# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company UnitedHealthcare Options PPO**

# Certificate of Coverage, Riders, Amendments, and Notices

for

**ABC Company** 

**Group Number: 96662** 

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# **Certificate of Coverage**

# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company**

# What Is the Certificate of Coverage?

This Certificate of Coverage (Certificate) is part of the Policy that is a legal document between UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company and the Group. The Certificate describes Covered Health Care Services, subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations of the Policy. We issue the Policy based on the Group's Application and payment of the required Policy Charges.

In addition to this Certificate, the Policy includes:

- The Schedule of Benefits.
- The Group's Application.
- Riders, including the Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider, the Pediatric Dental Services Rider and the Pediatric Vision Care Services Rider.
- Amendments.

You can review the Policy at the Group's office during regular business hours

# **Can This Certificate Change?**

We may, from time to time, change this *Certificate* by ttachic lear documents called Riders and/or Amendments that may change certain provisions of this artificate. When this happens we will send you a new *Certificate*, Rider or Amendment.

# Other Information You Should ave

We have the right to change, interpret with law outdoor Benefits, or to end the Policy, as permitted by law, without your approval.

On its effective date, this *certificate* replaces and overrules any *Certificate* that we may have previously issued to you. This *Certificate* will be any *Certificate* we issue to you in the future.

The Policy will take effect the date hown in the Policy. Coverage under the Policy starts at 12:01 a.m. and ends at 12:00 midnight in the tipe zone of the Group's location. The Policy will remain in effect as long as the Policy Charges are when they are due, subject to Section 4: When Coverage Ends.

We are delivering the Policy in . The Policy is subject to the laws of the state of and ERISA, unless the Group is not a private plan sponsor subject to ERISA. To the extent that state law applies, law governs the Policy.

# Introduction to Your Certificate

This *Certificate* and the other Policy documents describe your Benefits, as well as your rights and responsibilities, under the Policy.

#### What Are Defined Terms?

Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in Section 9: Defined Terms.

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are referring to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your," we are referring to people who are Covered Persons, as that term is defined in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

#### **How Do You Use This Document?**

Read your entire *Certificate* and any attached Riders and/or Amendments. You may not have all of the information you need by reading just one section. Keep your *Certificate* and *Schedule of Benefits* and any attachments in a safe place for your future reference. You can also get this *Certificate* at www.myuhc.com.

Review the Benefit limitations of this *Certificate* by reading the anached Schedul of Benefits along with Section 1: Covered Health Care Services and Section 2: Exclusion and Smith ons. Read Section 8: General Legal Provisions to understand how this Certificate and your genefits work. Call us if you have questions about the limits of the coverage available to you.

If there is a conflict between this *Certificate* and any summer les provided to you by the Group, this *Certificate* controls.

Please be aware that your Physician is not responsible for nown, or communicating your Benefits.

#### **How Do You Contact Us?**

Call the telephone number listed on your antification (ID) card. Throughout the document you will find statements that encourage you to contact user more information.

# Your Responsibilities

# Eligibility, Enrollment, and Required Contributions

Benefits are available to you once you are enrolled for coverage under the Policy. The Group will apply the eligibility rules.

- Your enrollment options, and the corresponding dates that coverage begins, are listed in Section 3:
   When Coverage Begins. To be enrolled and receive Benefits, both of the following apply:
  - Your enrollment must be in accordance with the rules of the Policy issued to your Group, including the eligibility rules.
  - You must qualify as a Subscriber or a Dependent as those terms are defined in Section 9: Defined Terms.

You continue to receive Benefits as long as you continue to qualify as a Subscriber or Dependent as defined in *Section 9: Defined Terms* and meet the eligibility rules noted in the Policy which includes this *Certificate* and the Group *Application*.

Your Benefits are no longer available as described in Section 4: When over the Ends.

Your Group may require you to make certain payments to them, order you be remain enrolled under the Policy. If you have questions about this, contact your Group.

# Be Aware the Policy Does Not Pay for All Health Care Services

The Policy does not pay for all health care services. Benefit are limited to Covered Health Care Services. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you the portion you must pay an overed Health Care Services.

# Decide What Services You Should Receive

Care decisions are between you and your Physian. Woodo not make decisions about the kind of care you should or should not receive.

# Choose Your Physician

It is your responsibility to select the healther e professionals who will deliver your care. We arrange for Physicians and other health care professionals and facilities to participate in a Network. Our credentialing process confirms public incomation about the professionals' and facilities' licenses and other credentials, but does not assure the quality of the services. These professionals and facilities are independent practitioners and entities that a solely responsible for the care they deliver.

#### **Obtain Prior Authorization**

Some Covered Health Care Services require prior authorization. You are responsible for obtaining authorization before you receive the services. For detailed information on the Covered Health Care Services that require prior authorization, please refer to the *Schedule of Benefits*.

# Pay Your Share

You must meet any applicable deductible and pay a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for most Covered Health Care Services. These payments are due at the time of service or when billed by the Physician, provider or facility. Any applicable deductible, Co-payment and Co-insurance amounts are listed in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

# Pay the Cost of Excluded Services

You must pay the cost of all excluded services and items. Review *Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations* to become familiar with the Policy's exclusions.

#### **Show Your ID Card**

You should show your ID card every time you request health care services. If you do not show your ID card, the provider may fail to bill the correct entity for the services delivered.

# **File Claims with Complete and Accurate Information**

When you receive Covered Health Care Services from an out-of-Network provider, you are responsible for requesting payment from us. You must file the claim in a format that contains all of the information we require, as described in *Section 5: How to File a Claim*.

# **Use Your Prior Health Care Coverage**

If you have prior coverage that, as required by state law, extends benefits for a particular condition or a disability, we will not pay Benefits for health care services for that condition and disability until the prior coverage ends. We will pay Benefits as of the day your coverage begin undo the Policy for all other Covered Health Care Services that are not related to the condition or dealth, you have other coverage.

# **Our Responsibilities**

# **Determine Benefits**

We make administrative decisions regarding whether the Policy will pay for any portion of the cost of a health care service you intend to receive or have received. Our decisions are for payment purposes only. We do not make decisions about the kind of care you should or should not receive. You and your providers must make those treatment decisions.

We have the final authority to do the following:

- Interpret Benefits and the other terms, limitations and exclusions set out in this *Certificate*, the *Schedule of Benefits* and any Riders and/or Amendments.
- Make factual determinations relating to Benefits.

We may assign this authority to other persons or entities that may provide administrative services for the Policy, such as claims processing. The identity of the service providers and the nature of their services may be changed from time to time as we determine. In order to receive Benefits, you must cooperate with those service providers.

# Pay for Our Portion of the Cost of Covered Lead Care Services

We pay Benefits for Covered Health Care Services as described in Services and in the Schedule of Benefits, unless the services excided a Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations. This means we only pay our portion of the complete Covered Health Care Services. It also means that not all of the health care services you receive new be paid for (in full or in part) by the Policy.

# **Pay Network Providers**

It is the responsibility of Network Physicians at a facilities to file for payment from us. When you receive Covered Health Care Services from Network Reviders, but do not have to submit a claim to us.

# Providers Provided by Out-of-Network

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# Review and Determite enefits in Accordance with our Reimbursement Policies

We develop our reimbursement policy guidelines, as we determine, in accordance with one or more of the following methodologies:

- As shown in the most recent edition of the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT), a publication of the American Medical Association, and/or the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).
- As reported by generally recognized professionals or publications.
- As used for Medicare.
- As determined by medical staff and outside medical consultants pursuant to other appropriate sources or determinations that we accept.

Following evaluation and validation of certain provider billings (e.g., error, abuse and fraud reviews), our reimbursement policies are applied to provider billings. We share our reimbursement policies with Physicians and other providers in our Network through our provider website. Network Physicians and providers may not bill you for the difference between their contract rate (as may be modified by our

reimbursement policies) and the billed charge. However, out-of-Network providers may bill you for any amounts we do not pay, including amounts that are denied because one of our reimbursement policies does not reimburse (in whole or in part) for the service billed. You may get copies of our reimbursement policies for yourself or to share with your out-of-Network Physician or provider by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

We may apply a reimbursement methodology established by *OptumInsight* and/or a third party vendor, which is based on *CMS* coding principles, to determine appropriate reimbursement levels for Emergency Health Care Services. The methodology is usually based on elements reflecting the patient complexity, direct costs, and indirect costs of an Emergency Health Care Service. If the methodology(ies) currently in use become no longer available, we will use a comparable methodology(ies). We and *OptumInsight* are related companies through common ownership by *UnitedHealth Group*. Refer to our website at www.myuhc.com for information regarding the vendor that provides the applicable methodology.

# Offer Health Education Services to You

We may provide you with access to information about additional services that are available to you, such as disease management programs, health education and patient advocacy. It is solely your decision whether to take part in the programs, but we recommend that you discuss them with your Physician.



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# Section 1: Covered Health Care Services

#### When Are Benefits Available for Covered Health Care Services?

Benefits are available only when all of the following are true:

- The health care service, including supplies or Pharmaceutical Products, is only a Covered Health Care Service if it is Medically Necessary. (See definitions of Medically Necessary and Covered Health Care Service in Section 9: Defined Terms.)
- You receive Covered Health Care Services while the Policy is in effect.
- You receive Covered Health Care Services prior to the date that any of the individual termination conditions listed in *Section 4: When Coverage Ends* occurs.
- The person who receives Covered Health Care Services is a Covered Person and meets all eligibility rules specified in the Policy which includes this *Certificate* and the Group *Application*.

The fact that a Physician or other provider has performed or prescribed a procedure or treatment, or the fact that it may be the only available treatment for a Sickness, Injury, Mental Illness, substance-related and addictive disorders, disease or its symptoms does not mean that the provider or treatment is a Covered Health Care Service under the Policy.

Benefits are provided for services delivered via Telehealth/Teleme icine tenef 3 are also provided for Remote Physiologic Monitoring. Benefits for these services are provided to the same extent as an inperson service under any applicable Benefit category in this section unit is otherwise specified in the Schedule of Benefits.

This section describes Covered Health Care Services for which Bern fits are available. Please refer to the attached *Schedule of Benefits* for details about:

- The amount you must pay for these Covered lealth One Services (including any Annual Deductible, Co-payment and/or Co-including).
- Any limit that applies to these Council Health Care Services (including visit, day and dollar limits on services).
- Any limit that applies the policy of the Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable, you are required to paying year (Out-of-Pocket Limit).
- Any responsibility put we for ptaining prior authorization or notifying us.

Please note that in listing services or examples, when we say "this includes," it is not our intent to limit the description to that such clist. When we do intend to limit a list of services or examples, we state specifically that the list "is limited to."

#### 1. Ambulance Services

Emergency ambulance transportation by a licensed ambulance service (either ground or Air Ambulance) to the nearest Hospital where the required Emergency Health Care Services can be performed.

Non-Emergency ambulance transportation by a licensed ambulance service (either ground or Air Ambulance, as we determine appropriate) between facilities only when the transport meets one of the following:

- From an out-of-Network Hospital to the closest Network Hospital when Covered Health Care Services are required.
- To the closest Network Hospital that provides the required Covered Health Care Services that were not available at the original Hospital.

From a short-term acute care facility to the closest Network long-term acute care facility (LTAC),
 Network Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility, or other Network sub-acute facility where the required
 Covered Health Care Services can be delivered.

For the purpose of this Benefit the following terms have the following meanings:

- "Long-term acute care facility (LTAC)" means a facility or Hospital that provides care to people with complex medical needs requiring long-term Hospital stay in an acute or critical setting.
- "Short-term acute care facility" means a facility or Hospital that provides care to people with medical needs requiring short-term Hospital stay in an acute or critical setting such as for recovery following a surgery, care following sudden Sickness, Injury, or flare-up of a chronic Sickness.
- "Sub-acute facility" means a facility that provides intermediate care on short-term or long-term basis.

# 2. Cellular and Gene Therapy

Cellular Therapy and Gene Therapy received on an inpatient or outpatient basis at a Hospital or on an outpatient basis at an Alternate Facility or in a Physician's office.

Benefits for CAR-T therapy for malignancies are provided as described and an analysis an application Services.

#### 3. Clinical Trials

Routine patient care costs incurred while taking part in a qualifying chargal that for the treatment of:

- Cancer or other life-threatening disease or condition. For put uses of this Benefit, a life-threatening disease or condition is one which is likely to cause of the unless the course of the disease or condition is interrupted.
- Cardiovascular disease (cardiac/stroke) which is not be the tening, when we determine the clinical trial meets the qualifying clinical trial trial meets trial meets the qualifying clinical trial meets trial meets the qualifying clinical trial meets t
- Surgical musculoskeletal disorders of the spine, has and knees, which are not life threatening, when we determine the clinical trial measure qualifying clinical trial criteria stated below.
- Other diseases or disorders which goed had life threatening, when we determine the clinical trial meets the qualifying similar trial colorial tated below.

Benefits include the reasonable secessary items and services used to prevent, diagnose and treat complications arising from the grant a qualifying clinical trial.

Benefits are available only when you are clinically eligible, as determined by the researcher, to take part in the qualifying clinical trial.

Routine patient care costs for qualifying clinical trials include:

- Covered Health Care Services for which Benefits are typically provided absent a clinical trial.
- Covered Health Care Services required solely for the following:
  - The provision of the Experimental or Investigational Service(s) or item.
  - The clinically appropriate monitoring of the effects of the service or item, or
  - The prevention of complications.
- Covered Health Care Services needed for reasonable and necessary care arising from the receipt of an Experimental or Investigational Service(s) or item.

Routine costs for clinical trials do not include:

- The Experimental or Investigational Service(s) or item. The only exceptions to this are:
  - Certain Category B devices.

- Certain promising interventions for patients with terminal illnesses.
- Other items and services that meet specified criteria in accordance with our medical and drug policies.
- Items and services provided solely to meet data collection and analysis needs and that are not used in the direct clinical management of the patient.
- A service that clearly does not meet widely accepted and established standards of care for a particular diagnosis.
- Items and services provided by the research sponsors free of charge for any person taking part in the trial.

With respect to cancer or other life-threatening diseases or conditions, a qualifying clinical trial is a Phase I, Phase II, Phase III, or Phase IV clinical trial. It takes place in relation to the prevention, detection or treatment of cancer or other life-threatening disease or condition. It meets any of the following criteria in the bulleted list below.

With respect to cardiovascular disease, musculoskeletal disorders of the spine, hip and knees and other diseases or disorders which are not life-threatening, a qualifying clinical trial is a Phase I, Phase II, or Phase III clinical trial. It takes place in relation to the detection or treatment of such non-life-threatening disease or disorder. It meets any of the following criteria in the bulleted as the low.

- Federally funded trials. The study or investigation is approve for he ded which may include funding through in-kind contributions) by one or more of the forwing.
  - National Institutes of Health (NIH). (Includes ∧ tional and Institute (NCI).)
  - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CC)
  - Agency for Healthcare Research and Juality (AH)
  - Centers for Medicare and Medical Surices (CLS).
  - A cooperative group or center of the antities described above or the Department of Defense (DOD) or the Veterans Activistration (VA).
  - A qualified non-governmental security identified in the guidelines issued by the National Institution of Health or content support grants.
  - The Department of Veteran Cairs, the Department of Defense or the Department of Energy if the studies in Stigation has been reviewed and approved through a system of peer review. The peer review system is determined by the Secretary of Health and Human Services to meet both the following criteria:
    - Comparable to the system of peer review of studies and investigations used by the National Institutes of Health.
    - Ensures unbiased review of the highest scientific standards by qualified individuals who have no interest in the outcome of the review.
- The study or investigation takes place under an investigational new drug application reviewed by the *U.S. Food and Drug Administration*.
- The study or investigation is a drug trial that is exempt from having such an investigational new drug application.
- The clinical trial must have a written protocol that describes a scientifically sound study. It must have been approved by all relevant institutional review boards (*IRBs*) before you are enrolled in the trial. We may, at any time, request documentation about the trial.
- The subject or purpose of the trial must be the evaluation of an item or service that meets the
  definition of a Covered Health Care Service and is not otherwise excluded under the Policy.

# 4. Congenital Heart Disease (CHD) Surgeries

CHD surgeries which are ordered by a Physician. CHD surgical procedures include surgeries to treat conditions such as:

- Coarctation of the aorta.
- Aortic stenosis.
- Tetralogy of Fallot.
- Transposition of the great vessels.
- Hypoplastic left or right heart syndrome.

Benefits include the facility charge and the charge for supplies and equipment. Benefits for Physician services are described under *Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services*.

Surgery may be performed as open or closed surgical procedures or may be performed through interventional cardiac catheterization.

You can call us at the telephone number on your ID card for information about our specific guidelines regarding Benefits for CHD services.

# 5. Dental Services - Accident Only

Dental services when all of the following are true:

- Treatment is needed because of accidental damage.
- You receive dental services from a Doctor of Dental Trgery Doctor of Medical Dentistry.
- The dental damage is severe enough that fire contest who a Physician or dentist happened within 72 hours of the accident. (You may request is time prior clonger if you do so within 60 days of the Injury and if extenuating circumstances exclude to the severity of the Injury.)

Please note that dental damage that happens a paresult of normal activities of daily living or extraordinary use of the teeth is not considered an accidental Injury. Benefits are not available for repairs to teeth that are damaged as a result of such activities.

Dental services to repair change cause by a cidental Injury must follow these time-frames:

- Treatment is started with the months of the accident, or if not a Covered Person at the time of the accident, within the months of coverage under the Policy, unless extenuating circumstances exist (such as relonged hospitalization or the presence of fixation wires from fracture care).
- Treatment must be completed within 12 months of the accident, or if not a Covered Person at the time of the accident, within the first 12 months of coverage under the Policy.

Benefits for treatment of accidental Injury are limited to the following:

- Emergency exam.
- Diagnostic X-rays.
- Endodontic (root canal) treatment.
- Temporary splinting of teeth.
- Prefabricated post and core.
- Simple minimal restorative procedures (fillings).
- Extractions.
- Post-traumatic crowns if such are the only clinically acceptable treatment.

Replacement of lost teeth due to Injury with implant, dentures or bridges.

#### 6. Diabetes Services

#### Diabetes Self-Management and Training/Diabetic Eye Exams/Foot Care

Outpatient self-management training for the treatment of diabetes, education and medical nutrition therapy services. Services must be ordered by a Physician and provided by appropriately licensed or registered health care professionals.

Benefits also include medical eye exams (dilated retinal exams) and preventive foot care for diabetes.

#### **Diabetic Self-Management Items**

Insulin pumps and supplies and continuous glucose monitors for the management and treatment of diabetes, based upon your medical needs. An insulin pump is subject to all the conditions of coverage stated under *Durable Medical Equipment (DME)*, *Orthotics and Supplies*. Benefits for blood glucose meters including continuous glucose monitors, insulin syringes with needles, blood glucose and urine test strips, ketone test strips and tablets and lancets and lancet devices are described under the *Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider*.

# 7. Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Orthotics and Supplication

Benefits are provided for DME and certain orthotics and supplies of more an objection can meet your functional needs, Benefits are available only for the item that meets the national specifications for your needs. If you purchase an item that exceeds these minimum assifications, we will pay only the amount that we would have paid for the item that meets the minimum specifications, and you will be responsible for paying any difference in cost.

#### DME and Supplies

Examples of DME and supplies include:

- Equipment to help mobility, such s a standard wheelchair.
- A standard Hospital-type been
- Oxygen and the rental or equipment to administer oxygen (including tubing, connectors and masks).
- Negative pussure wound the y pumps (wound vacuums).
- Mechanical ment needed for the treatment of long term or sudden respiratory failure (except that air-conditioners, humidifiers, dehumidifiers, air purifiers and filters and personal comfort items are maded from coverage).
- Burn garments.
- Insulin pumps and all related needed supplies as described under Diabetes Services.
- External cochlear devices and systems. Benefits for cochlear implantation are provided under the applicable medical/surgical Benefit categories in this Certificate.

Benefits include lymphedema stockings for the arm as required by the *Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998*.

Benefits also include dedicated speech generating devices and tracheo-esophageal voice devices required for treatment of severe speech impairment or lack of speech directly due to Sickness or Injury. Benefits for the purchase of these devices are available only after completing a required three-month rental period. Benefits are limited as stated in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### Orthotics

Orthotic braces, including needed changes to shoes to fit braces. Braces that stabilize an injured body part and braces to treat curvature of the spine are a Covered Health Care Service.

We will decide if the equipment should be purchased or rented.

Benefits are available for repairs and replacement, except as described in Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations, under Medical Supplies and Equipment.

These Benefits apply to external DME. Unless otherwise excluded, items that are fully implanted into the body are a Covered Health Care Service for which Benefits are available under the applicable medical/surgical Covered Health Care Service categories in this *Certificate*.

# 8. Emergency Health Care Services - Outpatient

Services that are required to stabilize or begin treatment in an Emergency. Emergency Health Care Services must be received on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Facility.

Benefits include the facility charge, supplies and all professional services required to stabilize your condition and/or begin treatment. This includes placement in an observation bed to monitor your condition (rather than being admitted to a Hospital for an Inpatient Stay).

#### 9. Enteral Nutrition

Benefits are provided for specialized enteral formulas administered either and or by tube feeding for certain conditions under the direction of a Physician.

# 10. Fertility Preservation for latrogenic Infertility

Benefits are available for fertility preservation for medical reason, that guse irreversible infertility such as chemotherapy, radiation treatment, and bilateral oophorect my due to career. Services include the following procedures, when provided by or under the care a supervision of a Physician:

- Collection of sperm.
- Cryo-preservation of sperm.
- Ovarian stimulation, retrieval of eggs and fertilization.
- Oocyte cryo-preservation.
- Embryo cryo-preservation.

Benefits for medications related to the treatment of fertility preservation are provided as described under your Outpatient Prescription Drug and Pharmaceutical Products - Outpatient in this section.

Benefits are not available selective rtility preservation.

Benefits are not available for physical transfer.

Benefits are not available for long-term storage costs (greater than one year).

#### 11. Gender Dysphoria

Benefits for the treatment of gender dysphoria provided by or under the direction of a Physician.

For the purpose of this Benefit, "gender dysphoria" is a disorder characterized by the specific diagnostic criteria classified in the current edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association*.

#### 12. Habilitative Services

For purposes of this Benefit, "habilitative services" means Skilled Care services that are part of a prescribed treatment plan or maintenance program to help a person with a disabling condition to keep, learn or improve skills and functioning for daily living. We will decide if Benefits are available by reviewing both the skilled nature of the service and the need for Physician-directed medical management. Therapies provided for the purpose of general well-being or conditioning in the absence of a disabling condition are not considered habilitative services.

Habilitative services are limited to:

- Physical therapy.
- Occupational therapy.
- Manipulative Treatment.
- Speech therapy.
- Post-cochlear implant aural therapy.
- Cognitive therapy.

Benefits are provided for habilitative services for both inpatient services and outpatient therapy when you have a disabling condition when both of the following conditions are met:

- Treatment is administered by any of the following:
  - Licensed speech-language pathologist.
  - Licensed audiologist.
  - Licensed occupational therapist.
  - Licensed physical therapist.
  - Physician.
- Treatment must be proven and not Experimental or In the state of the s

The following are not habilitative services:

- Custodial Care.
- Respite care.
- Day care.
- Therapeutic recreation.
- Educational/Vocational training
- Residential Treatment.
- A service or treatment plantal loes not help you meet functional goals.
- Services solely educational in ature.
- Educational services otherwise paid under state or federal law.

We may require the following be provided:

- Medical records.
- Other necessary data to allow us to prove that medical treatment is needed.

When the treating provider expects that continued treatment is or will be required to allow you to achieve progress we may request additional medical records.

Habilitative services provided in your home by a Home Health Agency are provided as described under *Home Health Care*. Habilitative services provided in your home other than by a Home Health Agency are provided as described under this section.

Benefits for DME and prosthetic devices, when used as a part of habilitative services, are described under *Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Orthotics and Supplies* and *Prosthetic Devices*.

# 13. Hearing Aids

Hearing aids required for the correction of a hearing impairment (a reduction in the ability to perceive sound which may range from slight to complete deafness). These are electronic amplifying devices designed to bring sound more effectively into the ear. These consist of a microphone, amplifier and receiver.

Benefits are available for a hearing aid that is purchased through a licensed audiologist, hearing aid dispenser, otolaryngologist, or other authorized provider. Benefits are provided for the hearing aid and associated fitting charges and testing.

Benefits are also provided for certain *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)* approved over-the-counter hearing aids for Covered Persons age 18 and older who have mild to moderate hearing loss.

Benefits for over-the-counter hearing aids do not require any of the following:

- A medical exam.
- A fitting by a licensed audiologist, hearing aid dispenser, otolaryngologist, or other authorized provider.
- A written prescription or other order.

If more than one type of hearing aid can meet your functional needs, Bernage available only for the hearing aid that meets the minimum specifications for your needs. If you pure use a hearing aid that exceeds these minimum specifications, we will pay only the amount the work would have paid for the hearing aid that meets the minimum specifications, and you will be especified for paying any difference in cost.

Benefits do not include bone anchored hearing aids. Bone anchore hearing aids are a Covered Health Care Service for which Benefits are available under the approach and ideal/surgical Covered Health Care Services categories in this *Certificate*. They are only available if you have either of the following:

- Craniofacial anomalies whose abnormal or a sent or can be prevent the use of a wearable hearing aid.
- Hearing loss severe enough that it would not be medied by a wearable hearing aid.

#### 14. Home Health Care

Services received from a Hambleal A ency that are all of the following:

- Ordered by a Phycian.
- Provided in your house by a registered nurse, or provided by either a home health aide or licensed practical nurse and supervise by a registered nurse.
- Provided on a part-time, Intermittent Care schedule.
- Provided when Skilled Care is required.

We will determine if Benefits are available by reviewing both the skilled nature of the service and the need for Physician-directed medical management.

#### 15. Hospice Care

Hospice care that is recommended by a Physician. Hospice care is an integrated program that provides comfort and support services for the terminally ill. It includes the following:

- Physical, psychological, social, spiritual and respite care for the terminally ill person.
- Short-term grief counseling for immediate family members while you are receiving hospice care.

Benefits are available when you receive hospice care from a licensed hospice agency.

You can call us at the telephone number on your ID card for information about our guidelines for hospice care.

# 16. Hospital - Inpatient Stay

Services and supplies provided during an Inpatient Stay in a Hospital.

Benefits are available for:

- Supplies and non-Physician services received during the Inpatient Stay.
- Room and board in a Semi-private Room (a room with two or more beds).
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists, pathologists and Emergency room
   Physicians. (Benefits for other Physician services are described under *Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services*.)

# 17. Lab, X-Ray and Diagnostic - Outpatient

Services for Sickness and Injury-related diagnostic purposes, received on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Facility or in a Physician's office include:

- Lab and radiology/X-ray.
- Mammography.

#### Benefits include:

- The facility charge and the charge for supplies and equipment
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists and ethorsists. (Benefits for other Physician services are described under Physician Fees for Sur (cal an Medical Services.)
- Genetic Testing ordered by a Physician which results available medical treatment options following Genetic Counseling.
- Presumptive Drug Tests and Definitive Descriptions

Lab, X-ray and diagnostic services for prevenue care e described under Preventive Care Services.

CT scans, PET scans, MRI, MRA, nuclear media e and major diagnostic services are described under Major Diagnostic and Imaging - Outputent,

# 18. Major Diagnostic modmağing - Gutpatient

Services for CT scans, I ET screen, INTA, nuclear medicine and major diagnostic services received on an outpatient basis at a spital or alternate Facility or in a Physician's office.

#### Benefits include:

- The facility charge and the charge for supplies and equipment.
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists and pathologists. (Benefits for other Physician services are described under Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services.)

#### 19. Mental Health Care and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services

Mental Health Care and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services include those received on an inpatient or outpatient basis in a Hospital, an Alternate Facility or in a provider's office. All services must be provided by or under the direction of a behavioral health provider who is properly licensed and qualified by law and acting within the scope of their licensure.

Benefits include the following levels of care:

- Inpatient treatment.
- Residential Treatment.
- Partial Hospitalization/Day Treatment/High Intensity Outpatient.

- Intensive Outpatient Treatment.
- Outpatient treatment.

Inpatient treatment and Residential Treatment includes room and board in a Semi-private Room (a room with two or more beds).

Services include the following:

- Diagnostic evaluations, assessment and treatment, and/or procedures.
- Medication management.
- Individual, family, and group therapy.
- Crisis intervention.
- Mental Health Care Services for Autism Spectrum Disorder (including Intensive Behavioral Therapies such as *Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)*) that are the following:
  - Focused on the treatment of core deficits of Autism Spectrum Disorder.
  - Provided by a Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) or other qualified provider under the appropriate supervision.
  - Focused on treating maladaptive/stereotypic behaves the see possing danger to self, others and property, and impairment in daily functioning.

This section describes only the behavioral component and atmost for Autism Spectrum Disorder. Medical treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorder is a lovered leal Care Service for which Benefits are available under the applicable medical a vered lealth Care Services categories in this Certificate.

The Mental Health/Substance-Related and Addictive Disologies Disologies provides administrative services for all levels of care.

We encourage you to contact the Mental Heah (Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Designee for assistance in locating a provider and compation of care.

# 20. Ostomy Supplies

Benefits for ostomy supplies are limited to following:

- Pouches, face pla
- Irrigation sleeves, bags and comy irrigation catheters.
- Skin barriers.

Benefits are not available for deodorants, filters, lubricants, tape, appliance cleaners, adhesive, adhesive remover, or other items not listed above.

#### 21. Pharmaceutical Products - Outpatient

Pharmaceutical Products for Covered Health Care Services administered on an outpatient basis in a Hospital, Alternate Facility, Physician's office, or in your home.

Benefits are provided for Pharmaceutical Products which, due to their traits (as determined by us), are administered or directly supervised by a qualified provider or licensed/certified health professional. Depending on where the Pharmaceutical Product is administered, Benefits will be provided for administration of the Pharmaceutical Product under the corresponding Benefit category in this *Certificate*. Benefits for medication normally available by a prescription or order or refill are provided as described under your *Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider*.

If you require certain Pharmaceutical Products, including Specialty Pharmaceutical Products, we may direct you to a Designated Dispensing Entity. Such Designated Dispensing Entities may include an

outpatient pharmacy, specialty pharmacy, Home Health Agency provider, Hospital-affiliated pharmacy or hemophilia treatment center contracted pharmacy.

If you/your provider are directed to a Designated Dispensing Entity and you/your provider choose not to get your Pharmaceutical Product from a Designated Dispensing Entity, Network Benefits are not available for that Pharmaceutical Product.

Certain Pharmaceutical Products are subject to step therapy requirements. This means that in order to receive Benefits for such Pharmaceutical Products, you must use a different Pharmaceutical Product and/or prescription drug product first. You may find out whether a particular Pharmaceutical Product is subject to step therapy requirements by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

Certain Specialty Pharmaceutical Products are eligible for coupons or offers from pharmaceutical manufacturers or affiliates that may reduce the cost for your Specialty Pharmaceutical Product. We may help you determine whether your Specialty Pharmaceutical Product is eligible for this reduction. If you redeem a coupon from a pharmaceutical manufacturer or affiliate, your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance may vary. Please contact www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card for an available list of Specialty Pharmaceutical Drug Products. If you choose not to participate, you will pay the Co-payment or Co-insurance as described in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

The amount of the coupon will count toward any applicable deductible and to large the Out-of-Pocket Limit until any applicable deductible is met, except when not allowed by the or inderal law.

We may have certain programs in which you may receive an enhant of on. Laced Benefit based on your actions such as adherence/compliance to medication or treat the regimens and/or participation in health management programs. You may access information on the se programs by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

# 22. Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services

Physician fees for surgical procedures and other manical services received on an outpatient or inpatient basis in a Hospital, Skilled Nursing Facility, In attient A habilitation Facility or Alternate Facility, or for Physician house calls.

# 23. Physician's Office Services - 200 ness and Injury

Services provided in a Physician's office or the diagnosis and treatment of a Sickness or Injury. Benefits are provided regardless if whether the Physician's office is freestanding, located in a clinic or located in a Hospital.

Covered Health Care Services include medical education services that are provided in a Physician's office by appropriately licensed segistered health care professionals when both of the following are true:

- Education is required for a disease in which patient self-management is a part of treatment.
- There is a lack of knowledge regarding the disease which requires the help of a trained health professional.

Covered Health Care Services include Genetic Counseling.

Benefits include allergy injections.

Covered Health Care Services for preventive care provided in a Physician's office are described under *Preventive Care Services*.

Benefits for CT scans, PET scans, MRI, MRA, nuclear medicine and major diagnostic services are described under *Major Diagnostic and Imaging - Outpatient*.

When a test is performed or a sample is drawn in the Physician's office, Benefits for the analysis or testing of a lab, radiology/X-ray or other diagnostic service, whether performed in or out of the Physician's office, are described under *Lab*, *X-ray* and *Diagnostic - Outpatient*.

# 24. Pregnancy - Maternity Services

Benefits for Pregnancy include all maternity-related medical services for prenatal care, postnatal care, delivery and any related complications.

Both before and during a Pregnancy, Benefits include the services of a genetic counselor when provided or referred by a Physician. These Benefits are available to all Covered Persons in the immediate family. Covered Health Care Services include related tests and treatment.

We will pay Benefits for an Inpatient Stay of at least:

- 48 hours for the mother and newborn child following a normal vaginal delivery.
- 96 hours for the mother and newborn child following a cesarean section delivery.

If the mother agrees, the attending provider may discharge the mother and/or the newborn child earlier than these minimum time frames.

# 25. Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) and Related Services

Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) performed to identify and to prevent genetic medical conditions from being passed onto offspring. To be eligible for Benefits the following the met:

- PGT must be ordered by a Physician after Genetic Cour ling
- The genetic medical condition, if passed onto offspring, would restate a fine infiliant health problems or severe disability and be caused by a single gene (detectable by PGT-M) or structural changes of a parents' chromosome (detectable by PGT-SR).
- Benefits are limited to PGT for the specific genetic of order are the following related services when provided by or under the supervision of a Physics:
  - Ovulation induction (or controlled or an stink ation)
  - Egg retrieval, fertilization and extryo curve
  - Embryo biopsy.
  - Embryo transfer.
  - Cryo-presery for and shorterm embryo storage (less than one year).

Benefits are not availab for long storage costs (greater than one year).

#### 26. Preventive Care Services

Preventive care services provided on an outpatient basis at a Physician's office, an Alternate Facility or a Hospital encompass medical services that have been demonstrated by clinical evidence to be safe and effective in either the early detection of disease or in the prevention of disease, have been proven to have a beneficial effect on health outcomes and include the following as required under applicable law:

- Evidence-based items or services that have in effect a rating of "A" or "B" in the current recommendations of the *United States Preventive Services Task Force*.
- Immunizations that have in effect a recommendation from the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- With respect to infants, children and adolescents, evidence-informed preventive care and screenings provided for in the comprehensive guidelines supported by the *Health Resources and Services Administration*.
- With respect to women, such additional preventive care and screenings as provided for in comprehensive guidelines supported by the *Health Resources and Services Administration*.
  - Benefits defined under the *Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)* requirement include one breast pump per Pregnancy in conjunction with childbirth. Breast pumps must be

ordered by or provided by a Physician. You can find more information on how to access Benefits for breast pumps by contacting us at www.mvuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

If more than one breast pump can meet your needs, Benefits are available only for the most cost effective pump. We will determine the following:

- Which pump is the most cost effective.
- Whether the pump should be purchased or rented (and the duration of any rental).
- Timing of purchase or rental.

#### 27. Prosthetic Devices

External prosthetic devices that replace a limb or a body part, limited to:

- Artificial arms, legs, feet and hands.
- Artificial face, eyes, ears and nose.
- Breast prosthesis as required by the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998. Benefits
  include mastectomy bras. Benefits for lymphedema stockings for the arm are provided as
  described under Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Orthotics are Supplies.

Benefits are provided only for external prosthetic devices and denot in unit any levice that is fully implanted into the body. Internal prosthetics are a Covered Health, are available under the applicable medical/surgical Covered Health Care revice categories in this Certificate.

If more than one prosthetic device can meet your functions needs, benefits are available only for the prosthetic device that meets the minimum specifications for your needs. If you purchase a prosthetic device that exceeds these minimum specifications, we we pay to the amount that we would have paid for the prosthetic that meets the minimum specifications, and you will be responsible for paying any difference in cost.

The prosthetic device must be ordered or provided by, or under the direction of a Physician.

Benefits are available for repairs and color sent, except as described in Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations, under Devices, Appliances are Physiketics.

# 28. Reconstructive rocedures

Reconstructive procedure the mary purpose of the procedure is either of the following:

- Treatment of a medical sond on.
- Improvement or restoration of physiologic function.

Reconstructive procedures include surgery or other procedures which are related to an Injury, Sickness or Congenital Anomaly. The primary result of the procedure is not a changed or improved physical appearance.

Cosmetic Procedures are excluded from coverage. Procedures that correct an anatomical Congenital Anomaly without improving or restoring physiologic function are considered Cosmetic Procedures. The fact that you may suffer psychological consequences or socially avoidant behavior as a result of an Injury, Sickness or Congenital Anomaly does not classify surgery (or other procedures done to relieve such consequences or behavior) as a reconstructive procedure.

Please note that Benefits for reconstructive procedures include breast reconstruction following a mastectomy, and reconstruction of the non-affected breast to achieve symmetry. Other services required by the *Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998*, including breast prostheses and treatment of complications, are provided in the same manner and at the same level as those for any other Covered Health Care Service. You can call us at the telephone number on your ID card for more information about Benefits for mastectomy-related services.

# 29. Rehabilitation Services - Outpatient Therapy and Manipulative Treatment

Short-term outpatient rehabilitation services limited to:

- Physical therapy.
- Occupational therapy.
- Manipulative Treatment.
- Speech therapy.
- Pulmonary rehabilitation therapy.
- Cardiac rehabilitation therapy.
- Post-cochlear implant aural therapy.
- Cognitive rehabilitation therapy.

Rehabilitation services must be performed by a Physician or by a licensed therapy provider. Benefits include rehabilitation services provided in a Physician's office or on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Facility. Rehabilitative services provided in your home by a Home health Agency are provided as described under *Home Health Care*. Rehabilitative services provided in your home other than by a Home Health Agency are provided as described under this section.

Benefits can be denied or shortened when either of the following applies:

- You are not progressing in goal-directed rehabilitation serv.
- Rehabilitation goals have previously been met.

Benefits are not available for maintenance/preventing the true.

For outpatient rehabilitative services for speech states by we ill pay senefits for the treatment of disorders of speech, language, voice, communication and audit v processing only when the disorder results from Injury, stroke, cancer, or Congenital Anomaly.

# 30. Scopic Procedures - Outpatier Diagnostic and Therapeutic

Diagnostic and therapeutic procedures and related services received on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Faculty or in a Physicians office.

Diagnostic scopic procedures includes for visualization, biopsy and polyp removal. Examples of diagnostic scopic procedures includes

- Colonoscopy.
- Sigmoidoscopy.
- Diagnostic endoscopy.

Please note that Benefits do not include surgical scopic procedures, which are for the purpose of performing surgery. Benefits for surgical scopic procedures are described under *Surgery - Outpatient*.

#### Benefits include:

- The facility charge and the charge for supplies and equipment.
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists and pathologists. (Benefits for all other Physician services are described under *Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services*.)

Benefits that apply to certain preventive screenings are described under *Preventive Care Services*.

# 31. Skilled Nursing Facility/Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Services

Services and supplies provided during an Inpatient Stay in a Skilled Nursing Facility or Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility. Benefits are available for:

- Supplies and non-Physician services received during the Inpatient Stay.
- Room and board in a Semi-private Room (a room with two or more beds).
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists and pathologists. (Benefits for other Physician services are described under *Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services*.)

Please note that Benefits are available only if both of the following are true:

- If the first confinement in a Skilled Nursing Facility or Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility was or will be a cost effective option to an Inpatient Stay in a Hospital.
- You will receive Skilled Care services that are not primarily Custodial Care.

We will determine if Benefits are available by reviewing both the skilled nature of the service and the need for Physician-directed medical management.

Benefits can be denied or shortened when either of the following applies:

- You are not progressing in goal-directed rehabilitation services.
- Discharge rehabilitation goals have previously been met

# 32. Surgery - Outpatient

Surgery and related services received on an outpatient basination and a split or Alternate Facility or in a Physician's office.

Benefits include certain scopic procedures. Example surgicular pic procedures include:

- Arthroscopy.
- Laparoscopy.
- Bronchoscopy.
- Hysteroscopy.

Examples of surgical procedures performed in a Physician's office are mole removal, ear wax removal, and cast application.

#### Benefits include:

- The facility charge and the object age for supplies and equipment.
- Physician services for radiologists, anesthesiologists and pathologists. (Benefits for other Physician services are described under *Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services*.)

#### 33. Therapeutic Treatments - Outpatient

Therapeutic treatments received on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Facility or in a Physician's office, including:

- Dialysis (both hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis).
- Intravenous chemotherapy or other intravenous infusion therapy.
- Radiation oncology.

Covered Health Care Services include medical education services that are provided on an outpatient basis at a Hospital or Alternate Facility by appropriately licensed or registered health care professionals when both of the following are true:

• Education is required for a disease in which patient self-management is a part of treatment.

 There is a lack of knowledge regarding the disease which requires the help of a trained health professional.

#### Benefits include:

- The facility charge and the charge for related supplies and equipment.
- Physician services for anesthesiologists, pathologists and radiologists. Benefits for other Physician services are described under Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services.

# 34. Transplantation Services

Organ and tissue transplants, including CAR-T cell therapy for malignancies, when ordered by a Physician. Benefits are available for transplants when the transplant meets the definition of a Covered Health Care Service, and is not an Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Service.

Examples of transplants for which Benefits are available include:

- Bone marrow, including CAR-T cell therapy for malignancies.
- Heart.
- Heart/lung.
- Lung.
- Kidney.
- Kidney/pancreas.
- Liver.
- Liver/small intestine.
- Pancreas.
- Small intestine.
- Cornea.

Donor costs related to transplantation are ZoV and Health Care Services and are payable through the organ recipient's coverage ander the Posty, lighted to donor:

- Identification.
- Evaluation.
- Organ removal.
- Direct follow-up care.

You can call us at the telephone number on your ID card for information about our specific guidelines regarding Benefits for transplant services.

#### 35. Urgent Care Center Services

Covered Health Care Services received at an Urgent Care Center. When services to treat urgent health care needs are provided in a Physician's office, Benefits are available as described under *Physician's Office Services - Sickness and Injury.* 

#### 36. Urinary Catheters

Benefits for external, indwelling, and intermittent urinary catheters for incontinence or retention.

Benefits include related urologic supplies for indwelling catheters limited to:

Urinary drainage bag and insertion tray (kit).



- Anchoring device.
- Irrigation tubing set.

#### **37. Virtual Care Services**

Virtual care for Covered Health Care Services that includes the diagnosis and treatment of less serious medical conditions. Virtual care provides communication of medical information in real-time between the patient and a distant Physician or health specialist, outside of a medical facility (for example, from home or from work).

Network Benefits are available only when services are delivered through a Designated Virtual Network Provider. You can find a Designated Virtual Network Provider by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

Benefits are available for urgent, on-demand health care delivered through live audio with video or audio only technology for treatment of acute but non-emergency medical needs.

**Please Note**: Not all medical conditions can be treated through virtual care. The Designated Virtual Network Provider will identify any condition for which treatment by in-person Physician contact is needed.

Benefits do not include email or fax, or for services that occur within medical illities (CMS defined originating facilities).

# **Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations**

# How Do We Use Headings in this Section?

To help you find exclusions, we use headings (for example *A. Alternative Treatments* below). The headings group services, treatments, items, or supplies that fall into a similar category. Exclusions appear under the headings. A heading does not create, define, change, limit or expand an exclusion. All exclusions in this section apply to you.

# We Do Not Pay Benefits for Exclusions

We will not pay Benefits for any of the services, treatments, items or supplies described in this section, even if either of the following is true:

- It is recommended or prescribed by a Physician.
- It is the only available treatment for your condition.

The services, treatments, items or supplies listed in this section are not Covered Health Care Services, except as may be specifically provided for in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services or through a Rider to the Policy.

#### Where Are Benefit Limitations Shown?

When Benefits are limited within any of the Covered Health Care Sel e categories described in Section ding Covered Health Care 1: Covered Health Care Services, those limits are stated in spl Service category in the Schedule of Benefits. Limits may apply some Covered Health Care Services that fall under more than one Covered Health Card ategory. When this occurs, those ervice limits are also stated in the Schedule of Benefits take v all limits carefully, as we will not pay xceed these Benefit limits. Benefits for any of the services, treatments, items sup

Please note that in listing services or examples, then we say "this includes," it is not our intent to limit the description to that specific list. We now a intend to limit a list of services or examples, we state specifically that the list "is limited to"

#### A. Alternative Treatments

- 1. Acupressure and Lupuncture
- 2. Aromatherapy.
- 3. Hypnotism.
- 4. Massage therapy.
- 5. Rolfing.
- 6. Wilderness, adventure, camping, outdoor, or other similar programs.
- 7. Art therapy, music therapy, dance therapy, animal-assisted therapy, and other forms of alternative treatment as defined by the *National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH)* of the *National Institutes of Health*. This exclusion does not apply to Manipulative Treatment and non-manipulative osteopathic care for which Benefits are provided as described in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

#### B. Dental

1. Dental care (which includes dental X-rays, supplies and appliances and all related expenses, including hospitalizations and anesthesia).

This exclusion does not apply to accident-related dental services for which Benefits are provided as described under *Dental Services - Accident Only* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

This exclusion does not apply to dental care (oral exam, X-rays, extractions and non-surgical elimination of oral infection) required for the direct treatment of a medical condition for which Benefits are available under the Policy, limited to:

- Transplant preparation.
- Prior to the initiation of immunosuppressive drugs.
- The direct treatment of acute traumatic Injury, cancer or cleft palate.

Dental care that is required to treat the effects of a medical condition, but that is not necessary to directly treat the medical condition, is excluded. Examples include treatment of tooth decay or cavities resulting from dry mouth after radiation treatment or as a result of medication.

Endodontics, periodontal surgery and restorative treatment are excluded.

- 2. Preventive care, diagnosis, treatment of or related to the teeth, jawbones or gums. Examples include:
  - Removal, restoration and replacement of teeth.
  - Medical or surgical treatments of dental conditions.
  - Services to improve dental clinical outcomes.

This exclusion does not apply to preventive care for which send of the provided under the *United States Preventive Services Task Force* requirement or the *Provith Coarces and Services Administration (HRSA) requirement*. This exclusion also does not apply to accident-related dental services for which Benefits are provided as described under *Services - Accident Only* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

- 3. Dental implants, bone grafts and other implant that declares. This exclusion does not apply to accident-related dental services for which Be lefits to provided as described under *Dental Services Accident Only* in *Section 1: Color of Health Care Services*.
- 4. Dental braces (orthodontics).
- 5. Treatment of congenitally missing a positive or supernumerary teeth, even if part of a Congenital Anomaly.

# C. Devices, Appliances and Prosthetics

- 1. Devices used as stetutions of to help performance in sports-related activities.
- 2. Orthotic appliances that straighten or re-shape a body part. Examples include foot orthotics and some types of braces, it is gover-the-counter orthotic braces. This exclusion does not apply to cranial molding helmets and cranial banding that meet clinical criteria. This exclusion does not apply to braces for which Benefits are provided as described under *Durable Medical Equipment* (DME), Orthotics and Supplies in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- 3. The following items are excluded, even if prescribed by a Physician:
  - Blood pressure cuff/monitor.
  - Enuresis alarm.
  - Non-wearable external defibrillator.
  - Trusses.
  - Ultrasonic nebulizers.
- 4. Devices and computers to help in communication and speech except for dedicated speech generating devices and tracheo-esophageal voice devices for which Benefits are provided as described under *Durable Medical Equipment (DME)*, *Orthotics and Supplies* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

- 5. Oral appliances for snoring.
- 6. Repair or replacement of prosthetic devices due to misuse, malicious damage or gross neglect or to replace lost or stolen items.
- 7. Diagnostic or monitoring equipment purchased for home use, unless otherwise described as a Covered Health Care Service.
- 8. Powered and non-powered exoskeleton devices.

# D. Drugs

- 1. Prescription drug products for outpatient use that are filled by a prescription order or refill.
- 2. Self-administered or self-infused medications. This exclusion does not apply to medications which, due to their traits (as determined by us), must typically be administered or directly supervised by a qualified provider or licensed/certified health professional in an outpatient setting. This exclusion does not apply to certain hemophilia treatment centers that are contracted with a specific hemophilia treatment center fee schedule that allows medications used to treat bleeding disorders to be dispensed directly to Covered Persons for self-administration.
- 3. Non-injectable medications given in a Physician's office. This exclusion bes not apply to non-injectable medications that are required in an Emergence and used while in the Physician's office.
- 4. Over-the-counter drugs and treatments.
- 5. Growth hormone therapy.
- 6. Certain New Pharmaceutical Products and/or new sage following sage following calendar year.
  - This exclusion does not apply if you have a lighthy tening sickness or condition (one that is likely to cause death within one year of the recommendation for treatment). If you have a life-threatening Sickness or condition, under such circumstances, Beneau may be available for the New Pharmaceutical Product to the extent provided in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- 7. A Pharmaceutical Product that courts is (at active ingredient(s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (having essentially if e sa its officacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient(s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (having essentially if e sa its officacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient(s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (having essentially if e sa its officacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient(s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (having essentially if e sa its officacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in and therapeutically equivalent (s) available in another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in another covered Pharmaceutical Product Such active ingredient (s) available in a solution (s) availa
- 8. A Pharmaceutical product that colors (an) active ingredient(s) which is (are) a modified version of and therapeutically extraler (having essentially the same efficacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product. Such determinations may be made up to six times during a calendar year.
- 9. A Pharmaceutical Product with an approved biosimilar or a biosimilar and therapeutically equivalent (having essentially the same efficacy and adverse effect profile) to another covered Pharmaceutical Product. For the purpose of this exclusion a "biosimilar" is a biological Pharmaceutical Product approved based on showing that it is highly similar to a reference product (a biological Pharmaceutical Product) and has no clinically meaningful differences in terms of safety and effectiveness from the reference product. Such determinations may be made up to six times per calendar year.
- 10. Certain Pharmaceutical Products for which there are therapeutically equivalent (having essentially the same efficacy and adverse effect profile) alternatives available, unless otherwise required by law or approved by us. Such determinations may be made up to six times during a calendar year.
- 11. Certain Pharmaceutical Products that have not been prescribed by a Specialist.
- 12. Compounded drugs that contain certain bulk chemicals. Compounded drugs that are available as a similar commercially available Pharmaceutical Product.

# E. Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Services

Experimental or Investigational and Unproven Services and all services related to Experimental or Investigational and Unproven Services are excluded. The fact that an Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Service, treatment, device or pharmacological regimen is the only available treatment for a particular condition will not result in Benefits if the procedure is considered to be Experimental or Investigational or Unproven in the treatment of that particular condition.

This exclusion does not apply to Covered Health Care Services provided during a clinical trial for which Benefits are provided as described under *Clinical Trials* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

#### F. Foot Care

- Routine foot care. Examples include:
  - Cutting or removal of corns and calluses.
  - Nail trimming, nail cutting, or nail debridement.
  - Hygienic and preventive maintenance foot care including cleaning and soaking the feet and applying skin creams in order to maintain skin tone.

This exclusion does not apply to preventive foot care due to concitions associated with metabolic, neurologic, or peripheral vascular disease.

- 2. Treatment of flat feet.
- Treatment of subluxation of the foot.
- 4. Shoes.
- 5. Shoe orthotics.
- 6. Shoe inserts.
- 7. Arch supports.

#### G. Gender Dysphoria

- 1. Cosmetic Procedure Juding the following:
  - Abdominop (sty.)
  - Blepharopla
  - Body contouring such a lipoplasty.
  - Brow lift.
  - Calf implants.
  - Cheek, chin, and nose implants.
  - Injection of fillers or neurotoxins.
  - Face lift, forehead lift, or neck tightening.
  - Facial bone remodeling for facial feminizations.
  - Hair removal, except as part of a genital reconstruction procedure by a Physician for the treatment of gender dysphoria.
  - Hair transplantation.
  - Lip augmentation.
  - Lip reduction.
  - Liposuction.

- Mastopexy.
- Pectoral implants for chest masculinization.
- Rhinoplasty.
- Skin resurfacing.

# H. Medical Supplies and Equipment

- 1. Prescribed or non-prescribed medical supplies and disposable supplies. Examples include:
  - Compression stockings.
  - Ace bandages.
  - Gauze and dressings.

This exclusion does not apply to:

- Disposable supplies necessary for the effective use of DME or prosthetic devices for which Benefits are provided as described under *Durable Medical Equipment (DME)*, *Orthotics and Supplies* and *Prosthetic Devices* in *Section 1: Covered Health are Services*. This exception does not apply to supplies for the administration of medical food arguets.
- Diabetic supplies for which Benefits are provided as rescribed und Diabetes Services in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- Ostomy supplies for which Benefits are provide a as script d under Ostomy Supplies in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- Urinary catheters and related urologic symbles is which Benefits are provided as described under Urinary Catheters in Section 1: over the Care Services.
- 2. Tubings and masks except when used wants 4E as discribed under *Durable Medical Equipment* (DME), Orthotics and Supplies in Sect. 1: Conved Health Care Services.
- 3. Prescribed or non-prescribed public available devices, software applications and/or monitors that can be used for non-medical pupos
- 4. Repair or replacement ME or whot S due to misuse, malicious damage or gross neglect or to replace lost or stolen items.

# I. Mental Health Can and Sustance-Related and Addictive Disorders

In addition to all other exclusions listed directly below apply to services described under *Mental Health Care and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.

- 1. Services performed in connection with conditions not classified in the current edition of the International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders or Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association.
- Outside of an assessment, services as treatments for a primary diagnosis of conditions and problems that may be a focus of clinical attention, but are specifically noted not to be mental disorders within the current edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American* Psychiatric Association.
- 3. Outside of an assessment, services as treatments for the primary diagnoses of learning disabilities, pyromania, kleptomania, gambling disorder, and paraphilic disorders.
- 4. Services that are solely educational in nature or otherwise paid under state or federal law for purely educational purposes.

- 5. Tuition or services that are school-based for children and adolescents required to be provided by, or paid for by, the school under the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act.*
- 6. Outside of an assessment, unspecified disorders for which the provider is not obligated to provide clinical rationale as defined in the current edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association*.
- 7. Transitional Living services, (including recovery residences).
- 8. Non-medical 24-hour withdrawal management, providing 24-hour supervision, observation, and support for patients who are intoxicated or experiencing withdrawal, using peer and social support rather than medical and nursing care.
- 9. Residential care for Covered Persons with substance-related and addictive disorders who are unable to participate in their care due to significant cognitive impairment.

#### J. Nutrition

- 1. Individual and group nutritional counseling, including non-specific disease nutritional education such as general good eating habits, calorie control or dietary preferences. This exclusion does not apply to preventive care for which Benefits are provided under the distance of States Preventive Services Task Force requirement. This exclusion also does not apply it medical or behavioral/mental health related nutritional education services that a provided as part of treatment for a disease by appropriately licensed or register the care professionals when both of the following are true:
  - Nutritional education is required for a disease of which paties t self-management is a part of treatment.
  - There is a lack of knowledge regarding as lisea, which requires the help of a trained health professional.
- 2. Food of any kind, infant formula, standa a mile based formula, and donor breast milk. This exclusion does not apply to specialized a teral to pula for which Benefits are provided as described under *Enteral Nutrition in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.
- 3. Nutritional or cosmetic therapy using the dose or mega quantities of vitamins, minerals or elements and other partition-bases there s. Examples include supplements and electrolytes.

# K. Personal Care, omfort Convenience

- 1. Television.
- 2. Telephone.
- 3. Beauty/barber service.
- Guest service.
- 5. Supplies, equipment and similar incidental services and supplies for personal comfort. Examples include:
  - Air conditioners, air purifiers and filters and dehumidifiers.
  - Batteries and battery chargers.
  - Breast pumps. This exclusion does not apply to breast pumps for which Benefits are provided under the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) requirement.
  - Car seats.
  - Chairs, bath chairs, feeding chairs, toddler chairs, chair lifts and recliners.
  - Exercise equipment.

- Home modifications such as elevators, handrails and ramps.
- Hot and cold compresses.
- Hot tubs.
- Humidifiers.
- Jacuzzis.
- Mattresses.
- Medical alert systems.
- Motorized beds.
- Music devices.
- Personal computers.
- Pillows.
- Power-operated vehicles.
- Radios.
- Saunas.
- Stair lifts and stair glides.
- Strollers.
- Safety equipment.
- Treadmills.
- Vehicle modifications such as van
- Video players.
- Whirlpools.

#### L. Physical Appearance

- 1. Cosmetic Procedures. See the densitive in Section 9: Defined Terms. Examples include:
  - Pharmacola ice agimen, nutritional procedures or treatments.
  - Scar or tattoo removal a revision procedures (such as salabrasion, chemosurgery and other such skin abrasic. Scedures).
  - Skin abrasion procedures performed as a treatment for acne.
  - Liposuction or removal of fat deposits considered undesirable, including fat accumulation under the male breast and nipple. This exclusion does not apply to liposuction for which Benefits are provided as described under *Reconstructive Procedures* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.
  - Treatment for skin wrinkles or any treatment to improve the appearance of the skin.
  - Treatment for spider veins.
  - Sclerotherapy treatment of veins.
  - Hair removal or replacement by any means, except for hair removal as part of genital reconstruction prescribed by a Physician for the treatment of gender dysphoria.
- 2. Replacement of an existing breast implant if the earlier breast implant was performed as a Cosmetic Procedure. Note: Replacement of an existing breast implant is considered reconstructive

if the first breast implant followed mastectomy. See *Reconstructive Procedures* in *Section 1:* Covered Health Care Services.

- 3. Treatment of benign gynecomastia (abnormal breast enlargement in males).
- 4. Physical conditioning programs such as athletic training, body-building, exercise, fitness, or flexibility.
- 5. Weight loss programs whether or not they are under medical supervision. Weight loss programs for medical reasons are also excluded.
- 6. Wigs regardless of the reason for the hair loss.

#### M. Procedures and Treatments

- 1. Removal of hanging skin on any part of the body. Examples include plastic surgery procedures called abdominoplasty and brachioplasty.
- 2. Medical and surgical treatment of excessive sweating (hyperhidrosis).
- 3. Medical and surgical treatment for snoring, except when provided as a part of treatment for documented obstructive sleep apnea.
- 4. Rehabilitation services and Manipulative Treatment to improve general physical conditions that are provided to reduce potential risk factors, where improvement is nexpected, including routine, long-term or maintenance/preventive treatment.
- 5. Rehabilitation services for speech therapy except as equil of for satment of a speech impairment or speech dysfunction that results from Injury, stroke cancer, or Congenital Anomaly.
- 6. Physiological treatments and procedures that result in the same therapeutic effects when performed on the same body region during the same visit of office encounter.
- 7. Biofeedback.
- 8. Services for the evaluation and treatment of temp romandibular joint syndrome (TMJ), whether the services are considered to be medical or untal in nature.
- 9. Upper and lower jawbone surgery, contamined surgery, and jaw alignment. This exclusion does not apply to reconstruct jaw surgery) hen there is a facial skeletal abnormality and associated functional medical appairment.
- 10. Surgical and non- wrain areat, ent of obesity.
- 11. Stand-alone multi-disciplinary bacco cessation programs. These are programs that usually include health care programs specializing in tobacco cessation and may include a psychologist, social worker or other licensed or certified professionals. The programs usually include intensive psychological support, behavior modification techniques and medications to control cravings.
- 12. Breast reduction surgery except as coverage is required by the *Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998* for which Benefits are described under *Reconstructive Procedures* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.*
- 13. Helicobacter pylori (H. pylori) serologic testing.
- 14. Intracellular micronutrient testing.
- 15. Cellular and Gene Therapy services not received from a Designated Provider.

#### N. Providers

1. Services performed by a provider who is a family member by birth or marriage. Examples include a spouse, brother, sister, parent or child. This includes any service the provider may perform on himself or herself.

- 2. Services performed by a provider with your same legal address.
- 3. Services provided at a Freestanding Facility or diagnostic Hospital-based Facility without an order written by a Physician or other provider. Services which are self-directed to a Freestanding Facility or diagnostic Hospital-based Facility. Services ordered by a Physician or other provider who is an employee or representative of a Freestanding Facility or diagnostic Hospital-based Facility, when that Physician or other provider:
  - Has not been involved in your medical care prior to ordering the service, or
  - Is not involved in your medical care after the service is received.

This exclusion does not apply to mammography.

# O. Reproduction

- 1. Health care services and related expenses for infertility treatments, including assisted reproductive technology, regardless of the reason for the treatment. This exclusion does not apply to Benefits as described under Fertility Preservation for latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) and Related Services in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- 2. The following services related to a Gestational Carrier or Surroga
  - All costs related to reproductive techniques include
    - Assisted reproductive technology.
    - Artificial insemination.
    - Intrauterine insemination.
    - Obtaining and transferring embr
    - Preimplantation Genetic Test (PGT) and relief services.
  - Health care services including:
    - Inpatient or outpatier renal, care and/or preventive care.
    - Screenings and/d diag to ic testing.
    - Delive and post-naul care.

The exclusion for the life the care services listed above does not apply when the Gestational Carrier or Standare is a lovered Person.

- All fees including
  - Screening, hiring and compensation of a Gestational Carrier or Surrogate including surrogacy agency fees.
  - Surrogate insurance premiums.
  - Travel or transportation fees.
- 3. Costs of donor eggs and donor sperm.
- 4. Storage and retrieval of all reproductive materials. Examples include eggs, sperm, testicular tissue and ovarian tissue. This exclusion does not apply to short-term storage (less than one year) and retrieval of reproductive materials for which Benefits are provided as described under Fertility Preservation for latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) and Related Services in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- 5. The reversal of voluntary sterilization.
- 6. Elective fertility preservation.

7. In vitro fertilization regardless of the reason for treatment. This exclusion does not apply to in vitro fertilization for which Benefits are provided as described under *Preimplantation Genetic Testing* (PGT) and Related Services in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.

#### P. Services Provided under another Plan

- Health care services for when other coverage is required by federal, state or local law to be bought or provided through other arrangements. Examples include coverage required by workers' compensation, or similar legislation.
  - If coverage under workers' compensation or similar legislation is optional for you because you could elect it, or could have it elected for you, Benefits will not be paid for any Injury, Sickness or Mental Illness that would have been covered under workers' compensation or similar legislation had that coverage been elected.
- 2. Services resulting from accidental bodily injuries arising out of a motor vehicle accident to the extent the services are payable under a medical expense payment provision of an automobile insurance policy.
- 3. Health care services for treatment of military service-related disabilities, when you are legally entitled to other coverage and facilities are reasonably available to you.
- 4. Health care services during active military duty.

# Q. Transplants

- 1. Health care services for organ and tissue transplants except hose described under Transplantation Services in Section 1: Covered Heat Care Services.
- 2. Health care services connected with the removal care of a connected with the removal are services from you for purposes of a transplant to another person. (Donor costs that are specify lated to organ removal are payable for a transplant through the organ recipient' Bey fits under the volicy.)
- 3. Health care services for transplants involving annual organs.

#### R. Travel

- 1. Health care services provided in a breign country, unless required as Emergency Health Care Services.
- 2. Travel or transport in expenses, even though prescribed by a Physician. Some travel expenses related to Covered Health Care Services received from a Designated Provider or other Network provider may be paid by the determined by us. This exclusion does not apply to ambulance transportation for which Benefits are provided as described under *Ambulance Services* in *Section* 1: Covered Health Care Services.

#### S. Types of Care

- 1. Multi-disciplinary pain management programs provided on an inpatient basis for sharp, sudden pain or for worsened long term pain.
- 2. Custodial Care or maintenance care.
- 3. Domiciliary care.
- 4. Private Duty Nursing.
- 5. Respite care. This exclusion does not apply to respite care for which Benefits are provided as described under *Hospice Care* in *Section 1: Covered Health Care Services*.
- Rest cures.
- 7. Services of personal care aides.

8. Work hardening (treatment programs designed to return a person to work or to prepare a person for specific work).

#### T. Vision and Hearing

- 1. Cost and fitting charge for eyeglasses and contact lenses.
- 2. Routine vision exams, including refractive exams to determine the need for vision correction.
- 3. Implantable lenses used only to fix a refractive error (such as Intacs corneal implants).
- 4. Eye exercise or vision therapy.
- 5. Surgery that is intended to allow you to see better without glasses or other vision correction. Examples include radial keratotomy, laser and other refractive eye surgery.
- 6. Bone anchored hearing aids except when either of the following applies:
  - You have craniofacial anomalies whose abnormal or absent ear canals prevent the use of a wearable hearing aid.
  - You have hearing loss of sufficient severity that it would not be remedied enough by a wearable hearing aid.

More than one bone anchored hearing aid per Covered Reson the meet the above coverage criteria during the entire period of time you are enrolled under the solicy.

Repairs and/or replacement for a bone anchored hearing id who you meet the above coverage criteria, other than for malfunctions.

#### **U. All Other Exclusions**

- 1. Health care services and supplies that do represent the densition of a Covered Health Care Service. Covered Health Care Services are those near services, including services, supplies, or Pharmaceutical Products, which we do rmine to be all of the following:
  - Provided for the purpose of events, evaluating, diagnosing or treating a Sickness, Injury, Mental Illness, substance relationand addictive disorders, condition, disease or its symptoms.
  - Medically N cessary
  - Described a service wered ealth Care Service in this Certificate under Section 1: Covered Health Care Services as in the Schedule of Benefits.
  - Not otherwise executed in this Certificate under Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations.
- 2. Physical, psychiatric or psychological exams, testing, all forms of vaccinations and immunizations or treatments that are otherwise covered under the Policy when:
  - Required only for school, sports or camp, travel, career or employment, insurance, marriage or adoption.
  - Related to judicial or administrative proceedings or orders. This exclusion does not apply to services that are determined to be Medically Necessary.
  - Conducted for purposes of medical research. This exclusion does not apply to Covered Health Care Services provided during a clinical trial for which Benefits are provided as described under Clinical Trials in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
  - Required to get or maintain a license of any type.
- 3. Health care services received as a result of war or any act of war, whether declared or undeclared or caused during service in the armed forces of any country. This exclusion does not apply if you are a civilian injured or otherwise affected by war, any act of war, or terrorism in non-war zones.

- 4. Health care services received after the date your coverage under the Policy ends. This applies to all health care services, even if the health care service is required to treat a medical condition that started before the date your coverage under the Policy ended.
- 5. Health care services when you have no legal responsibility to pay, or when a charge would not ordinarily be made in the absence of coverage under the Policy.
- 6. In the event an out-of-Network provider waives, does not pursue, or fails to collect, Co-payments, Co-insurance and/or any deductible or other amount owed for a particular health care service, no Benefits are provided for the health care service when the Co-payments, Co-insurance and/or deductible are waived.
- 7. Charges in excess of the Allowed Amount, when applicable, or in excess of any specified limitation.
- 8. Long term (more than 30 days) storage. Examples include cryopreservation of tissue, blood and blood products.
- 9. Autopsy.
- 10. Foreign language and sign language interpretation services offered by or required to be provided by a Network or out-of-Network provider.
- 11. Health care services related to a non-Covered Health Care Service: When a service is not a Covered Health Care Service, all services related to that con-Covered Health Care Service are also excluded. This exclusion does not apply to services we would otherwise determine to be Covered Health Care Services if the service treats complications that the from the non-Covered Health Care Service.
  - For the purpose of this exclusion, a "complication" on unexpected or unanticipated condition that is superimposed on an existing disease and that affect or modifies the prognosis of the original disease or condition. Examples of a "complication are by saing or infections, following a Cosmetic Procedure, that require hospitalization.
- 12. Health care services from an out-of-Na ider for non-emergent, sub-acute inpatient, or ork p non-Habital facilities: Alternate Facility, Freestanding outpatient services at any of the following Facility, Residential Treatment Fa tient Rehabilitation Facility, and Skilled Nursing Facility received outside of the Covere s state of residence. For the purpose of this exclusion the "state of residence" is state Sovered Person is a legal resident, plus any geographically bor or, for a Covered Person who is a student, the state where ing adjacen they attend school ear. This exclusion does not apply in the case of an Emergency or if a been obtained in advance.

# **Section 3: When Coverage Begins**

#### **How Do You Enroll?**

Eligible Persons must complete an enrollment form given to them by the Group. The Group will submit the completed forms to us, along with any required Premium. We will not provide Benefits for health care services that you receive before your effective date of coverage.

## What If You Are Hospitalized When Your Coverage Begins?

We will pay Benefits for Covered Health Care Services when all of the following apply:

- You are an inpatient in a Hospital, Skilled Nursing Facility or Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility on the day your coverage begins.
- You receive Covered Health Care Services on or after your first day of coverage related to that Inpatient Stay.
- You receive Covered Health Care Services in accordance with the terms of the Policy.

These Benefits are subject to your previous carrier's obligations under a late to or contract

You should notify us of your hospitalization within 48 hours of the day your coverage begins, or as soon as reasonably possible. For plans that have a Network Benefit level Network Benefits are available only if you receive Covered Health Care Services from Network providers.

## What If You Are Eligible for Medicare?

Your Benefits may be reduced if you are eligible for pricare at do not enroll in and maintain coverage under both Medicare Part A and Part B.

Your Benefits may also be reduced if you are enfolted in a *Nedicare Advantage* (Medicare Part C) plan but do not follow the rules of that plan. Pleasing ee *Hole Are Benefits Paid When You Are Medicare Eligible?* in *Section 8: General Legal Provisions* or more information about how Medicare may affect your Benefits.

# Who is Eligible for coverage?

Eligibility for enrollment administrated by the Group consistent with the Policy which includes this Certificate and Group Ap, 1990.

# **Eligible Person**

Eligible Person usually refers to an employee or member of the Group who meets the eligibility rules. When an Eligible Person enrolls, we refer to that person as a Subscriber. For a complete definition of Eligible Person, Group and Subscriber, see *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

Eligible Persons must live within the United States.

If both spouses are Eligible Persons of the Group, each may enroll as a Subscriber or be covered as an Enrolled Dependent of the other, but not both.

# Dependent

Dependent generally refers to the Subscriber's spouse and children. When a Dependent enrolls, we refer to that person as an Enrolled Dependent. For a complete definition of Dependent and Enrolled Dependent, see *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

Dependents of an Eligible Person may not enroll unless the Eligible Person is also covered under the Policy.

If both parents of a Dependent child are enrolled as a Subscriber, only one parent may enroll the child as a Dependent.

# When Do You Enroll and When Does Coverage Begin?

Except as described below, Eligible Persons may not enroll themselves or their Dependents.

#### **Initial Enrollment Period**

When the Group purchases coverage under the Policy from us, the Initial Enrollment Period is the first period of time when Eligible Persons can enroll themselves and their Dependents.

Coverage begins on the date shown in the Policy. We must receive the completed enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the date the Eligible Person becomes eligible.

## **Open Enrollment Period**

The Group sets the Open Enrollment Period. During the Open Enrollment Period, Eligible Persons can enroll themselves and their Dependents.

Coverage begins on the date identified by the Group. We must receive the empleted enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the date the Eligible Person becomes eligible.

#### **New Eligible Persons**

Coverage for a new Eligible Person and his or her Dependent chagins on the date agreed to by the Group in accordance with the eligibility rules. We must receive the amplited enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the date the new Eligible Person first becomes eligible.

### **Adding New Dependents**

Subscribers may enroll Dependents who join the mily because any of the following events:

- Birth.
- Legal adoption.
- Placement for adoption
- Marriage.
- Legal guardiansh
- Court or administrative order

Coverage for the Dependent begins on the date of the event. We must receive the completed enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the event.

#### **Special Enrollment Period**

An Eligible Person and/or Dependent may also be able to enroll during a special enrollment period. A special enrollment period is not available to an Eligible Person and his or her Dependents if coverage under the prior plan ended for cause, or because premiums were not paid on a timely basis.

An Eligible Person and/or Dependent does not need to elect COBRA continuation coverage to preserve special enrollment rights. Special enrollment is available to an Eligible Person and/or Dependent even if COBRA is not elected.

A special enrollment period applies to an Eligible Person and any Dependents when one of the following events occurs:

- Birth.
- Legal adoption.

- Placement for adoption.
- Marriage.

A special enrollment period also applies for an Eligible Person and/or Dependent who did not enroll during the Initial Enrollment Period or Open Enrollment Period if any of the following are true:

- The Eligible Person previously declined coverage under the Policy, but the Eligible Person and/or
  Dependent becomes eligible for a premium assistance subsidy under *Medicaid* or *Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)*. Coverage will begin only if we receive the completed enrollment form
  and any required Premium within 60 days of the date of determination of subsidy eligibility.
- The Eligible Person and/or Dependent had existing health coverage under another plan at the time they had an opportunity to enroll during the Initial Enrollment Period or Open Enrollment Period and coverage under the prior plan ended because of any of the following:
  - Loss of eligibility (including legal separation, divorce or death).
  - The employer stopped paying the contributions. This is true even if the Eligible Person and/or Dependent continues to receive coverage under the prior plan and to pay the amounts previously paid by the employer.
  - In the case of COBRA continuation coverage, the coverage end a.
  - The Eligible Person and/or Dependent no longer resides, loss or works in an HMO service area if no other benefit option is available.
  - The plan no longer offers benefits to a class of part als at includes the Eligible Person and/or Dependent.
  - The Eligible Person and/or Dependent loss eligibility older *Medicaid* or *Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)*. Coverage vill be in on all we receive the completed enrollment form and any required Premium with \$60 days of the late coverage ended.

When an event takes place (for example, a key), many ge or determination of eligibility for state subsidy), coverage begins on the date of the event. We have receive the completed enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the event unless otherwise noted above.

For an Eligible Person and/or Dependent, no stroot enroll during the Initial Enrollment Period or Open Enrollment Period because they had exit ing health coverage under another plan, coverage begins on the day following the day coverage under prior plan ends. Except as otherwise noted above, coverage will begin only if we receive the computed enrollment form and any required Premium within 31 days of the date coverage under the prior plan ended.

# **Section 4: When Coverage Ends**

# **General Information about When Coverage Ends**

As permitted by law, we may end the Policy and/or all similar benefit plans at any time for the reasons explained in the Policy.

Your right to Benefits automatically ends on the date that coverage ends, even if you are hospitalized or are otherwise receiving medical treatment on that date.

When your coverage ends, we will still pay claims for Covered Health Care Services that you received before the date your coverage ended. However, once your coverage ends, we will not pay claims for any health care services received after that date (even if the medical condition that is being treated occurred before the date your coverage ended).

Unless otherwise stated, an Enrolled Dependent's coverage ends on the date the Subscriber's coverage ends.

## What Events End Your Coverage?

Coverage ends on the earliest of the dates specified below:

#### • The Entire Policy Ends

Your coverage ends on the date the Policy ends. In this event, the Group is responsible for notifying you that your coverage has ended.

#### You Are No Longer Eligible

Your coverage ends on the date you are no longs eligis to be a Subscriber or Enrolled Dependent. Please refer to Section 9: Define I Term for a "nitions of the terms "Eligible Person," "Subscriber," "Dependent" and "Enrolled Desendent."

#### We Receive Notice to End Coverage

The Group is responsible for produce the required notice to us to end your coverage. Your coverage ends on the date we eccit to be required notice from the Group to end your coverage, or on the date requested to be notice if la as

#### Subscriber Retires or Is Passion

The Group is respective for providing the required notice to us to end your coverage. Your coverage ends the date the Systemiation or retirement plan.

This provision applies unless there is specific coverage classification for retired or pensioned persons in the Group's *Application*, and only if the Subscriber continues to meet any applicable eligibility rules. The Group can provide you with specific information about what coverage is available for retirees.

# Fraud or Intentional Misrepresentation of a Material Fact

We will provide at least 30 days advance required notice to the Subscriber that coverage will end on the date we identify in the notice because you committed an act, practice, or omission that constituted fraud, or an intentional misrepresentation of a material fact. Examples include knowingly providing incorrect information relating to another person's eligibility or status as a Dependent. You may appeal this decision during the notice period. The notice will contain information on how to appeal the decision.

If we find that you have performed an act, practice, or omission that constitutes fraud, or have made an intentional misrepresentation of material fact we have the right to demand that you pay back all Benefits we paid to you, or paid in your name, during the time you were incorrectly covered under the Policy.

## **Coverage for a Disabled Dependent Child**

Coverage for an unmarried Enrolled Dependent child who is disabled will not end just because the child has reached a certain age. We will extend the coverage for that child beyond this age if both of the following are true:

- The Enrolled Dependent child is not able to support him/herself because of mental, developmental, or physical disability.
- The Enrolled Dependent child depends mainly on the Subscriber for support.

Coverage will continue as long as the Enrolled Dependent child is medically certified as disabled and dependent unless coverage otherwise ends in accordance with the terms of the Policy.

You must furnish us with proof of the medical certification of disability within 31 days of the date coverage would have ended because the child reached a certain age. Before we agree to this extension of coverage for the child, we may require that a Physician we choose examine the child. We will pay for that exam.

We may continue to ask you for proof that the child continues to be disabled and dependent. Such proof might include medical exams at our expense. We will not ask for this information more than once a year.

If you do not provide proof of the child's disability and dependency with 31 rays of our request as described above, coverage for that child will end.

## Continuation of Coverage and Conversion

If your coverage ends under the Policy, you may have the right to excit continuation coverage (coverage that continues on in some form) in accordance with federal a state I v.

Continuation coverage under *COBRA* (the federal *Constitution Act*) is available only to Groups that are subject to the terms of *Cosraa*, contact your plan administrator to find out if your Group is subject to the provisions of *SOSFA*.

If you chose continuation coverage under a physplan which was then replaced by coverage under the Policy, continuation coverage will end a speedual under the prior plan or in accordance with federal or state law, whichever is earlier.

We are not the Group's dearghand of "pian admit istrator" as that term is used in federal law, and we do not assume any responsibilities of a "plan at sinic trator" according to federal law.

We are not obligated to perform its responsibilities under fede all law. Examples of the responsibilities of the Group or its plan administrator are:

- Notifying you in a timely manner of the right to elect continuation coverage.
- Notifying us in a timely manner of your election of continuation coverage.

# Qualifying Events for Continuation Coverage under State Law

Coverage must have ended due to one of the following qualifying events:

- Termination of the Subscriber from employment with the Group for any reason except gross misconduct.
- Termination of coverage due to loss of eligibility as a Subscriber or an Enrolled Dependent.

# **Notification Requirements and Election Period for Continuation Coverage under State Law**

The Group will provide you with written notification of the right to continuation coverage within XX days of when coverage ends under the Policy. You must elect continuation coverage within XX days of receiving

this notification. You should get an election form from the Group or the employer and, once election is made, forward all monthly Premiums to the Group for payment to us.

# Terminating Events for Continuation Coverage under State Law

Continuation coverage under the Policy will end on the earliest of the following dates:

- XX months XX days from the date your continuation began.
- The date coverage ends for failure to make timely payment of the Premium.
- The date coverage ends because you violate a material condition of the Policy.
- The date coverage is or could be obtained under any other group health plan.
- The date the Policy ends.

#### Conversion

If your coverage ends for one of the reasons described below, you may apply for conversion coverage without furnishing evidence of insurability.

Reasons for termination:

- The Subscriber is retired or pensioned.
- You cease to be eligible as a Subscriber or Enrolled Dependent
- Continuation coverage ends.
- The entire Policy ends and is not replaced.

Application and payment of the first Premium must e many with 31 days after coverage ends under the Policy. Conversion coverage will be issued in a condition and conditions in effect at the time of application. Conversion coverage many e subjantially different from coverage provided under the Policy.

# Section 5: How to File a Claim

#### **How Are Covered Health Care Services from Network Providers Paid?**

We pay Network providers directly for your Covered Health Care Services. If a Network provider bills you for any Covered Health Care Service, contact us. However, you are required to meet any applicable deductible and to pay any required Co-payments and Co-insurance to a Network provider.

# How Are Covered Health Care Services from an Out-of-Network Provider Paid?

When you receive Covered Health Care Services from an out-of-Network provider, you are responsible for requesting payment from us. You must file the claim in a format that contains all of the information we require, as described below.

You should submit a request for payment of Benefits within 90 days after the date of service. If you don't provide this information to us within one year of the date of service, Benefits for that health care service will be denied or reduced, as determined by us. This time limit does not apply if you are legally incapacitated. If your claim relates to an Inpatient Stay, the date of service and the date your Inpatient Stay ends.

#### **Required Information**

When you request payment of Benefits from us, you must proceed all of the following information:

- The Subscriber's name and address.
- The patient's name and age.
- The number stated on your ID card.
- The name and address of the provided the serice(s)
- The name and address of any ordering Physician.
- A diagnosis from the Physiciar
- An itemized bill from your provider that includes the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) codes or a description of each ch
- The date the Injury conckness egan.
- A statement indicating the lat you are, or you are not, enrolled for coverage under any other health plan or program. If you are enrolled for other coverage you must include the name of the other carrier(s).

The above information should be filed with us at the address on your ID card.

When filing a claim for Outpatient Prescription Drug Benefits, your claims should be submitted to:

Optum Rx

PO Box 650629

Dallas, TX 75265-0629

#### **Payment of Benefits**

You may not assign your Benefits under the Policy or any cause of action related to your Benefits under the Policy to an out-of-Network provider without our consent. When an assignment is not obtained, we will send the reimbursement directly to the Subscriber for reimbursement to an out-of-Network provider. We may, as we determine, pay an out-of-Network provider directly for services rendered to you. In the case of

any such assignment of Benefits or payment to an out-of-Network provider, we have the right to offset Benefits to be paid to the provider by any amounts that the provider owes us.

When you assign your Benefits under the Policy to an out-of-Network provider with our consent, and the out-of-Network provider submits a claim for payment, you and the out-of-Network provider represent and warrant the following:

- The Covered Health Care Services were actually provided.
- The Covered Health Care Services were medically appropriate.

Allowed Amounts due to an out-of-Network provider for Covered Health Care Services that are subject to the *No Surprises Act* of the *Consolidated Appropriations Act (P.L. 116-260)* are paid directly to the provider.

Payment of Benefits under the Policy shall be in cash or cash equivalents, or in a form of other consideration that we determine to be adequate. Where Benefits are payable directly to a provider, such adequate consideration includes the forgiveness in whole or in part of the amount the provider owes us, or to other plans for which we make payments where we have taken an assignment of the other plans' recovery rights for value.



# **Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals**

To resolve a question, complaint, or appeal, just follow these steps:

#### What if You Have a Question?

Call the telephone number shown on your ID card. Representatives are available to take your call during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

# What if You Have a Complaint?

Call the telephone number shown on your ID card. Representatives are available to take your call during regular business hours, Monday through Friday.

If you would rather send your complaint to us in writing, the representative can provide you with the address.

If the representative cannot resolve the issue over the phone, he/she can help you prepare and submit a written complaint. We will notify you of our decision regarding your complaint within 60 days of receiving it.

# **How Do You Appeal a Claim Decision?**

#### **Post-service Claims**

Post-service claims are claims filed for payment of Benefits after in alical, are has been received.

#### **Pre-service Requests for Benefits**

Pre-service requests for Benefits are requests that equire rior a thorization or benefit confirmation prior to receiving medical care.

#### How to Request an Appeal

If you disagree with a pre-service request to Beneary determination, post-service claim determination or a rescission of coverage determination, you can contact us in writing to request an appeal.

Your request for an appearshould include

- The patient's name and colder ification number from the ID card.
- The date(s) of medical service ).
- The provider's name.
- The reason you believe the claim should be paid.
- Any documentation or other written information to support your request for claim payment.

Your first appeal request must be submitted to us within 180 days after you receive the denial of a preservice request for Benefits or the claim denial.

# Appeal Process

A qualified individual who was not involved in the decision being appealed will be chosen to decide the appeal. If your appeal is related to clinical matters, the review will be done in consultation with a health care professional with expertise in the field, who was not involved in the prior determination. We may consult with, or ask medical experts to take part in the appeal process. You consent to this referral and the sharing of needed medical claim information. Upon request and free of charge, you have the right to reasonable access to and copies of all documents, records and other information related to your claim for Benefits. If any new or additional evidence is relied upon or generated by us during the determination of

the appeal, we will provide it to you free of charge and in advance of the due date of the response to the adverse benefit determination.

## **Appeals Determinations**

#### **Pre-service Requests for Benefits and Post-service Claim Appeals**

For procedures related to urgent requests for Benefits, see *Urgent Appeals that Require Immediate Action* below.

You will be provided written or electronic notification of the decision on your appeal as follows:

- For appeals of pre-service requests for Benefits as defined above, the appeal will take place and you will be notified of the decision within 30 days from receipt of a request for appeal of a denied request for Benefits.
- For appeals of post-service claims as defined above, the appeal will take place and you will be notified of the decision within 60 days from receipt of a request for appeal of a denied claim.

Please note that our decision is based only on whether or not Benefits are available under the Policy for the proposed treatment or procedure.

You may have the right to external review through an *Independent Review figal* zation (IRO) upon the completion of the internal appeal process. Instructions regarding any sub-rights and how to access those rights, will be provided in our decision letter to you.

## **Urgent Appeals that Require Immediate Action**

Your appeal may require urgent action if a delay in treatment, ould i crease the risk to your health, or the ability to regain maximum function, or cause severe pain in the surgent situations:

- The appeal does not need to be submitted in criting. You or your Physician should call us as soon as possible.
- We will provide you with a written exlect thic determination within 72 hours following receipt of your request for review of the ditermination, aking into account the seriousness of your condition.
- If we need more information from our Fhysician to make a decision, we will notify you of the decision by the english the next but her day following receipt of the required information.

The appeal process for the relations does not apply to prescheduled treatments, therapies or surgeries.

# Federal External Review Program

You may be entitled to request an external review of our determination after exhausting your internal appeals if either of the following apply:

- You are not satisfied with the determination made by us.
- We fail to respond to your appeal within the timeframe required by the applicable regulations.

If one of the above conditions is met, you may request an external review of adverse benefit determinations based upon any of the following:

- Clinical reasons.
- The exclusions for Experimental or Investigational Service(s) or Unproven Service(s).
- Rescission of coverage (coverage that was cancelled or discontinued retroactively).
- As otherwise required by applicable law.

You or your representative may request a standard external review by sending a written request to the address listed in the determination letter. You or your representative may request an expedited external review, in urgent situations as defined below, by contacting us at the telephone number on your ID card or by sending a written request to the address listed in the determination letter. A request must be made within four months after the date you received our final appeal decision.

An external review request should include all of the following:

- A specific request for an external review.
- Your name, address, and insurance ID number.
- Your designated representative's name and address, when applicable.
- The service that was denied.
- Any new, relevant information that was not provided during the internal appeal.

An external review will be performed by an *Independent Review Organization (IRO)*. We have entered into agreements with three or more *IROs* that have agreed to perform such reviews. There are two types of external reviews available:

- A standard external review.
- An expedited external review.

## **Standard External Review**

A standard external review includes all of the following:

- A preliminary review by us of the request.
- A referral of the request by us to the IRO.
- A decision by the IRO.

After receipt of the request, we will complete a reliminary review within the applicable timeframe, to determine whether the individual for whome receipt was submitted meets all of the following:

- Is or was covered under the Policy of the time the health care service or procedure that is at issue in the request was provided.
- Has exhausted the applied terhal appeals process.
- Has provided all the miormation and forms required so that we may process the request.

After we complete this review, issue a notification in writing to you. If the request is eligible for external review, we will assign an *IRO* to conduct such review. We will assign requests by either rotating the assignment of claims among the *IROs* or by using a random selection process.

The *IRO* will notify you in writing of the request's eligibility and acceptance for external review and if necessary, for any additional information needed to conduct the external review. You will generally have to submit the additional information in writing to the *IRO* within ten business days after the date you receive the *IRO*'s request for the additional information. The *IRO* is not required to, but may, accept and consider additional information submitted by you after ten business days.

We will provide to the assigned *IRO* the documents and information considered in making our determination. The documents include:

- All relevant medical records.
- All other documents relied upon by us.
- All other information or evidence that you or your Physician submitted. If there is any information or evidence you or your Physician wish to submit that was not previously provided, you may include

this information with your external review request. We will include it with the documents forwarded to the *IRO*.

In reaching a decision, the *IRO* will review the claim as new and not be bound by any decisions or conclusions reached by us. The *IRO* will provide written notice of its determination (the *"Final External Review Decision"*) within 45 days after it receives the request for the external review (unless they request additional time and you agree). The *IRO* will deliver the notice of *Final External Review Decision* to you and us, and it will include the clinical basis for the determination.

If we receive a *Final External Review Decision* reversing our determination, we will provide coverage or payment for the Benefit claim at issue according to the terms and conditions of the Policy, and any applicable law regarding plan remedies. If the *Final External Review Decision* agrees with our determination, we will not be obligated to provide Benefits for the health care service or procedure.

#### **Expedited External Review**

An expedited external review is similar to a standard external review. The main difference between the two is that the time periods for completing certain portions of the review process are much shorter for the expedited external review, and in some instances you may file an expedited external review before completing the internal appeals process.

You may make a written or verbal request for an expedited external review, a parately or at the same time you have filed a request for an expedited internal appeal, it is relief to either of the following:

- An adverse benefit determination of a claim or appeal that in vestaged condition for which the time frame for completion of an expedited internal part would either jeopardize:
  - The life or health of the individual.
  - The individual's ability to regain maximum nction

In addition, you must have filed a request for an exceptited sterna appeal

- A final appeal decision, that either:
  - Involves a medical condition where the timeframe for completion of a standard external review would either jeopa dize be life or health of the individual or jeopardize the individual's ability to regain maximum furnito
  - Concerns ar admission, availability of care, continued stay, or health care service, procedure production which he individual received emergency care services, but has not been discharged om a politity.

Immediately upon receipt of the regulat, we will determine whether the individual meets both of the following:

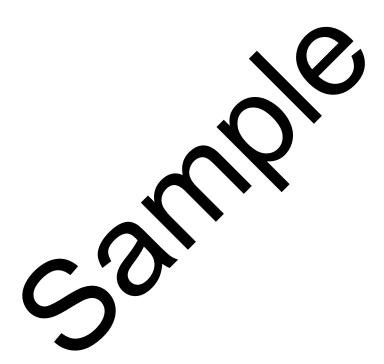
- Is or was covered under the Policy at the time the health care service or procedure that is at issue in the request was provided.
- Has provided all the information and forms required so that we may process the request.

After we complete the review, we will send a notice in writing to you. Upon a determination that a request is eligible for expedited external review, we will assign an *IRO* in the same manner we utilize to assign standard external reviews to *IROs*. We will provide all required documents and information we used in making the adverse benefit determination or final adverse benefit determination to the assigned *IRO* electronically or by telephone or facsimile or any other available method in a timely manner. The *IRO*, to the extent the information or documents are available and the *IRO* considers them appropriate, must consider the same type of information and documents considered in a standard external review.

In reaching a decision, the *IRO* will review the claim as new and not be bound by any decisions or conclusions reached by us. The *IRO* will provide notice of the final external review decision for an expedited external review as quickly as the claimant's medical condition or circumstances require, but in no event more than 72 hours after the *IRO* receives the request. If the *IRO*'s final external review decision

is first communicated verbally, the *IRO* will follow-up with a written confirmation of the decision within 48 hours of that verbal communication.

You may call us at the telephone number on your ID card for more information regarding external review rights, or if making a verbal request for an expedited external review.



## Section 7: Coordination of Benefits

# Benefits When You Have Coverage under More than One Plan

This section describes how Benefits under the Policy will be coordinated with those of any other plan that provides benefits to you. The language in this section is from model laws drafted by the *National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC)* and represents standard industry practice for coordinating benefits.

## When Does Coordination of Benefits Apply?

This *Coordination of Benefits (COB)* provision applies when a person has health care coverage under more than one Plan. Plan is defined below.

The order of benefit determination rules below govern the order in which each Plan will pay a claim for benefits.

- Primary Plan. The Plan that pays first is called the Primary Plan. The Primary Plan must pay
  benefits in accordance with its policy terms without regard to the possibility that another Plan may
  cover some expenses.
- **Secondary Plan**. The Plan that pays after the Primary Plan is the Scondary Plan. The Secondary Plan may reduce the benefits it pays so that payments from UPIs a doubt exceed 100% of the total Allowable Expense. Allowable Expense is defined below.

#### **Definitions**

For purposes of this section, terms are defined as follows:

- A. Plan. A Plan is any of the following that provides be, fits a pervices for medical, pharmacy or dental care or treatment. If separate contacts are used to provide coordinated coverage for members of a group, the separate contacts are considered parts of the same plan and there is no COB among those separate contracts.
  - 1. Plan includes: group and non-greating insurance contracts, health maintenance organization (HMO) contracts, closed penels (an exother forms of group or group-type coverage (whether insured or unipplied), medical care components of long-term care contracts, such as skilled nursing care; dedical be stitled or group or individual automobile contracts; and Medicare or any other federal or armitestal plan, as permitted by law.
  - 2. Plan does not include: how tal indemnity coverage insurance or other fixed indemnity coverage; accident coverage; specified disease or specified accident coverage; limited benefit health coverage, as defined by state law; school accident type coverage; benefits for non-medical components of long-term care policies; Medicare supplement policies; Medicaid policies; or coverage under other federal governmental plans, unless permitted by law.

Each contract for coverage under 1. or 2. above is a separate Plan. If a Plan has two parts and COB rules apply only to one of the two, each of the parts is treated as a separate Plan.

- B. **This Plan.** This Plan means, in a COB provision, the part of the contract providing the health care benefits to which the COB provision applies and which may be reduced because of the benefits of other plans. Any other part of the contract providing health care benefits is separate from This Plan. A contract may apply one COB provision to certain benefits, such as dental benefits, coordinating only with similar benefits, and may apply another COB provision to coordinate other benefits.
- C. **Order of Benefit Determination Rules.** The order of benefit determination rules determine whether This Plan is a Primary Plan or Secondary Plan when the person has health care coverage under more than one Plan. When This Plan is primary, it determines payment for its benefits first before those of any other Plan without considering any other Plan's benefits. When This Plan is

- secondary, it determines its benefits after those of another Plan and may reduce the benefits it pays so that all Plan benefits do not exceed 100% of the total Allowable Expense.
- D. Allowable Expense. Allowable Expense is a health care expense, including deductibles, co-insurance and co-payments, that is covered at least in part by any Plan covering the person. When a Plan provides benefits in the form of services, the reasonable cash value of each service will be considered an Allowable Expense and a benefit paid. An expense that is not covered by any Plan covering the person is not an Allowable Expense. In addition, any expense that a provider by law or according to contractual agreement is prohibited from charging a Covered Person is not an Allowable Expense.

The following are examples of expenses or services that are not Allowable Expenses:

- 1. The difference between the cost of a semi-private hospital room and a private room is not an Allowable Expense unless one of the Plans provides coverage for private hospital room expenses.
- 2. If a person is covered by two or more Plans that compute their benefit payments on the basis of usual and customary fees or relative value schedule reimbursement methodology or other similar reimbursement methodology, any amount in excess of the highest reimbursement amount for a specific benefit is not an Allowable Expense.
- 3. If a person is covered by two or more Plans that protele berefits of sovices on the basis of negotiated fees, an amount in excess of the highest or the negotiated fees is not an Allowable Expense.
- 4. If a person is covered by one Plan that calculates services on the basis of usual us pe fits and customary fees or relative value schedule mburse ent methodology or other similar reimbursement methodology and another Plan the provid s its benefits or services on the basis of negotiated fees, the Primary Pla angement shall be the Allowable Expense for all Plans. However, if the acted with the Secondary Plan to vider` provide the benefit or service for a s negotiated fee or payment amount that is different éCh. than the Primary Plan's payment ngem and if the provider's contract permits, the negotiated fee or payment shall be to Allowable Expense used by the Secondary Plan to determine its benefits.
- 5. The amount of any benefit eduction the Primary Plan because a Covered Person has failed to comply with the Plan provisions it not an Allowable Expense. Examples of these types of plan provisions include a pontagical opinions, precertification of admissions and preferred provider arrangements.
- E. Closed Panel Plan. Closed Ponel Plan is a Plan that provides health care benefits to Covered Persons primarily in the conference through a panel of providers that have contracted with or are employed by the Plan, and that excludes benefits for services provided by other providers, except in cases of emergency or referral by a panel member.
- F. **Custodial Parent.** Custodial Parent is the parent awarded custody by a court decree or, in the absence of a court decree, is the parent with whom the child resides more than one half of the calendar year excluding any temporary visitation.

# What Are the Rules for Determining the Order of Benefit Payments?

When a person is covered by two or more Plans, the rules for determining the order of benefit payments are as follows:

- A. The Primary Plan pays or provides its benefits according to its terms of coverage and without regard to the benefits under any other Plan.
- B. Except as provided in the next paragraph, a Plan that does not contain a coordination of benefits provision that is consistent with this provision is always primary unless the provisions of both Plans state that the complying plan is primary.

Coverage that is obtained by virtue of membership in a group that is designed to supplement a part of a basic package of benefits and provides that this supplementary coverage shall be in excess of any other parts of the Plan provided by the contract holder. Examples of these types of situations are major medical coverages that are superimposed over base plan hospital and surgical benefits and insurance type coverages that are written in connection with a Closed Panel Plan to provide out-of-network benefits.

- C. A Plan may consider the benefits paid or provided by another Plan in determining its benefits only when it is secondary to that other Plan.
- D. Each Plan determines its order of benefits using the first of the following rules that apply:
  - 1. **Non-Dependent or Dependent.** The Plan that covers the person other than as a dependent, for example as an employee, member, policyholder, subscriber or retiree is the Primary Plan and the Plan that covers the person as a dependent is the Secondary Plan. However, if the person is a Medicare beneficiary and, as a result of federal law, Medicare is secondary to the Plan covering the person as a dependent; and primary to the Plan covering the person as other than a dependent (e.g. a retired employee); then the order of benefits between the two Plans is reversed so that the Plan covering the person as an employee, member, policyholder, subscriber or retiree is the Secondary Plan and the other Plan is the Primary Plan.
  - 2. Dependent Child Covered Under More Than One Coverage PV A. Unless there is a court decree stating otherwise, plans covering a dependent hild's at determine the order of benefits as follows:
    - a) For a dependent child whose parents are not it is a gre living together, whether or not they have ever been married:
      - (1) The Plan of the parent whose birth lay fall learlier in the calendar year is the Primary Plan; or
      - (2) If both parents have the time bint lay, to Plan that covered the parent longest is the Primar Plan.
    - b) For a dependent child whose parents are divorced or separated or are not living together, whether no bey have ever been married:
      - (1) If a sourt decree states that one of the parents is responsible for the dependent all its health are expenses or health care coverage and the Plan of that parent is sponsible to move the parent with a spon bility has no health care coverage for the dependent child's health care expenses, but that parent's spouse does, that parent's spouse's plan is the Primary Fan. This shall not apply with respect to any plan year during which benefits are paid or provided before the entity has actual knowledge of the court decree provision.
      - (2) If a court decree states that both parents are responsible for the dependent child's health care expenses or health care coverage, the provisions of subparagraph a) above shall determine the order of benefits.
      - (3) If a court decree states that the parents have joint custody without specifying that one parent has responsibility for the health care expenses or health care coverage of the dependent child, the provisions of subparagraph a) above shall determine the order of benefits.
      - (4) If there is no court decree allocating responsibility for the child's health care expenses or health care coverage, the order of benefits for the child are as follows:
        - (a) The Plan covering the Custodial Parent.
        - (b) The Plan covering the Custodial Parent's spouse.

- (c) The Plan covering the non-Custodial Parent.
- (d) The Plan covering the non-Custodial Parent's spouse.
- c) For a dependent child covered under more than one plan of individuals who are not the parents of the child, the order of benefits shall be determined, as applicable, under subparagraph a) or b) above as if those individuals were parents of the child.
- d) (i) For a dependent child who has coverage under either or both parents' plans and also has his or her own coverage as a dependent under a spouse's plan, the rule in paragraph (5) applies.
  - (ii) In the event the dependent child's coverage under the spouse's plan began on the same date as the dependent child's coverage under either or both parents' plans, the order of benefits shall be determined by applying the birthday rule in subparagraph (a) to the dependent child's parent(s) and the dependent's spouse.
- 3. Active Employee or Retired or Laid-off Employee. The Plan that covers a person as an active employee, that is, an employee who is neither laid off nor retired is the Primary Plan. The same would hold true if a person is a dependent of an active employee and that same person is a dependent of a retired or laid-off employee. If the other Plan does not have this rule, and, as a result, the Plans do not agree on the order of lener, this rule is ignored. This rule does not apply if the rule labeled D.1. can determine the order of lener.
- 4. COBRA or State Continuation Coverage. If a person e is provided pursuant to COBRA or under a right of continuation provided r other federal law is covered stat ee, member, subscriber or under another Plan, the Plan covering the person mpi ree, member, subscriber or retiree is retiree or covering the person as a dependent n empl the Primary Plan, and the COBRA or state or other federa continuation coverage is the Secondary Plan. If the other Plan does n thi and as a result, the Plans do not le does not apply if the rule labeled agree on the order of benefits, this rul ignore D.1. can determine the order of ben
- 5. Longer or Shorter Length of Coverage. The Plan that covered the person the longer period of time is the Primary Plan are the Planthat covered the person the shorter period of time is the Secondary Plan.
- 6. If the preceding and to not different to the order of benefits, the Allowable Expenses shall be shared equally between the Proposition of Plan. In addition, This Plan will not pay more that it would have paid had it been the Primary Plan.

## Effect on the Benefits of his Plan

- A. When This Plan is secondary, it may reduce its benefits so that the total benefits paid or provided by all Plans are not more than the total Allowable Expenses. In determining the amount to be paid for any claim, the Secondary Plan will calculate the benefits it would have paid in the absence of other health care coverage and apply that calculated amount to any Allowable Expense under its Plan that is unpaid by the Primary Plan. The Secondary Plan may then reduce its payment by the amount so that, when combined with the amount paid by the Primary Plan, the total benefits paid or provided by all Plans for the claim do not exceed the total Allowable Expense for that claim. In addition, the Secondary Plan shall credit to its plan deductible any amounts it would have credited to its deductible in the absence of other health care coverage.
- B. If a Covered Person is enrolled in two or more Closed Panel Plans and if, for any reason, including the provision of service by a non-panel provider, benefits are not payable by one Closed Panel Plan, COB shall not apply between that Plan and other Closed Panel Plans.
- C. This Coverage Plan reduces its benefits as described below for Covered Persons who are eligible for Medicare when Medicare would be the Primary Plan.

Medicare benefits are determined as if the full amount that would have been payable under Medicare was actually paid under Medicare, even if:

- The person is entitled but not enrolled in Medicare. Medicare benefits are determined as if the person were covered under Medicare Parts A and B.
- The person is enrolled in a *Medicare Advantage* (Medicare Part C) plan and receives non-covered services because the person did not follow all rules of that plan. Medicare benefits are determined as if the services were covered under Medicare Parts A and B.
- The person receives services from a provider who has elected to opt-out of Medicare. Medicare benefits are determined as if the services were covered under Medicare Parts A and B and the provider had agreed to limit charges to the amount of charges allowed under Medicare rules.
- The services are provided in any facility that is not eligible for Medicare reimbursements, including a Veterans Administration facility, facility of the Uniformed Services, or other facility of the federal government. Medicare benefits are determined as if the services were provided by a facility that is eligible for reimbursement under Medicare.
- The person is enrolled under a plan with a *Medicare Medical Sevings Account*. Medicare benefits are determined as if the person were covered unto a Medicare Parts A and B.

**Important:** If you are eligible for Medicare on a primary busis (Medicare plays before Benefits under this Coverage Plan), you should enroll for and maintain coverage, idea both Medicare Part A and Part B. If you don't enroll and maintain that coverage, and if we are secondary to Medicare, we will pay Benefits under this Coverage Plan as if you were covered under both Medicare Part A and Part B. As a result, your out-of-pocket costs with a higher

If you have not enrolled in Medicare, Benefits the descripted as if you timely enrolled in Medicare and obtained services from a Medicare participant of the following applies:

- You are eligible for, but not enroud in, Mulicare and this Coverage Plan is secondary to Medicare.
- You have enrolled in Medicare at choose to obtain services from a doctor that opts-out of the Medicare pregram.

When calculating the Coverage Play's benefit in these situations, we use Medicare's approved amount or Medica e's limiting a garge as the Allowable Expense.

# Right to Receive and Rolease Needed Information

Certain facts about health care coverage and services are needed to apply these COB rules and to determine benefits payable under This Plan and other Plans. We may get the facts we need from, or give them to, other organizations or persons for the purpose of applying these rules and determining benefits payable under This Plan and other Plans covering the person claiming benefits.

We need not tell, or get the consent of, any person to do this. Each person claiming benefits under This Plan must give us any facts we need to apply those rules and determine benefits payable. If you do not provide us the information we need to apply these rules and determine the Benefits payable, your claim for Benefits will be denied.

# **Payments Made**

A payment made under another Plan may include an amount that should have been paid under This Plan. If it does, we may pay that amount to the organization that made the payment. That amount will then be treated as though it were a benefit paid under This Plan. We will not have to pay that amount again. The term "payment made" includes providing benefits in the form of services, in which case "payment made" means reasonable cash value of the benefits provided in the form of services.

# Does This Plan Have the Right of Recovery?

If the amount of the payments we made is more than we should have paid under this COB provision, we may recover the excess from one or more of the persons we have paid or for whom we have paid; or any other person or organization that may be responsible for the benefits or services provided for you. The "amount of the payments made" includes the reasonable cash value of any benefits provided in the form of services.

# How Are Benefits Paid When This Plan is Secondary to Medicare?

If This Plan is secondary to Medicare, then Benefits payable under This Plan will be based on Medicare's reduced benefits.



# **Section 8: General Legal Provisions**

# What Is Your Relationship with Us?

It is important for you to understand our role with respect to the Group's Policy and how it may affect you. We help finance or administer the Group's Policy in which you are enrolled. We do not provide medical services or make treatment decisions. This means:

- We communicate to you decisions about whether the Group's Policy will cover or pay for the health care that you may receive. The Policy pays for Covered Health Care Services, which are more fully described in this Certificate.
- The Policy may not pay for all treatments you or your Physician may believe are needed. If the Policy does not pay, you will be responsible for the cost.

We may use individually identifiable information about you to identify for you (and you alone) procedures, products or services that you may find valuable. We will use individually identifiable information about you as permitted or required by law, including in our operations and in our research. We will use de-identified data for commercial purposes including research.

Please refer to our *Notice of Privacy Practices* for details.

## What Is Our Relationship with Providers and Greens

We have agreements in place that govern the relationship bettern us, our Groups and Network providers, some of which are affiliated providers. Network providers enter into agreements with us to provide Covered Health Care Services to Covered Person

We do not provide health care services or supplies, a cticle stackine. We arrange for health care providers to participate in a Network and we pay Br nefits. Letwo providers are independent practitioners who run their own offices and facilities. Our cree initiality process confirms public information about the providers' licenses and other crede als. It was not assure the quality of the services provided. We are not responsible for any act or omission sany provider.

We are not considered to be an employer for any popose with respect to the administration or provision of benefits under the Group's Policy. Ve are in responsible for fulfilling any duties or obligations of an employer with respect to the Group's Policy.

The Group is solely responsible of the following:

- Enrollment and classification of longes (including classification changes resulting in your enrollment or the termination of your coverage).
- The timely payment of the Policy Charge to us.
- Notifying you of when the Policy ends.

When the Group purchases the Policy to provide coverage under a benefit plan governed by the *Employee Retirement Income Security Act* ("ERISA"), 29 U.S.C. §1001 et seq., we are not the plan administrator or named fiduciary of the benefit plan, as those terms are used in ERISA. If you have questions about your welfare benefit plan, you should contact the Group. If you have any questions about this statement or about your rights under ERISA, contact the nearest area office of the *Employee Benefits Security Administration*, *U. S. Department of Labor*.

# What Is Your Relationship with Providers and Groups?

The relationship between you and any provider is that of provider and patient.

You are responsible for all of the following:

Choosing your own provider.

- Paying, directly to your provider, any amount identified as a member responsibility, including Copayments, Co-insurance, any deductible and any amount that exceeds the Allowed Amount, when applicable.
- Paying, directly to your provider, the cost of any non-Covered Health Care Service.
- Deciding if any provider treating you is right for you. This includes Network providers you choose and providers that they refer.
- Deciding with your provider what care you should receive.

Your provider is solely responsible for the quality of the services provided to you.

The relationship between you and the Group is that of employer and employee, Dependent or other classification as defined in the Policy.

#### **Notice**

When we provide written notice regarding administration of the Policy to an authorized representative of the Group, that notice is deemed notice to all affected Subscribers and their Enrolled Dependents. The Group is responsible for giving notice to you.

## Statements by Group or Subscriber

All statements made by the Group or by a Subscriber shall, in the a send of foud, be deemed representations and not warranties. We will not use any statement may by the Group to void the Policy after it has been in force for two years unless it is a fraudulent statement.

# Do We Pay Incentives to Providers

We pay Network providers through various types of contractual at angements. Some of these arrangements may include financial incentives a part note the delivery of health care in a cost efficient and effective manner. These financial incentives are his intended to affect your access to health care.

Examples of financial incentives for Network problers are:

- Bonuses for performance base on the state of the state of
- Capitation a group of Network process receives a monthly payment from us for each Covered Person who selected a towork povider within the group to perform or coordinate certain health care services. The Network proceders receive this monthly payment regardless of whether the cost of providing or arranging to provide the Covered Person's health care is less than or more than the payment.
- Bundled payments certain Network providers receive a bundled payment for a group of Covered Health Care Services for a particular procedure or medical condition. The applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance will be calculated based on the provider type that received the bundled payment. The Network providers receive these bundled payments regardless of whether the cost of providing or arranging to provide the Covered Person's health care is less than or more than the payment. If you receive follow-up services related to a procedure where a bundled payment is made, an additional Co-payment and/or Co-insurance may not be required if such follow-up services are included in the bundled payment. You may receive some Covered Health Care Services that are not considered part of the inclusive bundled payment and those Covered Health Care Services would be subject to the applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance as described in the Schedule of Benefits.

We use various payment methods to pay specific Network providers. From time to time, the payment method may change. If you have questions about whether your Network provider's contract with us includes any financial incentives, we encourage you to discuss those questions with your provider. You

may also call us at the telephone number on your ID card. We can advise whether your Network provider is paid by any financial incentive, including those listed above.

#### Are Incentives Available to You?

Sometimes we may offer coupons, enhanced Benefits, or other incentives to encourage you to take part in various programs, including wellness programs, certain disease management programs, surveys, discount programs and/or programs to seek care in a more cost effective setting and/or from Designated Providers. In some instances, these programs may be offered in combination with a non-UnitedHealthcare entity. The decision about whether or not to take part in a program is yours alone. However, we recommend that you discuss taking part in such programs with your Physician. Contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card if you have any questions.

## Do We Receive Rebates and Other Payments?

We may receive rebates for certain drugs that are administered to you in your home or in a Physician's office, or at a Hospital or Alternate Facility. This includes rebates for those drugs that are administered to you before you meet any applicable deductible. As determined by us, we may pass a portion of these rebates on to you. When rebates are passed onto you, they may be taken into account in determining your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance.

# Who Interprets Benefits and Other Provisions under the Policy?

We have the final authority to do all of the following:

- Interpret Benefits under the Policy.
- Interpret the other terms, conditions, limitations and exclusion set out in the Policy, including this Certificate, the Schedule of Benefits and any Alder and Camendments.
- Make factual determinations related to the recipient of the second second

We may assign this authority to other persons or entitle that provide services in regard to the administration of the Policy.

In certain circumstances, for purpose of occall cost savings or efficiency, we may offer Benefits for services that would otherwise that be covared scalth Care Services. The fact that we do so in any particular case shall not in any way be deemed to require us to do so in other similar cases.

## Who Provides Administrative Services?

We provide administrative services, as we determine, we may arrange for various persons or entities to provide administrative services, such as claims processing. The identity of the service providers and the nature of the services they provide may be changed from time to time as we determine. We are not required to give you prior notice of any such change, nor are we required to obtain your approval. You must cooperate with those persons or entities in the performance of their responsibilities.

# **Amendments to the Policy**

To the extent permitted by law, we have the right, as we determine and without your approval, to change, interpret, withdraw or add Benefits or end the Policy.

Any provision of the Policy which, on its effective date, is in conflict with the requirements of state or federal statutes or regulations (of the jurisdiction in which the Policy is delivered) is amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such statutes and regulations.

No other change may be made to the Policy unless it is made by an Amendment or Rider which has been signed by one of our officers and consistent with applicable notice requirements. All of the following conditions apply:

- Amendments and Riders to the Policy are effective upon the Group's next anniversary date, except
  as otherwise permitted by law.
- No agent has the authority to change the Policy or to waive any of its provisions.
- No one has authority to make any oral changes or amendments to the Policy.

#### **How Do We Use Information and Records?**

We may use your individually identifiable health information as follows:

- To administer the Policy and pay claims.
- To identify procedures, products, or services that you may find valuable.
- As otherwise permitted or required by law.

We may request additional information from you to decide your claim for Benefits. We will keep this information confidential. We may also use de-identified data for commercial purposes, including research, as permitted by law. More detail about how we may use or disclose your information is found in our *Notice of Privacy Practices*.

By accepting Benefits under the Policy, you authorize and direct any person prinstitution that has provided services to you to furnish us with all information or copies of records relating to the services provided to you, including provider billing and provider payment related to the right to request this information at any reasonable time. This applies to all Covered Persons, including Enrolled Dependents whether or not they have signed the Subscriber's enrollment on. We wree that such information and records will be considered confidential.

We have the right to release records concerning health care service, when any of the following apply:

- Needed to put in place and administer the terms of the Policy.
- Needed for medical review or quality as essn. at.
- Required by law or regulation.

During and after the term of the Policy we all our plated entities may use and transfer the information gathered under the Policy in a de-ide tifier for est for commercial purposes, including research and analytic purposes. Please the to our Naice of Privacy Practices.

For complete listings of pur more accords or billing statements you may contact your health care provider. Providers may be you resonable fees to cover their costs for providing records or completing requested forms.

If you request medical forms of records from us, we also may charge you reasonable fees to cover costs for completing the forms or providing the records.

In some cases, as permitted by law, we will designate other persons or entities to request records or information from or related to you, and to release those records as needed. Our designees have the same rights to this information as we have.

# Do We Require Examination of Covered Persons?

In the event of a question or dispute regarding your right to Benefits, we may require that a Network Physician of our choice examine you at our expense.

# Is Workers' Compensation Affected?

Benefits provided under the Policy do not substitute for and do not affect any requirements for coverage by workers' compensation insurance.

## How Are Benefits Paid When You Are Medicare Eligible?

Benefits under the Policy are not intended to supplement any coverage provided by Medicare. Nevertheless, in some circumstances Covered Persons who are eligible for or enrolled in Medicare may also be enrolled under the Policy.

If you are eligible for or enrolled in Medicare, please read the following information carefully.

If you are eligible for Medicare on a primary basis (Medicare pays before Benefits under the Policy), you should enroll in and maintain coverage under both Medicare Part A and Part B. If you don't enroll and maintain that coverage, and if we are the secondary payer as described in *Section 7: Coordination of Benefits*, we will pay Benefits under the Policy as if you were covered under both Medicare Part A and Part B. As a result, you will be responsible for the costs that Medicare would have paid and you will incur a larger out-of-pocket cost.

If you are enrolled in a *Medicare Advantage* (Medicare Part C) plan on a primary basis (Medicare pays before Benefits under the Policy), you should follow all rules of that plan that require you to seek services from that plan's participating providers. When we are the secondary payer, we will pay any Benefits available to you under the Policy as if you had followed all rules of the *Medicare Advantage* plan. You will be responsible for any additional costs or reduced Benefits that result from your failure to follow these rules, and you will incur a larger out-of-pocket cost.

## **Subrogation and Reimbursement**

We have the right to subrogation and reimbursement. References to ou" or your" in this *Subrogation* and *Reimbursement* section shall include you, your Estate and you have and beneficiaries unless otherwise stated.

Subrogation applies when we have paid Benefits on your benefit or Sickness or Injury for which any third party is allegedly responsible. The right to sub ogain times is that we are substituted to and shall succeed to any and all legal claims that you may be entitled up put the against any third party for the Benefits that we have paid that are related to the Sickness or Injury for which any third party is considered responsible.

#### Subrogation Example:

Suppose you are injured in a car accelent hat not your fault, and you receive Benefits under the Policy to treat your injuries. Under sub-logation the Filicy has the right to take legal action in your name against the driver who caused the accident and accident accident

The right to reimbursement means the if it is alleged that any third party caused or is responsible for a Sickness or Injury for which you wanted a settlement, judgment, or other recovery from any third party, you must use those proceeds to fully return to us 100% of any Benefits you receive for that Sickness or Injury. The right of reimbursement shall apply to any benefits received at any time until the rights are extinguished, resolved or waived in writing.

#### Reimbursement Example:

Suppose you are injured in a boating accident that is not your fault, and you receive Benefits under the Policy as a result of your injuries. In addition, you receive a settlement in a court proceeding from the individual who caused the accident. You must use the settlement funds to return to the Policy 100% of any Benefits you received to treat your injuries.

The following persons and entities are considered third parties:

- A person or entity alleged to have caused you to suffer a Sickness, Injury or damages, or who is legally responsible for the Sickness, Injury or damages.
- Any insurer or other indemnifier of any person or entity alleged to have caused or who caused the Sickness, Injury or damages.
- Your employer in a workers' compensation case or other matter alleging liability.

- Any person or entity who is or may be obligated to provide benefits or payments to you, including benefits or payments for underinsured or uninsured motorist protection, no-fault or traditional auto insurance, medical payment coverage (auto, homeowners or otherwise), workers' compensation coverage, other insurance carriers or third party administrators.
- Any person or entity against whom you may have any claim for professional and/or legal malpractice arising out of or connected to a Sickness or Injury you allege or could have alleged were the responsibility of any third party.
- Any person or entity that is liable for payment to you on any equitable or legal liability theory.

#### You agree as follows:

- You will cooperate with us in protecting our legal and equitable rights to subrogation and reimbursement in a timely manner, including, but not limited to:
  - Notifying us, in writing, of any potential legal claim(s) you may have against any third party for acts which caused Benefits to be paid or become payable.
  - Providing any relevant information requested by us.
  - Signing and/or delivering such documents as we or our ager asonably request to secure the subrogation and reimbursement claim.
  - Responding to requests for information about any an identification.
  - Making court appearances.
  - Obtaining our consent or our agents' consent lefore it easily any party from liability or payment of medical expenses.
  - Complying with the terms of this section

Your failure to cooperate with us is consi atract. As such, we have the right to a brea of gal a terminate or deny future Benefits, take on against you, and/or set off from any future Benefits the value of Benefits we have to any Sickness or Injury alleged to have been id relat. caused or caused by any third pa o the xtent not recovered by us due to you or your representative not cooperating cur attorneys' fees and costs in order to collect third party settlement funds held by ou representative, we have the right to recover those fees ired to pay interest on any amounts you hold which and costs from you Ju √ill also e reg eturned should have been

- We have a first price aght to receive payment on any claim against any third party before you receive payment from that third party. Further, our first priority right to payment is superior to any and all claims, debts or asserted by any medical providers, including but not limited to hospitals or emergency treatment facilities, that assert a right to payment from funds payable from or recovered from an allegedly responsible third party and/or insurance carrier.
- Our subrogation and reimbursement rights apply to full and partial settlements, judgments, or other recoveries paid or payable to you or your representative, your Estate, your heirs and beneficiaries, no matter how those proceeds are captioned or characterized. Payments include, but are not limited to, economic, non-economic, pecuniary, consortium and punitive damages. We are not required to help you to pursue your claim for damages or personal injuries and no amount of associated costs, including attorneys' fees, shall be deducted from our recovery without our express written consent. No so-called "Fund Doctrine" or "Common Fund Doctrine" or "Attorney's Fund Doctrine" shall defeat this right.
- Regardless of whether you have been fully compensated or made whole, we may collect from you
  the proceeds of any full or partial recovery that you or your legal representative obtain, whether in
  the form of a settlement (either before or after any determination of liability) or judgment, no matter
  how those proceeds are captioned or characterized. Proceeds from which we may collect include,
  but are not limited to, economic, non-economic, and punitive damages. No "collateral source" rule,

- any "Made-Whole Doctrine" or "Make-Whole Doctrine," claim of unjust enrichment, nor any other equitable limitation shall limit our subrogation and reimbursement rights.
- Benefits paid by us may also be considered to be Benefits advanced.
- If you receive any payment from any party as a result of Sickness or Injury, and we allege some or all of those funds are due and owed to us, you and/or your representative shall hold those funds in trust, either in a separate bank account in your name or in your representative's trust account.
- By participating in and accepting Benefits under the Policy, you agree that (i) any amounts recovered by you from any third party shall constitute Policy assets (to the extent of the amount of Benefits provided on behalf of the Covered Person), (ii) you and your representative shall be fiduciaries of the Policy (within the meaning of ERISA) with respect to such amounts, and (iii) you shall be liable for and agree to pay any costs and fees (including reasonable attorney fees) incurred by us to enforce its reimbursement rights.
- Our right to recovery will not be reduced due to your own negligence.
- By participating in and accepting Benefits from us, you agree to assign to us any benefits, claims or rights of recovery you have under any automobile policy including no-fault benefits, PIP benefits and/or medical payment benefits other coverage or against any the party, to the full extent of the Benefits we have paid for the Sickness or Injury. By agreeing to fovid this assignment in exchange for participating in and accepting benefits, you sknow adde and recognize our right to assert, pursue and recover on any such claim, whether or in you poose to pursue the claim, and you agree to this assignment voluntarily.
- We may, at our option, take necessary and appropria e actio to preserve our rights under these provisions, including but not limited to, providing or changin medical payment information with an insurer, the insurer's legal representative or d par j; filing an ERISA reimbursement er ti lawsuit to recover the full amount of medical ceive for the Sickness or Injury out of ird party considered responsible; and filing any settlement, judgment or other recover m any loes not obligate us in any way to pay you part of suit in your name or your Estate's name which any recovery we might obtain. Any ER reimb sement lawsuit stemming from a refusal to refund Benefits as required under of the Policy is governed by a six-year statute of tern limitations.
- You may not accept the ettlement that uses not fully reimburse us, without our written approval.
- We have the final authority the esolution disputes regarding the interpretation of the language stated herein.
- In the case of your death, giving rise to any wrongful death or survival claim, the provisions of this section apply to your estate, and your heirs or beneficiaries. In the case of your death our right of reimbursement and right of subrogation shall apply if a claim can be brought on behalf of you or your estate that can include a claim for past medical expenses or damages. The obligation to reimburse us is not extinguished by a release of claims or settlement agreement of any kind.
- No allocation of damages, settlement funds or any other recovery, by you, your estate, the personal representative of your estate, your heirs, your beneficiaries or any other person or party, shall be valid if it does not reimburse us for 100% of our interest unless we provide written consent to the allocation.
- The provisions of this section apply to the parents, guardian, or other representative of a Dependent child who incurs a Sickness or Injury caused by any third party. If a parent or guardian may bring a claim for damages arising out of a minor's Sickness or Injury, the terms of this subrogation and reimbursement clause shall apply to that claim.
- If any third party causes or is alleged to have caused you to suffer a Sickness or Injury while you are covered under the Policy, the provisions of this section continue to apply, even after you are no longer covered.

- In the event that you do not abide by the terms of the Policy pertaining to reimbursement, we may terminate Benefits to you, your dependents or the subscriber, deny future Benefits, take legal action against you, and/or set off from any future Benefits the value of Benefits we have paid relating to any Sickness or Injury alleged to have been caused or caused by any third party to the extent not recovered by us due to your failure to abide by the terms of the Policy. If we incur attorneys' fees and costs in order to collect third party settlement funds held by you or your representative, we have the right to recover those fees and costs from you. You will also be required to pay interest on any amounts you hold which should have been returned to us.
- We and all Administrators administering the terms and conditions of the Policy's subrogation and reimbursement rights have such powers and duties as are necessary to discharge its duties and functions, including the exercise of our final authority to (1) construe and enforce the terms of the Policy's subrogation and reimbursement rights and (2) make determinations with respect to the subrogation amounts and reimbursements owed to us.

## When Do We Receive Refunds of Overpayments?

If we pay Benefits for expenses incurred on your account, you, or any other person or organization that was paid, must make a refund to us if any of the following apply:

- All or some of the expenses were not paid or did not legally have to be aid by you.
- All or some of the payment we made exceeded the Benefit and the Policy.
- All or some of the payment was made in error.

The refund equals the amount we paid in excess of the amount we bould have paid under the Policy. If the refund is due from another person or organization, you wree to elp us get the refund when requested.

If the refund is due from you and you do not prom amount, we may recover the / refu overpayment by reallocating the overpaid amo ay, in Mole on in part, your future Benefits that are at it payable under the Policy. If the refund is due on or organization other than you, we may m a p recover the overpayment by reallocating the ov paid amount to pay, in whole or in part; (i) future Benefits that are payable in connection ervious provided to other Covered Persons under the Policy; or (ii) future Benefits that are payable in co tion with services provided to persons under other plans for which we make paymen saction in which our overpayment recovery rights are assigned to such other p ns in exchang uch plans' remittance of the amount of the reallocated payment.

The reductions will equal the amount the required refund. We may have other rights in addition to the right to reduce future benefits

#### Is There a Limitation of Action?

You cannot bring any legal action against us to recover reimbursement until you have completed all the steps in the appeal process described in *Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals*. After completing that process, if you want to bring a legal action against us you must do so within three years of the date we notified you of our final decision on your appeal or you lose any rights to bring such an action against us.

# What Is the Entire Policy?

The Policy, this *Certificate*, the *Schedule of Benefits*, the Group's *Application* and any Riders and/or Amendments, make up the entire Policy that is issued to the Group.

# **Section 9: Defined Terms**

**Air Ambulance** - medical transport by rotary wing Air Ambulance or fixed wing Air Ambulance as defined in 42 CFR 414.605.

**Allowed Amounts** - for Covered Health Care Services, incurred while the Policy is in effect, Allowed Amounts are determined by us or determined as required by law as shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

Allowed Amounts are determined in accordance with our reimbursement policy guidelines or as required by law. We develop these guidelines, as we determine, after review of all provider billings in accordance with one or more of the following methodologies:

- As shown in the most recent edition of the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT), a publication of the American Medical Association, and/or the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS).
- As reported by generally recognized professionals or publications.
- As used for Medicare.
- As determined by medical staff and outside medical consultants pursuant to other appropriate source or determination that we accept.

**Alternate Facility** - a health care facility that is not a Hospital. It provides one of more of the following services on an outpatient basis, as permitted by law:

- Surgical services.
- Emergency Health Care Services.
- Rehabilitative, laboratory, diagnostic or therapeutic services.

It may also provide Mental Health Care Services or Jub ance thated and Addictive Disorders Services on an outpatient or inpatient basis.

**Amendment** - any attached written description of act of or changed provisions to the Policy. It is effective only when signed by us. It is subject all conditions, limitations and exclusions of the Policy, except for those that are specifically are seed.

**Ancillary Services** - items and services p. M. d by out-of-Network Physicians at a Network facility that are any of the following:

- Related to emergincy median and an esiology, pathology, radiology, and neonatology;
- Provided by assistant surgeons hospitalists, and intensivists;
- Diagnostic services, in additional adiology and laboratory services, unless such items and services are excluded from the definition of Ancillary Services as determined by the Secretary;
- Provided by such other specialty practitioners as determined by the Secretary; and
- Provided by an out-of-Network Physician when no other Network Physician is available.

**Annual Deductible** - the total of the Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable, you must pay for Covered Health Care Services per year before we will begin paying for Benefits. It does not include any amount that exceeds Allowed Amounts or Recognized Amounts when applicable. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you if your plan is subject to payment of an Annual Deductible and how it applies.

**Autism Spectrum Disorder** - a condition marked by enduring problems communicating and interacting with others, along with restricted and repetitive behavior, interests or activities.

Benefits - your right to payment for Covered Health Care Services that are available under the Policy.

**Cellular Therapy** - administration of living whole cells into a patient for the treatment of disease.

**Co-insurance** - the charge, stated as a percentage of the Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable, that you are required to pay for certain Covered Health Care Services.

**Congenital Anomaly** - a physical developmental defect that is present at the time of birth, and that is identified within the first twelve months of birth.

**Co-payment** - the charge, stated as a set dollar amount, that you are required to pay for certain Covered Health Care Services.

Please note that for Covered Health Care Services, you are responsible for paying the lesser of the following:

- The Co-payment.
- The Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable.

**Cosmetic Procedures** - procedures or services that change or improve appearance without significantly improving physiological function.

**Covered Health Care Service(s)** - health care services, including supplies or Pharmaceutical Products, which we determine to be all of the following:

- Provided for the purpose of preventing, evaluating, diagnosing or real a Sickness, Injury, Mental Illness, substance-related and addictive disorders condition, of seale or its symptoms.
- Medically Necessary.
- Described as a Covered Health Care Service in this Care Services and in the Schedule of Benefits.
- Not excluded in this Certificate under Section 2: Exclusions and Limitations.

**Covered Person** - the Subscriber or a Dependent, but the terms oplies only while the person is enrolled under the Policy. We use "you" and "your" in the difficate prefer to a Covered Person.

Custodial Care - services that are any of the llowing on-Skilled Care services:

- Non health-related services such the left with daily living activities. Examples include eating, dressing, bathing, transferring and artifacting.
- Health-related services at can seely and effectively be performed by trained non-medical personnel and are provided for the primary purpose of meeting the personal needs of the patient or maintaining a level of function, as opposed to improving that function to an extent that might allow for a more independent existence.

**Definitive Drug Test** - test to dentify specific medications, illicit substances and metabolites and is qualitative or quantitative to identify possible use or non-use of a drug.

**Dependent** - the Subscriber's legal spouse or a child of the Subscriber or the Subscriber's spouse. As described in *Section 3: When Coverage Begins*, eligibility for enrollment and qualification as a Dependent is administered by the Group consistent with the eligibility rules noted in the Policy which includes this Certificate and the Group Application. The term "child" includes:

- A natural child.
- A stepchild.
- A legally adopted child.
- A child placed for adoption.
- A child for whom legal guardianship has been awarded to the Subscriber or the Subscriber's spouse.

A child for whom health care coverage is required through a Qualified Medical Child Support Order
or other court or administrative order. The Group is responsible for determining if an order meets
the criteria of a Qualified Medical Child Support Order.

The following conditions apply:

- A Dependent includes a child listed above under age 26.
- A child is no longer eligible as a Dependent on the last day of the month during which the child reaches age 26 except as provided in Section 4: When Coverage Ends under Coverage for a Disabled Dependent Child.

A child who meets the requirements set forth above ceases to be eligible as a Dependent on the last day of the month during which the child reaches age 26.

The Subscriber must reimburse us for any Benefits paid during a time a child did not satisfy these conditions.

A Dependent does not include anyone who is also enrolled as a Subscriber. No one can be a Dependent of more than one Subscriber.

**Designated Diagnostic Provider** - a provider and/or facility that we have the provided through our designation programs as a Designated Diagnostic Provider.

**Designated Dispensing Entity** - a pharmacy, provider, or facility that the enter of into an agreement with us, or with an organization contracting on our behalf, to provide Pharmack Time Products for the treatment of specified diseases or conditions. Not all Network the smallers, providers, or facilities are Designated Dispensing Entities.

**Designated Network Benefits** - the description of how Benefits are said for certain Covered Health Care Services provided by a provider or facility that has been designated Provider. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you if your plan offers, lesign ted in work Benefits and how they apply.

Designated Provider - a provider and/or facili that

- Has entered into an agreement with us, with an organization contracting on our behalf, to provide Covered Health Care Source for the treatment of specific diseases or conditions; or
- We have identified through out designation programs as a Designated Provider. Such designation may apply to specify deadments, abndit ons and/or procedures.

A Designated Provider may or proper be ocated within your geographic area. Not all Network Hospitals or Network Physicians and adaptive Providers.

You can find out if your provider is designated Provider by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Designated Virtual Network Provider** - a provider or facility that has entered into an agreement with us, or with an organization contracting on our behalf, to deliver Covered Health Care Services through live audio with video technology or audio only.

**Durable Medical Equipment (DME)** - medical equipment that is all of the following:

- Ordered or provided by a Physician for outpatient use primarily in a home setting.
- Used for medical purposes.
- Not consumable or disposable except as needed for the effective use of covered DME.
- Not of use to a person in the absence of a disease or disability.
- Serves a medical purpose for the treatment of a Sickness or Injury.
- Primarily used within the home.

**Eligible Person** - an employee of the Group or other person connected to the Group who meets the eligibility rules in accordance with the Policy which includes this Certificate and the Group Application. An Eligible Person must live within the United States.

**Emergency** - a medical condition manifesting itself by acute symptoms of sufficient severity (including severe pain) so that a prudent layperson, who possesses an average knowledge of health and medicine, could reasonably expect the absence of immediate medical attention to result in:

- Placing the health of the Covered Person (or, with respect to a pregnant woman, the health of the woman or her unborn child) in serious jeopardy;
- Serious impairment to bodily functions; or
- Serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part.

#### **Emergency Health Care Services** - with respect to an Emergency:

- An appropriate medical screening exam (as required under section 1867 of the Social Security Act or as would be required under such section if such section applied to an Independent Freestanding Emergency Department) that is within the capability of the emergency department of a Hospital, or an Independent Freestanding Emergency Department, as applicable, including ancillary services routinely available to the emergency department to evaluate such and energy, and
- n the capabilities of the staff Such further medical exam and treatment, to the extent to are and facilities available at the Hospital or an Independent Fre stan sa Er ergency Department, as applicable, as are required under section 1867 of the Social S. urity Act, or as would be required under such section if such section applied to an Inder Fre tanding Emergency Department, to stabilize the patient (regardless of t departi ent of the Hospital in which such further exam or treatment is provided). For the purpo of this definition, "to stabilize" has the meaning as given such term in section 1867 I Security Act (42 U.S.C. f the 1395dd(e)(3)).
- Emergency Health Care Services include item, and services otherwise covered under the Policy when provided by an out-of-Network physider or usility (regardless of the department of the Hospital in which the items and services as provided) after the patient is stabilized and as part of outpatient observation, or an Invatient Stay Coutpatient stay that is connected to the original Emergency, unless each of the following conditions are met:
  - a) The attenting Emergency Physician or treating provider determines the patient is able to travel using nonrelated transportation or non-Emergency medical transportation to an available located provider or facility located within a reasonable distance taking into consideration the patient's medical condition.
  - b) The provider furnishing the additional items and services satisfies notice and consent criteria in accordance with applicable law.
  - c) The patient is in such a condition to receive information as stated in b) above and to provide informed consent in accordance with applicable law.
  - d) The provider or facility satisfies any additional requirements or prohibitions as may be imposed by state law.
  - e) Any other conditions as specified by the Secretary.

The above conditions do not apply to unforeseen or urgent medical needs that arise at the time the service is provided regardless of whether notice and consent criteria has been satisfied.

**Enrolled Dependent** - a Dependent who is properly enrolled under the Policy.

**Experimental or Investigational Service(s)** - medical, surgical, diagnostic, psychiatric, mental health, substance-related and addictive disorders or other health care services, technologies, supplies,

treatments, procedures, drug therapies, medications, or devices that, at the time we make a determination regarding coverage in a particular case, are determined to be any of the following:

- 1. Not approved by the *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)* to be lawfully marketed for the proposed use and not identified as appropriate for proposed use in any of the following:
  - AHFS Drug Information (AHFS DI) under therapeutic uses section;
  - Elsevier Gold Standard's Clinical Pharmacology under the indications section;
  - DRUGDEX System by Micromedex under the therapeutic uses section and has a strength recommendation rating of class I, class IIa, or class IIb; or
  - National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) drugs and biologics compendium category of evidence 1, 2A, or 2B.
- 2. Subject to review and approval by any institutional review board for the proposed use. (Devices which are *FDA* approved under the *Humanitarian Use Device* exemption are not Experimental or Investigational.)
- 3. The subject of an ongoing clinical trial that meets the definition of a Phase I, II, or III clinical trial set forth in the *FDA* regulations, regardless of whether the trial is actually subject to *FDA* oversight.
- 4. Only obtainable, with regard to outcomes for the given indication with research settings.

#### **Exceptions:**

- Clinical trials for which Benefits are available as described unds Clinical Trials in Section 1: Covered Health Care Services.
- We may, as we determine, consider an otherwise Experiment or Investigational Service to be a
  Covered Health Care Service for that Sickness a sond.
  - You are not a participant in a qualify clinical tial, a described under *Clinical Trials* in Section 1: Covered Health Care, Service and
  - You have a Sickness or condition at is likely to cause death within one year of the request for treatment.

Prior to such a consideration, the most intestablish that there is sufficient evidence to conclude that, even though undown, the sovice has significant potential as an effective treatment for that Sickness or condition.

**Freestanding Facility** - patient diagnostic or ambulatory center or independent laboratory which performs services and submits claims separately from a Hospital.

**Gene Therapy** - therapeutic densery of nucleic acid (DNA or RNA) into a patient's cells as a drug to treat a disease.

**Genetic Counseling -** counseling by a qualified clinician that includes:

- Identifying your potential risks for suspected genetic disorders;
- An individualized discussion about the benefits, risks and limitations of Genetic Testing to help you
  make informed decisions about Genetic Testing; and
- Interpretation of the Genetic Testing results in order to guide health decisions.

Certified genetic counselors, medical geneticists and physicians with a professional society's certification that they have completed advanced training in genetics are considered qualified clinicians when Covered Health Care Services for Genetic Testing require Genetic Counseling.

**Genetic Testing** - exam of blood or other tissue for changes in genes (DNA or RNA) that may indicate an increased risk for developing a specific disease or disorder, or provide information to guide the selection of treatment of certain diseases, including cancer.

**Gestational Carrier** - a female who becomes pregnant by having a fertilized egg (embryo) implanted in her uterus for the purpose of carrying the fetus to term for another person. The Gestational Carrier does not provide the egg and is therefore not biologically related to the child.

**Group** - the employer, or other defined or otherwise legally established group, to whom the Policy is issued.

**Home Health Agency** - a program or organization authorized by law to provide health care services in the home.

Hospital - an institution that is operated as required by law and that meets both of the following:

- It is mainly engaged in providing inpatient health care services, for the short term care and treatment of injured or sick persons. Care is provided through medical, diagnostic and surgical facilities, by or under the supervision of a staff of Physicians.
- It has 24-hour nursing services.

A Hospital is not mainly a place for rest, Custodial Care or care of the aged. It is not a nursing home, convalescent home or similar institution.

Hospital-based Facility - an outpatient facility that performs services and bmits claims as part of a Hospital.

**latrogenic Infertility** - an impairment of fertility by surgery, radia on, classifier by, or other medical treatment affecting reproductive organs or processes.

Independent Freestanding Emergency Department - a hearth re is ility that:

- Is geographically separate and distinct and licensed sparate from a Hospital under applicable state law; and
- Provides Emergency Health Care Services

**Initial Enrollment Period** - the first period of the with a Eligible Persons may enroll themselves and their Dependents under the Policy.

**Injury** - damage to the body, including an ated anditions and symptoms.

**Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility** - any of the sowing that provides inpatient rehabilitation health care services (including physics and apply, occupational therapy and/or speech therapy), as authorized by law:

- A long term acute ehabit and center
- A Hospital, or
- A special unit of a Hospitalistics and Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility.

**Inpatient Stay** - a continuous stay that follows formal admission to a Hospital, Skilled Nursing Facility or Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility.

**Intensive Behavioral Therapy (IBT)** - outpatient Mental Health Care Services that aim to reinforce adaptive behaviors, reduce maladaptive behaviors and improve the mastery of functional age appropriate skills in people with Autism Spectrum Disorders. The most common IBT is *Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)*.

Intensive Outpatient Treatment - a structured outpatient treatment program.

- For Mental Health Care Services, the program may be freestanding or Hospital-based and provides services for at least three hours per day, two or more days per week.
- For Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services, the program provides nine to nineteen
  hours per week of structured programming for adults and six to nineteen hours for adolescents,
  consisting primarily of counseling and education about addiction related and mental health
  problems.

**Intermittent Care** - skilled nursing care that is provided either:

- Fewer than seven days each week.
- Fewer than eight hours each day for periods of 21 days or less.

Exceptions may be made in certain circumstances when the need for more care is finite and predictable.

**Manipulative Treatment (adjustment)** - a form of care provided by chiropractors and osteopaths for diagnosed muscle, nerve and joint problems. Body parts are moved either by hands or by a small instrument to:

- Restore or improve motion.
- Reduce pain.
- Increase function.

**Medically Necessary** - health care services that are all of the following as determined by us or our designee:

- In accordance with Generally Accepted Standards of Medical Practice.
- Clinically appropriate, in terms of type, frequency, extent, service ate and duration, and considered
  effective for your Sickness, Injury, Mental Illness, substante-related and a dictive disorders,
  disease or its symptoms.
- Not mainly for your convenience or that of your doctor or other alth care provider.
- Not more costly than an alternative drug, service(s) ervice s e or supply that is at least as likely to produce equivalent therapeutic or diagnostic results to the agnosis or treatment of your Sickness, Injury, disease or symptoms.

Generally Accepted Standards of Medical Practice are standards at are based on credible scientific evidence published in peer-reviewed medical legistration generally recognized by the relevant medical community, relying primarily on controlled clinical trials, or, if not available, observational studies from more than one institution that suggest a causal relationship between the service or treatment and health outcomes.

If no credible scientific evider his available, the standards that are based on Physician specialty society recommendations or professional standards of care may be considered. We have the right to consult expert opinion in determining where the care services are Medically Necessary. The decision to apply Physician specialty recommendations, the choice of expert and the determination of when to use any such expert opinion, shall be determined by us.

We develop and maintain cline. Policies that describe the *Generally Accepted Standards of Medical Practice* scientific evidence, prevailing medical standards and clinical guidelines supporting our determinations regarding specific services. These clinical policies (as developed by us and revised from time to time), are available to Covered Persons through www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card. They are also available to Physicians and other health care professionals on UHCprovider.com.

**Medicare** - Parts A, B, C and D of the insurance program established by Title XVIII, *United States Social Security Act*, as amended by 42 U.S.C. Sections 1394, et seq. and as later amended.

**Mental Health Care Services** - services for the diagnosis and treatment of those mental health or psychiatric categories that are listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases* section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders or the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association. The fact that a condition is listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders* or Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association does not mean that treatment for the condition is a Covered Health Care Service.

**Mental Health/Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Designee** - the organization or individual, designated by us, that provides or arranges Mental Health Care Services and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services.

**Mental Illness** - those mental health or psychiatric diagnostic categories that are listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders* or *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association*. The fact that a condition is listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders* or *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association* does not mean that treatment for the condition is a Covered Health Care Service.

**Network** - when used to describe a provider of health care services, this means a provider that has a participation agreement in effect (either directly or indirectly) with us or with our affiliate to participate in our Network. This does not include those providers who have agreed to discount their charges for Covered Health Care Services. Our affiliates are those entities affiliated with us through common ownership or control with us or with our ultimate corporate parent, including direct and indirect subsidiaries.

A provider may enter into an agreement to provide only certain Covered Health Care Services, but not all Covered Health Care Services, or to be a Network provider for only some of our products. In this case, the provider will be a Network provider for the Covered Health Care Services and products included in the participation agreement and an out-of-Network provider for othe Covered Health Care Services and products. The participation status of providers will change from the to the services.

**Network Benefits** - the description of how Benefits are paid for Cove of Health Care Services provided by Network providers. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell your your land fers Network Benefits and how Network Benefits apply.

**New Pharmaceutical Product** - a Pharmaceutical Product of new Osage form of a previously approved Pharmaceutical Product. It applies to the period of the sacting the date the Pharmaceutical Product or new dosage form is approved by the *U.S. Fortillad Drug Idministration (FDA)* and ends on the earlier of the following dates:

- The date as determined by us or our descree, which is based on when the Pharmaceutical Product is reviewed and when value on management strategies are implemented.
- December 31st of the following salanda war.

Open Enrollment Period - a period of the after the Initial Enrollment Period, when Eligible Persons may enroll themselves and Developer Sunder the Policy. The Group sets the period of time that is the Open Enrollment Period.

**Out-of-Network Benefits** - the description of how Benefits are paid for Covered Health Care Services provided by out-of-Network providers. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you if your plan offers Out-of-Network Benefits and how Out-of-Network Benefits apply.

**Out-of-Pocket Limit** - the maximum amount you pay every year. The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you how the Out-of-Pocket Limit applies.

**Partial Hospitalization/Day Treatment/High Intensity Outpatient** - a structured ambulatory program. The program may be freestanding or Hospital-based and provides services for at least 20 hours per week.

**Per Occurrence Deductible** - the portion of the Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable, (stated as a set dollar amount) that you must pay for certain Covered Health Care Services prior to, and in addition to, any Annual Deductible before we begin paying Benefits for those Covered Health Care Services.

When a plan has a Per Occurrence Deductible, you are responsible for paying the lesser of the following:

- The applicable Per Occurrence Deductible.
- The Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable.

The *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you if your plan is subject to payment of a Per Occurrence Deductible and how the Per Occurrence Deductible applies.

**Pharmaceutical Product(s)** - *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)* - approved prescription medications or products administered in connection with a Covered Health Care Service by a Physician.

**Physician** - any *Doctor of Medicine* or *Doctor of Osteopathy* who is properly licensed and qualified by law

Please Note: Any podiatrist, dentist, psychologist, chiropractor, optometrist, or other provider who acts within the scope of his or her license will be considered on the same basis as a Physician. The fact that we describe a provider as a Physician does not mean that Benefits for services from that provider are available to you under the Policy.

Policy - the entire agreement issued to the Group that includes all of the following:

- Group Policy.
- Certificate.
- Schedule of Benefits.
- Group Application.
- Riders.
- Amendments.

These documents make up the entire agreement that is issued to be Grap.

Policy Charge - the sum of the Premiums for all Covered Proposition and Provided United and Provided United Uni

Pregnancy - includes all of the following:

- Prenatal care.
- Postnatal care.
- Childbirth.
- Any complications associated with Legacy

**Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT** - a st performed to analyze the DNA from oocytes or embryos for human leukocyte and en (Human ing or for determining genetic abnormalities. These include:

- PGT-M for monogenic disorde (formerly single-gene PGD).
- PGT-SR for structural angements (formerly chromosomal PGD).

**Premium** - the periodic fee required for each Subscriber and each Enrolled Dependent, in accordance with the terms of the Policy.

**Presumptive Drug Test** - test to determine the presence or absence of drugs or a drug class in which the results are indicated as negative or positive result.

**Primary Care Physician** - a Physician who has a majority of his or her practice in general pediatrics, internal medicine, obstetrics/gynecology, family practice or general medicine.

**Private Duty Nursing** - nursing care that is provided to a patient on a one-to-one basis by licensed nurses in an inpatient or home setting when any of the following are true:

- Services exceed the scope of Intermittent Care in the home.
- The service is provided to a Covered Person by an independent nurse who is hired directly by the Covered Person or his/her family. This includes nursing services provided on an inpatient or homecare basis, whether the service is skilled or non-skilled independent nursing.
- Skilled nursing resources are available in the facility.

 The Skilled Care can be provided by a Home Health Agency on a per visit basis for a specific purpose.

**Recognized Amount** - the amount which Co-payment, Co-insurance and applicable deductible, is based on for the below Covered Health Care Services when provided by out-of-Network providers:

- Out-of-Network Emergency Health Care Services.
- Non-Emergency Covered Health Care Services received at certain Network facilities by out-of-Network Physicians, when such services are either Ancillary Services, or non-Ancillary Services that have not satisfied the notice and consent criteria of section 2799B-2(d) of the Public Health Service Act. For the purpose of this provision, "certain Network facilities" are limited to a hospital (as defined in 1861(e) of the Social Security Act), a hospital outpatient department, a critical access hospital (as defined in 1861(mm)(1) of the Social Security Act), an ambulatory surgical center described in section 1833(i)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act, and any other facility specified by the Secretary.

The amount is based on one of the following in the order listed below as applicable:

- 1) An All Payer Model Agreement if adopted,
- 2) State law, or
- The lesser of the qualifying payment amount as determined under a plicable law, or the amount billed by the provider or facility.

The Recognized Amount for Air Ambulance services provided to an oxof-Network provider will be calculated based on the lesser of the qualifying payment arount a determined under applicable law or the amount billed by the Air Ambulance service provider.

Note: Covered Health Care Services that use the congribution of the covered Health Care Services were determined based upon an Allowed Amount

Remote Physiologic Monitoring - the auton ic colle ion and electronic transmission of patient physiologic data that are analyzed and u d by icensed Physician or other qualified health care professional to develop and manage ent related to a chronic and/or acute health illness or trea condition. The plan of treatment will p stones for which progress will be tracked by one or more Remote Physiologic Monit e Physiologic Monitoring must be ordered by a licensed evices. d health care i sional who has examined the patient and with whom the Physician or other qualif patient has an establish L do d, and ongoing relationship. Remote Physiologic Monitoring may t at a Hospital or other facility. Use of multiple devices must be not be used while the patient is inpatie coordinated by one Physician,

**Residential Treatment** - treatment in a facility established and operated as required by law, which provides Mental Health Care Services or Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services. It must meet all of the following requirements:

- Provides a program of treatment, under the active participation and direction of a Physician.
- Offers organized treatment services that feature a planned and structured regimen of care in a 24hour setting and provides at least the following basic services:
  - Room and board.
  - Evaluation and diagnosis.
  - Counseling.
  - Referral and orientation to specialized community resources.

A Residential Treatment facility that qualifies as a Hospital is considered a Hospital.

**Rider** - any attached written description of additional Covered Health Care Services not described in this *Certificate*. Covered Health Care Services provided by a Rider may be subject to payment of additional

Premiums. (Note that Benefits for Outpatient Prescription Drugs, Pediatric Vision Care Services and Pediatric Dental Services, while presented in Rider format, are not subject to payment of additional Premiums and are included in the overall Premium for Benefits under the Policy.) Riders are effective only when signed by us and are subject to all conditions, limitations and exclusions of the Policy except for those that are specifically amended in the Rider.

**Secretary** - as that term is applied in the *No Surprises Act* of the *Consolidated Appropriations Act* (*P.L.116-260*).

**Semi-private Room** - a room with two or more beds. When an Inpatient Stay in a Semi-private Room is a Covered Health Care Service, the difference in cost between a Semi-private Room and a private room is a Benefit only when a private room is Medically Necessary, or when a Semi-private Room is not available.

**Sickness** - physical illness, disease or Pregnancy. The term Sickness as used in this *Certificate* includes Mental Illness or substance-related and addictive disorders, regardless of the cause or origin of the Mental Illness or substance-related and addictive disorder.

**Skilled Care** - skilled nursing, skilled teaching, skilled habilitation, and skilled rehabilitation services when all of the following are true:

- Must be delivered or supervised by licensed technical or professional medical personnel in order to obtain the specified medical outcome, and provide for the safety. The latient.
- Ordered by a Physician.
- Not delivered for the purpose of helping with activities of daily sing, mordding dressing, feeding, bathing or transferring from a bed to a chair.
- Requires clinical training in order to be delivered sale v and electively.
- Not Custodial Care, which can safely and effectively be med by trained non-medical personnel.

Skilled Nursing Facility - a Hospital or nursing facility that is licensed and operated as required by law.

**Specialist** - a Physician who has a majority of the or helpractice in areas other than general pediatrics, internal medicine, obstetrics/gynecolog, its tily plastice or general medicine.

**Specialty Pharmaceutical Product** Pharmaceutical Products that are generally high cost, biotechnology drugs used a treat patient with certain illnesses.

**Subscriber** - an Eligible Person that properly enrolled under the Policy. The Subscriber is the person (who is not a Dependent) and so be all the Policy is issued to the Group.

**Substance-Related and Addictive Isorders Services** - services for the diagnosis and treatment of alcoholism and substance-related and addictive disorders that are listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders* or *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association*. The fact that a disorder is listed in the current edition of the *International Classification of Diseases section on Mental and Behavioral Disorders* or *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of the American Psychiatric Association* does not mean that treatment of the disorder is a Covered Health Care Service.

**Surrogate** - a female who becomes pregnant usually by artificial insemination or transfer of a fertilized egg (embryo) for the purpose of carrying the fetus for another person.

**Telehealth/Telemedicine** - live, interactive audio with visual transmissions of a Physician-patient encounter from one site to another using telecommunications technology. The site may be a *CMS* defined originating facility or another location such as a Covered Person's home or place of work. Telehealth/Telemedicine does not include virtual care services provided by a Designated Virtual Network Provider.

**Transitional Living** - Mental Health Care Services and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services provided through facilities, group homes and supervised apartments which provide 24-hour

supervision, including those defined in the *American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) Criteria*, and are either:

- Sober living arrangements such as drug-free housing or alcohol/drug halfway houses. They provide
  stable and safe housing, an alcohol/drug-free environment and support for recovery. They may be
  used as an addition to ambulatory treatment when it doesn't offer the intensity and structure
  needed to help you with recovery.
- Supervised living arrangements which are residences such as facilities, group homes and supervised apartments. They provide stable and safe housing and the opportunity to learn how to manage activities of daily living. They may be used as an addition to treatment when it doesn't offer the intensity and structure needed to help you with recovery.

**Unproven Service(s)** - services, including medications and devices, regardless of *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)* approval, that are not determined to be effective for treatment of the medical condition or not determined to have a beneficial effect on health outcomes due to insufficient and inadequate clinical evidence from well-conducted randomized controlled trials or cohort studies in the prevailing published peer-reviewed medical literature.

- Well-conducted randomized controlled trials. (Two or more treatments are compared to each other, and the patient is not allowed to choose which treatment is received.)
- Well-conducted cohort studies from more than one institution. (Figure 3 who receive study treatment are compared to a group of patients who receive and a thereby. The comparison group must be nearly identical to the study treatment group.)

We have a process by which we compile and review clinical evidence who respect to certain health care services. From time to time, we issue medical and drug poolicies that escribe the clinical evidence available with respect to specific health care services. These nedic and drug policies are subject to change without prior notice. You can view these policies it www. Tyuhc.com.

#### Please note:

If you have a life-threatening Sickness condition (one that is likely to cause death within one year of the request for treatment) we may as a determine, consider an otherwise Unproven Service to be a Covered Health Care Service for hat Sokness or condition. Prior to such a consideration, we must first establish that there is sufficiently idence to conclude that, even though unproven, the service has significant potential as an elective treatment for that Sickness or condition.

**Urgent Care Center** - a acility was vides Covered Health Care Services that are required to prevent serious deterioration of y sealth. These services are required as a result of an unforeseen Sickness, Injury, or the onset of sudden or several symptoms.

### Section 10: Consolidated Appropriations Act Summary

The Policy complies with the applicable provisions of the *Consolidated Appropriations Act (the "Act") (P.L. 116-260)*.

#### **No Surprises Act**

#### **Balance Billing**

Under the Act, the *No Surprises Act* prohibits balance billing by out-of-Network providers in the following instances:

- When Ancillary Services are received at certain Network facilities on a non-Emergency basis from out-of-Network Physicians.
- When non-Ancillary Services are received at certain Network facilities on a non-Emergency basis
  from Out-of-Network Physicians who have not satisfied the notice and consent criteria or for
  unforeseen or urgent medical needs that arise at the time a non-Ancillary Service is provided for
  which notice and consent has been satisfied as described in the Annual
- When Emergency Health Care Services are provided by out-in-Nowom provider.
- When Air Ambulance services are provided by an out-of-Net ark provided

In these instances, the out-of-Network provider may not bill to a same atts in excess of your applicable Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible (cost share). Your cost share will be provided at the same level as if provided by a Network provider and is determined based on the Recognized Amount.

For the purpose of this Summary, "certain Network actions" are unified to a hospital (as defined in 1861(e) of the Social Security Act), a hospital output jent department a critical access hospital (as defined in 1861(mm)(1) of the Social Security Act), an important transfer of the Social Security Act, and are other resility specified by the Secretary.

#### Determination of Our Payne to be Out-of-Network Provider:

When Covered Health Care and ices are ecces at from out-of-Network providers for the instances as described above, Allower Amounts, which are used to determine our payment to out-of-Network providers, are based on the of the Covered in the order listed below as applicable:

- The reimbursement rate as determined by a state All Payer Model Agreement.
- The reimbursement rate extermined by state law.
- The initial payment made by us or the amount subsequently agreed to by the out-of-Network provider and us.
- The amount determined by Independent Dispute Resolution (IDR).

#### **Continuity of Care**

The Act provides that if you are currently receiving treatment for Covered Health Care Services from a provider whose network status changes from Network to out-of-Network during such treatment due to termination (non-renewal or expiration) of the provider's contract, you may be eligible to request continued care from your current provider under the same terms and conditions that would have applied prior to termination of the provider's contract for specified conditions and timeframes. This provision does not apply to provider contract terminations for failure to meet applicable quality standards or for fraud. If you would like help to find out if you are eligible for continuity of care Benefits, please call the telephone number on your ID card.

#### **Provider Directories**

The Act provides that if you receive a Covered Health Care Service from an out-of-Network provider and were informed incorrectly by us prior to receipt of the Covered Health Care Service that the provider was a Network provider, either through our database, our provider directory, or in our response to your request for such information (via telephone, electronic, web-based or internet-based means), you may be eligible for cost sharing that would be no greater than if the service had been provided from a Network provider.



## UnitedHealthcare Options PPO UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company Schedule of Benefits

#### **How Do You Access Benefits?**

You can choose to receive Network Benefits or Out-of-Network Benefits.

**Network Benefits** apply to Covered Health Care Services that are provided by a Network Physician or other Network provider.

**Out-of-Network Benefits** apply to Covered Health Care Services that are provided by an out-of-Network Physician or other out-of-Network provider, or Covered Health Care Services that are provided at an out-of-Network facility.

Emergency Health Care Services provided by an out-of-Network provider will be reimbursed as set forth under *Allowed Amounts* as described at the end of this *Schedulo of Be eff.* 

Covered Health Care Services provided at certain Network facilities of a new total Network Physician, when not Emergency Health Care Services, will be reimburse the set of under Allowed Amounts as described at the end of this Schedule of Benefits. For these Cover of Health Care Services, "certain Network facility" is limited to a hospital (as defined in 186 to 1 of the pocial Security Act), a hospital outpatient department, a critical access hospital (as defined in 1861 mm)(1) of the Social Security Act), an ambulatory surgical center as described in section (333) (1)(A), whe Social Security Act, and any other facility specified by the Secretary.

Ground and Air Ambulance transport provided by an att-of-Network provider will be reimbursed as set forth under *Allowed Amounts* as described at he and on his *Schedule of Benefits*.

You must show your identification car (ID) and) easy time you request health care services from a Network provider. If you do not show our D and, Network providers have no way of knowing that you are enrolled under a United reachcare Phicy. Is a result, they may bill you for the entire cost of the services you receive.

Additional information when he work of providers and how your Benefits may be affected appears at the end of this Schedul of Benefits.

If there is a conflict between the schedule of Benefits and any summaries provided to you by the Group, this Schedule of Benefits will control.

#### **Does Prior Authorization Apply?**

We require prior authorization for certain Covered Health Care Services. Services for which you are required to obtain prior authorization are shown in the *Schedule of Benefits* table within each Covered Health Care Service category.

When you choose to receive certain Covered Health Care Services you are responsible for obtaining prior authorization before you receive these services. Note that your obligation to obtain prior authorization is also applicable when an out-of-Network provider intends to admit you to a Network facility or to an out-of-Network facility or refers you to other Network or out-of-Network providers. Once you have obtained the authorization, please review it carefully so that you understand what services have been authorized and what providers are authorized to deliver the services that are subject to the authorization.

To obtain prior authorization, call the telephone number on your ID card. This call starts the utilization review process.

The utilization review process is a set of formal techniques designed to monitor the use of, or evaluate the clinical necessity, appropriateness, efficacy, or efficiency of, health care services, procedures or settings. Such techniques may include ambulatory review, prospective review, second opinion, certification, concurrent review, case management, discharge planning, retrospective review or similar programs.

Please note that prior authorization timelines apply. Refer to the applicable Benefit description in the *Schedule of Benefits* table to find out how far in advance you must obtain prior authorization.

For Covered Health Care Services that do not require you to obtain prior authorization, we urge you to confirm with us that the services you plan to receive are Covered Health Care Services. That's because in some instances, certain procedures may not be Medically Necessary or may not otherwise meet the definition of a Covered Health Care Service, and therefore are excluded. In other instances, the same procedure may meet the definition of Covered Health Care Services. By calling before you receive treatment, you can check to see if the service is subject to limitations or exclusions.

If you request a coverage determination at the time prior authorization is provided, the determination will be made based on the services you report you will be receiving. If the reported services differ from those received, our final coverage determination will be changed to account for those differences, and we will only pay Benefits based on the services delivered to you.

If you choose to receive a service that has been determined not to be a best ly Necessary Covered Health Care Service, you will be responsible for paying all charges and to Buefus will be paid.

#### **Care Management**

When you seek prior authorization as required, we will work and up to ut in place the care management process and to provide you with information so out additional services that are available to you, such as disease management programs, health education, and latient advocacy.

#### Special Note Regarding Medicare

If you are enrolled in Medicare on a primary basis (M. dicare pays before we pay Benefits under the Policy), the prior authorization requirements of not apply to you. Since Medicare is the primary payer, we will pay as secondary payer as described to Section 7: Coordination of Benefits. You are not required to obtain authorization before receiving over them. Care Services.

#### What Will You Pay for Covered Health Care Services?

Benefits for Covered Health Care Services are described in the tables below.

Annual Deductibles are calculated on a calendar year basis.

Out-of-Pocket Limits are calculated on a calendar year basis.

When Benefit limits apply, the limit stated refers to any combination of Network Benefits and Out-of-Network Benefits unless otherwise specifically stated.

Benefit limits are calculated on a calendar year basis unless otherwise specifically stated.

Payment Term And Description	Amounts
Annual Deductible	
The amount you pay for Covered Health Care Services per year before you are eligible to receive Benefits. Benefits for outpatient prescription drugs on the List of Preventive Medications are not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.  Coupons: We may not permit certain coupons or offers from	Network \$2,500 per Covered Person, not to exceed \$5,000 for all Covered Persons in a family Out-c-Network \$5,000 per Covered Person, not to
pharmaceutical manufacturers or an affiliate to apply to your Annual Deductible.	exceed 10.00 for all Covered Persons in a family.
Amounts paid toward the Annual Deductible for Covered Health Care Services that are subject to a visit or day limit will also be calculated against that maximum Benefit limit. As a root the limited Benefit will be reduced by the number of day s/visit used toward meeting the Annual Deductible.	
When a Covered Person was previously covered under group policy that was replaced by the group Policy, all amount already applied to that annual deductible provision of the prior policy will apply to the Annual Deductible provision under the Policy.	
The amount that is applied to the decided mount or the calculated on the basis of the mowed amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable, the Annual Deductible does not include any amount that a feeds the Allowed Amount. Details about the way in which Allowed Amounts are determined appear at the end of the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> table.	
Out-of-Pocket Limit	
The maximum you pay per year for the Annual Deductible, Co-	Network
payments or Co-insurance. Once you reach the Out-of-Pocket Limit, Benefits are payable at 100% of Allowed Amounts during the rest of that year.	\$5,000 per Covered Person, not to exceed \$10,000 for all Covered Persons in a family.
Details about the way in which Allowed Amounts are determined appear at the end of the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> table.	The Out-of-Pocket Limit includes the Annual Deductible.
The Out-of-Pocket Limit does not include any of the following and, once the Out-of-Pocket Limit has been reached, you still will be required to pay the following:	Out-of-Network \$10,000 per Covered Person, not to
Any charges for non-Covered Health Care Services.	exceed \$20,000 for all Covered

Payment Term	And Description	Amounts
	unt you are required to pay if you do not obtain	Persons in a family.
prior auth	orization as required.	The Out-of-Pocket Limit includes the
Charges to	that exceed Allowed Amounts, when applicable.	Annual Deductible.
	ay not permit certain coupons or offers from manufacturers or an affiliate to apply to your imit.	

#### Co-payment

Co-payment is the amount you pay (calculated as a set dollar amount) each time you receive certain Covered Health Care Services. When Co-payments apply, the amount is listed on the following pages next to the description for each Covered Health Care Service.

Please note that for Covered Health Care Services, you are responsible for paying the lesser of:

- The applicable Co-payment.
- The Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable

Details about the way in which Allowed Amounts are determined appear at the end of the *Schedule of Benefits* table.

#### Co-insurance

Co-insurance is the amount you pay (calculated as a percentage of the Allowed Amount or the Recognized Amount when applicable) each time you receive sertain Covered Health Care Services.

Details about the way in which Allowed Amounts are detectined operar at the end of the *Schedule* of *Benefits* table.

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	payment or Co- insurance You Pay?	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
1. Ambulance Services			

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

nce temportation. In most cases, we will initiate and direct non-Emerger

ng any affiliated non-Emergency If you are requesting non-Emergency Air Ambulance services (incl. ground ambulance transport in conjunction with non-Eme Jene, If you bulance transport), you must obtain authorization as soon as possible before transp not obtain prior authorization as required, you will be responsible for paying all ch no Benefits will be paid. rges an

Emergency Ambulance Allowed Amounts for ground and Air Ambulance transport provided by an out-of-Network provider will be determined as described below under Allowed Amounts in this Schedule of Benefits.	Network Ground And ulance 20%  A An sulance 0%	Yes Yes	Yes Yes
	Out-of-Network Same as Network	Same as Network	Same as Network
Non-Emergency Ambulance	Network		
Ground or Air Ambulance, as we	Ground Ambulance		
determine appropriate.	20%	Yes	Yes
Allowed Amounts for Air Ambulance transport provided by an out-of-	Air Ambulance	103	103
Network provider will be determined as described below under <i>Allowed Amounts</i> in this <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> .	20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network Ground Ambulance		
	50%	Yes	Yes
	Air Ambulance		
	Same as Network	Same as Network	Same as Network

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
2. Cellular and Gene Therapy			

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For Network Benefits, you must obtain prior authorization as soon as the prosibility of a Cellular or Gene Therapy arises. If you do not obtain prior authorization and if, as present the so vices are not received from a Designated Provider, Network Benefits will not be paid. Out-of-cook Benefits will apply.

For Out-of-Network Benefits, you must obtain prior authorication as so as the possibility of a Cellular or Gene Therapy arises. If you do not obtain prior authorication as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of he Allow d Amount.

In addition, for Out-of-Network Benefits, you must contact us 24, ours before admission for scheduled admissions or as soon as is reaso and possible or no 2-scheduled admissions.

#### Prior Author ration Requirement

For Network Benefits, you must obtain prious thorization as soon as the possibility of a Cellular or Gene Therapy arises. If you do not be be better that a zation and if, as a result, the services are not received from a Designated Provider, Network Benefits will not be paid. Out-of-Network Benefits will apply.

For Out-of-Network Bell sites and multipotential obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility of a Cellular or Gene Therapy arises. If you do not btain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, for Out-of-Network Benefits, you must contact us 24 hours before admission for scheduled admissions or as soon as is reasonably possible for non-scheduled admissions.

For Network Benefits, Cellular or Gene Therapy services must be received from a Designated Provider.	Network  Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.
	Out-of-Network  Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.
3. Clinical Trials	

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#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

You must obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility of participation in a clinical trial arises. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, you will be responsible for paying all charges and no Benefits will be paid.

Depending upon the Covered Health
Care Service, Benefit limits are the
same as those stated under the
specific Benefit category in this
Schedule of Benefits.

#### Network

Depending upon where the coverage lealth Care Service is provided, Benefits yours the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### Out-of-Ne work

Deperture upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this *Schedule of sefits*.

#### 4. Congenital Heart Dise CHD S ger

#### r Authorization Requirement

You must obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility of a CHD surgery arises. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

It is important that you notify us regarding your intention to have surgery. Your notification will open the opportunity to become enrolled in programs that are designed to achieve the best outcomes for you.

Benefits under this section include only the inpatient facility charges for the CHD surgery. Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits for diagnostic services, cardiac catheterization and non-surgical management of CHD will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### Network

Benefits will be the same as stated under *Hospital - Inpatient Stay* in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Copayment or Coinsurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
	Out-of-Network		
	Benefits will be the sar Stay in this Schedule of		ospital - Inpatient
5. Dental Services - Accident On	ly	V	
	Network		
	20%	Ye	Yes
	Out-of-Net		
	Same as Network	ame as Network	Same as Network
6. Diabetes Services			1

#### Pri Accorization Requirement

You must obtain prior author action be are o Mining any DME for the management and treatment of diabetes that costs more than \$1,000 siths retail purchase cost or cumulative retail rental cost of a single item). If you do not obtain a required, you will be responsible for paying all challes and no Benefits will be paid.

Diabetes Self-Management Training/Diabetic Eye Exams/Foot Care	Network Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits for diabetes self-management and training/diabetic eye exams/foot care will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.
	Out-of-Network  Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits for diabetes self-management and training/diabetic eye exams/foot care will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.
Diabetes Self-Management Items	Network
Benefits for diabetes equipment that meets the definition of DME are subject	Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits for diabetes self-management items will be

When Benefit limits apply, the limit refers to any combination of Network Benefits and Out-of-Network Benefits unless otherwise specifically stated. Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the Schedule of Benefits are based on Allowed Amounts or, for specific Covered Health Care Services as described in the definition of Recognized Amount in the Certificate, Recognized Amounts. The Allowed Amounts provision near the end of this Schedule of Benefits will tell you when you are responsible for amounts that exceed the Allowed Amount. **Covered Health Care Service** What Is the Co-Does the Amount | Does the Annual payment or Co-You Pay Apply to **Deductible** the Out-of-Pocket Apply? insurance You Pay? This May Include a Limit? Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both. the same as those stated under *Durable Medical Equipment* to the limit stated under *Durable* Medical Equipment (DME), Orthotics (DME), Orthotics and Supplies and in the Outpatient and Supplies. Prescription Drug Rider. Out-of-Network Depending upon where He Ith Care Service is he C provided. Benefits for dis of-may agement items will be etes the same as those stated to Je Medical Equipment (DME). Orthotics and nd in the *Outpatient* olie. Prescription Drug ider. 7. Durable Medical Equipment (DME), Orthotics Supplies rizatio Prior Aut Requirement You must obtain prior authorization be ing any DME or orthotic that costs more than \$1,000 (either retail purchase cost or cum ail re tal cost of a single item). If you do not obtain prior

#### authorization as required will le for paying all charges and no Benefits will be paid. ork 20% Yes Yes Out-of-Network 50% Yes Yes 8. Emergency Health Care Services - Outpatient Network Note: If you are confined in an out-of-Network Hospital after you receive 20% Yes Yes outpatient Emergency Health Care Services, you must notify us within one business day or on the same day of admission if reasonably possible. We may elect to transfer you to a Network Hospital as soon as it is medically appropriate to do so. If you choose to stay in the out-of-Network Hospital after the date we decide a transfer is medically appropriate, Network

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
Benefits will not be provided. Out-of- Network Benefits may be available if the continued stay is determined to be a Covered Health Care Service.			
If you are admitted as an inpatient to a Hospital directly from the Emergency room, the Benefits provided as described under <i>Hospital - Inpatient Stay</i> will apply. You will not have to pay the Emergency Health Care Services Co-payment, Co-insurance and/or deductible.			
Allowed Amounts for Emergency Health Care Services provided by an out-of-Network provider will be determined as described below under Allowed Amounts in this Schedule of Benefits.	<b>%</b>		
	of-Network Same as Network	Same as Network	Same as Network
9. Enteral Nutrition			
	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
10. Fertility Preservation for latrogen	ic Infertility		
Prior	· Authorization Require	ment	
You must obtain prior authorization a required, the amount you are requi			
Limited to \$20,000 per Covered Person during the entire period of time he or	Network 20%	Yes	Yes

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ut-of-Netyork )%	Yes	Yes
		ut-of-Neturak

#### Prior Authoriza S. Requirement for Surgical Treatment

You must obtain prior authorization as so in a see possibility of surgery arises. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required amount ou ar required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, you must contact us 24 hours before admission for an Inpatient Stay.

It is important that you no as soon as the possibility of surgery arises. Your notification allows the opportunity for us to provide you with additional information and services that may be available to you and are designed to achieve the best outcomes for you.

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement for Non-Surgical Treatment**

Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, any applicable prior authorization requirements will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.

Network
Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits and in the Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider.
Out-of-Network
Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Copayment or Coinsurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible		
	Covered Health Care S	provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under ear Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits and in the Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider.			

#### 12. Habilitative Services

#### Prior Authorization Requirement

For a scheduled admission, you must obtain prior authorization as soon as is reasonably possible for non-scheduled admissions. It was not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be acrease to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, you must contact us 24 hours before a mission to reneduled admissions or as soon as is reasonably possible for on-school dead dmissions.

Habilitative services received during an Inpatient Stay in an Inpatient Rehabilitative Facility are limited to 6 days per year.		the Covered Health the the same as those ervice category in thi	stated under each
Outpatient therapies are limited per year as follows:	Outpatient 20%	Yes	Yes
20 visits of physical therapy.			
20 visits of occupational therapy.			
20 Manipulative Treatment.			
• 20 visits of speech therapy.			
30 visits of post-cochlear implant aural therapy.			
20 visits of cognitive therapy.			
	Out-of-Network Inpatient Depending upon where provided, Benefits will b Covered Health Care Se	e the same as those	stated under each

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
	Benefits.		
	Outpatient 50%	Yes	Yes
13. Hearing Aids	•		
Limited to \$2,500 every year. Benefits are further limited to a single purchase per hearing impaired ear every three years. Repair and/or replacement of a hearing aid would apply to this limit in the same manner as a purchase.	Network 20%	ş	Yes
	Outh -Network 50%	Yes	Yes
14. Home Health Care	<b>**</b>		1
You must obtain prior corization reasonably possible. If you do not obtain pay	five business days before	re receiving services required, the amount	
Limited to 60 visits per year. One visit equals up to four hours of skilled care services.	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
This visit limit does not include any service which is billed only for the administration of intravenous infusion.			
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
15. Hospice Care			

Prior Authorization Requirement

You must obtain prior authorization five business days before admission for an Inpatient Stay in a

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C	overed Health Care Service	This May Include a Co-payment, Co-	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
		insurance or Both.		

hospice facility or as soon as is reasonably possible. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, you must contact us within 24 hours of admission for an Inpatient Stay in a hospice facility.

Network 20%	35	0	Yes
Out-of-Network 50%	Y		Yes

#### 16. Hospital - Inpatient Stay

#### Prior Authorization Registrement

For a scheduled admission, you must obtain a for authorization five business days before admission, or as soon as is reasonably possible for proceeded admissions. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are property to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, you must copy as 24 hours before admission for scheduled admissions or as soon as is reasonably pushed for non-scheduled admissions.

Network 20%	Yes	Yes
Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes

#### 17. Lab, X-Ray and Diagnostic - Outpatient

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For Genetic Testing, sleep studies, stress echocardiography and transthoracic echocardiogram, you must obtain prior authorization five business days before scheduled services are received. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

Lab Testing - Outpatient	Designated Network		
Limited to 18 Presumptive Drug Tests	\$15 per service	Yes	No
per year.			

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
Limited to 18 Definitive Drug Tests per year.			
For Designated Network Benefits, laboratory services must be received from a Designated Diagnostic Provider.		0.	
Network Benefits include laboratory services received from a Network provider that is not a Designated Diagnostic Provider.			
	Network 50%	Yes .	Yes
	50 s	Yes	Yes
X-Ray and Other Diagnostic Testing	Network		
- Outpatient	\$75 per service	Yes	No
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
18. Major Diagnostic and Imaging - C	utpatient		

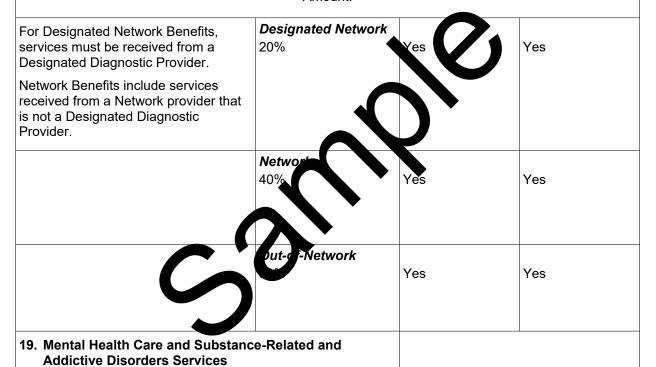
#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For CT, PET scans, MRI, MRA, and nuclear medicine, including nuclear cardiology, you must obtain prior authorization five business days before scheduled services are received or, for non-scheduled

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services, within one business day or as soon as is reasonably possible. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.



#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For a scheduled admission for Mental Health Care and Substance-Related and Addictive Disorders Services (including an admission for services at a Residential Treatment facility), you must obtain prior authorization five business days before admission, or as soon as is reasonably possible for non-scheduled admissions.

In addition, you must obtain prior authorization before the following services are received: Partial Hospitalization/Day Treatment; Intensive Outpatient Treatment programs; outpatient electro-convulsive treatment; psychological testing; transcranial magnetic stimulation; Intensive Behavioral Therapy, including Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA).

If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
to	50% of the Allowed Amou	unt.	
	Network Inpatient 20%	Yes A	Yes
	Outpatient 20%	Yes Ye	Yes
	20% for Partial Hospitalization/D Treatment/High Intensity Outpatient Intensity Outpatient reatmen	Ye	Yes
	Out-o. Vetwork  in tient  butp tient	Yes Yes	Yes Yes
	50% for Partial Hospitalization/Day Treatment/High Intensity Outpatient/Intensive Outpatient Treatment	Yes	Yes
20. Ostomy Supplies			
	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
21. Pharmaceutical Products - Outpa	tient		
Certain coupons from pharmaceutical	Network		

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
manufacturers or an affiliate may reduce the costs of your Specialty Pharmaceutical Products. Your Copayment and/or Co-insurance may vary when you use a coupon. Contact www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card for an available list of Specialty Pharmaceutical Products and the applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance.	20%	Yes	Yes
The amount of the coupon will count toward any applicable deductible and towards the Out-of-Pocket Limit until any applicable deductible is met, except when not allowed by state or federal law.			
	ut-d - Network	Yes	Yes
22. Physician Fees for Sugical and	Medical Services		
Covered Health Care Services provided by an out-of-Network Physician in certain Network facilities will apply the same cost sharing (Copayment, Co-insurance and applicable deductible) as if those services were provided by a Network provider; however, Allowed Amounts will be determined as described below under Allowed Amounts in this Schedule of Benefits.	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
23. Physician's Office Services - Sick	ness and Injury		

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
Co-payment/Co-insurance and any deductible for the following services also apply when the Covered Health Care Service is performed in a Physician's office:  Lab, radiology/X-rays and other diagnostic services described under Lab, X-Ray and Diagnostic - Outpatient.  Major diagnostic and nuclear	Network For Covered Persons under the age of 19: For Covered Persons age 19 and older: 20% for a Primary car Physician office visit; 20% for a Specialist office visit	Yes	Yes
medicine described under <i>Major Diagnostic and Imaging - Outpatient</i> .		es	Yes
Outpatient Pharmaceutical Products described under Pharmaceutical Products - Outpatient.	<b>%</b>		
Diagnostic and the apeutic scopic procedure describunder Scopic Process - Outpatient Diagnostic and Therapeutic.			
<ul> <li>Outpatient surgery procedures described under Surgery - Outpatient.</li> </ul>			
Outpatient therapeutic procedures described under Therapeutic Treatments - Outpatient.			
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
24. Pregnancy - Maternity Services	1		1
Prior	r Authorization Require	ment	

When Benefit limits apply, the limit refers to any combination of Network Benefits and Out-of-Network Benefits unless otherwise specifically stated. Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the Schedule of Benefits are based on Allowed Amounts or, for specific Covered Health Care Services as described in the definition of Recognized Amount in the Certificate, Recognized Amounts. The Allowed Amounts provision near the end of this Schedule of Benefits will tell you when you are responsible for amounts that exceed the Allowed Amount. **Covered Health Care Service** What Is the Co-Does the Amount | Does the Annual payment or Co-You Pay Apply to Deductible the Out-of-Pocket | Apply? insurance You Pay? This May Include a Limit? Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both. You must obtain prior authorization as soon as reasonably possible if the Inpatient Stay for the mother and/or the newborn will be more than 48 hours for the mother and newborn child following a normal vaginal delivery, or more than 96 hours for the mother and newborn child following a cesarean section delivery. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amou Network ned under each Covered Benefits will be the same a Health Care Service this Schedule of Benefits ial Ded tible will not apply for a newborn except that an A child whose length f stay i the Hospital is the same as the mother's le f sta Out-o Ben the same as those stated under each Covered Health Sare Service category in this Schedule of Benefits an Annual Deductible will not apply for a newborn hose length of stay in the Hospital is the same as the length of stay. 25. Preimplantation G and Related etic Services rior Authorization Requirement You must obtain prior authorization as soon as possible. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount. Network Benefit limits for related services will be the same as, and combined with, those 20% Yes Yes stated under Fertility Preservation for latrogenic Infertility. This limit does not include Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) for the specific genetic disorder. This limit includes Benefits for ovarian stimulation medications provided under the Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider. Out-of-Network

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
	50%	Yes	Yes
26. Preventive Care Services			
Physician office services	Network None	v ()	No
	Out-of-Network 50%		Yes
Lab, X-ray or other preventive tests	Network None	40	No
	Out-o -New ork	Yes	Yes
Breast pumps	Ne <b>vork</b> N ne	No	No
	of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
27. Prosthetic Devices	<u> </u>		1

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

You must obtain prior authorization before obtaining prosthetic devices that exceed \$1,000 in cost per device. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, you will be responsible for paying all charges and no Benefits will be paid.

Benefits are limited to a single purchase of each type of prosthetic device every three years. Repair and/or replacement of a prosthetic device would apply to this limit in the same manner as a purchase.	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
Once this limit is reached, Benefits continue to be available for items required by the <i>Women's Health and</i>			

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Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Copayment or Coinsurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
Cancer Rights Act of 1998.			
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes

#### 28. Reconstructive Procedures

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

You must obtain prior authorization five business days before a screduled reconstructive procedure is performed or, for non-scheduled procedures, within one jusiness day or as soon as is reasonably possible. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, we are ount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allawed mount.

In addition, you must contact us 24 hours be one a mission for scheduled inpatient admissions or as soon as is reasonably possis, for not scheduled inpatient admissions.

#### Ne rork

Tope sing upon where the Covered Health Care Service is roviced, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each cared Health Care Service category in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### Out-of-Network

Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

# 29. Rehabilitation Services - Outpatient Therapy and Manipulative Treatment Limited per year as follows: • 36 visits of pulmonary rehabilitation therapy. • 36 visits of cardiac rehabilitation therapy. • 20 visits of physical therapy.

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Co	vered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
•	20 visits of occupational therapy.			
•	20 visits of speech therapy.			
•	30 visits of post-cochlear implant aural therapy.			
•	20 visits of cognitive rehabilitation therapy.		V	
		Out-of-Network 50%	Ye	Yes
30.	Scopic Procedures - Outpatient D Therapeutic	iagnostic and		
		Network	Yes	Yes
	9	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
31.	Skilled Nursing Facility/Inpatient I Services	Rehabilitation Facility		<u> </u>

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For a scheduled admission, you must obtain prior authorization five business days before admission, or as soon as is reasonably possible for non-scheduled admissions. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

In addition, you must contact us 24 hours before admission for scheduled admissions or as soon as is reasonably possible for non-scheduled admissions.

Limited to 60 days per year.	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network		

Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the Schedule of Benefits are based on Allowed Amounts or, for specific Covered Health Care Services as described in the definition of Recognized Amount in the Certificate, Recognized Amounts. The Allowed Amounts provision near the end of this Schedule of Benefits will tell you when you are responsible for amounts that exceed the Allowed Amount.

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Copayment or Coinsurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Coinsurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
	50%	Yes	Yes
32. Surgery - Outpatient			

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For cardiac catheterization, pacemaker insertion, implantable rdid brillators, diagnostic catheterization and electrophysiology implant and sleep apnea ou must obtain prior urge. authorization five business days before scheduled services or, for non-scheduled services, within one business day or as soon as is reasonably possil e. If yo do Not obtain prior authorization as 50% of the Allowed Amount. required, the amount you are required to pay will be h reased

Network 20%		Yes
Och of-Nework	Yes	Yes
OO The second of Transfer and Control		

#### 33. Therapeutic Treatments - Outratient

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

You must obtain prior authorization for the following outpatient therapeutic services five business days before scheduled services are received or, for non-scheduled services, within one business day or as soon as is reasonably possible. Services that require prior authorization: dialysis, intensity modulated radiation therapy and MR-guided focused ultrasound. If you do not obtain prior authorization as required, the amount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Allowed Amount.

	Network 20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
34. Transplantation Services			

Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the Schedule of Benefits are based on Allowed Amounts or, for specific Covered Health Care Services as described in the definition of Recognized Amount in the Certificate, Recognized Amounts. The Allowed Amounts provision near the end of this Schedule of Benefits will tell you when you are responsible for amounts that exceed the Allowed Amount.

C	overed Health Care Service	This May Include a Co-payment, Co-	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
		insurance or Both.		

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

For Network Benefits, you must obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility of a transplant arises (and before the time a pre-transplantation evaluation is performed at a transplant center). If you do not obtain prior authorization and if, as a result, the services are not received in a Designated Provider, Network Benefits will not be paid. Out-of-Network Benefits will apply.

For Out-of-Network Benefits, you must obtain prior authorization as soon of the possibility of a transplant arises (and before the time a pre-transplantation evaluation is performed at a transplant center). If you do not obtain prior authorization as required the abount you are required to pay will be increased to 50% of the Aboved Amount.

In addition, for Out-of-Network Benefits, you must proceed us 4 to urs before admission for scheduled admissions or as soon as is reasonable possible for on-scheduled admissions.

For Network Benefits, transplantation services must be received from a Designated Provider. We do not require that cornea transplants be received from a Designated ider in order for you to receive Network Benefits.	Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Senefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of			
	Out-of-Network			
	Depending upon where the Covered Health Care Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Care Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.			
35. Urgent Care Center Services	'			
	Network			
	20%	Yes	Yes	
	Out-of-Network			
	50%	Yes	Yes	
36. Urinary Catheters				
	Network			

Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the *Schedule of Benefits* are based on Allowed Amounts or, for specific Covered Health Care Services as described in the definition of Recognized Amount in the *Certificate*, Recognized Amounts. The *Allowed Amounts* provision near the end of this *Schedule of Benefits* will tell you when you are responsible for amounts that exceed the Allowed Amount.

Covered Health Care Service	What Is the Co- payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co- insurance or Both.	Does the Amount You Pay Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Limit?	Deductible
	20%	Yes	Yes
	Out-of-Network 50%	Yes	Yes
37. Virtual Care Services			
Network Benefits are available only when services are delivered through a Designated Virtual Network Provider. You can find a Designated Virtual Network Provider by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.	Network None		No
	Out-on Vetwork	Yes	Yes

#### Allowed Amount

Allowed Amounts are the sum of we extermine that we will pay for Benefits.

- For Benefits for Covered Heal Care Services provided by a Network provider, except for your cost sharing obligations, are not responsible for any difference between Allowed Amounts and the amount the provider bills.
- For Out-of-Network Benefits, except as described below, you are responsible for paying, directly to the out-of-Network provider, any difference between the amount the provider bills you and the amount we will pay for Allowed Amounts.
  - For Covered Health Care Services that are *Ancillary Services received at certain Network facilities on a non-Emergency basis from out-of-Network Physicians,* you are not responsible, and the out-of-Network provider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.
  - For Covered Health Care Services that are non-Ancillary Services received at certain Network facilities on a non-Emergency basis from out-of-Network Physicians who have not satisfied the notice and consent criteria or for unforeseen or urgent medical needs that arise at the time a non-Ancillary Service is provided for which notice and consent has been satisfied as described below, you are not responsible, and the out-of-

- Network provider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.
- For Covered Health Care Services that are *Emergency Health Care Services provided by an out-of-Network provider*, you are not responsible, and the out-of-Network provider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your applicable Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.
- For Covered Health Care Services that are *Air Ambulance services provided by an out-of-Network provider*, you are not responsible, and the out-of-Network provider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your applicable Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the rates that would apply if the service was provided by a Network provider which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.

Allowed Amounts are determined in accordance with our reimbursement policy guidelines or as required by law, as described in the *Certificate*.

#### **Network Benefits**

Allowed Amounts are based on the following:

- When Covered Health Care Services are received from a Network provider, Allowed Amounts are our contracted fee(s) with that provider.
- When Covered Health Care Services are received from an oxof-lightwork provider as arranged by us, Allowed Amounts are an amount negotiated by us of an amount permitted by law. Please contact us if you are billed for amounts in excess of your applicable. Co-insurance, Co-payment or any deductible. We will not pay excessive charges amounts you are not legally obligated to pay.

#### **Out-of-Network Benefits**

When Covered Health Care Services are recommendate from a pout Network provider as described below, Allowed Amounts are determined as follows:

- For non-Emergency Covered Health Care Services received at certain Network facilities from out-of-Network Physicians with a services are either Ancillary Services, or non-Ancillary Services that have no satisfies the notice and consent criteria of section 2799B-2(d) of the Public Health Service. Act with espect to a visit as defined by the Secretary, the Allowed Amount is based on one of the following in the order listed below as applicable:
  - The reimbut at rate is determined by a state All Payer Model Agreement.
  - The reimbursement rate as determined by state law.
  - The initial payment made by us or the amount subsequently agreed to by the out-of-Network provider and us.
  - The amount determined by Independent Dispute Resolution (IDR).

For the purpose of this provision, "certain Network facilities" are limited to a hospital (as defined in 1861(e) of the Social Security Act), a hospital outpatient department, a critical access hospital (as defined in 1861(mm)(1) of the Social Security Act), an ambulatory surgical center as described in section 1833(i)(1)(A) of the Social Security Act, and any other facility specified by the Secretary.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** For Ancillary Services, non-Ancillary Services provided without notice and consent, and non-Ancillary Services for unforeseen or urgent medical needs that arise at the time a service is provided for which notice and consent has been satisfied, you are not responsible, and an out-of-Network Physician may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your applicable Copayment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.

• For Emergency Health Care Services provided by an out-of-Network provider, the Allowed Amount is based on one of the following in the order listed below as applicable:

- The reimbursement rate as determined by a state All Payer Model Agreement.
- The reimbursement rate as determined by state law.
- The initial payment made by us or the amount subsequently agreed to by the out-of-Network provider and us.
- The amount determined by Independent Dispute Resolution (IDR).

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** You are not responsible, and an out-of-Network provider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your applicable Co-payment, Co-insurance or deductible which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.

- For Air Ambulance transportation provided by an out-of-Network provider, the Allowed Amount is based on one of the following in the order listed below as applicable:
  - The reimbursement rate as determined by a state All Payer Model Agreement.
  - The reimbursement rate as determined by state law.
  - The initial payment made by us or the amount subsequently agreed to by the out-of-Network provider and us.
  - The amount determined by Independent Dispute Resolution (ID)

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** You are not responsible, and an or of-lest ork povider may not bill you, for amounts in excess of your Co-payment, Co-insurance or reduce the raich is based on the rates that would apply if the service was provided by a Network provider which is based on the Recognized Amount as defined in the *Certificate*.

• For Emergency ground ambulance transportation provided by an out-of-Network provider, the Allowed Amount, which includes mileage at a suppose upon by the out-of-Network provider or, unless a different amount is required by a plical law, letermined based upon the median amount negotiated with Network provided at the san or shallar service.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Out-of-Network rovided may bill you for any difference between the provider's billed charges and the Allowed mount described here.

When Covered Health Care Services are deliver from an out-of-Network provider, except as described above, Allowed about an det whined based on either of the following:

- Negotiated rates a freed to by the affiliates, or subcontractors.
- If rates have not been negotiated, then one of the following amounts:
  - Allowed Amounts are determined based on 100% of the published rates allowed by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for Medicare for the same or similar service within the geographic market, with the exception of the following:
    - 50% of CMS for the same or similar freestanding laboratory service.
    - 45% of CMS for the same or similar Durable Medical Equipment from a freestanding supplier, or CMS competitive bid rates.
    - 70% of *CMS* for the same or similar physical therapy service from a freestanding provider.
  - When a rate is not published by CMS for the service, we use an available gap methodology to determine a rate for the service as follows:
    - For services other than Pharmaceutical Products, we use a gap methodology established by *OptumInsight* and/or a third-party vendor that uses a relative value scale or the amount typically accepted by a provider for the same or similar service. The relative value scale may be based on the difficulty, time, work, risk, location, and resources of the service. If the relative value scale(s) currently in use become no

longer available, we will use a comparable scale(s). We and *OptumInsight* are related companies through common ownership by *UnitedHealth Group*. Refer to our website at www.myuhc.com for information regarding the vendor that provides the applicable gap fill relative value scale information.

- For Pharmaceutical Products, we use gap methodologies that are similar to the pricing methodology used by CMS, and produce fees based on published acquisition costs or average wholesale price for the pharmaceuticals. These methodologies are currently created by RJ Health Systems, Thomson Reuters (published in its Red Book), or UnitedHealthcare based on an internally developed pharmaceutical pricing resource.
- When a rate for a laboratory service is not published by CMS for the service and gap methodology does not apply to the service, the rate is based on the average amount negotiated with similar Network providers for the same or similar service.
- When a rate for all other services is not published by CMS for the service and a gap methodology does not apply to the service, the Allowed Amount is based on 20% of the provider's billed charge.

We update the *CMS* published rate data on a regular basis when data from *CMS* becomes available. These updates are typically put in place within 30 to 9 days after *CMS* updates its data.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Out-of-Network providers may bill you foll by diff bence between the provider's billed charges and the Allowed Amount described have. In ancludes non-Ancillary Services when notice and consent is satisfied as described and section 2799B-2(d) of the Public Health Service Act.

#### **Provider Network**

We arrange for health care providers to take particle. Network providers are independent practitioners. They are not our employees. It is your sponsibility to choose your provider.

Our credentialing process confirms public information about the providers' licenses and other credentials but does not assure the quality of the sames provided.

Before obtaining services you should ity the Network status of a provider. A provider's status may change. You can veri s by calling the telephone number on your ID card. A provider g us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on vour directory of providers is ailable by con ID card to request a cop If ve e a Covered Health Care Service from an out-of-Network provider and were informed incorrectly by us p or to receipt of the Covered Health Care Service that the provider was a Network provider, either through our database, our provider directory, or in our response to your phone, electronic, web-based or internet-based means), you may be request for such information ( eligible for cost sharing (Co-payment, Co-insurance and applicable deductible) that would be no greater than if the service had been provided from a Network provider.

It is possible that you might not be able to obtain services from a particular Network provider. The network of providers is subject to change. Or you might find that a particular Network provider may not be accepting new patients. If a provider leaves the Network or is otherwise not available to you, you must choose another Network provider to get Network Benefits. However, if you are currently receiving treatment for Covered Health Care Services from a provider whose network status changes from Network to out-of-Network during such treatment due to termination (non-renewal or expiration) of the provider's contract, you may be eligible to request continued care from your current provider under the same terms and conditions that would have applied prior to termination of the provider's contract for specified conditions and timeframes. This provision does not apply to provider contract terminations for failure to meet applicable quality standards or for fraud. If you would like help to find out if you are eligible for continuity of care Benefits, please call the telephone number on your ID card.

If you are currently undergoing a course of treatment using an out-of-Network Physician or health care facility, you may be eligible to receive transition of care Benefits. This transition period is available for

specific medical services and for limited periods of time. If you have questions regarding this transition of care reimbursement policy or would like help to find out if you are eligible for transition of care Benefits, please call the telephone number on your ID card.

Do not assume that a Network provider's agreement includes all Covered Health Care Services. Some Network providers contract with us to provide only certain Covered Health Care Services, but not all Covered Health Care Services. Some Network providers choose to be a Network provider for only some of our products. Refer to your provider directory or contact us for help.

#### **Designated Providers**

If you have a medical condition that we believe needs special services, we may direct you to a Designated Provider chosen by us. If you require certain complex Covered Health Care Services for which expertise is limited, we may direct you to a Network facility or provider that is outside your local geographic area. If you are required to travel to obtain such Covered Health Care Services from a Designated Provider, we may reimburse certain travel expenses.

In both cases, Network Benefits will only be paid if your Covered Health Care Services for that condition are provided by or arranged by the Designated Provider chosen by us.

You or your Network Physician must notify us of special service needs (acrost transplants or cancer treatment) that might warrant referral to a Designated Provider of you or not notify us in advance, and if you receive services from an out-of-Network facility (regardless to whete part is a Designated Provider) or other out-of-Network provider, Network Benefits will not be paid. Os of-Network Benefits may be available if the special needs services you receive are Covered Health Care Services for which Benefits are provided under the Policy.

#### Limitations on Selection of Provide

If we determine that you are using health care serves in charm, for abusive manner, or with harmful frequency, your selection of Network providers have a limite. If the happens, we may require you to select a single Network Physician to provide and cook pate all future Covered Health Care Services.

If you don't make a selection within 31 do of the date we notify you, we will select a single Network Physician for you.

If you do not use the selected two K Physician, Covered Health Care Services will be paid as Out-of-Network Benefits.

# Pediatric Dental Services Rider UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

#### **How Do You Use This Document?**

This Rider to the Policy is issued to the Group and provides Benefits for Covered Dental Services, as described below, for Covered Persons under the age of 19. Benefits under this Rider will end on the last day of the month the Covered Person reaches the age of 19.

#### What Are Defined Terms?

Because this Rider is part of a legal document, we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in either the *Certificate of Coverage (Certificate)* in *Section 9: Defined Terms* or in this Rider in *Section 5: Defined Terms for Pediatric Dental Services*.

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are preciply to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your" be are efer ing a people who are Covered Persons, as the term is defined in the *Certificate* in *Section* 9: 1, and Jerms.

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UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

### **Section 1: Accessing Pediatric Dental Services**

#### **Network and Out-of-Network Benefits**

**Network Benefits** - these Benefits apply when you choose to obtain Covered Dental Services from a Network Dental Provider. You generally are required to pay less to the provider than you would pay for services from an out-of-Network provider. Network Benefits are determined based on the contracted fee for each Covered Dental Service. In no event, will you be required to pay a Network Dental Provider an amount for a Covered Dental Service that is greater than the contracted fee.

In order for Covered Dental Services to be paid as Network Benefits, you must obtain all Covered Dental Services directly from or through a Network Dental Provider.

You must always check the participation status of a provider prior to seeking services. From time to time, the participation status of a provider may change. You can check the participation status by contacting us and/or the provider. We can provide help in referring you to Network Dental Provider.

We will make available to you a *Directory of Network Dental Providers*. You can also call us at the number stated on your identification (ID) card to determine which providers participate in the Network.

Out-of-Network Benefits - these Benefits apply when you decide to o vered Dental Services ain 🖍 from out-of-Network Dental Providers. You generally are require re to he provider than for Network Benefits. Out-of-Network Benefits are determined based nd Customary fee for similarly situated Network Dental Providers for each Covered Dental rvice. The actual charge made by ed the Usual and Customary an out-of-Network Dental Provider for a Covered Dental Se fee. You may be required to pay an out-of-Network Denta n amount for a Covered Dental rovider Service that is greater than the Usual and Customary fee. btain Covered Dental Services en you o be reimbursed for Allowed Dental from out-of-Network Dental Providers, you must file Amounts.

#### What Are Covered Dental Services

You are eligible for Benefits for Covered antal Prvices listed in this Rider if such Dental Services are Necessary and are provided by or uncer the lifection of a Network Dental Provider.

Benefits are available only free cessary Dentin Services. The fact that a Dental Provider has performed or prescribed a procedure or treatment, at the fact that it may be the only available treatment for a dental disease, does not mean that the fact dure or treatment is a Covered Dental Service under this Rider.

#### What Is a Pre-Treatment Estimate?

If the charge for a Dental Service is expected to exceed \$500 or if a dental exam reveals the need for fixed bridgework, you may notify us of such treatment before treatment begins and receive a pretreatment estimate. If you desire a pre-treatment estimate, you or your Dental Provider should send a notice to us, via claim form, within 20 calendar days of the exam. If requested, the Dental Provider must provide us with dental x-rays, study models or other information necessary to evaluate the treatment plan for purposes of benefit determination.

We will determine if the proposed treatment is a Covered Dental Service and will estimate the amount of payment. The estimate of Benefits payable will be sent to the Dental Provider and will be subject to all terms, conditions and provisions of the Policy. Clinical situations that can be effectively treated by a less costly, clinically acceptable alternative procedure will be given a benefit based on the less costly procedure.

A pre-treatment estimate of Benefits is not an agreement to pay for expenses. This procedure lets you know in advance approximately what portion of the expenses will be considered for payment.

#### **Does Pre-Authorization Apply?**

Pre-authorization is required for orthodontic services. Speak to your Dental Provider about obtaining a pre-authorization before Dental Services are provided. If you do not obtain a pre-authorization, we have a right to deny your claim for failure to comply with this requirement.

#### **Section 2: Benefits for Pediatric Dental Services**

Benefits are provided for the Dental Services stated in this Section when such services are:

- A. Necessary.
- B. Provided by or under the direction of a Dental Provider.
- C. Clinical situations that can be effectively treated by a less costly, dental appropriate alternative procedure will be given a Benefit based on the least costly procedure.
- D. Not excluded as described in Section 3: Pediatric Dental Exclusions of this Rider.

#### **Network Benefits:**

Benefits for Allowed Dental Amounts are determined as a percentage of the negotiated contract fee between us and the provider rather than a percentage of the provider's particle. Our negotiated rate with the provider is ordinarily lower than the provider's billed charge.

A Network provider cannot charge you or us for any service or supply that is not decessary as determined by us. If you agree to receive a service or supply that is not Necessary the Network provider may charge you. However, these charges will not be considered over the Dental Services and Benefits will not be payable.

#### **Out-of-Network Benefits:**

Benefits for Allowed Dental Amounts from out-of-Network, rovides are determined as a percentage of the Usual and Customary fees. You must pay the account by which he out-of-Network provider's billed charge exceeds the Allowed Dental Amount

#### **Annual Deductible**

Benefits for pediatric Dental Services provides under this Rider are subject to the Annual Deductible stated in the *Schedule of Benefits*, unless other use specifically stated.

**Out-of-Pocket Limit** - and amount you specific Co-insurance for pediatric Dental Services under this Rider applies to the Out-of-Pocket Limit stand in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### **Benefits**

When Benefit limits apply, the limit stated refers to any combination of Network Benefits and Out-of-Network Benefits unless otherwise specifically stated.

Benefit limits are calculated on a calendar year basis unless otherwise specifically stated.

D0372 - Intraoral tomosynthesis -

Benefit Description		
Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> are based on Allowed Dental Amounts.		
What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
Diagnostic Services - Network a Deductible.)	nd Out-of-Network (Subject to pa	yment of the Annual
Evaluations (Checkup Exams)	None	50%
Limited to 2 times per 12 months. Covered as a separate Benefit only if no other service was done during the visit other than X-rays.		
D0120 - Periodic oral evaluation.		
D0140 - Limited oral evaluation - problem focused.		
D9995 - Teledentistry - synchronous - real time encounter.		
D9996 - Teledentistry - asynchronous - information stored and forwarded to dentist for subsequent review.	~(,,,	
D0150 - Comprehensive oral evaluation - new or establined patient.		
D0180 - Comprehensive periodontal evaluation - new or established patient.		
D0160 - Detailed and extensive oral evaluation - problem focused, by report.		
Intraoral Radiographs (X-ray)	None	50%
Limited to 1 series of films per 36 months.		
D0210 - Intraoral comprehensive series of radiographic images.		
D0709 - Intraoral - comprehensive series of radiographic images - image capture only.		

What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
comprehensive series of radiographic images.		
D0387 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - comprehensive series of radiographic images - image capture only.		
The following services are limited to 2 per 12 months.	None	50%
D0220 - Intraoral - periapical first radiographic image.	•	0,
D0230 - Intraoral - periapical - each additional radiographic image.		
D0240 - Intraoral - occlusal radiographic image.		·
D0374 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - periapical radiographic image.		
D0389 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - periapical radiographic image - image capture only.		
D0706 - Intraoral - occlusal radiographic image - image capture only.		
D0707 - Intraoral - periapical radiographic image - image capture only.		
Any combination of the following services is limited to 2 series of films per 12 months.	None	50%
D0270 - Bitewing - single radiographic image.		
D0272 - Bitewings - two radiographic images.		
D0274 - Bitewings - four radiographic images.		
D0277 - Vertical bitewings - 7 to 8 radiographic images.		
D0373 - Intraoral tomosynthesis -		

What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
comprehensive series of radiographic images.		
D0388 - Intraoral tomosynthesis - bitewing radiographic image - image capture only.		
D0708 - Intraoral - bitewing radiographic image - image capture only.		
Limited to 1 time per 36 months.	None	17%
D0330 - Panoramic radiograph image.		V
D0701 - Panoramic radiographic image - image capture only.		
D0702 - 2-D Cephalometric radiographic image - image capture only.		
The following service is limited to two images per calendar year.	None	50%
D0705 - Extra-oral posterior dental radiographic image image capture only.	<b>10</b> ,	
The following services a subject to a frequency limit.	No e	50%
D0340 - 2-D Cephalometric radiographic image - acquisition, measurement and analysis.		
D0350 - 2-D Oral/facial photographic images obtained intra-orally or extra-orally.		
D0470 - Diagnostic casts.		
D0703 - 2-D Oral/facial photographic image obtained intra-orally or extra-orally - image capture only.		

Deductible.)

What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
Dental Prophylaxis (Cleanings)	None	50%
The following services are limited to two times every 12 months.		
D1110 - Prophylaxis - adult.		
D1120 - Prophylaxis - child.		
Fluoride Treatments	None	50%
The following services are limited to two times every 12 months.		<b>O</b> .
D1206 - Topical application of fluoride varnish.		V
D1208 - Topical application of fluoride - excluding varnish.		
Sealants (Protective Coating)	None	50%
The following services are limited to once per first or second permanent molar every 36 months.	~(,,,	
D1351 - Sealant - per tooth.		
D1352 - Preventive resin restorations in moderate o high caries risk patient - pern tooth.		
Space Maintainers (Spacers)	None	50%
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.		
D1510 - Space maintainer - fixed, unilateral - per quadrant.		
D1516 - Space maintainer - fixed - bilateral, maxillary.		
D1517 - Space maintainer - fixed - bilateral, mandibular.		
D1520 - Space maintainer - removable, unilateral - per quadrant.		
D1526 - Space maintainer -		

Amounts which you are required Allowed Dental Amounts.	d to pay as shown below in the So	chedule of Benefits are based on
What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
removable - bilateral, maxillary.		
D1527 - Space maintainer - removable - bilateral, mandibular.		
D1551 - Re-cement or re-bond bilateral space maintainer - maxillary.		
D1552 - Re-cement or re-bond bilateral space maintainer - mandibular.		
D1553 - Re-cement or re-bond unilateral space maintainer - per quadrant.		
D1556 - Removal of fixed unilateral space maintainer - per quadrant.		
D1557 - Removal of fixed bilateral space maintainer - maxillary.		
D1558 - Removal of fixed bilateral space maintainer - mandibular.		
D1575 - Distal shoe space maintainer - fixed - unilateral per quadrant.	<b>10</b>	
Minor Restorative Service Net Deductible.)	two x and Out-of-Network (Subjection	ct to payment of the Annual
Amalgam Restorations (Silver Fillings)	20%	50%
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.		
D2140 - Amalgams - one surface, primary or permanent.		
D2150 - Amalgams - two surfaces, primary or permanent.		
D2160 - Amalgams - three surfaces, primary or permanent.		
D2161 - Amalgams - four or more surfaces, primary or permanent.		

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Composite Resin Restorations (Tooth Colored Fillings)	20%	50%
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.		
D2330 - Resin-based composite - one surface, anterior.		
D2331 - Resin-based composite - two surfaces, anterior.		
D2332 - Resin-based composite - three surfaces, anterior.	•	<b>0</b> 1
D2335 - Resin-based composite - four or more surfaces or involving incisal angle, (anterior).		

### Crowns/Inlays/Onlays - Network and Out-of-Network (Surfect typayment of the Annual Deductible.)

The following services are subject to a limit of one time every 60 months.	40%	50%
D2542 - Onlay - metallic - two surfaces.		
D2543 - Onlay - metallic three surfaces.		
D2544 - Onlay - metallic - four or more surfaces.		
D2740 - Crown - porcelain/ceramic.		
D2750 - Crown - porcelain fused to high noble metal.		
D2751 - Crown - porcelain fused to predominately base metal.		
D2752 - Crown - porcelain fused to noble metal.		
D2753 - Crown - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys.		
D2780 - Crown - 3/4 cast high noble metal.		
D2781 - Crown - 3/4 cast		

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predominately base metal.		
D2783 - Crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic.		
D2790 - Crown - full cast high noble metal.		
D2791 - Crown - full cast predominately base metal.		
D2792 - Crown - full cast noble metal.		<b>A</b> .
D2794 - Crown - titanium and titanium alloys.		V
D2930 - Prefabricated stainless steel crown - primary tooth.		
D2931 - Prefabricated stainless steel crown - permanent tooth.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	~///	
D2510 - Inlay - metallic - one surface.		
D2520 - Inlay - metallic - two surfaces.	<b>'</b>	
D2530 - Inlay - metallic hree surfaces.		
D2910 - Re-cement or re-bon inlay.		
D2920 - Re-cement or re-bond crown.		
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D2940 - Protective restoration.		
The following services are limited to one time per tooth every 60 months.	40%	50%
D2929 - Prefabricated porcelain/ceramic crown - primary tooth.		
D2950 - Core buildup, including		

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any pins when required.		
D2951 - Pin retention - per tooth, in addition to restoration.		
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D2954 - Prefabricated post and core in addition to crown.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	0%
D2980 - Crown repair necessitated by restorative material failure.		
D2981 - Inlay repair necessitated by restorative material failure.		
D2982 - Onlay repair necessitated by restorative material failure.		
Endodontics - Network and Out-	of etwork (Surfect to payment of	of the Annual Deductible.)
The following services are not subject to a frequency light.	20%	50%
D3220 - Therapeutic pulp (excluding final restoration).		
D3222 - Partial pulpotomy for apexogenesis - permanent tooth with incomplete root development.		
D3230 - Pulpal therapy (resorbable filling) - anterior, primary tooth (excluding final restoration).		
D3240 - Pulpal therapy (resorbable filling) - posterior, primary tooth (excluding final restoration).		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%

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D3310 - Endodontic therapy, anterior tooth (excluding final restoration).		
D3320 - Endodontic therapy, oremolar tooth (excluding final restoration).		
D3330 - Endodontic therapy, molar tooth (excluding final restoration).		
D3346 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - anterior.	•	<b>7</b> 1
D3347 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - bicuspid.		
D3348 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - molar.		•
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D3351 - Apexification/recalcification - nitial visit.		
D3352 - Apexification/recalcification/pulpal regeneration - interim multication replacement.		
D3353 - Apexification/recalcification - final visit.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D3410 - Apicoectomy - anterior.		
D3421 - Apicoectomy - premolar first root).		
D3425 - Apicoectomy - molar first root).		
D3426 - Apicoectomy (each additional root).		
D3450 - Root amputation - per root.		

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D3471 - Surgical repair of root resorption - anterior.		
D3472 - Surgical repair of root resorption - premolar.		
D3473 - Surgical repair of root resorption - molar.		
D3501 - Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - anterior.		
D3502 - Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - premolar.		V
D3503 - Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption - molar.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D3911 - Intraorifice barrier.		
D3920 - Hemisection (including any root removal), not including root canal therapy.		
Periodontics - Network and Out-	of- etwork (Subject to payment of	of the Annual Deductible.)
The following services are limited to a frequency of one every 36 months.	20%	50%
D4210 - Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant.		
D4211 - Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant.		
The following services are limited to one every 36 months.	20%	50%
D4240 - Gingival flap procedure,		

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including root planing - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant.		
D4241 - Gingival flap procedure, including root planing - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant.		
D4249 - Clinical crown lengthening - hard tissue.		
The following services are limited to one every 36 months.	20%	0%
D4260 - Osseous surgery (including flap entry and closure) - four or more contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant.		
D4261 - Osseous surgery (including flap entry and closure), one to three contiguous teeth or bounded teeth spaces per quadrant.		
D4263 - Bone replacement retained natural tooth - find site in quadrant.		
D4286 - Removal of non- resorbable barrier.		
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D4270 - Pedicle soft tissue graft procedure.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D4273 - Autogenous connective tissue graft procedure, per first tooth implant or edentulous tooth position in graft.		

D4275 - Non-autogenous connective tissue graft first tooth implant.

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D4277 - Free soft tissue graft procedure - first tooth.		
D4278 - Free soft tissue graft procedure - each additional contiguous tooth.		
D4322 - Splint - intra-coronal; natural teeth or prosthetic crowns.		
D4323 - Splint - extra-coronal; natural teeth or prosthetic crowns.		
The following services are limited to one time per quadrant every 24 months.	20%	
D4341 - Periodontal scaling and root planing - four or more teeth per quadrant.	$O_{\lambda}$	
D4342 - Periodontal scaling and root planing - one to three teeth per quadrant.		
D4346 - Scaling in presence of generalized moderate or severe gingival inflammation - full mouth, after oral evaluation.	0	
The following service is have to a frequency to one per lifetime.	20	50%
D4355 - Full mouth debridement to enable a comprehensive periodontal evaluation and diagnosis on a subsequent visit.		
The following service is limited to four times every 12 months in combination with prophylaxis.	20%	50%
D4910 - Periodontal maintenance.		
Removable Dentures - Network ( Deductible.)	│ and Out-of-Network (Subject to p	ayment of the Annual

50%

40%

The following services are limited to a frequency of one every 60

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months.		
D5110 - Complete denture - maxillary.		
D5120 - Complete denture - mandibular.		
D5130 - Immediate denture - maxillary.		
D5140 - Immediate denture - mandibular.		
D5211 - Maxillary partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth).		V
D5212 - Mandibular partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth).		,
D5213 - Maxillary partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		
D5214 - Mandibular part of denture - cast metal franchist with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		
D5221 - Immediate maxillary partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		
D5222 - Immediate mandibular partial denture - resin base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		
D5223 - Immediate maxillary partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		

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D5224 - Immediate mandibular partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture bases (including retentive/clasping materials, rests and teeth).		
D5227 - Immediate maxillary partial denture - flexible base (including any clasps, rests, and teeth).		
D5228 - Immediate mandibular partial denture - flexible base (including any clasps, rests, and teeth).		<b>(</b>
D5282 - Removable unilateral partial denture - one piece cast metal (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth), maxillary.	20	
D5283 - Removable unilateral partial denture - one piece cast metal (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth), mandibular.		
D5284 - Removable uniteral partial denture - one piece carble base (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) - quadrant.		
D5286 - Removable unilateral partial denture - one piece resin (including retentive/clasping materials, rests, and teeth) - per quadrant.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D5410 - Adjust complete denture - maxillary.		
D5411 - Adjust complete denture - mandibular.		
D5421 - Adjust partial denture -		

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maxillary.		
D5422 - Adjust partial denture - mandibular.		
D5511 - Repair broken complete denture base - mandibular.		
D5512 - Repair broken complete denture base - maxillary.		
D5520 - Replace missing or broken teeth - complete denture (each tooth).	•	0.
D5611 - Repair resin partial denture base - mandibular.		
D5612 - Repair resin partial denture base - maxillary.		
D5621 - Repair cast partial framework - mandibular.		
D5622 - Repair cast partial framework - maxillary.		
D5630 - Repair or replace broken retentive/clasping materials - per tooth.		
D5640 - Replace broker eeth - per tooth.		
D5650 - Add tooth to existing partial denture.		
D5660 - Add clasp to existing partial denture.		
The following services are limited to rebasing performed more than 6 months after the initial insertion with a frequency limitation of one time per 12 months.	40%	50%
D5710 - Rebase complete maxillary denture.		
D5711 - Rebase complete mandibular denture.		

D5720 - Rebase maxillary partial denture.

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What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	
D5721 - Rebase mandibular partial denture.		
D5725 - Rebase hybrid prosthesis.		
D5730 - Reline complete maxillary denture (direct).		
D5731 - Reline complete mandibular denture (direct).		
D5740 - Reline maxillary partial denture (direct).	•	S
D5741 - Reline mandibular partial denture (direct).		
D5750 - Reline complete maxillary denture (indirect).		
D5751 - Reline complete mandibular denture (indirect).		
D5760 - Reline maxillary partial denture (indirect).		
D5761 - Reline mandibular partial denture (indirect).		
D5876 - Add metal substructure to acrylic full denture (per arch).		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40 8	50%
D5765 - Soft liner for complete or partial removable denture - indirect.		
D5850 - Tissue conditioning (maxillary).		
D5851 - Tissue conditioning (mandibular).		
Bridges (Fixed partial dentures Annual Deductible.)	(FPD)) - Network and Out-of-Netw	ork (Subject to payment of the
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D6210 - Pontic - cast high noble		

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metal.		
D6211 - Pontic - cast predominately base metal.		
D6212 - Pontic - cast noble metal.		
D6214 - Pontic - titanium and titanium alloys.		
D6240 - Pontic - porcelain fused to high noble metal.		
D6241 - Pontic - porcelain fused to predominately base metal.		
D6242 - Pontic - porcelain fused to noble metal.		
D6243 - Pontic - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys.	()	•
D6245 - Pontic - porcelain/ceramic.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D6545 - Retainer - cast metal for resin bonded fixed prosthe		
D6548 - Retainer - porcelain/ceramic for resbonded fixed prosthesis.		
The following services are limited to one time every 60 months.	40%	50%
D6740 - Retainer crown - porcelain/ceramic.		
D6750 - Retainer crown - porcelain fused to high noble metal.		
D6751 - Retainer crown - porcelain fused to predominately base metal.		
D6752 - Retainer crown - porcelain fused to noble metal.		
D6753 - Retainer crown - porcelain fused to titanium and		

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titanium alloys.		
D6780 - Retainer crown - 3/4 cast high noble metal.		
D6781 - Retainer crown - 3/4 cast predominately base metal.		
D6782 - Retainer crown - 3/4 cast noble metal.		
D6783 - Retainer crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic.		
D6784 - Retainer crown - 3/4 titanium and titanium alloys.		V
D6790 - Retainer crown - full cast high noble metal.		
D6791 - Retainer crown - full cast predominately base metal.		
D6792 - Retainer crown - full cast noble metal.	<b>7</b>	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D6930 - Re-cement or re- FPD.		
D6980 - FPD repair necessity of by restorative material failure.		
Oral Surgery - Network and Out-	of-Network (Subject to payment of	of the Annual Deductible.)
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D7140 - Extraction, erupted tooth or exposed root.		
D7210 - Surgical removal of erupted tooth requiring removal of bone, sectioning of tooth, and including elevation of mucoperiosteal flap, if indicated.		
D7220 - Removal of impacted tooth - soft tissue.		
D7230 - Removal of impacted		

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tooth - partially bony.		
D7240 - Removal of impacted tooth - completely bony.		
D7241 - Removal of impacted tooth - completely bony with unusual surgical complications.		
D7250 - Surgical removal or residual tooth roots.		
D7251 - Coronectomy - intentional partial tooth removal, impacted teeth only.		<b>O</b>
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	<b>1</b> %
D7270 - Tooth reimplantation and/or stabilization of accidentally evulsed or displaced tooth.	N	
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D7280 - Surgical access exposure of an unerupted to		
The following services as not subject to a frequency line		50%
D7310 - Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extractions - toer or more teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant.		
D7311 - Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extraction - one to three teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant.		
D7320 - Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - four or more teeth or tooth spaces, per quadrant.		
D7321 - Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - one to three teeth or tooth space, per quadrant.		

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The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D7471 - removal of lateral exostosis (maxilla or mandible).		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%	50%
D7509 - Marsupialization of odontogenic cyst.		
D7510 - Incision and drainage of abscess, intraoral soft tissue.		
D7910 - Suture of recent small wounds up to 5 cm.		
D7953 - Bone replacement graft for ridge preservation - per site.		•
D7961 - Buccal/labial frenectomy (frenulectomy).		
D7962 - Lingual frenectomy (frenulectomy).		
D7971 - Excision of pericoronal gingiva.		
The following services a limit to one every 36 months.		50%
D7956 - Guided tissue regeneration, edentulous area resorbable barrier, per site.		
D7957 - Guided tissue regeneration, edentulous area - non-resorbable barrier, per site.		
Adjunctive Services - Network a Deductible.)	nd Out-of-Network (Subject to pa	yment of the Annual
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit; however, it is covered as a separate Benefit only if no other services (other than the exam and radiographs) were done on the same tooth during the visit.	20%	50%

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interim implant body.

D6040 - Surgical placement of

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eposteal implant.		
D6050 - Surgical placement: transosteal implant.		
D6055 - Connecting bar - implant supported or abutment supported.		
D6056 - Prefabricated abutment - includes modification and placement.		
D6057 - Custom fabricated abutment - includes placement.	•	<b>O</b> 1
D6058 - Abutment supported porcelain/ceramic crown.		
D6059 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to metal crown (high noble metal).	O <sub>A</sub>	
D6060 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to metal crown (predominately base metal).		
D6061 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to metal crown (noble metal).		
D6062 - Abutment supposed cast metal crown (high noble tetal)		
D6063 - Abutment supported cast metal crown (predominately base metal).		
D6064 - Abutment supported cast metal crown (noble metal).		
D6065 - Implant supported porcelain/ceramic crown.		
D6066 - Implant supported crown - porcelain fused to high noble alloys.		
D6067 - Implant supported crown - high noble alloys.		
D6068 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain/ceramic FPD.		
D6069 - Abutment supported		

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retainer for porcelain fused to metal FPD (high noble metal).			
D6070 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain fused to metal FPD (predominately base metal).			
D6071 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain fused to metal FPD (noble metal).			
D6072 - Abutment supported retainer for cast metal FPD (high noble metal).		Ø	
D6073 - Abutment supported retainer for cast metal FPD (predominately base metal).			
D6074 - Abutment supported retainer for cast metal FPD (noble metal).			
D6075 - Implant supported retainer for ceramic FPD.			
D6076 - Implant supported retainer for FPD - porcelain to high noble alloys.			
D6077 - Implant support retainer for metal FPD - high noble alloys.			
D6080 - Implant maintenance procedure.			
D6081 - Scaling and debridement in the presence of inflammation or mucositis of a single implant, including cleaning of the implant surfaces, without flap entry and closure.			
D6082 - Implant supported crown - porcelain fused to predominantly base alloys.			
D6083 - Implant supported crown - porcelain fused to noble alloys.			
D6084 - Implant supported crown			

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- porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys.	oo-madrance or oo-r ayment.	Allowed Delital Allounts.
D6086 - Implant supported crown - predominantly base alloys.		
D6087 - Implant supported crown - noble alloys.		
D6088 - Implant supported crown - titanium and titanium alloys.		
D6090 - Repair implant supported prosthesis, by report.	•	0,
D6091 - Replacement of replaceable part of semi-precision or precision attachment of implant/abutment supported prosthesis, per attachment.		
D6095 - Repair implant abutment, by report.		
D6096 - Remove broken implant retaining screw.		
D6097 - Abutment supported crown - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium allo	<b>%</b>	
D6098 - Implant support detainer - porcelain fused predominantly base alloys.		
D6099 - Implant supported retainer for FPD - porcelain fused to noble alloys.		
D6100 - Surgical removal of implant body.		
D6101 - Debridement peri-implant defect.		
D6102 - Debridement and osseous contouring of a perimplant defect.		
D6103 - Bone graft for repair perimplant defect.		
D6104 - Bone graft at time of implant replacement.		

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What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.
D6118 - Implant/abutment supported interim fixed denture for edentulous arch - mandibular.		
D6119 - Implant/abutment supported interim fixed denture for edentulous arch - maxillary.		
D6120 - Implant supported retainer - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys.		
D6121 - Implant supported retainer for metal FPD - predominantly base alloys.		<b>O</b>
D6122 - Implant supported retainer for metal FPD - noble alloys.		
D6123 - Implant supported retainer for metal FPD - titanium and titanium alloys.		
D6190 - Radiographic/surgical implant index, by report.		
D6191 - Semi-precision abutment - placement.		
D6192 - Semi-precision attachment - placement.		
D6195 - Abutment supported retainer - porcelain fused to titanium and titanium alloys.		
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	40%	50%
D6105 - Removal of implant body not requiring bone removal nor flap elevation.		
D6197 - Replacement of restorative material used to close an access opening of a screwretained implant supported prosthesis, per implant.		
The following services are limited to one every 36 months.	40%	50%

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What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.	
D6106 - Guided tissue regeneration - resorbable barrier, per implant.			
D6107 - Guided tissue regeneration - non-resorbable barrier, per implant.			
Medically Necessary Orthodonti Annual Deductible.)	ics - Network and Out-of-Network	(Subject to payment of the	
related to an identifiable syndrome Syndrome, Pierre-Robin Syndrome craniofacial deformities which resudental consultants. Benefits are no	contic treatment are approved by use a such as cleft lip and or palar <i>Croi</i> ce, hemi-facial atrophy, hemi-facial halt in a physically handicapping manut available for comprehent temporary spacing between teets temporary temporary temporary (continuous).	y crophy or other severe cclus as determined by our other treatment for crowded	
All orthodontic treatment must be p	orior authorized.		
Benefits will be paid in equal mont plan, starting on the date that the o step orthodontic procedure is perfo	orthodontical ands a appliances are	he entire orthodontic treatment first placed, or on the date a one-	
	a Dectar provides in order to diagnorable only when the service or suppl		
The following services a not subject to a frequency limitation as long as benefits have been prior authorized.	40%	50%	
D8010 - Limited orthodontic treatment of the primary dentition.			
D8020 - Limited orthodontic treatment of the transitional dentition.			
D8030 - Limited orthodontic treatment of the adolescent dentition.			
D8070 - Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the transitional dentition.			
D8080 - Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the			

Amounts which you are required to pay as shown below in the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> are based on Allowed Dental Amounts.			
What Are the Procedure Codes, Benefit Description and Frequency Limitations?	Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which May Include a Co-insurance or Co-Payment.	Out-of-Network Benefits - The Amount You Pay Which is Shown as a Percentage of Allowed Dental Amounts.	
adolescent dentition.			
D8210 - Removable appliance therapy.			
D8220 - Fixed appliance therapy.			
D8660 - Pre-orthodontic treatment visit.			
D8670 - Periodic orthodontic treatment visit.			
D8680 - Orthodontic retention.			
D8695 - Removal of fixed orthodontic appliances for reasons other than completion of treatment.			
D8696 - Repair of orthodontic appliance - maxillary.			
D8697 - Repair of orthodontic appliance - mandibular.	~///		
D8698 - Re-cement or re-bond fixed retainer - maxillary.			
D8699 - Re-cement or re-bond fixed retainer - mandibula	<b>1</b>		
D8701 - Repair of fixed tainer includes reattachment - nary.			
D8702 - Repair of fixed retain includes reattachment - mandibular.			

#### **Section 3: Pediatric Dental Exclusions**

Except as may be specifically provided in this Rider under Section 2: Benefits for Pediatric Dental Services, Benefits are not provided under this Rider for the following:

- 1. Any Dental Service or Procedure not listed as a Covered Dental Service in this Rider in Section 2: Benefits for Pediatric Dental Services.
- 2. Dental Services that are not Necessary.
- 3. Hospitalization or other facility charges.
- 4. Any Dental Procedure performed solely for cosmetic/aesthetic reasons. (Cosmetic procedures are those procedures that improve physical appearance.)

- 5. Reconstructive surgery, regardless of whether or not the surgery is related to a dental disease, Injury, or Congenital Anomaly, when the primary purpose is to improve physiological functioning of the involved part of the body.
- 6. Any Dental Procedure not directly related with dental disease.
- 7. Any Dental Procedure not performed in a dental setting.
- 8. Procedures that are considered to be Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Services. This includes pharmacological regimens not accepted by the *American Dental Association (ADA) Council on Dental Therapeutics*. The fact that an Experimental, or Investigational or Unproven Service, treatment, device or pharmacological regimen is the only available treatment for a particular condition will not result in Benefits if the procedure is considered to be Experimental or Investigational or Unproven in the treatment of that particular condition.
- 9. Drugs/medications, received with or without a prescription, unless they are dispensed and used in the dental office during the patient visit.
- 10. Setting of facial bony fractures and any treatment related with the dislocation of facial skeletal hard tissue.
- 11. Treatment of benign neoplasms, cysts, or other pathology involving use in lesions, except excisional removal. Treatment of malignant neoplasms or Congenital Journalies of hard or soft tissue, including excision.
- 12. Replacement of complete dentures, fixed and removable part. Identifies or crowns and implants, implant crowns, and prosthesis if damage or breakage the direct related to provider error. This type of replacement is the responsibility of the Dental Provider If replacement is Necessary because of patient non-compliance, the patient is like a for the bost of replacement.
- 13. Services related to the temporomandibular joint, 40, as or bilateral or unilateral. Upper and lower jaw-bone surgery (including that relate to the importantibular joint). Orthognathic surgery, jaw alignment, and treatment for the importantibular joint.
- 14. Charges for not keeping a scheduled as sintment without giving the dental office 24 hours' notice.
- 15. Expenses for Dental Procedure (see a price to the Covered Person becoming enrolled for coverage provided through this Ride to be Policy.
- 16. Dental Services of a wise covered under the Policy, but provided after the date individual coverage under the Policy of ds, including Declar Services for dental conditions arising prior to the date individual coverage upon the Policy ends.
- 17. Services rendered by a provide with the same legal residence as you or who is a member of your family, including spouse, wher, sister, parent, or child.
- 18. Foreign Services are not covered unless required as an Emergency.
- 19. Fixed or removable prosthodontic restoration procedures for complete oral rehabilitation or reconstruction.
- 20. Procedures related to the reconstruction of a patient's correct vertical dimension of occlusion (VDO).
- 21. Billing for incision and drainage if the involved abscessed tooth is removed on the same date of service.
- 22. Placement of fixed partial dentures solely for the purpose of achieving periodontal stability.
- 23. Acupuncture; acupressure and other forms of alternative treatment, whether or not used as anesthesia.
- 24. Orthodontic coverage does not include the installation of a space maintainer, any treatment related to treatment of the temporomandibular joint, any surgical procedure to correct a malocclusion,

replacement of lost or broken retainers and/or habit appliances, and any fixed or removable interceptive orthodontic appliances previously submitted for payment under the plan.

#### **Section 4: Claims for Pediatric Dental Services**

When receiving Dental Services from an out-of-Network provider, you will be required to pay all billed charges directly to your Dental Provider. You may then seek reimbursement from us. Information about claim timelines and responsibilities in the *Certificate* in *Section 5: How to File a Claim* applies to Covered Dental Services provided under this Rider, except that when you submit your claim, you must provide us with all of the information shown below.

#### **Reimbursement for Dental Services**

You are responsible for sending a request for reimbursement to our office, on a form provided by or satisfactory to us.

**Claim Forms.** It is not necessary to include a claim form with the proof of loss. However, the proof must include all of the following information:

- Covered Person's name and address.
- Covered Person's identification number.
- The name and address of the provider of the service(s).
- A diagnosis from the Dental Provider including a complete densichant showing extractions, fillings or other dental services provided before the charge was included by the claim.
- Radiographs, lab or hospital reports.
- Casts, molds or study models.
- Itemized bill which includes the CPT or Report 2 des on escription of each charge.
- The date the dental disease began.
- A statement indicating that you are you as not enrolled for coverage under any other health or dental insurance plan or program. If to sare enrolled for other coverage you must include the name of the other carrier(s)

If you would like to use a claim form call, the telephone number stated on your ID card and a claim form will be sent to you. You not ceive the claim form within 15 calendar days of your request, send in the proof of loss with the mormatic stated above.

#### Section 5: Defined Terms for Pediatric Dental Services

The following definitions are in addition to those listed in Section 9: Defined Terms of the Certificate:

**Allowed Dental Amounts** - Allowed Dental Amounts for Covered Dental Services, incurred while the Policy is in effect, are determined as stated below:

- For Network Benefits, when Covered Dental Services are received from Network Dental Providers, Allowed Dental Amounts are our contracted fee(s) for Covered Dental Services with that provider.
- For Out-of-Network Benefits, when Covered Dental Services are received from Out-of-Network Dental Providers, Allowed Dental Amounts are the Usual and Customary fees, as defined below.

**Covered Dental Service** - a Dental Service or Dental Procedure for which Benefits are provided under this Rider.

**Dental Provider** - any dentist or dental practitioner who is duly licensed and qualified under the law of jurisdiction in which treatment is received to provide Dental Services, perform dental surgery or provide anesthetics for dental surgery.

**Dental Service or Dental Procedures** - dental care or treatment provided by a Dental Provider to a Covered Person while the Policy is in effect, provided such care or treatment is recognized by us as a generally accepted form of care or treatment according to prevailing standards of dental practice.

**Necessary** - Dental Services and supplies under this Rider which are determined by us through case-bycase assessments of care based on accepted dental practices to be appropriate and are all of the following:

- Necessary to meet the basic dental needs of the Covered Person.
- Provided in the most cost-efficient manner and type of setting appropriate for the delivery of the Dental Service.
- Consistent in type, frequency and duration of treatment with scientifically based guidelines of national clinical, research, or health care coverage organizations or governmental agencies that are accepted by us.
- Consistent with the diagnosis of the condition.
- Required for reasons other than the convenience of the Covered Person or his or her Dental Provider.
- Demonstrated through prevailing peer-reviewed dental literature of beauther:
  - Safe and effective for treating or diagnosing the contion to ckne s for which their use is proposed; or
  - Safe with promising efficacy
    - For treating a life threatening dental discusse or condition.
    - Provided in a clinically controlleg research
    - Using a specific research process that he ets sendards equivalent to those defined by the National Institutes of Healt.

(For the purpose of this definition, the term life is eatening is used to describe dental diseases or sicknesses or conditions, which are more in by the not to cause death within one year of the date of the request for treatment.)

The fact that a Dental Provider has performed or prescribed a procedure or treatment or the fact that it may be the only treatment for a periodic half disease does not mean that it is a Necessary Covered Dental Service as defined in the Rider The definition of Necessary used in this Rider relates only to Benefits under this Rider and differs from the way in which a Dental Provider engaged in the practice of dentistry may define necessary.

**Usual and Customary** - Usual and Customary fees are calculated by us based on available data resources of competitive fees in that geographic area.

Usual and Customary fees must not exceed the fees that the provider would charge any similarly situated payor for the same services.

Usual and Customary fees are determined solely in accordance with our reimbursement policy guidelines. Our reimbursement policy guidelines are developed by us, in our discretion, following evaluation and validation of all provider billings in accordance with one or more of the following methodologies:

- As indicated in the most recent edition of the *Current Procedural Terminology* (publication of the *American Dental Association*).
- As reported by generally recognized professionals or publications.
- As used for Medicare.
- As determined by medical or dental staff and outside medical or dental consultants.
- Pursuant to other appropriate source or determination that we accept.

## Pediatric Vision Care Services Rider UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

#### **How Do You Use This Document?**

This Rider to the Policy is issued to the Group and provides Benefits for Vision Care Services, as described below, for Covered Persons under the age of 19. Benefits under this Rider will end on the last day of the month the Covered Person reaches the age of 19.

#### What Are Defined Terms?

Because this Rider is part of a legal document, we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in either the *Certificate of Coverage (Certificate)* in *Section 9: Defined Terms* or in this Rider in *Section 4: Defined Terms for Pediatric Vision Care Services.* 

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are preciply to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your" be are efer ing a people who are Covered Persons, as the term is defined in the *Certificate* in *Section* 9: In fined Jerms.

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UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

#### Section 1: Benefits for Pediatric Vision Care Services

Benefits are available for pediatric Vision Care Services from a UnitedHealthcare Vision Network or out-of-Network Vision Care Provider. To find a UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider, you may call the provider locator service at 1-800-839-3242. You may also access a listing of UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Providers on the Internet at www.myuhcvision.com.

When you obtain Vision Care Services from an out-of-Network Vision Care Provider, you will be required to pay all billed charges at the time of service. You may then seek payment from us as described in the *Certificate* in *Section 5: How to File a Claim* and in this *Rider* under *Section 3: Claims for Pediatric Vision Care Services*. Reimbursement will be limited to the amounts stated below.

When obtaining these Vision Care Services from a UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider, you will be required to pay any Co-payments at the time of service.

#### **Network Benefits:**

Benefits for Vision Care Services are determined based on the negotiated contract fee between us and the Vision Care Provider. Our negotiated rate with the Vision Care Provider is ordinarily lower than the Vision Care Provider's billed charge.

#### **Out-of-Network Benefits:**

Benefits for Vision Care Services from out-of-Network providers are termined as a percentage of the provider's billed charge.

**Out-of-Pocket Limit** - any amount you pay in Co-insurant, for Visit. Care Services under this Rider applies to the Out-of-Pocket Limit stated in the *Schedule of Linetits*. Any amount you pay in Co-payments for Vision Care Services under this Rider applies to the Out-of-Pocket Limit stated in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### **Annual Deductible**

Benefits for pediatric Vision Care Service Covide Lunder this Rider are subject to any Annual Deductible stated in the *Schedule of Benefits* unless of the wise specifically stated. Any amount you pay in Copayments for Vision Care Services under his latter does not apply to the Annual Deductible stated in the *Schedule of Benefits* 

#### What Are the Beat Des riptions?

#### **Benefits**

When Benefit limits apply, the limit stated refers to any combination of Network Benefits and Out-of-Network Benefits unless otherwise specifically stated.

Benefit limits are calculated on a calendar year basis unless otherwise specifically stated.

#### Frequency of Service Limits

Benefits are provided for the Vision Care Services described below, subject to *Frequency of Service* limits and Co-payments and Co-insurance stated under each Vision Care Service in the *Schedule of Benefits* below.

#### **Routine Vision Exam**

A routine vision exam of the eyes and according to the standards of care in your area, including:

 A patient history that includes reasons for exam, patient medical/eye history, and current medications.

- Visual acuity with each eye and both eyes, far and near, with and without glasses or contact lenses (for example, 20/20 and 20/40).
- Cover test at 20 feet and 16 inches (checks how the eyes work together as a team).
- Ocular motility (how the eyes move) near point of convergence (how well eyes move together for near vision tasks, such as reading), and depth perception (3D vision).
- Pupil reaction to light and focusing.
- Exam of the eye lids, lashes, and outside of the eye.
- Retinoscopy (when needed) helps to determine the starting point of the refraction which determines the lens power of the glasses.
- Phorometry/Binocular testing far and near (how well eyes work as a team).
- Tests of accommodation how well you see up close (for example, reading).
- Tonometry, when indicated test pressure in eye (glaucoma check).
- Ophthalmoscopic exam of the inside of the eye.
- Visual field testing.
- Color vision testing.
- Diagnosis/prognosis.
- Specific recommendations.

Post exam procedures will be performed only when material are regulired

Or, in lieu of a complete exam, Retinoscopy (when pplicable) - Diective refraction to determine lens power of corrective lenses and subjective refraction to determine lens power of corrective lenses.

#### **Eyeglass Lenses**

Lenses that are placed in eyeglass fraces d we on the face to correct visual acuity limitations.

You are eligible to choose only one cheitler explasses (*Eyeglass Lenses* and/or *Eyeglass Frames*) or *Contact Lenses*. If you choose more that one of these Vision Care Services, we will pay Benefits for only one Vision Care Services.

If you purchase *Eyeglass* and *Iyeglass Frames* at the same time from the same UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider, only one Co-payment will apply to those *Eyeglass Lenses* and *Eyeglass Frames* and *Eyeglass Frames*.

#### **Eyeglass Frames**

A structure that contains eyeglass lenses, holding the lenses in front of the eyes and supported by the bridge of the nose.

You are eligible to choose only one of either eyeglasses (*Eyeglass Lenses* and/or *Eyeglass Frames*) or *Contact Lenses*. If you choose more than one of these Vision Care Services, we will pay Benefits for only one Vision Care Service.

If you purchase *Eyeglass Lenses and Eyeglass Frames* at the same time from the same UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider, only one Co-payment will apply to those *Eyeglass Lenses* and *Eyeglass Frames* together.

#### Contact Lenses

Lenses worn on the surface of the eye to correct visual acuity limitations.

Benefits include the fitting/evaluation fees, contact lenses, and follow-up care.

You are eligible to choose only one of either eyeglasses (*Eyeglass Lenses* and/or *Eyeglass Frames*) or *Contact Lenses*. If you choose more than one of these Vision Care Services, we will pay Benefits for only one Vision Care Service.

#### **Necessary Contact Lenses**

Benefits are available when a Vision Care Provider has determined a need for and has prescribed the contact lens. Such determination will be made by the Vision Care Provider and not by us.

Contact lenses are necessary if you have any of the following:

- Keratoconus.
- Anisometropia.
- Irregular corneal/astigmatism.
- Aphakia.
- Facial deformity.
- Corneal deformity.
- Pathological myopia.
- Aniseikonia.
- Aniridia.
- Post-traumatic disorders.

#### Low Vision

Benefits are available to Covered Persons who be a seven visual problems that cannot be corrected with regular lenses and only when a Vision Care Problem has determined a need for and has prescribed the service. Such determination will be made in the Vision Care Provider and not by us.

#### Benefits include:

- Low vision testing: Complete lay vision alysis and diagnosis which includes:
  - A comprehe sive exam of suglaunctions.
  - The prescrition corrective eyewear or vision aids where indicated.
  - Any related follow-up call.
- Low vision therapy: Subsequent low vision therapy if prescribed.



# **Schedule of Benefits**

Vision Care Service		What Is the Frequency of Service?	Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on the Contracted Rate	Out-of-Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on Billed Charges
Routine Vision Exam or Refraction only in lieu of a complete exam		Once every 12 months.	\$10 per exam.  Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
Eye	glass Lenses	Once every 12 months.		
•	Single Vision		\$25 per pair of eyeglass lenses.  Not subject to payr of the Annual Degree ctible.	50% of the billed charge.
•	Bifocal		\$25 per pair conveyes solenses.  Not subject to chyment of the chnual Diductible.	0% of the billed charge.
•	Trifocal		\$25 per pan of eyeglass lenses.  Ne subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
•	Lenticular		\$25 per pair of eyeglass lenses. Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
Lens	s Extras			
•	Polycarbonate lenses	Once every 12 months.	None Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	None
•	Standard scratch- resistant coating	Once every 12 months.	None Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	None
Eye	glass Frames	Once every 12 months.		
•	Eyeglass frames with a retail cost up to \$130.		None Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.

Visio	n Care Service	What Is the Frequency of Service?	Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on the Contracted Rate	Out-of-Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on Billed Charges
•	Eyeglass frames with a retail cost of \$130 - 160.		\$15 per eyeglass frame.  Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
•	Eyeglass frames with a retail cost of \$160 - 200.		\$30 per eyeglass frame.  Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
•	Eyeglass frames with a retail cost of \$200 -250.		\$50 per eyeglass frame.  Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
•	Eyeglass frames with a retail cost greater than \$250.		Not subject to ayn, at of the Annual Do Nuctible.	% of the billed charge.
1	act Lenses and g & Evaluation			
•	Contact Lens Fitting & Evaluation	Once every 12 months	None  It is to payment of the Annual Deductible.	None
•	Covered Contact Lens Selection	Limited to 12 rocks	\$25 per supply of contact lenses. Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
Nece. Lense	ssary Contact es	Limited to a 12 month supply.	\$25 per supply of contact lenses. Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	50% of the billed charge.
Low Vision Care Services: Note that Benefits for these services will be paid as reimbursements. When obtaining these Vision Care Services, you will be required to pay all billed charges at the time of service. You may then obtain reimbursement from us. Reimbursement		Once every 24 months		

Vision Care Service	What Is the Frequency of Service?	Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on the Contracted Rate	Out-of-Network Benefit - The Amount You Pay Based on Billed Charges
will be limited to the amounts stated.			
Low vision testing		None Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	25% of billed charges.
Low vision therapy		25% of billed charges.  Not subject to payment of the Annual Deductible.	25% of billed charges.

#### **Section 2: Pediatric Vision Exclusions**

Except as may be specifically provided in this Rider under Section 1: Boards for Pediatric Vision Care Services, Benefits are not provided under this Rider for the following

- 1. Medical or surgical treatment for eye disease which recall the strvices of a Physician and for which Benefits are available as stated in the Certificate.
- 2. Non-prescription items (e.g. Plano lenses).
- 3. Replacement or repair of lenses and/or fram s that ave to en lost or broken.
- 4. Optional Lens Extras not listed in Section 1: A pefits for Pediatric Vision Care Services.
- 5. Missed appointment charges.
- 6. Applicable sales tax charged or Asia Cara Services.

#### Section 3: Claims for Pedia ric Vision Care Services

When obtaining Vision (are Service from an out-of-Network Vision Care Provider, you will be required to pay all billed charges directly your vision Care Provider. You may then seek reimbursement from us. Information about claim timelines and esponsibilities in the *Certificate* in *Section 5: How to File a Claim* applies to Vision Care Service and ded under this Rider, except that when you submit your claim, you must provide us with all of the information identified below.

#### **Reimbursement for Vision Care Services**

To file a claim for reimbursement for Vision Care Services provided by a non-UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider, or for Vision Care Services covered as reimbursements (whether or not provided by a UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider or an out-of-Network Vision Care Provider), you must provide all of the following information on a claim form acceptable to us:

- Your itemized receipts.
- Covered Person's name.
- Covered Person's identification number from the ID card.
- Covered Person's date of birth.

Send the above information to us:

By mail:

Claims Department P.O. Box 30978

Salt Lake City, UT 84130

By facsimile (fax):

248-733-6060

#### **Section 4: Defined Terms for Pediatric Vision Care Services**

The following definitions are in addition to those listed in Section 9: Defined Terms of the Certificate:

**Covered Contact Lens Selection** - a selection of available contact lenses that may be obtained from a UnitedHealthcare Vision Network Vision Care Provider on a covered-in-full basis, subject to payment of any applicable Co-payment.

**UnitedHealthcare Vision Network** - any optometrist, ophthalmologist, optician or other person designated by us who provides Vision Care Services for which Benefits are available under the Policy.

**Vision Care Provider** - any optometrist, ophthalmologist, optician or other person who may lawfully provide Vision Care Services.

**Vision Care Service** - any service or item listed in this Rider in section 1: Lenens for Pediatric Vision Care Services.

# **Real Appeal Rider**

# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company**

This Rider to the Policy provides Benefits for virtual obesity counseling services for eligible Covered Persons through Real Appeal. There are no deductibles, Co-payments or Co-insurance you must meet or pay for when receiving these services.

#### Real Appeal

Real Appeal provides a virtual lifestyle intervention for weight-related conditions to eligible Covered Persons 13 years of age or older. Real Appeal is designed to help those at risk from obesity-related diseases.

This intensive, multi-component behavioral intervention provides 52 weeks of support. This support includes one-on-one coaching with a live virtual coach and online group participation with supporting video content. The experience will be personalized for each individual through an introductory online session.

These Covered Health Care Services will be individualized and any injude the allowing:

- Virtual support and self-help tools: Personal one-on-one coaching, roun support sessions, educational videos, tailored kits, integrated web platform and nabile applications.
- Education and training materials focused on goal set ng, protem-solving skills, barriers and strategies to maintain changes.
- Behavioral change counseling by a specially ain coa yor clinical weight loss.

If you would like information regarding these Creek's Health Care prvices, you may contact us through www.realappeal.com, https://member.realappeal.com, at the number shown on your ID card.

UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

# **UnitedHealthcare Rewards Rider**

# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company**

This Rider to the Policy is issued to the Group and provides a description of the UnitedHealthcare Rewards wellness program.

Because this Rider is part of a legal document (the Group Policy), we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in the *Certificate of Coverage* in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are referring to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your" we are referring to the Subscriber or their Enrolled Dependent spouse.



#### **UnitedHealthcare Rewards Program**

The Group has implemented a program that rewards you for completing certain wellness criteria, as described below. You may choose to complete any, or all, of the below wellness criteria to earn a reward.

If you are unable to meet a standard related to a health factor for a reward under the program, then you might qualify for an opportunity to earn the same reward by different means. You can call us at the telephone number listed on your ID card, and we will work with you (and, if necessary, with your Physician) to find another way for you to earn the same reward.

#### You may receive one or more of the following:

- An activation credit that may be applied towards a device or deposited in your Health
  Reimbursement Account (HRA) or Health Savings Account (HSA) or distributed in other incentive
  types as applicable, administered by us.
- A device credit.
- Another type of incentive to help encourage you to participate in the program, administered as determined by us.

#### **Activity Targets**

You may also receive a reward when you meet one or more of the active target disted below, based on the device you choose to track activity.

Participation - Fitness	15 minutes of activity as	You can earn rewards for one or
	designated by the program 5,000 steps yearlay	multiple activity markers.
Active - Fitness	30 minutes or more sactivity as design sted by the program or 10 500 km more steps per day	
Other Health-Related Agrans and/or Activities	One if more actions and/or activity arefined by us and aimed at the following:	
_	Health education;	
	Improving health; or	
	Maintaining health	

You may access your actions and/or activity tracking and rewards on the mobile application or www.myuhc.com.

If you have not achieved any of the above daily activity targets, you may be eligible to earn a reward for synchronizing or otherwise providing your daily actions and/or activities as defined by the program. This reward may not be provided if any of the activity targets are met.

The maximum reward will not exceed 30% of the cost of coverage for all programs combined, as applicable.

#### Rewards

Rewards listed above, when earned, will be credited to a *Health Reimbursement Account (HRA)* or a *Health Savings Account (HSA)* or *distributed in other reward types* as applicable, administered by us.

#### **Device**

A device, which includes an application, approved by us is used to track actions and/or activities towards earning a reward. If you choose to use a non-compatible device, you may be eligible to earn a reward; however, the reward may be limited.

UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

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# Travel and Lodging Program Rider

# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company**

This Rider to the Policy provides a Covered Person with a travel and lodging allowance related to the Covered Health Care Service that is not available in the Covered Person's state of residence due to law or regulation when such services are received in another state, as legally permissible.

Because this Rider is part of a legal document (the Group Policy), we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in the *Certificate of Coverage* in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are referring to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your," we are referring to people who are Covered Persons, as that term is defined in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

#### **Travel and Lodging Program**

The *Travel and Lodging Program* provides support for the Covered Person upper the Policy as described above. The program provides an allowance for reasonable travel and ledging expenses for a Covered Person and travel companion when the Covered Person must travel at 15 st 50 less from their address, as reflected in our records, to receive the Covered Health Care Serve.

This program provides an allowance for incurred reasonable traveland alging expenses only and is independent of any existing medical coverage available for the Covered Person. An allowance of up to \$2,000 per Covered Person per year will be provided for travel and beging expenses incurred as a part of the Covered Health Care Service. Lodging expenses an further travel to \$50 per night for the Covered Person, or \$100 per night for the Covered Person with a travel companion.

Please remember to save travel and lodging receipts a submit for reimbursement. If you would like additional information regarding the *Travel and Lodging rogram*, you may contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your identification (it card.

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Jessica Paik, President

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# Virtual Behavioral Health Therapy and Coaching Rider UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

This Rider to the Policy provides Benefits for specialized virtual behavioral health care provided by AbleTo, Inc. for Covered Persons with certain co-occurring behavioral and medical conditions.

Because this Rider is part of a legal document (the Group Policy), we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in the *Certificate of Coverage* in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

AbleTo provides behavioral Covered Health Care Services through virtual therapy and coaching services that are individualized and tailored to your specific health needs. Virtual therapy is provided by licensed therapists. Coaching services are provided by coaches who are supervised by licensed professionals.

Except for Covered Persons with a high deductible health plan (HDHP) compatible with a Health Savings Account (HSA), there are no deductibles, Co-payments or Co-insurance you must meet or pay for when receiving these services.

Except for the initial consultation, Covered Persons with an HSA-compatible Light deductible health plan (HDHP) must meet their Annual Deductible before they are able a receive before these services. There are no deductibles, Co-payments or Co-insurance for the initial consultation.

If you would like information regarding these services, you meet the telephone number on your ID card.

UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

# **Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider**

# **UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company**

This Rider to the Policy is issued to the Group and provides Benefits for Prescription Drug Products.

Because this Rider is part of a legal document, we want to give you information about the document that will help you understand it. Certain capitalized words have special meanings. We have defined these words in either the *Certificate of Coverage (Certificate)* in *Section 9: Defined Terms* or in this Rider in *Section 3: Defined Terms*.

When we use the words "we," "us," and "our" in this document, we are referring to UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company. When we use the words "you" and "your" we are referring to people who are Covered Persons, as the term is defined in the *Certificate* in *Section 9: Defined Terms*.

NOTE: The Coordination of Benefits provision in the *Certificate* in *Section 7: Coordination of Benefits* applies to Prescription Drug Products covered through this Rider. Benefits for Prescription Drug Products will be coordinated with those of any other health plan in the same manner as Benefits for Covered Health Care Services described in the *Certificate*.

UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

Jessica Paik, President

Jessica Paik

## Introduction

#### **Coverage Policies and Guidelines**

Our Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee makes tier placement changes on our behalf. The PDL Management Committee places FDA-approved Prescription Drug Product into tiers by considering a number of factors including clinical and economic factors. Clinical factors may include review of the place in therapy or use as compared to other similar product or services, site of care, relative safety or effectiveness of the Prescription Drug Product, as well as if certain supply limits or prior authorization requirements should apply. Economic factors may include the Prescription Drug Product's total cost including any rebates and evaluations of the cost effectiveness of the Prescription Drug Product.

Some Prescription Drug Products are more cost effective for treating specific conditions as compared to others; therefore, a Prescription Drug Product may be placed on multiple tiers according to the condition for which the Prescription Drug Product was prescribed to treat, or according to whether it was prescribed by a Specialist.

We may, from time to time, change the placement of a Prescription Dru Pro Lt among the tiers. These changes generally will happen quarterly, but no more than six these per call idad year. These changes may happen without prior notice to you.

When considering a Prescription Drug Product for tier placement, the OL Management Committee reviews clinical and economic factors regarding Covered Posons, a general population. Whether a particular Prescription Drug Product is appropriate for your particular ination that is made by you and your prescribing Physician.

NOTE: The tier placement of a Prescription Drug P oduct, any of time, from time to time, based on the process described above. As a result of such charges, you may be required to pay more or less for that Prescription Drug Product. Please contact uses www. wuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card for the most up-to-date tier placement.

# Identification Card (ID Card) Network Pharmacy

You must either show your a said at the time ou obtain your Prescription Drug Product at a Network Pharmacy or you must provide the Network Pharmacy with identifying information that can be verified by us during regular business how

If you don't show your ID card or provide verifiable information at a Network Pharmacy, you must pay the Usual and Customary Charge for the Prescription Drug Product at the pharmacy.

You may seek reimbursement from us as described in the *Certificate* in *Section 5: How to File a Claim*. When you submit a claim on this basis, you may pay more because you did not verify your eligibility when the Prescription Drug Product was dispensed. The amount you are reimbursed will be based on the Prescription Drug Charge, less the required Co-payment and/or Co-insurance, Ancillary Charge and any deductible that applies.

Submit your claim to:

Optum Rx

PO Box 650629

Dallas, TX 75265-0629

# **Designated Pharmacies**

If you require certain Prescription Drug Products, including, but not limited to, Specialty Prescription Drug Products, we may direct you to a Designated Pharmacy with whom we have an arrangement to provide those Prescription Drug Products. If you choose not to obtain your Prescription Drug Product from the

Designated Pharmacy, you may opt-out of the Designated Pharmacy program by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card. If you want to opt-out of the program and fill your Prescription Drug Product at a non-Designated Pharmacy but do not inform us, you will be responsible for the entire cost of the Prescription Drug Product and no Benefits will be paid.

If you are directed to a Designated Pharmacy and you have informed us of your decision not to obtain your Prescription Drug Product from a Designated Pharmacy, you will be subject to the out-of-Network Benefit for that Prescription Drug Product. For a Specialty Prescription Drug Product, if you choose to obtain your Specialty Prescription Drug Product at a Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, you will be subject to the Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy Co-payment and/or Co-insurance.

Smart Fill Program - Split Fill

Certain Specialty Prescription Drug Products may be dispensed by the Designated Pharmacy in 15-day supplies up to 90 days and at a pro-rated Co-payment or Co-insurance. You will receive a 15-day supply of their Specialty Prescription Drug Product to find out if you will tolerate the Specialty Prescription Drug Product prior to purchasing a full supply. The Designated Pharmacy will contact you each time prior to dispensing the 15-day supply to confirm if you are tolerating the Specialty Prescription Drug Product. You may find a list of Specialty Prescription Drug Products included in the *Smart Fill Program*, by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

#### When Do We Limit Selection of Pharmacie

If we determine that you may be using Prescription Drug Products to a harmful of abusive manner, or with harmful frequency, your choice of Network Pharmacies may be finited of this happens, we may require you to choose one Network Pharmacy that will provide and foodly the accuture pharmacy services. Benefits will be paid only if you use the chosen Network Pharmacy. If you don't make a choice within 31 days of the date we notify you, we will choose a Network Pharmacy or you.

#### **Rebates and Other Payments**

We may receive rebates for certain drugs included on the Prescription Drug List, including those drugs that you purchase prior to meeting any applicate deducable. As determined by us, we may pass a portion of these rebates on to you. What is taken to passed on to you, they may be taken into account in determining your Co-payment and/or to-included.

We, and a number of our contact entities, corduct business with pharmaceutical manufacturers separate and apart from this *Outputient Prescription of ug Rider*. Such business may include, but is not limited to, data collection, consulting edit anone grants and research. Amounts received from pharmaceutical manufacturers pursuant to such arrangements are not related to this *Outpatient Prescription Drug Rider*. We are not required to pass on to you, and do not pass on to you, such amounts.

# **Coupons, Incentives and Other Communications**

At various times, we may send mailings or provide other communications to you, your Physician, or your pharmacy that communicate a variety of messages, including information about Prescription and non-prescription Drug Products. These communications may include offers that enable you, as you determine, to purchase the described product at a discount. In some instances, non-UnitedHealthcare entities may support and/or provide content for these communications and offers. Only you and your Physician can determine whether a change in your Prescription and/or non-prescription Drug regimen is appropriate for your medical condition.

## **Special Programs**

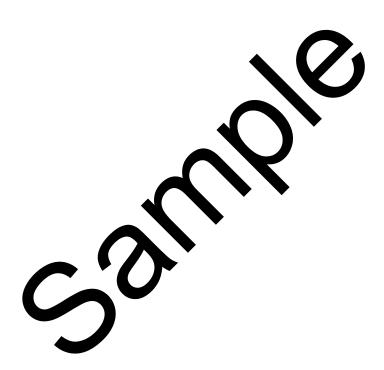
We may have certain programs in which you may receive an enhanced or reduced Benefit based on your actions such as adherence/compliance to medication or treatment regimens, and/or taking part in health management programs. You may access information on these programs by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

## **Maintenance Medication Program**

If you require certain Maintenance Medications, we may direct you to the mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy to obtain those Maintenance Medications. If you choose not to obtain your Maintenance Medications from the mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy, you may opt-out of the Maintenance Medication Program by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

#### **Prescription Drug Products Prescribed by a Specialist**

You may receive an enhanced or reduced Benefit, or no Benefit, based on whether the Prescription Drug Product was prescribed by a Specialist. You may access information on which Prescription Drug Products are subject to Benefit enhancement, reduction or no Benefit by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.



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# **Section 1: Benefits for Prescription Drug Products**

Benefits are available for Prescription Drug Products at either a Network Pharmacy or an out-of-Network Pharmacy and are subject to Co-payments and/or Co-insurance or other payments that vary depending on which of the tiers of the Prescription Drug List the Prescription Drug Product is placed. Refer to the *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits* for applicable Co-payments and/or Co-insurance requirements.

Benefits for Prescription Drug Products are available when the Prescription Drug Product meets the definition of a Covered Health Care Service or is prescribed to prevent conception.

#### **Specialty Prescription Drug Products**

Benefits are provided for Specialty Prescription Drug Products.

If you require Specialty Prescription Drug Products, we may direct you to a Designated Pharmacy with whom we have an arrangement to provide those Specialty Prescription Drug Products.

If you are directed to a Designated Pharmacy and you have informed us of your decision not to obtain your Specialty Prescription Drug Product from a Designated Pharmacy, and you choose to obtain your Specialty Prescription Drug Product at a Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, you will be subject to the Non-Preferred Specialty Network Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for at Specialty Prescription Drug Product.

Please see Section 3: Defined Terms for a full description of Speciety Program on Drug Product and Designated Pharmacy.

The Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits will all you have Specialty Prescription Drug Product supply limits apply.

#### Prescription Drugs from a Retail Network Pharm .cy

Benefits are provided for Prescription Drug Product dispersed by retail Network Pharmacy.

The Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule Schedu

Depending upon your plan design, the Out wient Nescription Drug Rider may offer limited Network Pharmacy providers. You can confirm the You charmacy is a Network Pharmacy by calling the telephone number on your Decard or you can access a directory of Network Pharmacies online at www.myuhc.com.

#### Prescription Drugs from Letail Out-of-Network Pharmacy

Benefits are provided for Preserint - Drug Products dispensed by a retail out-of-Network Pharmacy.

If the Prescription Drug Product is dispensed by a retail out-of-Network Pharmacy, you must pay for the Prescription Drug Product at the time it is dispensed. You can file a claim for reimbursement with us, as described in your *Certificate, Section 5: How to File a Claim.* We will not reimburse you for the difference between the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate and the out-of-Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge for that Prescription Drug Product. We will not reimburse you for any non-covered drug product.

In most cases, you will pay more if you obtain Prescription Drug Products from an out-of-Network Pharmacy.

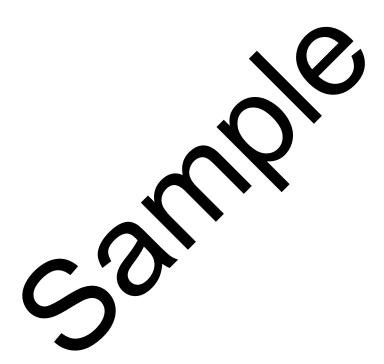
The Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits will tell you how retail out-of-Network Pharmacy supply limits apply.

# Prescription Drug Products from a Mail Order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy

Benefits are provided for certain Prescription Drug Products dispensed by a mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy.

The *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits* will tell you how mail order Network Pharmacy and Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy supply limits apply.

Please contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card to find out if Benefits are provided for your Prescription Drug Product and for information on how to obtain your Prescription Drug Product through a mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy.



#### **Section 2: Exclusions**

Exclusions from coverage listed in the *Certificate* also apply to this Rider. In addition, the exclusions listed below apply.

When an exclusion applies to only certain Prescription Drug Products, you can contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card for information on which Prescription Drug Products are excluded.

- 1. Coverage for Prescription Drug Products for the amount dispensed (days' supply or quantity limit) which exceeds the supply limit.
- 2. Coverage for Prescription Drug Products for the amount dispensed (days' supply or quantity limit) which is less than the minimum supply limit.
- 3. Prescription Drug Products dispensed outside the United States, except as required for Emergency treatment.
- 4. Drugs which are prescribed, dispensed or intended for use during an Inpatient Stay.
- 5. Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Services and medications; medications used for experimental treatments for specific diseases and/or dosage regimental etermined by us to be experimental, investigational or unproven.
- 6. Prescription Drug Products furnished by the local, state or a steral overnment. Any Prescription Drug Product to the extent payment or benefits are provided to avail from the local, state or federal government (for example, Medicare) whether the payment or benefits are received, except as otherwise provided by law.
- 7. Prescription Drug Products for any condition, Injury, Sakness or Mental Illness arising out of, or in the course of, employment for which benefits are sailable under any workers' compensation law or other similar laws, whether or not a claim or such seneral is made or payment or benefits are received.
- 8. Any product dispensed for the purpose appetit suppression or weight loss.
- 9. A Pharmaceutical Product for which anefit are provided in your *Certificate*. This includes certain forms of vaccines/immunizations. This relusion does not apply to Depo Provera and other injectable drugs used an ontrace tion.
- 10. Durable Medical Equipment regluctor certain insulin pumps and related supplies for the management and part and of labetes, for which Benefits are provided in your *Certificate*. Prescribed and non-prescribed autpatient supplies. This does not apply to diabetic supplies and inhaler spacers specifically at led as covered.
- 11. General vitamins, except the following, which require a Prescription Order or Refill:
  - Prenatal vitamins.
  - Vitamins with fluoride.
  - Single entity vitamins.
- 12. Certain unit dose packaging or repackagers of Prescription Drug Products.
- 13. Medications used for cosmetic or convenience purposes.
- 14. Prescription Drug Products, including New Prescription Drug Products or new dosage forms, that we determine do not meet the definition of a Covered Health Care Service.
- 15. Prescription Drug Products as a replacement for a previously dispensed Prescription Drug Product that was lost, stolen, broken or destroyed.

- 16. Prescription Drug Products when prescribed to treat infertility. This exclusion does not apply to Prescription Drug Products prescribed to treat latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) as described in the *Certificate*.
- 17. Certain Prescription Drug Products for tobacco cessation that exceed the minimum number of drugs required to be covered under the *Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA)* in order to comply with essential health benefits requirements.
- 18. Prescription Drug Products not placed on Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3 or Tier 4 of the Prescription Drug List at the time the Prescription Order or Refill is dispensed. We have developed a process for reviewing Benefits for a Prescription Drug Product that is not on an available tier of the Prescription Drug List, but that has been prescribed as a Medically Necessary alternative. For information about this process, call the telephone number on your ID card.
- 19. Drugs available over-the-counter that do not require a Prescription Order or Refill by federal or state law before being dispensed, unless we have designated the over-the-counter medication as eligible for coverage as if it were a Prescription Drug Product and it is obtained with a Prescription Order or Refill from a Physician. Prescription Drug Products that are available in over-the-counter form or made up of components that are available in over-the-counter form or equivalent. Certain Prescription Drug Products that we have determined are Therapeuticelly Equivalent to an over-the-counter drug or supplement. Such determinations may be made to be times during a calendar year. We may decide at any time to reinstate Benefits for Prescription Drug Product that was previously excluded under this provision.
- 20. Certain New Prescription Drug Products and/or new dosage for as until the date they are reviewed and placed on a tier by our PDL Management Committee.
- 21. Growth hormone for children with familial short status (short status based upon heredity and not caused by a diagnosed medical condition).
- 22. Any product for which the primary use is a source of utrition nutritional supplements, or dietary management of disease, and prescription medical food products even when used for the treatment of Sickness or Injury.
- 23. A Prescription Drug Product that trains in active ingredient(s) available in and Therapeutically Equivalent to another covered prescription Dag Product. Such determinations may be made up to six times during a calendar year. We may lecide at any time to reinstate Benefits for a Prescription Drug Product that years previously active dunder this provision.
- 24. A Prescription Drug Product. Contains (an) active ingredient(s) which is (are) a modified version of and Therapeutic acquivalent to another covered Prescription Drug Product. Such determinations may be made to six times during a calendar year. We may decide at any time to reinstate Benefits for a comption Drug Product that was previously excluded under this provision.
- 25. Certain Prescription Drug Products for which there are Therapeutically Equivalent alternatives available, unless otherwise required by law or approved by us. Such determinations may be made up to six times during a calendar year. We may decide at any time to reinstate Benefits for a Prescription Drug Product that was previously excluded under this provision.
- 26. Certain Prescription Drug Products that have not been prescribed by a Specialist.
- 27. A Prescription Drug Product that contains marijuana, including medical marijuana.
- 28. Certain Prescription Drug Products that exceed the minimum number of drugs required to be covered under the *Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA)* essential health benefit requirements in the applicable United States Pharmacopeia category and class or applicable state benchmark plan category and class.
- 29. Dental products, including but not limited to prescription fluoride topicals.
- 30. A Prescription Drug Product with either:

- An approved biosimilar.
- A biosimilar and Therapeutically Equivalent to another covered Prescription Drug Product.

For the purpose of this exclusion a "biosimilar" is a biological Prescription Drug Product approved based on both of the following:

- It is highly similar to a reference product (a biological Prescription Drug Product).
- It has no clinically meaningful differences in terms of safety and effectiveness from the reference product.

Such determinations may be made up to six times during a calendar year. We may decide at any time to reinstate Benefits for a Prescription Drug Product that was previously excluded under this provision.

31. Diagnostic kits and products, including associated services.

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- 32. Publicly available software applications and/or monitors that may be available with or without a Prescription Order or Refill.
- 33. Certain Prescription Drug Products that are *FDA* approved as a package with a device or application, including smart package sensors and/or embedded drug a sors. This exclusion does not apply to a device or application that assists you with the administration of a Prescription Drug Product.

#### **Section 3: Defined Terms**

**Ancillary Charge** - a charge, in addition to the Co-payment and/or Co-insurance, that you must pay when a covered Prescription Drug Product is dispensed at your or the provider's request, when a Chemically Equivalent Prescription Drug Product is available.

For Prescription Drug Products from Network Pharmacies, the Ancillary Charge is the difference between:

- The Prescription Drug Charge for the Prescription Drug Product.
- The Prescription Drug Charge for the Chemically Equivalent Prescription Drug Product.

For Prescription Drug Products from out-of-Network Pharmacies, the Ancillary Charge is the difference between:

- The Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate for the Prescription Drug Product.
- The Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate for the Chemically Equivalent Prescription Drug Product.

**Brand-name** - a Prescription Drug Product: (1) which is manufactured and marketed under a trademark or name by a specific drug manufacturer; or (2) that we identify as a Brand-name product, based on available data resources. This includes data sources such as Medi-Span and classify drugs as either brand or generic based on a number of factors. Not all products identified as brand name" by the manufacturer, pharmacy, or your Physician will be classified as regard-type by ...

Chemically Equivalent - when Prescription Drug Products contain e sa valve ingredient.

**Designated Pharmacy** - a pharmacy that has entered into rag, sme with us or with an organization contracting on our behalf, to provide specific Prescription oug Products. This includes Specialty Prescription Drug Products. Not all Network Pharmacies are Designated Pharmacies.

**Generic** - a Prescription Drug Product: (1) that is C emic My Es, valent to a Brand-name drug; or (2) that we identify as a Generic product based on available data requires. This includes data sources such as Medi-Span, that classify drugs as either brand or generic based on a number of factors. Not all products identified as a "generic" by the manufacturer, planmacy or your Physician will be classified as a Generic by us.

**List of Preventive Medications** - a left that it politics certain Prescription Drug Products, which may include certain Specialty Premiotion Drug Products, on the Prescription Drug List that are intended to reduce the likelihood of Sakness. You now find the List of Preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the alephore that the political politics of the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the alephore that the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the alephore that the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the alephore that the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the preventive Medications at which we will be preventive Medications by contacting us at which we will be preventive Medications at which we will be preventive Medications by contacting the preventive Medications at which we will be preventive Medications at which we will

List of Zero Cost Share medication - a list that identifies certain Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription Drug List that are available at zero cost share (no cost to you) when obtained from a retail Network Pharmacy. Certain Prescription Drug Products on the List of Zero Cost Share Medications may be available at a mail order Network Pharmacy. You may find the List of Zero Cost Share Medications by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Maintenance Medication** - a Prescription Drug Product expected to be used for six months or more to treat or prevent a chronic condition. You may find out if a Prescription Drug Product is a Maintenance Medication by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Network Pharmacy** - a pharmacy that has:

- Entered into an agreement with us or an organization contracting on our behalf to provide Prescription Drug Products to Covered Persons.
- Agreed to accept specified reimbursement rates for dispensing Prescription Drug Products.
- Been designated by us as a Network Pharmacy.

**New Prescription Drug Product** - a Prescription Drug Product or new dosage form of a previously approved Prescription Drug Product, for the period of time starting on the date the Prescription Drug

Product or new dosage form is approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and ending on the earlier of the following dates:

- The date it is placed on a tier by our PDL Management Committee.
- December 31st of the following calendar year.

**Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy** - a specialty pharmacy that we identify as a non-preferred pharmacy within the Network.

**Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate** - the amount we will pay to reimburse you for a Prescription Drug Product that is dispensed at an out-of-Network Pharmacy. The Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate for a particular Prescription Drug Product dispensed at an out-of-Network Pharmacy includes a dispensing fee and any applicable sales tax.

**PPACA** - Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010.

PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medications - the medications that are obtained at a Network Pharmacy with a Prescription Order or Refill from a Physician and that are payable at 100% of the Prescription Drug Charge (without application of any Co-payment, Co-insurance, Annual Deductible, Annual Drug Deductible or Specialty Prescription Drug Product Annual Deductible) as required by applicable law under any of the following:

- Evidence-based items or services that have in effect a rang of "" B" the current recommendations of the *United States Preventive Services* ask, arce.
- With respect to infants, children and adolescents, evidence inforced preventive care and screenings provided for in the comprehensive guidelines supported by the Health Resources and Services Administration.
- With respect to women, such additional prevents, care care accreenings as provided for in comprehensive guidelines supported by the lealth assources and Services Administration.

You may find out if a drug is a PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medication as well as information on access to coverage of Medicals. Necessary alternatives by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Plarm?** As a retail pharmacy that we identify as a preferred pharmacy within the Network Maintenance Adication.

**Preferred Specialty Nework Pharmacy** specialty pharmacy that we identify as a preferred pharmacy within the Network.

**Prescription Drug Charge** - the rate we have agreed to pay our Network Pharmacies for a Prescription Drug Product dispensed at a Pharmacy. The rate includes any applicable dispensing fee and sales tax.

**Prescription Drug List** - a list that places into tiers medications or products that have been approved by the *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)*. This list is subject to our review and change from time to time. You may find out to which tier a particular Prescription Drug Product has been placed by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee** - the committee that we designate for placing Prescription Drug Products into specific tiers.

**Prescription Drug Product** - a medication or product that has been approved by the *U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)* and that can, under federal or state law, be dispensed only according to a Prescription Order or Refill. A Prescription Drug Product includes a medication that is generally appropriate for self-administration or administration by a non-skilled caregiver. For the purpose of Benefits under the Policy, this definition includes:

- Inhalers (with spacers).
- Insulin.

- Certain vaccines/immunizations administered at a Network Pharmacy.
- Certain injectable medications administered at a Network Pharmacy.
- The following diabetic supplies:
  - standard insulin syringes with needles;
  - blood-testing strips glucose;
  - urine-testing strips glucose;
  - ketone-testing strips and tablets;
  - lancets and lancet devices; and
  - glucose meters, including continuous glucose monitors.

**Prescription Order or Refill** - the directive to dispense a Prescription Drug Product issued by a duly licensed health care provider whose scope of practice allows issuing such a directive.

Specialty Prescription Drug Product - Prescription Drug Products that are generally high cost, self-administered biotechnology drugs used to treat patients with certain illnesses. Specialty Prescription Drug Products include certain drugs for fertility preservation and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) for which Benefits are described in the Certificate under Fertility Preservation for late genic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) and Related Services in Section Covered Health Care Services. Specialty Prescription Drug Products may include drugs to the Preventive Medications. You may access a complete list of Specialty Prescription Drug Products by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

**Therapeutically Equivalent** - when Prescription Drug Products have essentially the same efficacy and adverse effect profile.

**Usual and Customary Charge** - the usual feet that pharmacy or the ges individuals for a Prescription Drug Product without reference to reimbursement to be pharmacy by third parties. This fee includes any applicable dispensing fee and sales tax.

# Section 4: Your Right to Request an Exclusion Exception

When a Prescription Drug Product is excluded from coverage, you or your representative may request an exception to gain access to the excluded Prescription Drug Product. To make a request, contact us in writing or call the toll-free number on your ID card. We will notify you of our determination within 72 hours.

Please note, if your request for an exception is approved by us, you may be responsible for paying the applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance based on the Prescription Drug Product tier placement, or at the highest tier as described in the *Benefit Information* table in the *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits*, in addition to any applicable Ancillary Charge.

#### **Urgent Requests**

If your request requires immediate action and a delay could significantly increase the risk to your health, or the ability to regain maximum function, call us as soon as possible. We will provide a written or electronic determination within 24 hours.

#### **External Review**

If you are not satisfied with our determination of your exclusion exception request, you may be entitled to request an external review. You or your representative may recreest an external review by sending a written request to us to the address set out in the determination in termination to the toll-free number on your ID card. The *Independent Review Organization (IRO)* will notify you to the determination within 72 hours.

#### **Expedited External Review**

If you are not satisfied with our determination of your reglusic exception request and it involves an urgent situation, you or your representative may request a expected external review by calling the toll-free number on your ID card or by sending a written request to the address set out in the determination letter. The *IRO* will notify you of our determination when 24 hours.

# Section 5: Your Right to Request an Exception for Contraceptives

In accordance with PPACA requirements, an exception process may apply to certain Prescription Drug Products prescribed for contraception if your Physician determines that a Prescription Drug Product alternative to a PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medication is Medically Necessary for you.

An expedited medication exception request may be available if the time needed to complete a standard exception request could significantly increase the risk to your health or ability to regain maximum function.

If a request for an exception is approved by us, Benefits provided for the Prescription Drug Product will be treated the same as a PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medication.

For more information please visit www.uhcprovider.com under the following path: Resources\_Drug Lists and Pharmacy\_Additional Resources\_Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act \$0 Cost-Share Preventive Medications Exemption Requests (Commercial Members).



# Outpatient Prescription Drug UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company Schedule of Benefits

#### When Are Benefits Available for Prescription Drug Products?

Benefits are available for Prescription Drug Products at either a Network Pharmacy or an out-of-Network Pharmacy and are subject to Co-payments and/or Co-insurance or other payments that vary depending on which of the tiers of the Prescription Drug List the Prescription Drug Product is placed.

Benefits for Prescription Drug Products are available when the Prescription Drug Product meets the definition of a Covered Health Care Service or is prescribed to prevent conception.

# What Happens When a Brand-name Drug Becomed vailable as a Generic?

If a Generic becomes available for a Brand-name Prescription Dru. Protest, the dier placement of the Brand-name Prescription Drug Product may change. Therefore your p-payment and/or Co-insurance may change and an Ancillary Charge may apply, or you will be located in the Benefits for that particular Brand-name Prescription Drug Product.

# What Happens When a Biosimilar To luci Jecomes Available for a Reference Product?

If a biosimilar becomes available for a reference product (a biological Prescription Drug Product), the tier placement of the reference product may change Therefore, your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance may change and an Ancillary Charge may apply or you will no longer have Benefits for that particular reference product.

## How Do Supply Limits Apply

Benefits for Prescription and Supply Limits that are stated in the "Description and Supply Limits" column of the Ben of Information table. For a single Co-payment and/or Co-insurance, you may receive a Prescription Drug Product up to the stated supply limit.

Note: Some products are subject to additional supply limits based on criteria that we have developed. Supply limits are subject, from time to time, to our review and change. This may limit the amount dispensed per Prescription Order or Refill and/or the amount dispensed per month's supply, or may require that a minimum amount be dispensed.

You may find out whether a Prescription Drug Product has a supply limit for dispensing by contacting us at www.mvuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

# Do Prior Authorization Requirements Apply?

Before certain Prescription Drug Products are dispensed to you, your Physician, your pharmacist or you are required to obtain prior authorization from us or our designee. The reason for obtaining prior authorization from us is to determine whether the Prescription Drug Product, in accordance with our approved guidelines, is each of the following:

- It meets the definition of a Covered Health Care Service.
- It is not an Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Service.

We may also require you to obtain prior authorization from us or our designee so we can determine whether the Prescription Drug Product, in accordance with our approved guidelines, was prescribed by a Specialist.

#### **Network Pharmacy Prior Authorization**

When Prescription Drug Products are dispensed at a Network Pharmacy, the prescribing provider, the pharmacist, or you are responsible for obtaining prior authorization from us.

#### **Out-of-Network Pharmacy Prior Authorization**

When Prescription Drug Products are dispensed at an out-of-Network Pharmacy, you or your Physician are responsible for obtaining prior authorization from us as required.

If you do not obtain prior authorization from us before the Prescription Drug Product is dispensed, you may pay more for that Prescription Order or Refill. The Prescription Drug Products requiring prior authorization are subject, from time to time, to our review and change. There may be certain Prescription Drug Products that require you to notify us directly rather than your Physician or pharmacist. You may find out whether a particular Prescription Drug Product requires notification/prior authorization by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

If you do not obtain prior authorization from us before the Prescription Drug Anduct is dispensed, you can ask us to consider reimbursement after you receive the Prescription Drug Product. You will be required to pay for the Prescription Drug Product at the pharmacy Our paracter pharmacy reimbursement rates (our Prescription Drug Charge) will not be available a work at an out-of-Network Pharmacy. You may seek reimbursement from us as described in the Sertificate of Coverage (Certificate) in Section 5: How to File a Claim.

When you submit a claim on this basis, you may pay more accause by did not obtain prior authorization from us before the Prescription Drug Product was discussed. The amount you are reimbursed will be based on the Prescription Drug Charge (for Prescription Drug Products from a Network Pharmacy) or the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate (for Prescription Drug Todus from an out-of-Network Pharmacy), less the required Co-payment and/or Co-insurance, Angillary Charge and any deductible that applies.

Benefits may not be available for the Prescriptic Drug Froduct after we review the documentation provided and we determine that the Prescription Drug Product is not a Covered Health Care Service or it is an Experimental or Investigational or Up to an Service.

We may also require prior authorization or certain programs which may have specific requirements for participation and/or activation of a contact level of Benefits related to such programs. You may access information on available to such program and any applicable prior authorization, participation or activation requirements related to such program by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

# **Does Step Therapy Apply?**

Certain Prescription Drug Products for which Benefits are described under this Prescription Drug Rider are subject to step therapy requirements. In order to receive Benefits for such Prescription Drug Products you must use a different Prescription Drug Product(s) first.

You may find out whether a Prescription Drug Product is subject to step therapy requirements by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card.

# What Do You Pay?

You are responsible for paying the applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance described in the Benefit Information table, in addition to any Ancillary Charge. You are not responsible for paying a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medications. You are not responsible for paying a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for Prescription Drug Products on the List of Zero Cost Share Medications.

An Ancillary Charge may apply when a covered Prescription Drug Product is dispensed at your or the provider's request and there is another drug that is Chemically Equivalent. An Ancillary Charge does not apply to any Out-of-Pocket Limit.

The amount you pay for any of the following under this Rider will not be included in calculating any Out-of-Pocket Limit stated in your *Certificate*:

- Ancillary Charges.
- Any amount you pay for Prescription Drug Products for latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) that exceeds the Maximum Policy Benefit.
- Certain coupons or offers from pharmaceutical manufacturers or an affiliate.
- The difference between the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate and an out-of-Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge for a Prescription Drug Product.
- Any non-covered drug product. You are responsible for paying 100% of the cost (the amount the pharmacy charges you) for any non-covered drug product. Our contracted rates (our Prescription Drug Charge) will not be available to you.



# **Payment Information**

Payment Term And Description	Amounts
latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) Maximum Policy Benefit	
The maximum amount we will pay for any combination of covered Prescription Drug Products for latrogenic Infertility and Preimplantation Genetic Testing (PGT) during the entire period of time you are enrolled for coverage under the Policy.	\$5,000 per Covered Person.
Co-payment and Co-insurance	
Co-payment	
Co-payment for a Prescription Drug Product at a Network or out-of-Network Pharmacy is a specific dollar amount.	For Prescription Doug Products at a retail Network Pharmacy evou at trest on the following:
Co-insurance	The applicable co-payment and/or Co-isural e.
Co-insurance for a Prescription Drug Product at a Network Pharmacy is a percentage of the Prescription Drug Charge.	• The Nett prk Pharmacy's Usual and Contour by Charge for the Prescription Drug Procest.
Co-insurance for a Prescription Drug Product at out-of-Network Pharmacy is a percentage of the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate.	Twe Prescription Drug Charge for that Prescription Drug Product.
Co-payment and Co-insurance	For Prescription Drug Products from a mail order Network Pharmacy, you are responsible for paying
Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurant is	the lower of the following:
determined by the Prescription Prug List PDI Management Committees tier placement Prescription Drug Produ	The applicable Co-payment and/or Co-insurance.
We may cover multiple Prescription F ug Products for a single Co-payment and/	The Prescription Drug Charge for that Prescription Drug Product.
combination of these multiple products provides a therapeutic treatment regimen that is supported by	See the Co-payments and/or Co-insurance stated in the Benefit Information table for amounts.
available clinical evidence. You may determine whether a therapeutic treatment regimen qualifies for a single Co-payment and/or Co-insurance by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone	You are not responsible for paying a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for PPACA Zero Cost Share Preventive Care Medications.
number on your ID card.	You are not responsible for paying a Co-payment
Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance may be reduced when you participate in certain programs which may have specific requirements for participation and/or activation of an enhanced level	and/or Co-insurance for Prescription Drug Products on the List of Zero Cost Share Medications.
of Benefits associated with such programs. You may access information on these programs and any applicable prior authorization, participation or activation requirements associated with such programs by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or	

#### **Payment Term And Description Amounts** the telephone number on your ID card. Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for insulin will not exceed the amount allowed by applicable law. Special Programs: We may have certain programs in which you may receive a reduced or increased Co-payment and/or Co-insurance based on your actions such as adherence/compliance to medication or treatment regimens, and/or participation in health management programs. You may access information on these programs by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card. Co-payment/Co-insurance Waiver Program: If you are taking certain Prescription Drug Products, including, but not limited to, Specialty Prescription Drug Products, and you move to certain lower tier Prescription Drug Products or Specialty Prescription Drug Products, we may waive your Copayment and/or Co-insurance for one or more Prescription Orders or Refills. **Prescription Drug Products Prescribed by a** Specialist: You may receive a reduced or increased Co-payment and/or Co-insurance ba on whether the Prescription Drug Product wa prescribed by a Specialist. You may acce information on which Prescription Dru are subject to a reduced or increased Co. and/or Co-insurance by co www.myuhc.com or the ephone numb ID card. NOTE: The tier status of a Prescription Product can change from time to the changes generally happen quarterly but no more than six times per calendar year, based on the PDL Management Committee's tiering decisions. When that happens, you may pay more or less for a Prescription Drug Product, depending on its tier placement. Please contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card for the most up-to-date tier status. Coupons: We may not permit you to use certain

coupons or offers from pharmaceutical

payment and/or Co-insurance.

manufacturers or an affiliate to reduce your Co-

#### **Benefit Information**

The amounts you are required to pay as shown below in the *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits* are based on the Prescription Drug Charge for Network Benefits and the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate for out-of-Network Benefits. For out-of-Network Benefits, you are responsible for the difference between the Out-of-Network Reimbursement Rate and the out-of-Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge.

#### What Is the Co-payment or Coinsurance You Pay?

This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both

#### **Description and Supply Limits**

#### **Specialty Prescription Drug Products**

The following supply limits apply.

 As written by the provider, up to a consecutive 31-day supply of a Specialty Prescription Drug Product, unless adjusted based on the drug manufacturer's packaging size, or based on supply limits, or as allowed under the Smart Fill Program.

When a Specialty Prescription Drug Product is packaged or designed to deliver in a manner at provides more than a consecutive 31-day supply the Co-payment and/or Co-insurance that a plies will reflect the number of days dispersed of the the drug will be delivered.

If a Specialty Prescription Drug Product Novided for less than or more that a 2 day steply, the Copayment and/or Co-insurance that applies will reflect the number of days dispense.

We designate certain Network Pharmacies to be Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacies. We may periodically change the Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy designation of a Network Pharmacy. These changes may occur without prior notice to you unless required by law. You may determine whether a Network Pharmacy is a Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy by contacting us at www.myuhc.com or by the telephone number on your ID card.

If you choose to obtain your Specialty Prescription Drug Product from a Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, you will be required to pay 2 times the Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy Co-payment and/or 2 times the Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy Co-insurance (up to 50% of the Your Co-parment of or Colinsurance is determined by the N. M. Agement Committee's tier placement of the Specialty Prescription Drug Product. All pecialty Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription Drug List are placed on Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3, or Tier 4. Please contact us at two mysters are not the telephone number on your ID can to fix yout tier placement.

#### referred Specialty Network Pharmacy

For Tier 1 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$10 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 1 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 2 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$35 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 2 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$130 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$500 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy

out-of-Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge.		
Description and Supply Limits	What Is the Co-payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both	
Prescription Drug Charge) based on the applicable	You will be required to pay 2 times the Preferred	
tier.  Supply limits apply to Specialty Prescription Drug Products obtained at a Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, a Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, an out-of-Network Pharmacy, a mail order Network Pharmacy or a Designated Pharmacy.	Specialty Network Pharmacy Co-payment and/or 2 times the Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy Co-insurance (up to possible tier) of the Prescription Drug Charge) based or the applicable tier.	
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	For Tiel Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$10 p. Prescription Order or Refill.	
	r a Tier 1 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the sist of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 2 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$35 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
50)	For a Tier 2 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 3 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$130 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 3 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 4 Specialty Prescription Drug Product: \$500 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 4 Specialty Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
Prescription Drugs from a Retail Network Pharmacy		
The following supply limits apply:	Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance is	

#### What Is the Co-payment or Coinsurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both **Description and Supply Limits** As written by the provider, up to a determined by the PDL Management Committee's consecutive 31-day supply of a Prescription tier placement of the Prescription Drug Product. All Drug Product, unless adjusted based on the Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription drug manufacturer's packaging size, or Drug List are place Sier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3, or Tier www.myuhc.com or the based on supply limits. 4. Please contact s at∠ telephone mbe our card to find out tier A one-cycle supply of a contraceptive. You status. may obtain up to three cycles at one time if ption Drug Product: \$10 per For a T you pay a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance Presci otion C ler Refill. for each cycle supplied. For a cription Drug Product on the List of When a Prescription Drug Product is packaged or dications: \$5 per Prescription Order designed to deliver in a manner that provides more than a consecutive 31-day supply, the Co-payme or Re and/or Co-insurance that applies will reflect the r a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$35 per number of days dispensed or days the drug cription Order or Refill. delivered. For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill. For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$130 per Prescription Order or Refill. For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill. For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: \$250 per Prescription Order or Refill. For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill. Prescription Drugs from a Retail Out-of-Network **Pharmacy** The following supply limits apply: Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance is As written by the provider, up to a determined by the PDL Management Committee's consecutive 31-day supply of a Prescription tier placement of the Prescription Drug Product. All Drug Product, unless adjusted based on the Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription

drug manufacturer's packaging size, or

# What Is the Co-payment or Co-insurance You Pay?

This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both

#### **Description and Supply Limits**

based on supply limits.

 A one-cycle supply of a contraceptive. You may obtain up to three cycles at one time if you pay a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance for each cycle supplied.

When a Prescription Drug Product is packaged or designed to deliver in a manner that provides more than a consecutive 31-day supply, the Co-payment and/or Co-insurance that applies will reflect the number of days dispensed or days the drug will be delivered.

Drug List are placed on Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3, or Tier 4. Please contact us at www.myuhc.com or the telephone number on your ID card to find out tier status.

For a Tierd Prescription Drug Product: \$10 per Prescription Trdel & Refill

For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Prever ive in Mick. his: \$5 per Prescription Order or Roll.

a Th. 2 Proscription Drug Product: \$35 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a The 2 Prescription Drug Product on the List of ventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$130 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: \$250 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

#### Prescription Drug Products from a Mail Order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy

The following supply limits apply:

 As written by the provider, up to a consecutive 90-day supply of a Prescription Drug Product, unless adjusted based on the drug manufacturer's packaging size, or based on supply limits. These supply limits do not apply to Specialty Prescription Drug Your Co-payment and/or Co-insurance is determined by the PDL Management Committee's tier placement of the Prescription Drug Product. All Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription Drug List are placed on Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3, or Tier 4. Please contact us at www.myuhc.com or the

#### What Is the Co-payment or Coinsurance You Pay?

This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both

#### **Description and Supply Limits**

Products. Specialty Prescription Drug Products from a mail order Network Pharmacy are subject to the supply limits stated above under the heading *Specialty Prescription Drug Products*.

You may be required to fill the first Prescription Drug Product order and obtain 2 refills through a retail pharmacy before using a mail order Network Pharmacy.

To maximize your Benefit, ask your Physician to write your Prescription Order or Refill for a 90-day supply, with refills when appropriate. You will be charged a Co-payment and/or Co-insurance based on the day supply dispensed for any Prescription Orders or Refills sent to the mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Natural Pharmacy. Be sure your Physician wates you Prescription Order or Refills.

telephone number on your ID card to find out tier status.

For up to a 31-day supply at a mail order Network Pharmacy, you pa

For a Tier Rrest of an Dr g Product: \$10 per Prescription & der a Refil

For a Time Resultation Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Re

Presention Tiels are scription Drug Product: \$35 per Presention Trader or Refill.

Properties 2 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Phoentive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$130 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: \$250 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$5 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For up to a 60-day supply at a mail order Network Pharmacy, you pay:

For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product: \$20 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$10 per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$70 per Prescription Order or Refill.

out-of-Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge.		
	What Is the Co-payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both	
Description and Supply Limits		
	For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$10 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 3 Prescription Trug Product: \$260 per Prescription Orde or Parilla	
	For a Tier 3 Pasch, fon Plug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$10 per Prescription Order or Ref.	
	For a per 4 Prescription Drug Product: \$500 per scription Older or Refill.	
	For a fier 4 rescription Drug Product on the List of Rrevent. e Medications: \$10 per Prescription Order & Refill.	
50	For up to a 90-day supply at a mail order Network Pharmacy or Preferred 90 Day Retail Network Pharmacy, you pay:	
	For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product: \$30 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$12.50 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$105 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$12.50 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$390 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product on the List of Preventive Medications: \$12.50 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: \$750 per Prescription Order or Refill.	
	For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product on the List of	

	What Is the Co-payment or Co- insurance You Pay? This May Include a Co-payment, Co-insurance or Both
Description and Supply Limits	
	Preventive Medications: \$12.50 per Prescription Order or Refill.

