

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What You Pay for Covered Services

The Johns Hopkins University Core PPO Plan (Bargaining)

Coverage Period: 01/01/2026 – 12/31/2026

Coverage for: Individual or Family | Plan Type: PPO



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 general definitions of common terms, such as [allowed amount](#), [balance billing](#), [coinsurance](#), [copayment](#), [deductible](#), [provider](#), or other [underlined](#) terms see the Glossary. You can see the Glossary at www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary or call 844-460-2801 to request a copy. For more information about your coverage, or to get a copy of the complete terms of coverage, please visit jhu.quantum-health.com.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible ?	In-Network: \$500 individual/\$1,500 family; Out-of-Network: \$1,000 individual/\$3,000 family	Generally, you must pay all the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family member(s) on the plan , each family member may need to meet their own individual deductible , OR all family members may combine to meet the overall family deductible before the plan begins to pay, depending upon plan coverage. Please refer to your contract for further details.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible ?	Yes, all In-Network preventive care services, as well as telemedicine and the following non-hospital facilities only, when applicable: Outpatient surgery, Emergency room, Urgent care, Home Health Care and Hospice Services	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?	There are no other specific deductibles.	You don't have to meet deductibles for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan ?	Medical: In-Network: \$2,000 individual/\$6,000 family; Out-of-Network: \$4,000 individual/\$8,000 family.	The out-of-pocket limit is the most you could pay in a plan year for covered services. If you have other family member(s) on the plan , each family member may need to meet their own out-of-pocket limits , OR all family members may combine to meet the overall family out-of-pocket limit , depending upon plan coverage. Please refer to your contract for further details.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit ?	Premiums, balance-billing charges, health care this plan doesn't cover, copayments for certain services, and penalties for failure to obtain pre-authorization for services.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit .

Will you pay less if you use a network provider ?	Yes. See http://provider.bcbs.com/ or call 844-460-2801 for a list of 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 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 .

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	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit \$20 copay for telemedicine, deductible does not apply	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	If a service is rendered at a Hospital Facility, the additional Facility charge may apply
	Specialist visit	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	If a service is rendered at a Hospital Facility, the additional Facility charge may apply
	Retail health clinic	Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	None
	Preventive care/screening/immunization	No Charge	30% of Allowed Benefit	Some services may have limitations or exclusions based on your contract
	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	Lab Tests: Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit X-Ray: Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Lab Tests: Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit X-Ray: Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	None

If you have a test	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required for MRI/MRA, PET Scans and Nuclear Medicine
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		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.cap-rx.com	Generic drugs	Retail: \$10 copay Mail Order: \$25 copay		Covers up to a 30-day supply (retail prescription); 31-90 day supply (mail order prescription)
	Preferred brand drugs	Retail: If no generic is available, 20% coinsurance (\$30 min/\$45 max) Mail Order: If no generic is available, \$75 copay		
	Non-preferred brand drugs	Retail: If no generic or preferred brand is available, 25% coinsurance (\$60 min/\$100 max) Mail Order: If no generic or preferred brand is available, \$150 copay		
	Specialty drugs	Same as non-specialty drug coverage reflected above. Cost is dependent on tier of drug coverage (i.e. generic, preferred-brand, non-preferred brand, etc.)		
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	Non-Hospital & Hospital: No Charge	Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required
	Physician/surgeon fees	Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Non-Hospital & Hospital: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$150 copay per visit	Paid As In-Network	Limited to Emergency Services or unexpected, urgently required services; Additional professional charges may apply; Copay waived if admitted
	Emergency medical transportation	Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Paid As In-Network	None

	Urgent care	\$50 copay per visit	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Limited to unexpected, urgently required services
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required
	Physician/surgeon fees	Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	None
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 need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	Office Visit & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit No charge for telemedicine, deductible does not apply	Office Visit & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	For treatment at an Outpatient Hospital Facility, additional charges may apply
	Inpatient services	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required; Additional professional charges may apply
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No Charge	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	For routine pre/postnatal office visits only. For non-routine obstetrical care or complications of pregnancy, cost sharing may apply.
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	None
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required; Additional professional charges may apply
If you need help recovering or have	Home health care	No Charge	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required Benefits are limited to 120 days per benefit period.
	Rehabilitation services	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	If a service is rendered at a Hospital Facility, the additional Facility charge may apply Benefits for Speech, Physical and Occupational Therapies are limited to 90 visits combined per illness or injury per benefit period

other special health needs	Habilitation services	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Provider & Hospital Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	ABA covered; If a service is rendered at a Hospital Facility, the additional Facility charge may apply
	Skilled nursing care	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then \$250 copay per admission, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required Benefits are limited to 120 days per benefit period.
	Durable medical equipment	Deductible, then 20% of Allowed Benefit	Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required in excess of \$1,500
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)	
	Hospice services	Inpatient and Outpatient Facility: No Charge	Inpatient and Outpatient Facility: Deductible, then 30% of Allowed Benefit	Prior authorization is required Bereavement: Benefits are limited to 3 visits following family member's death per benefit period Respite Care: Benefits are limited to 14 days per benefit period
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	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](#).)

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| • Cosmetic surgery | • Long-term care | • Routine foot care |
| • Dental care (Adult) | • Routine eye care | • Weight loss programs |

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

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| • Abortion | • Chiropractic care | • Non-emergency care when travelling outside the US |
| • Acupuncture | • Hearing aids | • Private-duty nursing (outpatient) |
| • Bariatric surgery | • Infertility treatment | |

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: Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration, <http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform>, or call 1-866-444-EBSA (3272); or Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, <http://www.cciio.cms.gov>, or call 1-877-267-2323 x61565. 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: Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration, <http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform>, or call 1-866-444-EBSA (3272); or Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, <http://www.cciio.cms.gov>, or call 1-877-267-2323 x61565.

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 1-800-378-1179.

Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-800-378-1179.

Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助, 请 请 请 请 请 1-800-378-1179.

Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwijigo holne' 1-800-378-1179.

—————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	\$500
■ Specialist	20%
■ Hospital (facility)	\$250
■ Other	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	\$12,800
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In this example, Peg would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$500
Copayments	\$440
Coinsurance	\$154
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$10
The total Peg would pay is	\$1,104

Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes

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

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$500
■ Specialist	20%
■ Hospital (facility)	\$250
■ Other	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	\$7,400
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In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$500
Copayments	\$220
Coinsurance	\$970
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,690

Mia's Simple Fracture

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

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$500
■ Specialist	20%
■ Hospital (facility)	\$250
■ Other	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
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In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$500
Copayments	\$100
Coinsurance	\$230
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$830