




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, visit

www.bcbstx.com/bb/mm/bb_mtbcp531_tx_2025.pdf or by calling 1-800-521-2227. 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.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary/ or call 1-855-756-4448 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	Network: \$3,500 Individual/\$10,500 Family Out-of-Network: \$10,000 Individual/\$20,000 Family	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from <u>providers</u> up to the <u>deductible</u> amount before this plan 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. <u>Network</u> office visits, <u>prescription drugs</u> , <u>preventive care</u> services, <u>Hospice services</u> , <u>Urgent care</u> services and <u>Diagnostic services</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 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?	Network: \$8,750 Individual/\$17,500 Family Out-of-Network: Unlimited Individual/Unlimited 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?	Premiums, <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 www.bcbstx.com/go/bcppo or call 1-800-810-2583 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</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 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
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (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	\$40 <u>copayment</u> /visit; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Virtual visits are available. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	<u>Specialist</u> visit	\$80 <u>copayment</u> /visit; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
	<u>Preventive care/screening/immunization</u>	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	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; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Inpatient: Certain services may require <u>preauthorization</u> for out-of-network; failure to preauthorize may result in \$250 reduction in benefits. Outpatient: Certain services may require <u>preauthorization</u> for out-of-network; failure to preauthorize may result in 50% reduction in benefits not to exceed \$500; see your benefit booklet* for details.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.bcbstx.com/rx-drugs/drug-lists/drug-lists	Generic drugs (Preferred)	Retail - Preferred - No Charge Non-Preferred - \$10 <u>copayment</u> /prescription Mail - No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Retail - \$10 <u>copayment</u> /prescription; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	Limited to a 30-day supply at retail (or a 90-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 except for certain FDA-designated dosing regimens. Payment of the difference between the cost of a brand name drug and a generic may also be required if a generic drug is available. Additional charge will not apply to any <u>deductible</u> or out-of-pocket amounts. <u>Cost sharing</u> for insulin included in the drug list will not exceed \$25 per prescription for a 30-
	Generic drugs (Non-preferred)	Retail - Preferred – \$10 <u>copayment</u> /prescription Non-Preferred – \$20 <u>copayment</u> /prescription Mail – \$30 <u>copayment</u> /prescription; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Retail - \$20 <u>copayment</u> /prescription; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	

*For more information about limitations and exceptions, see the plan or policy document at www.bcbstx.com/bb/mm/bb_mtbc531_tx_2025.pdf

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
	Brand drugs (Preferred)	Retail - Preferred – \$50 <u>copayment/prescription</u> Non-Preferred - \$70 <u>copayment/prescription</u> Mail - \$150 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Retail – \$70 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	day supply, regardless of the amount or type of insulin needed to fill the prescription.
	Brand drugs (Non-preferred)	Retail - Preferred - \$100 <u>copayment/prescription</u> Non-Preferred - \$120 <u>copayment/prescription</u> Mail - \$300 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Retail - \$120 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	
	Specialty drugs (Preferred)	\$150 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	\$150 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	
	Specialty drugs (Non-preferred)	\$250 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	\$250 <u>copayment/prescription</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply plus 50% additional charge	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Certain services may require <u>preauthorization</u> for out-of-network; failure to preauthorize may result in 50% reduction in benefits not to exceed \$500. For Outpatient Infusion Therapy, see your benefit booklet* for details.
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
If you need immediate medical attention	<u>Emergency room care</u>	\$500 <u>copayment/visit</u> plus 20% <u>coinsurance</u>	\$500 <u>copayment/visit</u> plus 20% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Copayment</u> waived if admitted.
	<u>Emergency medical transportation</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
	<u>Urgent care</u>	\$75 <u>copayment/visit</u> ; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
If you have a hospital	Facility fee (e.g., hospital)	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Preauthorization</u> required. <u>Preauthorization</u>

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		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
stay	room)			penalty: \$250 out-of-network. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	Physician/surgeon fees	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	\$40 <u>copayment</u> /office visit; <u>deductible</u> does not apply or 20% <u>coinsurance</u> for other outpatient services	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Certain services must be preauthorized, failure to preauthorize at least two business days prior to service will result in 50% reduction in benefits (not to exceed \$500). See your benefit booklet* for details.
	Inpatient services	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Preauthorization</u> required out-of-network; failure to preauthorize at least two business days prior to admission will result in \$250 reduction in benefits.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	Primary Care: \$40 <u>copayment</u> /initial visit Specialist: \$80 <u>copayment</u> /initial visit; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	<u>Copayment</u> applies to first prenatal visit (per pregnancy). <u>Cost sharing</u> does not apply to <u>preventive services</u> . Depending on the type of services, a <u>copayment</u> , <u>coinsurance</u> , or <u>deductible</u> may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e., ultrasound).
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	<u>Home health care</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	60 visits/year. <u>Preauthorization</u> may be required for out-of-network. Failure to preauthorize may result in 50% reduction in benefits not to exceed \$500. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	<u>Rehabilitation services</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	For Outpatient, limited to combined 35 visits per year, including Chiropractic.
	<u>Habilitation services</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	
	<u>Skilled nursing care</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	25-day maximum per calendar year. <u>Preauthorization</u> may be required for out-of-network. Failure to preauthorize may result in \$250 reduction in benefits. See your benefit booklet* for details.
	<u>Durable medical equipment</u>	20% <u>coinsurance</u>	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	None

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		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
	<u>Hospice services</u>	No Charge; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	50% <u>coinsurance</u>	Inpatient: <u>Preauthorization</u> may be required for out-of-network; failure to preauthorize may result in a \$250 reduction in benefits. Outpatient: <u>Preauthorization</u> may be required for out-of-network; failure to preauthorize may result in 50% reduction in benefits not to exceed \$500. See your benefit booklet* for details.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	Not Covered	Not Covered	None
	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	None
	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	

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.)

- Abortion (Except for a pregnancy that, as certified by a physician, places the woman in danger of death)
- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care (Adult and Child)
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Private-duty nursing
- Routine eye care (Child)
- Weight loss programs

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

- Chiropractic care (Outpatient - Max.35 visits/year combined with habilitation and rehabilitation services)
- Hearing aids (Limited to one hearing aid per ear every 36 months)
- Infertility treatment (In vitro and artificial insemination are not covered unless shown in your plan document)
- Routine eye care (Adult)
- Routine foot care (Only covered in connection with diabetes, circulatory disorders of the lower extremities, peripheral vascular disease, peripheral neuropathy, or chronic arterial or venous insufficiency)

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: For group health coverage contact the plan, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas at 1-800-521-2227 or visit www.bcbstx.com. For group health coverage subject to ERISA, contact the U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform. For non-federal governmental group health plans, contact Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov. Church plans are not covered by the Federal COBRA continuation coverage rules. If the coverage is insured, individuals should contact their State insurance regulator regarding their possible rights to continuation coverage under State law. 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 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: For group health coverage subject to ERISA: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas at 1-800-521-2227 or visit www.bcbstx.com, the U.S. Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform, and the Texas Department of Insurance, Consumer Protection at 1-800-252-3439 or www.tdi.texas.gov. For non-federal governmental group health plans and church plans that are group health plans, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas at 1-800-521-2227 or www.bcbstx.com or contact the Texas Department of Insurance, Consumer Protection at 1-800-252-3439 or www.tdi.texas.gov. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact the Texas Department of Insurance's Consumer Health Assistance Program at 1-800-252-3439 or visit www.cms.gov/CCIIO/Resources/Consumer-Assistance-Grants/tx.html.

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 1-800-521-2227.

Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-800-521-2227.

Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助, 请拨打这个号码1-800-521-2227.

Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwijigo holne' 1-800-521-2227.

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 pre-natal care and a hospital delivery)

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$3,500
■ Specialist copayment	\$80
■ 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*)

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

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$3,500
<u>Copayments</u>	\$40
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$1,600
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$5,200

Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes

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

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$3,500
■ Specialist copayment	\$80
■ 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*)
Prescription drugs
Durable medical equipment (*glucose meter*)

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

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$800
<u>Copayments</u>	\$800
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$20
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,620

Mia's Simple Fracture

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

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$3,500
■ Specialist copayment	\$80
■ 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	\$2,800
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In this example, Mia would pay:

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
<u>Deductibles</u>	\$2,100
<u>Copayments</u>	\$600
<u>Coinsurance</u>	\$0
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$2,700

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



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300 E. Randolph St., 35th Floor
Chicago, IL 60601

Phone: 855-664-7270 (voicemail)
TTY/TDD: 855-661-6965
Fax: 855-661-6960

You may file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, at:

U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services
200 Independence Avenue SW
Room 509F, HHH Building 1019
Washington, DC 20201

Phone: 800-368-1019
TTY/TDD: 800-537-7697
Complaint Portal: <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/smartscreen/main.jsf>
Complaint Forms: <https://www.hhs.gov/civil-rights/filing-a-complaint/complaint-process/index.html>

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Tagalog	Para makatanggap ng tulong sa wika o komunikasyon nang walang bayad, pakitawagan kami sa 855-710-6984.
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