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, call Excellus BlueCross BlueShield at 1-800-493-0318/TTY: 800-662-1220 or the Plan Administrator at 1-315-443-4042. 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.excellusbcbs.com or call 1-800-493-0318/TTY: 800-662-1220 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	$150 individual/ $300 family.	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family members on the plan, each family member must meet their own individual deductible until the total amount of deductible expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family deductible.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes. Preventive care is covered before you meet your deductible.	This plan covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the deductible amount. But a copayment or coinsurance may apply. For example, this plan covers certain preventive services without cost sharing and before you meet your deductible. See a list of covered preventive services at https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No	You don't have to meet deductibles for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan?	$2,000 individual / $4,000 family. There is a separate out-of-pocket limit on prescription drugs purchased through the prescription drug manager (PBM): $2,000 individual/ $4,000 family	The out-of-pocket limit 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?	Premiums, balance-billing charges, and health care this plan 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 an in-network provider?	Yes. See www.excellusbcbs.com or call 1-800-493-0318/TTY: 800-662-1220 for a list of in-network providers.	This plan uses a provider network. You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network. You will pay the most if you use an out-of-network provider, and you might receive a bill from a provider for the difference between the provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). Be aware, your in-network provider might use an out-of-network provider for some services (such as lab work). Check with your provider before you get services.
Do you need a referral to see a specialist?	No.	You can see the specialist you choose without a referral.

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
		In-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	$35 copay/visit	Not covered	None
	Specialist visit	$50 copay/visit	Not covered	None
	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	Adult physical: No charge Adult immunizations: No charge Well child visit: No charge Deductible does not apply	Not covered	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. Limited to one (1) routine physical exam per calendar year for members age 19 and older.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	$50 copay/visit (x-rays) No charge, deductible does not apply/test (blood work)	Not covered	There is no charge and the deductible does not apply to colonoscopies and preventive and diagnostic breast cancer screenings when rendered by an in-network provider.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	$50 copay/visit	Not covered	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about **prescription drug coverage** is available at https://hr.syr.edu/benefits/health-benefits/prescription-drug-coverage	Tier 1 (Generic drugs)	20% coinsurance (retail); $20 copay (mail order)/ prescription	Not covered	Limited to a 90-day supply (mail order) and 30-day supply (retail). Retail 90-day supply also allowed at retail coinsurance level when using a local participating pharmacy. Dispense as written (DAW) penalty may apply. Specialty drugs are limited to a 30-day supply. Prescription drugs to treat infertility are limited to $20,000 per lifetime. This limit is separate from the $20,000 lifetime limit for medical treatment of infertility.
	Tier 2 (Preferred brand drugs)	25% coinsurance (retail); $50 copay (mail order)/ prescription	Not covered	
	Tier 3 (Non-preferred brand drugs)	45% coinsurance (retail); $90 copay (mail order)/ prescription	Not covered	
	Tier 4 (Specialty drugs)	See the mail order copays above	Not covered	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	$200 copay (hospital outpatient) or $150 copay	Not covered	None

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		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
		(ambulatory surgery center)/visit		
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	$150 copay/visit	$150 copay/visit	Copay waived if admitted; however, will be subject to the inpatient copay listed below.
	Emergency medical transportation	$100 copay/trip	$100 copay/trip	None
	Urgent care	$50 copay/visit	Not covered	None
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	$350 copay	Not covered	None
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	Physician care is limited to one (1) visit/day.
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	$35 copay/visit	Not covered	None
	Inpatient services	$350 copay (facility) No charge, deductible does not apply (physician)	Not covered	Physician care is limited to one (1) visit/day.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	Cost sharing does not apply for preventive services. Depending on the type of services, a copay, coinsurance, or deductible may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e., ultrasound).
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	$350 copay (facility) No charge, deductible does not apply (birthing center)	Not covered	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	None
	Rehabilitation services	$35 copay	Not covered	None
	Habilitation services	$35 copay	Not covered	
	Skilled nursing care	$350 copay	Not covered	Limited to 180 days per admission (or series of

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		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
				admissions not separated by 90 consecutive days).
	Durable medical equipment	10% coinsurance	Not covered	None
	Hospice services	No charge, deductible does not apply	Not covered	None
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	$35 copay (PCP)/$50 copay (Specialist)/visit	Not covered	Limited to one (1) exam every 24 consecutive months.
	Children's glasses	Not covered	Not covered	None
	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.)

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

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

- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Chiropractic care
- Hearing aids (Limited to $750 (single) or $1,500 (binaural) every three (3) calendar years)
- Infertility treatment ($20,000 lifetime limit for medical and a separate $20,000 lifetime limit for prescription drugs)
- Private duty nursing
- Routine eye care (Adult & 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 Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthcarereform. 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: Excellus BlueCross BlueShield at 1-800-493-0318/TTY: 800-662-1220 or www.excellusbcbs.com; the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthcarereform. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal contact Community Service Society of New York, Community Health Advocates, 633 Third Avenue, 10th floor, New York, NY 10017, 1-800-614-5400, http://www.communityhealthadvocates.org (website) or cha@cssny.org (email). A list of states with Consumer Assistance Programs is available at: www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform and http://www.cms.gov/CCIIO/Resources/Consumer-Assistance-Grants/.

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 1-800-493-0318.

Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-800-493-0318.

Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助，请拨打这个号码1-800-493-0318.

Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwiijigo holne' 1-800-493-0318.

*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** **$150**
- **Specialist copayment** **$50**
- **Hospital (facility) copayment** **$350**
- **Other coinsurance** **10%**

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**

In this example, Peg would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$150
Copayments	$500
Coinsurance	$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$60
The total Peg would pay is	**$710**

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

- **The plan's overall deductible** **$150**
- **Specialist copayment** **$50**
- **Hospital (facility) copayment** **$350**
- **Other coinsurance** **10%**

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**

In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles*	$150
Copayments	$300
Coinsurance	$700
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$20
The total Joe would pay is	**$1,170**

Mia's Simple Fracture
(in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

- **The plan's overall deductible** **$150**
- **Specialist copayment** **$50**
- **Hospital (facility) copayment** **$350**
- **Other coinsurance** **10%**

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**

In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles*	$150
Copayments	$800
Coinsurance	$30
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$0
The total Mia would pay is	**$980**

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