgery

Infertility Treatment

Private-Duty Nursing

Cosmetic Surgery

· Routine Foot Care

Weight Loss Programs

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

• Chiropractic Care

Dental Care (Child)

Routine Eye Care (Adult)

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• Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S. • Routine Eye Care (Child)

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 Department of Health and Human Services Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov, the South Carolina State Department of Insurance at 1-800-768-3467 or visit www.doi.sc.gov. 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 <u>plan</u> for a denial of a <u>claim</u>. This complaint is called a <u>grievance</u> or <u>appeal</u>. For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical <u>claim</u>. Your <u>plan</u> documents also provide complete information to submit a <u>claim</u>, <u>appeal</u> or a <u>grievance</u> for any reason to your <u>plan</u>. For more information about your rights, this notice, or assistance, contact: 1.855.823.0319 or visit us at <u>www.SouthCarolinaBlues.com</u>, the South Carolina State Department of Insurance at 1-800-768-3467 or visit <u>www.doi.sc.gov</u>

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

If you don't have Minimum Essential Coverage for a month, you'll have to make a payment when you file your tax return unless you qualify for an exemption from the requirement that you have health coverage for that month.

Does this plan meet 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: Para obtener asistencia en español, llame al número de atención al cliente que aparece en la primera página de esta notificación.

Tagalog: Upang makakuha ng tulong sa Tagalog, tawagan ang numero ng *customer service* na makikita sa unang pahina ng paunawang ito.

Chinese: 如需中文服务,请致电列于本通知首页的客户服务号码。

Navajo: T'áá Dinéjí shił hane'go shíká i'doolwoł nínízingo éí Nidaalnishígíí Áká Anídaalwo'ígíí, customer

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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 plan's overall deductible	\$7

The plan's overall deductible \$750
Specialist Copayment \$25
Hospital (facility) Coinsurance 20%
Other Coinsurance 20%

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)

In this example, Peg would pay:

Total Example Cost	\$12,700

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles*	\$750
Copayments	\$100
Coinsurance	\$2,500
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$3,410

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

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The plan's overall deductible	\$750
Specialist Copayment	\$25
Hospital (facility) Coinsurance	20%
Other Coinsurance	20%

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

Primary care physician office visits (*including disease education*)

Diagnostic tests (blood work)

Total Evample Cost

Prescription drugs

Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)

Total Example Cost	Ψ1,400
In this example, Joe would pay:	
Cost Sharing	

\$7.400

The total Joe would pay is	\$2,610
Limits or exclusions	\$60
What isn't covered	
Coinsurance	\$400
Copayments	\$1,400
Deductibles*	\$750
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Mia's Simple Fracture (in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

The plan's overall deductible	\$750
Specialist Copayment	\$25
Hospital (facility) Coinsurance	20%
Other Coinsurance	20%

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	\$1,900

In this example, Mia would pay:	
Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$750
Copayments	\$80
Coinsurance	\$300
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$1,130

Note: These numbers assume the patient does not participate in the <u>plan's</u> wellness program. If you participate in the <u>plan's</u> wellness program, you may be able to reduce your costs. For more information about the wellness program, please contact:**1.855.823.0319.**

*Note: This <u>plan</u> has other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services included in this coverage example. See "Are there other <u>deductibles</u> for specific services?" row above.

The plan would be responsible for the other costs on these EXAMPLE coverage services.

Non-Discrimination Statement and Foreign Language Access

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Si usted, o alguien a quien usted está ayudando, tiene preguntas acerca de este plan de salud, tiene derecho a obtener ayuda e información en su idioma sin costo alguno. Para hablar con un intérprete, llame al 1-844-396-0183. (Spanish)

如果您,或是您正在協助的對象,有關於本健康計畫方面的問題,您有權利免費以您的母語得到幫助和訊息。洽詢一位翻譯員,請撥電話 [在此插入數字 1-844-396-0188。 (Chinese)

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Kung ikaw, o ang iyong tinutulungan, ay may mga katanungan tungkol sa planong pangkalusugang ito, may karapatan ka na makakuha ng tulong at impormasyon sa iyong wika nang walang gastos. Upang makausap ang isang tagasalin, tumawag sa 1-844-389-4839. (Tagalog)

Если у Вас или лица, которому вы помогаете, имеются вопросы по поводу Вашего плана медицинского обслуживания, то Вы имеете право на бесплатное получение помощи и информации на русском языке. Для разговора с переводчиком позвоните по телефону 1-844-389-4840. (Russian)

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Si vous, ou quelqu'un que vous etes en train d'aider, a des quest ions apropos de ce plan medical, vous avez le droit d'obtenir de l'aide et !'information dans votre langue a aucun coOt. Pour parler a un interprete, appelez 1-844-396-0190 . (French)

Jeslr Ty lub osoba, kt6rej pomagasz, macie pytania odnosnie planu ubezpieczenia zdrowotnego, masz prawo do uzyskania bezpfatnej informacji i pomocy we wfasnym j zyku. Aby porozmawiac z ttumaczem, zadzwon pod numer 1-844-3%-0186. (Polish)

Se voce, ou alguem a quern voce esta ajudando, tern perguntas sobre este piano de saude, voce tern o direito de obter ajuda e informa ao em seu idioma e sem custos. Para falar com um interprete, liguepara 1-844-396-0182. (Portuguese)

Se tu o qualcuno che stai aiutando avete domande su questo piano sanitario, hai ii diritto di ottenere aiuto e informazion i nella tua lingua gratuitam ente. Per parlare con un interprete, puoi chiamare 1-844-396-0184.(Italian)

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