# UnitedHealthcare Navigate Platinum Level Plan UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company Medical Schedule of Benefits

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO COVERED PERSON:

This Navigate plan requires you and covered Dependents to select a Primary Physician (a Physician for whom the majority of their practice is in general pediatrics, internal medicine, obstetrics/gynecology, family practice, or internal medicine) from the Navigate Network of Physicians. Covered Health Services must be provided by or referred by your Primary Physician. If care from another Network Physician is needed, your Primary Physician will submit an electronic referral online to UnitedHealthcare for services from that other Physician. You and your Primary Physician can discuss what care is needed. You may select the best Network Physician to meet your needs. We do not interfere with this referral decision made by your Primary Physician or your selection of a Network Physician to provide the Covered Health Services. The electronic referral must be sent by your Primary Physician to UnitedHealthcare before the services are rendered. Upon transmittal by your Primary Physician, the referral is immediately effective and the Primary Physician can print a copy of the referral for you. If you see a Network Physician without an electronic referral from your Primary Physician, you will be responsible for all charges and no Benefits will be paid, unless otherwise required by law. This includes responsibility for charges for all related services and facility charges received from the Network Physician without the required referral. Be sure your Primary Physician submits the electronic referral in order for you to see another Network Physician. You should confirm what referrals have been submitted for you and the number of remaining visits on each referral by going to www.myuhc.com. You do not need a referral to see a Network obstetrician/gynecologist or to receive services through the Mental Health/Substance Use Disorder Designee. You do not need a referral before obtaining Emergency Health Services. Also, you do not need a referral for Urgent Care Center Services from a Network Physician, or as otherwise provided in the Certificate. If you are concerned that your Primary Physician has not issued a needed referral, you can always call Customer Service to discuss a quality of care concern. You have the right to change your Primary Physician on a monthly basis. You can change your Primary Physician by contacting Customer Care or by going to myuhc.com.

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE - LIMITATIONS ON PROVIDER NETWORK AVAILABILITY

Benefits are restricted to Covered Health Services provided by Network providers. Benefits for Covered Health Services are only provided outside the Service Area when services are provided by a Network provider except for Emergency Health Services and Covered Health Services received at an Urgent Care Center. Benefits for Emergency Health Services received at a non-Network Hospital are described in the Emergency Health Services - Outpatient Benefit in this Schedule of Benefits.

Enrolled Dependents who do not reside with the Subscriber and live outside the Service Area must see a Network provider in order to obtain Benefits for Covered Health Services, except for Emergency Health Services and Covered Health Services received at an Urgent Care Center as described in this Schedule of Benefits.

#### **DIRECTORY OF NETWORK PROVIDERS**

The current directory of Network providers is available online at www.myuhc.com. You may obtain a paper copy of the network provider directory at no cost by contacting Customer Care at the telephone number shown on your ID card.

#### **AVAILABILITY OF TELEPHONE TRIAGE OR SCREENING SERVICES**

Triage or screening services are the assessment of a Covered Person's health concerns and symptoms though communication, with a Physician, registered nurse or other qualified health professional acting within his or her scope of practice who is trained to screen or triage a Covered Person who may need care for the purpose of determining the urgency of the Covered Person's need for medical services. To access triage or screening services you should contact *Customer Care* during normal business hours at the telephone number on your ID card.

In addition to accessing *Customer Care*, you are able to access a registered nurse at Optum's Nurseline, 24 hours per day, 7 days per week by contacting the myNurseline phone number on the back of your ID card or by visiting www.myuhc.com. Once logged into the myuhc.com portal, the *Ask a Nurse* option will be available, and you may chat online or use the phone number provided to you to speak to a nurse. Optum's Nurseline can help you:

- Chat with a nurse live on myuhc.com.
- Understand treatment options.
- Ask medication questions.

- Choose appropriate medical care.
- Locate available local resources.
- Find a Physician, Hospital or specialist.

Although triage or screening services are available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, it is not intended to replace or interfere with normal Physician/patient communication.

#### **NETWORK PROVIDER ACCESSIBILITY COMPLAINTS:**

If you have a complaint regarding your ability to access Covered Health Services from a Network provider in a timely manner, call *Customer Care* at the telephone number shown on your ID card. If you would rather send your complaint to us in writing, the *Customer Care* representative can provide you with the appropriate address. If your complaint is not resolved, you may contact the California Department of Insurance.

**Call the California Department of Insurance at:** 

1-800-927-HELP (1-800-927-4357) if you reside in the State of California

213-897-8921 if you reside outside of the State of California

#### You may write the California Department of Insurance at:

California Department of Insurance
Consumer Communications Bureau
300 South Spring Street, South Tower
Los Angeles, CA 90013

#### **ACCESS TO A NETWORK PROVIDER:**

If medically appropriate care from a qualified provider cannot be provided within the network, we will arrange for the required care with an available and accessible non-Network provider. You will only be responsible for paying the cost sharing in an amount equal to the cost sharing you would have otherwise paid for that service or a similar service if you had received the Covered Health Service from a Network provider.

# Selecting a Network Primary Physician

You must select a Network Primary Physician, who is located in the geographic area of the permanent residence of the Subscriber, in order to obtain Benefits. In general health care terminology, a Primary Physician may also be referred to as a *Primary Care Physician* or *PCP*. A Network Primary Physician will be able to coordinate all Covered Health Services and submit electronic referrals online to UnitedHealthcare for services from Network Physicians. If you are the custodial parent of an Enrolled Dependent child, you must select a Network Primary Physician, who is located in the geographic area of

the permanent residence of the Subscriber, for that child. If you do not select a Network Primary Physician for yourself or your Enrolled Dependent child, one will be assigned.

You may select any Network Primary Physician who is located in the geographic area of the permanent residence of the Subscriber and is accepting new patients. You may designate a Network Physician who specializes in pediatrics (including pediatric subspecialties, based on the scope of that provider's license under applicable state law) as the Network Primary Physician for an Enrolled Dependent child. For obstetrical or gynecological care, you do not need a referral from a Network Primary Physician and may seek care directly from any Network Physician who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology.

You can obtain a list of Network Primary Physicians, Network obstetricians and gynecologists and other Network providers by going to www.myuhc.com or by calling Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card.

You may change your Network Primary Physician by contacting Customer Care at the telephone number shown on your ID card or by going to www.myuhc.com. Changes are permitted once per month. Changes submitted on or before the 15th of the month will be effective on the first day of the following month. Changes submitted on or after the 16th - 31st of the month will be effective on the first day of the second following month.

# **Accessing Benefits**

UnitedHealthcare Navigate offers a limited Network of providers. To obtain Benefits, you must receive Covered Health Services from a UnitedHealthcare Navigate Network provider. You can confirm that your provider is a UnitedHealthcare Navigate Network provider by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card or you can access a directory of providers online at www.myuhc.com. You should confirm that your provider is a UnitedHealthcare Navigate Network provider, including when receiving Covered Health Services for which you received a referral from your Primary Physician.

You must see a Navigate Network Physician in order to obtain Benefits. Except as specifically described in this Schedule of Benefits, Benefits are not available for services provided by non-Network providers. This Benefit plan does not provide a Non-Network level of Benefits.

You should confirm that your provider is a UnitedHealthcare Navigate Network provider, including when receiving Covered Health Services for which you received a referral from your Primary Physician.

**Benefits** are restricted to Covered Health Services that are provided by a Navigate Network Physician, except for Covered Health Services received at an Urgent Care Center outside your geographic area and Emergency Health Services

Emergency Health Services provided by a non-Network provider will be reimbursed as set forth under *Eligible Expenses* as described at the end of this *Schedule of Benefits*. **As a result, you will be** responsible for the difference between the amount billed by the non-Network provider and the reimbursement amount that is an Eligible Expense. The payments you make to non-Network providers for charges above the Eligible Expense do not apply towards any applicable Out-of-Pocket Maximum.

Covered Health Services that are provided at a Network facility by a non-Network facility based Physician, when not Emergency Health Services, will be reimbursed as set forth under *Eligible Expenses* as described at the end of this *Schedule of Benefits*. As a result, you will be responsible for the difference between the amount billed by the non-Network facility based Physician and the reimbursement amount that is an Eligible Expense. The payments you make to non-Network facility based Physicians for charges above the Eligible Expense do not apply towards any applicable Out-of-Pocket Maximum.

You must show your identification card (ID card) every time you request health care services from a Network provider. If you do not show your ID card, Network providers have no way of knowing that you are enrolled under a UnitedHealthcare Policy. As a result, they may bill you for the entire cost of the services you receive.

Additional information about the network of providers and how your Benefits may be affected appears at the end of this *Schedule* of *Benefits*.

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

#### **Prior Authorization**

We require prior authorization for certain Covered Health Services. In general, your Primary Physician and other Network providers are responsible for obtaining prior authorization before they provide these services to you. There are some Benefits, however, for which you are responsible for obtaining prior authorization. Services for which you are required to obtain prior authorization are identified below and in the *Schedule of Benefits* table within each Covered Health Service category.

Failure to obtain prior authorization for an essential health benefit as defined under California Insurance Code §10112.27, which is delivered by a Network provider, will not result in a complete loss of coverage or an increase in the cost sharing for that Benefit.

However, failure to obtain prior authorization for any routine Benefits delivered by a non-Network provider may result in a complete loss of coverage. Prior authorization is not applicable to Emergency Health Services.

We recommend that you confirm with us that all Covered Health Services listed below have been prior authorized as required. Before receiving these services from a Network provider, you may want to contact us to verify that the Hospital, Physician and other providers are Network providers and that they have obtained the required prior authorization. Network facilities and Network providers cannot bill you for services they fail to prior authorize as required. You can contact us by calling the telephone number for *Customer Care* on your ID card.

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

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.

#### **Covered Health Services which Require Prior Authorization**

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

- Ambulance non-emergent air and ground.
- Clinical trials.
- Dental services accidental.
- Dental anesthesia services.
- Gender Dysphoria surgical services (genital surgery or mastectomy) when a Network provider
  makes a written referral, and the services requested are Covered Health Services that meet the
  requirements described in our Gender Dysphoria (Gender Identity Disorder) guideline. Our
  guideline is available upon request by calling the telephone number for *Customer Care* on your ID
  card.
- Infertility services.
- Obesity surgery.

#### Transplants.

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 actually received, our final coverage determination will be modified to account for those differences, and we will only pay Benefits based on the services actually delivered to you.

If you choose to receive a service that is not a Medically Necessary Covered Health Service, you will be responsible for paying all charges and no Benefits will be paid. If you have a question regarding a determination of whether a service is Medically Necessary, call the telephone number for Customer Care on your ID card. If you disagree with a determination of whether a service is Medically Necessary, you can request an appeal. The complaint and appeals process is described under Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals in the Certificate of Coverage. You may also call Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card.

# **Care Management**

When you seek prior authorization as required, we will work with you to implement the care management process and to provide you with information about additional services that are available to you, such as disease management programs, health education, and patient advocacy.

# **Special Note Regarding Medicare**

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

#### **Benefits**

Annual Deductibles are calculated on a calendar year basis.

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

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

Payment Term And Description	Amounts
Annual Deductible	
The amount of Eligible Expenses you pay for Covered Health Services per year before you are eligible to receive Benefits.	No Annual Deductible.
Amounts paid toward the Annual Deductible for Covered Health Services that are subject to a visit or day limit will also be calculated against that maximum Benefit limit. As a result, the limited Benefit will be reduced by the number of days/visits used toward meeting the Annual Deductible.	
When a Covered Person was previously covered under a group policy that was replaced by the group Policy, any 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 Annual Deductible is calculated on the basis of Eligible Expenses. The Annual Deductible does not include any amount that exceeds Eligible Expenses. Details about the way in which Eligible Expenses are determined appear at the end of the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i>	

Payment Term And Description	Amounts
table.	
Out-of-Pocket Maximum	
The Out-of-Pocket Maximum is the maximum amount that you will pay per year which includes the Annual Deductible, Copayment and Coinsurance (as applicable). The Out-of-Pocket Maximum excludes Premiums, balance billing amounts for non-Network providers and the Covered Person's spending for non-covered services.  Details about the way in which Eligible Expenses are determined appear at the end of the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> table.  The Out-of-Pocket Maximum does not include any of the following and, once the Out-of-Pocket Maximum has been reached, you still will be required to pay the following:  • Any charges for non-Covered Health Services.  • Charges that exceed Eligible Expenses.  • Copayments or Coinsurance for any Covered Health Service identified in the <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> table that does not apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum.	\$4,250 per Covered Person, not to exceed \$8,500 for all Covered Persons in a family.  An individual's payment toward the Outof-Pocket Maximum is limited to the \$4,250 per Covered Person Out-of-Pocket Maximum amount stated above. After an individual meets this Out-of-Pocket Maximum amount, the Covered Person is no longer responsible for cost sharing for the rest of the year.

#### Copayment

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

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

- The applicable Copayment.
- The Eligible Expense.

Copayments may never exceed the plan's actual cost of the Covered Health Service. For example, if laboratory tests cost less than a \$45 Copayment, the lesser amount is the applicable cost-sharing amount.

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

#### Coinsurance

Coinsurance is the amount you pay (calculated as a percentage of Eligible Expenses) each time you receive certain Covered Health Services.

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

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.

Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
1. Acupuncture Services			
	\$15 Copayment per visit for services provided with a referral from your Primary Physician	Yes	No
2. Ambulance Services		1	

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

In most cases, we will initiate and direct non-Emergency ambulance transportation. If you are requesting non-Emergency ambulance services, you must obtain authorization as soon as possible prior to transport. If you fail to obtain prior authorization as required, you will incur a penalty of \$1,000 per transport.

Emergency Ambulance	Ground Ambulance:		
	20%	Yes	No
	Air Ambulance:		
	20%	Yes	No
Non-Emergency Ambulance	Ground Ambulance:		
Ground or air ambulance, as determined to be appropriate.	20%	Yes	No
	Air Ambulance:		
	20%	Yes	No
3. Clinical Trials		•	•

#### **Prior Authorization Requirement**

You must obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility of participation in a clinical trial arises. If you fail to obtain prior authorization as required, you will incur a penalty of \$1,000 per trial.

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

Benefits are available when the Covered Health Services are provided by either Network or non-Network providers, however if the non-Network provider does not agree to accept the Network level of reimbursement by signing a network provider agreement Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this *Schedule of Benefits*.

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.			ur Primary Physician
Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
specifically for the patient enrolling in the trial, you will be responsible for the difference and may be billed by the non-Network provider.			
4. Congenital Heart Disease Surgeries			
Network Benefits under this section include only the inpatient facility charges for the congenital heart disease (CHD) surgery. Depending upon where the Covered Health 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 Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.	Benefits will be the same this Schedule of Benefits.		Hospital - Inpatient Stay in
5. Dental Services - Accident Only			
	Prior Authorization Requ	irement	
You must obtain prior authorizat begins. (You do not have to obtain obtain prior authorization as re	prior authorization before th	ne initial Emergen	cy treatment.) If you fail to
	20%	Yes	No
6. Diabetes Services		1	
Diabetes Self-Management and Training/Diabetic Eye Examinations/Foot Care	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits for diabetes self-management and training/diabetes diabetic eye examinations/foot care will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.		
7. Diabetes Treatment			
Coverage for diabetes equipment and supplies, prescription items and diabetes self-management training programs when provided by or under the direction of a Physician.	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> .  Benefits for diabetes supplies are described in <i>Section 12:</i> Outpatient Prescription Drug Services of the Certificate.		
Diabetes equipment and supplies			

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. **Benefit** (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? are limited to blood glucose monitors and blood glucose testing strips, blood glucose monitors designed to assist the visually impaired, insulin pumps and all related necessary supplies; ketone urine testing strips, lancets and lancet puncture devices, pen delivery systems for the administration of insulin, podiatric devices to prevent or treat diabetes-related complications, insulin syringes, visual aids, excluding eyewear, to assist the visually impaired with proper dosing of insulin. 8. Durable Medical Equipment 20% Yes No 9. Emergency Health Services -Outpatient Note: If you are confined in a non-\$100 Copayment per Yes No Network Hospital after you receive visit. If you are admitted outpatient Emergency Health as an inpatient to a Services, you must notify us Network Hospital within one business day or on the directly from the

Note: If you are confined in a non-Network Hospital after you receive outpatient Emergency Health 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 non-Network Hospital, Network Benefits will not be provided. Non-Network Benefits may be available if the continued stay is determined to be a Covered Health Service.

Eligible Expenses for Emergency Health Services provided by a non-Network provider will be determined as described below under *Eligible Expenses* in this Schedule of Benefits. As a result, you may be responsible for the difference between the amount

\$100 Copayment per visit. If you are admitted as an inpatient to a Network Hospital directly from the Emergency room, you will not have to pay this Copayment. The Benefits for an Inpatient Stay in a Network Hospital will apply instead.

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. Benefit (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? billed by the non-Network provider and the reimbursement amount that is an Eligible Expense. (Please see "Accessing Benefits" at the beginning of this Schedule of Benefits for additional information.) 10. Gender Dysphoria **Prior Authorization Requirement** You must obtain prior authorization as soon as the possibility for any of the services listed in the Certificate for Gender Dysphoria treatment arises. If you fail to obtain prior authorization as required, you will incur a penalty of \$1,000 per service. In addition, you must contact us 24 hours before admission for an Inpatient Stay. Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this medical Schedule of Benefits and in the Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits. 11. Habilitative Services -**Outpatient Therapy and Manipulative Treatment** Manipulative Treatments are \$15 Copayment per visit Yes No limited to 24 visits per year. for Manipulative Treatment services Visit limits are not applied to provided with a referral occupational therapy, physical from your Primary therapy or speech therapy for the Physician Medically Necessary treatment of a health condition, including \$15 Copayment per visit pervasive developmental disorder for all other habilitative or Autism Spectrum Disorders. services 12. Hearing Aids Limited to \$2,500 in Eligible 20% Yes No Expenses every year. Benefits are further limited to a single purchase (including repair/replacement) per hearing impaired ear every three years. This limit does not apply to boneanchored hearing aids.

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. Benefit (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? 13. Home Health Care Up to two hours per visit for 20% Yes No visits by a nurse, medical social worker, or physical, occupational, or speech therapist, and up to four hours per visit for visits by a home health care aide. Up to three visits per day (counting all home health care visits). Up to 100 visits per calendar year (counting all home health care visits) for habilitative care. Up to 100 visits per calendar year (counting all home health care visits) for rehabilitative care. This visit limit does not include any service which is billed only for the administration of intravenous infusion 14. Hospice Care 20% No Yes 15. Hospital - Inpatient Stay 20% for services Yes No provided with a referral from your Primary Physician 16. Infertility Services **Prior Authorization Requirement** You must obtain prior authorization as soon as reasonably possible. If you fail to obtain prior authorization as required, you will incur a penalty of \$1,000 per visit. Limited to \$2,000 per Covered 20% with a referral from Yes No Person during the entire period of your Primary Physician time he or she is enrolled for or when services are coverage under the Policy. This provided by an limit includes Benefits for infertility obstetrician or medications provided under the

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.

Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits. This limit does not include Physician office visits for the treatment of infertility for which Benefits are described under Physician's Office Services below.	gynecologist		
17. Lab, X-Ray and Diagnostics - Outpatient			
Lab Testing - Outpatient:	20%	Yes	No
X-Ray and Other Diagnostic Testing - Outpatient:	20%	Yes	No
18. Lab, X-Ray and Major Diagnostics - CT, PET, MRI, MRA and Nuclear Medicine - Outpatient			
	20%	Yes	No
19. Mental Health Services			
	Inpatient		
	20%	Yes	No
Outpatient Office Visits include:	Outpatient Office Visits		
Diagnostic evaluations and assessment, treatment planning, treatment and/or procedures, referral services, and medication management.	\$15 Copayment per visit	Yes	No
All Other Outpatient Treatment include but are not limited to:	AH QH Q 4 11 1		
Partial Hospitalization/Day     Treatment, Multidisciplinary     Intensive Outpatient     Psychiatric Treatment, facility     charges for day treatment     centers; Intensive Outpatient     programs; crisis intervention,     Behavioral Health Treatment     for pervasive developmental     disorder or Autism Spectrum     Disorders delivered at home,	All Other Outpatient Treatment 20%	Yes	No

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. Benefit (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? outpatient surgery, laboratory charges, or other medical items that fall between inpatient care and regular outpatient office visits. 20. Obesity Surgery **Prior Authorization Requirement** You must obtain prior authorization six months prior to surgery or as soon as reasonably possible if obesity surgery arises. If you fail to obtain prior authorization as required, you will incur a penalty of \$1,000 per admission. In addition, you must contact us 24 hours before admission for an Inpatient Stay. 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. Obesity Surgery must be received 20% with a referral from Yes Nο at a Designated Facility. your Primary Physician 21. Ostomy and Urological **Supplies** 20% Yes Nο 22. Pharmaceutical Products -Outpatient 20% Yes No 23. Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services Eligible Expenses for Covered 20% for services Yes No Health Services provided by a provided with a referral non-Network facility based from your Primary Physician in a Network facility will Physician be determined as described below under Eligible Expenses in this Schedule of Benefits. As a result, you will be responsible to the non-Network facility based Physician for any amount billed that is greater than the reimbursement amount that is an Eligible Expense. In order to obtain the highest level of Benefits, you should confirm the Network status of these providers prior to obtaining

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.

Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
Covered Health Services.			
24. Physician's Office Services			
In addition to the office visit Copayment stated in this section, the Copayments/Coinsurance and any deductible for the following services apply when the Covered Health Service is performed in a Physician's office:	\$15 Copayment per visit for services provided by your Primary Physician or by a Network obstetrician or gynecologist  \$30 Copayment per visit	Yes	No
Lab, radiology/X-rays and other diagnostic services described under Lab, X-Ray and Diagnostics - Outpatient.	for services provided with a referral from your Primary Physician	Yes	No
Major diagnostic and nuclear medicine described under Lab, X-Ray and Major Diagnostics - CT, PET, MRI, MRA and Nuclear Medicine - Outpatient.			
Outpatient Pharmaceutical Products described under Pharmaceutical Products - Outpatient.			
Diagnostic and therapeutic scopic procedures described under Scopic Procedures - Outpatient Diagnostic and Therapeutic.			
Outpatient surgery procedures described under Surgery - Outpatient.			
Outpatient therapeutic procedures described under Therapeutic Treatments - Outpatient.			
25. Pregnancy - Maternity Services			

We encourage you to notify us regarding your Pregnancy. Your notification will open the opportunity to become enrolled in prenatal programs that you may enrolled in that are designed to achieve the best outcomes for you and your baby.

Note: Referrals as described in this before the service is rendered.	table must be submitted el	ectronically by yo	ur Primary Physician	
Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?	
We pay for Covered Health Services incurred if you participate in the California Prenatal Screening Program, a statewide prenatal testing program administered by the State Department of Health Services. There is no cost share for this Benefit.	Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> . Benefits for office visits for prenatal care received from a Network provider are covered without cost sharing during the entire course of the Covered Person's pregnancy.			
Subsequent Postnatal/Postpartum Care and Physician Office Visits	Benefits will be the same	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.		
	The first postnatal/postpartum visit is covered at no charge.  Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided,  Benefits for subsequent postnatal/postpartum care will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this  Schedule of Benefits.			
26. Preventive Care Services				
Physician office services	No charge	Yes	No	
Lab, X-ray or other preventive tests	No charge	Yes	No	
Breast pumps	No charge	Yes	No	
27. Prosthetic Devices				
	20%	Yes	No	
28. Reconstructive Procedures				
	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.		nder each Covered	
29. Rehabilitation Services - Outpatient Therapy and Manipulative Treatment				
Manipulative Treatments are limited to 24 visits per year.  Visit limits are not applied to occupational therapy, physical therapy or speech therapy for the Medically Necessary treatment of a health condition, including	\$15 Copayment per visit for Manipulative Treatment services provided with a referral from your Primary Physician  \$15 Copayment per visit	Yes	No	

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. Benefit (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? pervasive developmental disorder for all other or Autism Spectrum Disorders. rehabilitation services 30. Scopic Procedures -**Outpatient Diagnostic and Therapeutic** Yes 20% for services No provided by your Primary Physician or by a Network obstetrician or gynecologist 20% for services Yes No provided with a referral from your Primary Physician 31. Skilled Nursing Facility/Inpatient Rehabilitation **Facility Services (Including Habilitative Services During an** Inpatient Stay) 20% Limited to 100 days per Yes No benefit period for Skilled Nursing Facility. A benefit period begins on the date the Covered Person is admitted to a Hospital or Skilled Nursing Facility at a skilled level of care. A benefit period ends on the date the Covered Person has not been an inpatient in a Hospital or Skilled Nursing Facility. receiving a skilled level of care, for 60 consecutive days. A new benefit period can begin only after the existing period ends. A prior three-day stay in an acute care Hospital is not required. Inpatient rehabilitation facility services are unlimited. Covered Health Services for inpatient habilitative services

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. **Benefit** (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket **Must You Meet Annual Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? are unlimited. 32. Substance Use Disorder Services Inpatient 20% Yes No Outpatient Office Visits include: Outpatient Office Visits Diagnostic evaluations and \$15 Copayment per visit Yes No assessment, treatment planning, treatment and/or procedures, referral services, and medication management. All Other Outpatient Treatment include but are not limited to: All Other Outpatient Partial Hospitalization/Day Treatment Treatment, Multidisciplinary Intensive Outpatient 20% Yes No Psychiatric Treatment, crisis intervention, facility charges for day treatment centers, Intensive Outpatient Programs, outpatient surgery, laboratory charges, or other medical items that fall between inpatient care and regular outpatient office visits. 33. Surgery - Outpatient Yes 20% for services No provided by your Primary Physician or by a Network obstetrician or gynecologist 20% for services Yes No provided with a referral from your Primary Physician 34. Temporomandibular Joint (TMJ) Services Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided. Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered

Note: Referrals as describ before the service is rende		table must be submitted el	ectronically by you	ur Primary Physician
Covered Health Service		Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
		Health Service category in	n this Schedule of	Benefits.
35. Therapeutic Treatme Outpatient	nts -			
		20%	Yes	No
36. Transplantation Serv	rices			
		Prior Authorization Requi	irement	
time a pre-transplanta	ition evalu	n as soon as reasonably po nation is performed at a trar nuired, you will incur a pena	nsplant center). If	you fail to obtain prior
Transplantation services r received at a Designated We do not require that cortransplants be performed Designated Facility.	Facility. nea	Depending upon where the Benefits will be the same Health Service category in	as those stated u	nder each Covered
37. Urgent Care Center S	Services			
In addition to the Copaym stated in this section, the Copayments/Coinsurance any deductible for the follo services apply when the C Health Service is performed Urgent Care Center:	and owing covered	\$50 Copayment per visit	Yes	No
<ul> <li>Lab, radiology/X-rays other diagnostic servidescribed under Lab, and Diagnostics - Out</li> </ul>	ces X-Ray			
Major diagnostic and medicine described up Lab, X-Ray and Major Diagnostics - CT, PET MRA and Nuclear Me Outpatient.	nder r, MRI,			
Outpatient Pharmacet Products described ur Pharmaceutical Produ Outpatient.	nder			
Diagnostic and therap scopic procedures de- under Scopic Procedu	scribed			

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered. Benefit (The Amount You Pay. Apply to the based on Eligible Out-of-Pocket Must You Meet Annual **Covered Health Service** Expenses) Maximum? Deductible? Outpatient Diagnostic and Therapeutic. Outpatient surgery procedures described under Surgery - Outpatient. Outpatient therapeutic procedures described under Therapeutic Treatments -Outpatient 38. Virtual Visits

\$15 Copayment per visit

\$15 Copayment per visit

Yes

Yes

No

No

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

#### 39. Vision Examinations

Limited to 1 exam ever calendar year. Limited to 2 contact lenses per

eye (including fitting and dispensing) per 12-month period to treat aniridia.

Limited to 6 contact lenses per eye (including fitting and dispensing) per 12-month period to treat aphakia.

This Benefit is limited to adults (age 19 and older). Benefits for routine vision examinations for Covered Persons under age 19 are provided as described in the Pediatric Vision Care Services Schedule of Benefits below.

# Additional Benefits Required By California Law

#### 40. Breast Cancer Services

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.			ur Primary Physician
Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
	Depending upon where the Benefits will be the same Health Service category in	as those stated u	nder each Covered
41. Dental Anesthesia Services			
	Prior Authorization Requ	irement	
You must obtain prior authorization possible for non-scheduled adm authorization as req		cy admissions). If	you fail to obtain prior
Services are limited to Covered Persons who are one of the following:	20%	Yes	No
<ul> <li>A child under seven years of age.</li> <li>A person who is developmentally disabled, regardless of age.</li> <li>A person whose health is compromised and for whom general anesthesia is required, regardless of age.</li> </ul>			
42. Enteral Formula and Amino Acid-Modified Food Products			
	20%	Yes	No
43. Mastectomy Services			
	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.		nder each Covered
44. Nicotine Use Benefit			
Benefits for nicotine use medications are provided under the Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits.	20%	Yes	No
Tobacco use and tobacco-related disease counseling and interventions and medications required to be provided under the <i>Preventive Care Services</i> benefit by the <i>Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act</i> are not			

Note: Referrals as described in this table must be submitted electronically by your Primary Physician before the service is rendered.			
Covered Health Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay, based on Eligible Expenses)	Apply to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum?	Must You Meet Annual Deductible?
subject to any cost sharing.			
45. Off-Label Drug Use and Experimental or Investigational Services		,	
	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> .		
46. Orthotic Benefit			
	20%	Yes	No
47. Osteoporosis Services			
	Depending upon where the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this Schedule of Benefits.		
48. Phenylketonuria (PKU) Treatment			
	20%	Yes	No
49. Specialized Footwear		•	
	20%	Yes	No
50. Telehealth Services			
	Depending by whom the Covered Health Service is provided, Benefits will be the same as those stated under each Covered Health Service category in this <i>Schedule of Benefits</i> .		

# **Eligible Expenses**

Benefits for Covered Health Services are based on Eligible Expenses. For Network Benefits for Covered Health Services provided by a Network provider, you are not responsible for any difference between Eligible Expenses and the amount the provider bills. For Covered Health Services provided by a non-Network provider (other than services otherwise arranged by us), you will be responsible to the non-Network provider for any amount billed that is greater than the reimbursement amount that is an Eligible Expense as described below. Eligible Expenses are determined in accordance with our reimbursement policy guidelines, as described in the *Certificate*.

For Network Benefits, Eligible Expenses are based on the following:

- When Covered Health Services are received from a Network provider, Eligible Expenses are our contracted fee(s) with that provider.
- When Covered Health Services are received from a non-Network provider as arranged by us, Eligible Expenses are billed charges unless a lower amount is negotiated or authorized by law. Please

contact us if you are billed for amounts in excess of your applicable Coinsurance, Copayment or any deductible. We will not pay excessive charges or amounts you are not legally obligated to pay.

For Covered Health Services received at a Network facility on a non-Emergency basis from a non-Network facility based Physician, the Eligible Expense is based on 110% of the published rates allowed by the *Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)* for the same or similar service within the geographic market, with the exception of the following:

- 50% of CMS for the same or similar laboratory service.
- 45% of CMS for the same or similar durable medical equipment, or CMS competitive bid rates.

When a rate is not published by *CMS* for the service, we use a gap methodology established by *OptumInsight* and/or a third party vendor that uses a relative value scale. The relative value scale is usually based on the difficulty, time, work, risk and resources of the service. If the relative value scale currently in use becomes 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 is not published by *CMS* for the service and a gap methodology does not apply to the service, the Eligible Expense is based on 50% of the provider's billed charge.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Non-Network facility based Physicians may bill you for any difference between the Physician's billed charges and the Eligible Expense described here.

**For Emergency Health Services provided by a non-Network provider**, the Eligible Expense is a rate agreed upon by the non-Network provider or determined based upon the higher of:

- The median amount negotiated with Network providers for the same service.
- 110% of the published rates allowed by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) for the same or similar service within the geographic market.

When a rate is not published by *CMS* for the service, we use a gap methodology established by *OptumInsight* and/or a third party vendor that uses a relative value scale. The relative value scale is usually based on the difficulty, time, work, risk and resources of the service. If the relative value scale currently in use becomes 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.

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**IMPORTANT NOTICE**: Non-Network providers may bill you for any difference between the provider's billed charges and the Eligible Expense described here.

#### **Provider Network**

We arrange for health care providers to participate in a Network. Network providers are independent practitioners. They are not our employees. It is your responsibility to select your provider.

Our credentialing process confirms public information about the providers' licenses and other credentials, but does not assure the quality of the services provided.

Before obtaining services you should always verify the Network status of a provider to be certain that the provider is a UnitedHealthcare Navigate Network provider. A provider's status may change. You can verify the provider's status by calling *Customer Care*. A directory of providers is available online at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card to request a copy.

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 Benefits.

If medically appropriate care from a qualified provider cannot be provided within the network, we will arrange for the required care with an available and accessible non-Network provider. You will only be responsible for paying the cost sharing in an amount equal to the cost sharing you would have otherwise paid for that service or a similar service if you had received the Covered Health Service from a Network provider.

If you are currently undergoing a course of treatment utilizing a non-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 determining whether you are eligible for transition of care Benefits, please contact *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

#### **Continuity of Care**

If you are undergoing a course of treatment with a Network provider for one of the medical conditions below, and the Network provider caring for you is terminated from the Network by us, we can arrange, at your request and subject to the provider's agreement, for continuation of Covered Health Services rendered by the terminated provider for the time periods shown below. Copayments, deductibles or other cost sharing components will be the same as you would have paid for a provider currently contracting with us

Medical conditions and time periods for which treatment by a terminated Network provider will be covered under the Policy are:

- An acute condition. An acute condition is a medical condition that involves a sudden onset of symptoms due to a health condition or other medical problem that requires prompt medical attention and that has a limited duration. Completion of Covered Health Services will be provided for the duration of the acute condition.
- A serious chronic condition. A serious chronic condition is a medical condition due to a disease, health condition or other medical problem or medical disorder that is serious in nature and that persists without full cure or worsens over an extended period of time or requires ongoing treatment to maintain remission or prevent deterioration. Completion of Covered Health Services will be provided for a period of time necessary to complete a course of treatment and to arrange for a safe transfer to another Network provider, as determined by us in consultation with the Covered Person and the terminated Network provider and consistent with good professional practice. Completion of Covered Health Services under this provision will not exceed 12 months from termination date of the provider's agreement.
- A pregnancy. A pregnancy is the three trimesters of pregnancy and the immediate postpartum period. Completion of Covered Health Services will be provided for the duration of the pregnancy.
- A terminal illness. A terminal illness is an incurable or irreversible condition that has a high probability of causing death within one year or less. Completion of Covered Health Services will be

provided for the duration of a terminal illness, which may exceed 12 months from the termination date of the provider's agreement.

- The care of a newborn child between birth and age 36 months. Completion of Covered Health Services will not exceed 12 months from the termination date of the provider's agreement.
- **Performance of a surgery or other procedure**. Performance of a surgery or other procedure that has been recommended and documented by the Network provider to occur within 180 days of the termination date of the provider's agreement.

This section does not apply to treatment by a provider or provider group whose contract with us has been terminated or not renewed for reasons relating to medical disciplinary cause or reason, fraud or other criminal activity.

Do not assume that a Network provider's agreement includes all Covered Health Services. Some Network providers contract with us to provide only certain Covered Health Services, but not all Covered Health 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 assistance.

# **Second Medical Opinion**

A second medical opinion is a reevaluation of your condition or health care treatment by an appropriately qualified Physician or appropriately qualified health care professional. When a second opinion is requested by you or by a Network Physician or health professional that is treating you, we will authorize a second opinion by an appropriately qualified health care professional. The Physician or appropriately qualified health care professional acting within his or her scope of practice, must possess the clinical background necessary for examining the illness or condition associated with the request for a second medical opinion.

Second medical opinions will be provided or authorized in the following circumstances:

- When you question the reasonableness or necessity of recommended surgical procedures;
- When you question a diagnosis or treatment plan for a condition that threatens loss of life, loss of limb, loss of bodily function, or substantial impairment (including, but not limited to, a chronic condition);
- When the clinical indications are not clear, or are complex and confusing;
- When a diagnosis is in doubt due to conflicting test results;
- When the treating Physician is unable to diagnose the condition;
- When the treatment plan in progress is not improving your medical condition within an appropriate period of time given the diagnosis, and you request a second opinion regarding the diagnosis or continuance of the treatment;
- When you have attempted to follow the treatment plan or consulted with the initial treating Physician and still have serious concerns about the diagnosis or treatment.

In most cases, you or your treating Physician or health care professional will request a second medical opinion without consulting us. However, in the event that we approve a request by you for a second medical opinion, you shall be responsible only for the costs of applicable Copayments that are required for similar referrals.

The second medical opinion will be documented in a consultation report, which will be made available to you and your treating Physician or health care professional. It will include any recommended procedures or tests that the Physician or health care professional giving the second opinion believes are appropriate.

**Please Note**: The fact that an appropriately qualified Physician or health care professional gives a second medical opinion and recommends a particular treatment, diagnostic test or service does not necessarily mean that the recommended action is medically necessary or a Covered Health Service. If the recommended action is not medically necessary or is not a Covered Health Service, you will also remain responsible for paying any appropriate fees to the Physician or health care professional that performs that recommended action.

# **Additional Network Availability**

Certain Covered Health Services defined below may also be provided through the *W500* Network. Go to www.myuhc.com or contact *Customer Care* for the *W500* provider directory. You are eligible for Benefits when these certain Covered Health Services are received from providers who are contracted with us through the *W500* Network.

These Covered Health Services are limited to the services listed below, as described in Section 1: Covered Health Services:

- Emergency Health Services Outpatient.
- Hospital Inpatient Stay, when you are admitted to the Hospital on an unscheduled basis because of an Emergency. Benefits for services provided while you are confined in a Hospital also include Covered Health Services as described under Physician Fees for Surgical and Medical Services.
- Urgent care services provided as described under *Urgent Care Center Services*. Urgent care services
  are those Covered Health Services that are required to prevent serious deterioration of your health,
  and that are required as a result of an unforeseen Sickness, Injury, or the onset of acute or severe
  symptoms.

Also, if we determine that specific Covered Health Services are not available from a Navigate Network provider, you may be eligible for Benefits when Covered Health Services are received from a W500 Network provider. In this situation, before you receive these Covered Health Services, your Navigate Network Physician will notify us and, if we confirm that the Covered Health Services are not available from a Navigate Network provider, we will work with you and your Navigate Network Physician to coordinate these Covered Health Services through a W500 Network provider.

# **Designated Facilities and Other Providers**

If you have a medical condition needs special services, we may direct you to a Designated Facility and/or a Designated Physician. If you require certain complex Covered Health 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 Services from a Designated Facility or Designated Physician, we may reimburse certain travel expenses.

In both cases, Benefits will only be paid if your Covered Health Services for that condition are provided by or arranged by the Designated Facility, Designated Physician or other provider.

You or your Primary Physician or other Network Physician must notify us of special service needs (such as transplants or cancer treatment) that might warrant referral to a Designated Facility or Designated Physician. If you do not notify us in advance, and if you receive services from a non-Network facility (regardless of whether it is a Designated Facility) or other non-Network provider, Benefits will not be paid.

#### **Health Services from Non-Network Providers**

If specific Covered Health Services are not available or accessible from a Network provider, you may be eligible for Benefits when Covered Health Services are received from non-Network providers. In this situation, your Network Physician will notify us and, if we confirm that care is not available or accessible from a Network provider, we will work with you and your Network Physician to coordinate care through a non-Network provider. If care is authorized from a non-Network provider because it is not available or accessible from a Network provider, you will be responsible for paying only the in-Network cost sharing for the service.

#### **Limitations on Selection of Providers**

If you are using health care services in a harmful or abusive manner, or with harmful frequency, your selection of Network providers may be limited. If this happens, you may be required to select a single Network Physician to provide and coordinate all future Covered Health Services.

If you don't make a selection within 31 days of the date we notify you, we will select a single Network Physician for you.

If you fail to use the selected Network Physician, Benefits will not be paid.

If you disagree with a Benefit determination, you can request an appeal. The complaint and appeals process is described under Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals in the Certificate of Coverage. You may also call Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card.

# **Pediatric Dental Services Schedule of Benefits**

# **Accessing Pediatric Dental Services**

#### **Network Benefits**

**Benefits** - Benefits apply when you obtain Covered Dental Services from a Network Dental Provider. Benefits are 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 in excess of the contracted fee.

In order for Covered Dental Services to be paid, you must obtain all Covered Dental Services directly from or through a Network Dental Provider.

You must always verify the participation status of a provider prior to seeking services. From time to time, the participation status of a provider may change. You can verify the participation status by calling us and/or the provider. If necessary, we can provide assistance in referring you to Network Dental Provider.

We will make available to you a *Directory of Network Dental Providers*. You can also call *Customer Service* to determine which providers participate in the Network. The telephone number for *Customer Service* is on your ID card.

Benefits are not available for Dental Services that are not provided by a Network Dental Provider.

#### **Covered Dental Services**

You are eligible for Benefits for Covered Dental Services listed in this *Schedule of Benefits* if such Dental Services are Necessary and are provided by or under the direction of a Network Dental Provider.

Benefits are available only for Necessary Dental Services. The fact that a Dental Provider has performed or prescribed a procedure or treatment, or the fact that it may be the only available treatment, for a dental disease does not mean that the procedure or treatment is a Covered Dental Service under this *Schedule of Benefits*.

**IMPORTANT:** If you opt to receive dental services that are not Covered Dental Services under this *Schedule of Benefits*, a Network Dental Provider may charge you his or her usual and customary rate for those services. Prior to providing a patient with dental services that are not Covered Dental Services, the dentist should provide to the patient a treatment plan that includes each anticipated service to be provided and the estimated cost of each service. If you would like more information about dental coverage options, you may call *Customer Service* at the telephone number on your ID card. To fully understand your coverage, you may wish to carefully review the *Section 10: Pediatric Dental Services* in the *Certificate* and this *Schedule of Benefits*.

#### **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.

If the proposed treatment is a Covered Dental Service, we 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 assigned a benefit based on the less costly procedure.

#### **Pre-Authorization**

Pre-authorization is recommended for orthodontic services. Speak to your Dental Provider about obtaining a pre-authorization before Dental Services are rendered.

**Out-of-Pocket Maximum** - Any amount you pay in Coinsurance for pediatric Dental Services under this *Schedule of Benefits* applies to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum stated in the medical *Schedule of Benefits*.

### **Benefits**

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

# **Benefit Description**

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
Diagnostic Services	
Evaluations (Checkup Exams)	No charge
Limited to1 time per 6 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	
D0150 - Comprehensive oral evaluation	
Radiographs (X-ray)	No charge
Limited to 1 series of films per 36 months.	
D0210 - Complete series (including bitewings)	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	
D0220 - Intraoral - periapical first film	
D0230 - Intraoral - periapical - each additional film	
D0250 - Intraoral - occlusal film	
D0260 - Intraoral - occlusal film	
Limited to 2 films per 6 months.	
D0240 - Intraoral - occlusal film	

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
	Delital Expenses.
Any combination of the following services is limited to 1 series of films per 6 months.	No charge
D0270 - Bitewings - single film	
D0272 - Bitewings - two films	
D0274 - Bitewings - four films	
The following services are covered when preformed in a dental setting. When services performed in a medical setting services are covered under your medical coverage.	
Covered when medically necessary	
D0290 - Posterior-anterior or lateral skull and facial bone survey radiographic image	
D0310 - Sialography	
D0320 - Temporomandibular joint arthrogram, including injection	
D0322 - Tomographic survey	
Limited to 1 time per 36 months.	
D0330 - Panoramic radiograph image	
Any combination of the following services is limited to 2 per 12 months. Medically Necessary requirements apply.	No charge
D0340 - Cephalometric X-ray	
Any combination of the following services is limited to 1 per 6 months.	
D0350 - Oral/Facial photographic images	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	
D0460 - pulp vitality tests	

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
D0470 - diagnostic casts	
D0502 - other oral pathology procedures, by report	
Preventive Services	
Dental Prophylaxis (Cleanings)	No charge
The following services are limited to 1 time every 6 months.	
D1110 - Prophylaxis - adult	
D1120 - Prophylaxis - child	
Fluoride Treatments	No charge
The following services are limited to 1 time every 6 months.	
D1206 and D1208 - Fluoride	
Sealants (Protective Coating)	No charge
The following services are Limited to once per first or second permanent molar every 36 months.	
D1351 - Sealant - per tooth - unrestored permanent molar	
D1352 - Preventive resin restorations in moderate to high caries risk patient - permanent tooth	
Space Maintainers (Spacers)	No charge
The following services are Limited to once per quadrant per lifetime.	
D1510 - Space maintainer - fixed - unilateral	
D1515 - Space maintainer - fixed - bilateral	
D1520 - Space maintainer - removable - unilateral	
D1525 Space maintainer - removable bilateral	

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
D1550 - Re-cementation of space maintainer	
D1555 - Removal of fixed space maintainer	
Minor Restorative Services	
Amalgam Restorations (Silver Fillings)	20%
The following services are limited as follows:	
Multiple restorations on one surface will be treated as a single filling and limited to 1 per tooth per 12 months	
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	
Composite Resin Restorations (Tooth Colored Fillings)	20%
The following services are limited as follows:	
Multiple restorations on one surface will be treated as a single filling and limited to 1 per tooth per 12 months "	
D2330 - Resin-based composite - one surface, anterior	
D2331 - Resin-based composite - two surfaces, anterior	
D2332 - Resin-based composite - three surfaces, anterior	
D2335 - Resign-based	

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
composite - four or more surfaces or involving incised angle, anterior	
D2390 - Resin-based composite crown, anterior	
D2391 - Resin-based composite - one surface, posterior	
D2392 - Resin-based composite - two surfaces, posterior	
D2393 - Resin-based composite - three surfaces, posterior	
D2394 - Resin-based composite - four or more surfaces, posterior	
Crowns/Inlays/Onlays	
The following services are subject to a limit of one time every 60 months after 12 months from initial insertion.	50%
D2710 - Crown - resin-based composite (indirect)	
D2712 - Crown - 3/4 resin- based composite (indirect)	
D2721 - Crown - resin with predominantly base metal	
D2740 - Crown - porcelain/ceramic substrate	
D2751 - Crown - porcelain fused to predominately base metal	
D2781 - Crown - 3/4 cast predominately base metal	
D2783 - Crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic	
D2791 - Crown - full cast predominately base metal	
The following service is subject to a limit of one time every 36	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	
D3220 - Therapeutic pulpotomy (excluding final restoration)	
D3221 - Pulpal debridement, primary and permanent teeth	
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).	
D3310 - Anterior root canal (excluding final restoration)	
D3320 - Bicuspid root canal (excluding final restoration)	
D3330 - Molar root canal (excluding final restoration)	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit. Initial insertion up to 12 months is not covered by original provide who completed service.	20%
D3346 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - anterior	
D3347 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - bicuspid	
D3348 - Retreatment of previous root canal therapy - molar	
The following services are limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	20%
D3351 -	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible
	Dental Expenses.
Apexification/recalcification - initial visit	
D3352 - Apexification/recalcification - interim medication replacement	
The following services are limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	20%
D3410 - Apicoectomy/periradicular - anterior	
D3421 - Apicoectomy/periradicular - bicuspid	
D3425 - Apicoectomy/periradicular - molar	
D3426 - Apicoectomy/periradicular - each additional root	
Periodontics	
The following services are limited to a frequency of one per quadrant every 36 months.	20%
D4210 four or more teeth	
D4211 - Gingivectomy or gingivoplasty - one to three teeth	
D4260 - Osseous surgery	
D4261 - Osseous surgery (including evaluation of a full thickness flap entry and closure) - one to three contiguous teeth or tooth bounded spaces per quadrant	
The following services are limited to one time per quadrant every 24 months.	20%
D4341 - Periodontal scaling and root planning - four or more teeth per quadrant	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
D4342 - Periodontal scaling and root planning - one to three teeth per quadrant	
The following service is limited to four times every 12 month.	20%
D4910 - Periodontal maintenance	
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%
D4920 - Unscheduled dressing change (by someone other than treating dentist or their staff)	
Removable Dentures	
The following services are limited to a frequency of one every 60 months.	50%
D5110 - Complete denture - maxillary	
D5120 - Complete denture - mandibular	
The following services are limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	50%
D5130 - Immediate denture - maxillary	
D5140 - Immediate denture - mandibular	
The following services are limited to a frequency of one every 60 months.	50%
D5211 - Mandibular partial denture - resin base	
D5212 - Maxillary partial denture - resin base	
D5213 - Maxillary partial denture - cast metal framework with resin denture base	
D5214 - Mandibular partial denture - cast metal framework	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
with resin denture base	
The following services are limited to a frequency of 1 every 6 months.	50%
D5410 - Adjust complete denture - maxillary	
D5411 - Adjust complete denture - mandibular	
D5421 - Adjust partial denture - maxillary	
D5422 - Adjust partial denture - mandibular	
D5510 - Repair broken complete denture base	
D5520 - Replace missing or broken teeth - complete denture	
D5610 - Repair resin denture base	
D5620 - Repair cast framework	
D5630 - Repair or replace broken clasp	
D5640 - Replace broken teeth - per tooth	
D5660 - Add clasp to existing partial denture	
The following service is limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	50%
D5650 - Add tooth 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 1 time per 12 months.	
D5730 - Reline complete maxillary denture	
D5731 - Reline complete	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
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mandibular denture	
D5740 - Reline maxillary partial denture	
D5741 - Reline mandibular partial denture	
D5750 - Reline complete maxillary denture (laboratory)	
D5751 - Reline complete mandibular denture (laboratory)	
D5760 - Reline maxillary partial denture (laboratory)	
D5761 - Reline mandibular partial denture (laboratory)	
The following services are limited to a frequency of 2 per appliance every 36 months.	50%
D5850 - Tissue conditioning (maxillary)	
D5851 - Tissue conditioning (mandibular)	
The following service is limited to a frequency of 1 every 60 months.	50%
D5860 - Overdenture - complete, by report	
Bridges (Fixed Partial dentures)	
The following services are limited to a frequency of 1 every 60 months.	50%
D6211 - Pontic - case predominately base metal	
D6241 - Pontic - porcelain fused to predominately base metal	
D6245 - Pontic - porcelain/ceramic	
D6251 - Pontic - resin with predominantly base metal	
D6721 - Crown - resin with	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
predominantly base metal	
D6740 - Crown - porcelain/ceramic	
D6751 - Crown - porcelain fused to predominately base metal	
D6781 - Crown - 3/4 cast predominately base metal	
D6783 - Crown - 3/4 porcelain/ceramic	
D6791 - Crown - full cast predominately base metal	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit and not covered if preformed less than 12 months after the initial insertion.	50%
D6930 - Re-cement or Re-bond Fixed Partial Denture	
D6980 - Fixed partial denture repair necessitated by restorative material failure	
Oral Surgery	
The following services are limited to once time per tooth per lifetime.	20%
D7111 - Extraction, coronal remnants - deciduous tooth	
D7140 - Extraction, erupted tooth or exposed root	
D7210 - Surgical removal of erupted tooth requiring elevation of mucoperioteal flap and removal of bone and/or section of tooth	
D7220 - Removal of impacted tooth - soft tissue	
D7230 - Removal of impacted tooth - partially bony	
D7240 - Removal of impacted	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
tooth - completely bony	
D7241 - Removal of impacted tooth - complete bony with unusual surgical complications	
D7250 - Surgical removal or residual tooth roots	
D7260 - Oroantral fistula closure-upper molar tooth; extract the tooth-create an opening between sinus	
D7261 - Primary closure of a sinus perforation	
D7280 - Surgical access of an unerupted tooth	
D7283 - Placement of device to facilitate eruption of impacted tooth	
D7290 - Surgical repositioning of teeth	
The following service is limited to 1 per arch per visit.	20%
D7285 - Incisional biopsy of oral tissue - hard (bone, tooth)	
The following service is limited to 3 per site per visit.	20%
D7286 - Incisional biopsy of oral tissue - soft	
The following service is limited to 1 per arch per lifetime.	20%
D7291 - Transseptal fiberotomy/supra crestal fiberotomy, by report	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%
D7310 - Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extractions - per quadrant	
D7311 - Alveoloplasty in conjunction with extraction - one to three teeth or tooth	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
space - per quadrant	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit and are not covered within 6 months following extractions in the same quadrant.	20%
D7320 - Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - per quadrant	
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.	20%
D7321 - Alveoloplasty not in conjunction with extractions - one to three teeth or tooth space - per quadrant	
The following service is limited to 1 per arch per 60 months.	20%
D7340 - Vestibuloplasty - ridge extension (secondary epithelialization)	
The following service is limited to 1 per arch per lifetime.	20%
D7350 - Vestibuloplasty - ridge extension (including soft tissue grafts, muscle reattachment, revision of soft tissue attachment	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%
D7410 - Excision of benign lesion up to 1.25 cm	
D7411 - Excision of benign lesion greater than 1.25 cm	
D7412 - Excision of benign lesion, complicated	
D7413 - Excision of malignant lesion up to 1.25 cm	
D7414 - Excision of malignant lesion greater than 1.25 cm	
D7415 - Excision of malignant	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
lesion, complicated	
D7440 - Excision of malignant tumor-lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm	
D7441 - Excision of malignant tumor - lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm	
D7450 - Removal of benign odontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm	
D7451 - Removal of benign odontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm	
D7460 - Removal of benign nonodontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter up to 1.25 cm	
D7461 - Removal of benign nonodontogenic cyst or tumor - lesion diameter greater than 1.25 cm	
The following services are covered when preformed in a dental setting. When services performed in a medical setting services are covered under your medical coverage.	50%
Covered when medically necessary	
D7465 - Destruction of lesion(s) by physical or chemical method, by report	
D7490 - Radical resection of maxilla or mandible	
The following services are limited to 1 per quadrant per lifetime.	20%
D7471 - removal of lateral exostosis (maxilla or mandible)	
D7472 - Removal of torus palatinus	
D7473 - Removal of torus	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
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mandibularis	
D7485 - Surgical reduction of osseous tuberosity	
D7510 - Incision and drainage of abscess - intraoral soft tissue	
D7511 - Incision and drainage of abscess - intraoral soft tissue - complicated (includes drainage of multiple fascial spaces)	
The following services are not subject to a frequency limit.	20%
D7520 - Incision and drainage of abscess - extraoral soft tissue	
D7521 - Incision and drainage of abscess - extraoral soft tissue - complicated (includes drainage of multiple fascial spaces)	
The following services are limited to 1 per quadrant per visit.	20%
D7530 - Removal of foreign body from mucosa, skin, or subcutaneous alveolar tissue	
D7540 - Removal of reaction- producing foreign bodies - musculoskeletal system	
D7550 - Partial ostectomy/sequestrectomy for removal of non-vital bone	
D7560 - Maxillary sinusotomy for removal of tooth fragment or foreign body	
D7960 - Frenulectomy (frenectomy or frenotomy) - separate procedure	
D7963 - Frenuloplasty	
D7970 - Excision of hyperplastic tissue - per arch	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
D7972 - Surgical reduction of fibrous tuberosity	
D7997 - Appliance removal (not by dentist who placed appliance), includes removal of archbar	
The following services are covered when preformed in a dental setting. When services performed in a medical setting services are covered under your medical coverage. Covered when medically necessary	50%
D7610 - Maxilla - open reduction (teeth immobilized, if present)	
D7620 - Maxilla - closed reduction (teeth immobilized, if present)	
D7630 - Mandible - open reduction (teeth immobilized, if present)	
D7640 - Mandible - closed reduction (teeth immobilized, if present)	
D7650 - Malar and/or zygomatic arch - open reduction	
D7660 - Malar and/or zygomatic arch - closed reduction	
D7670 - Alveolus - closed reduction, may include stabilization of teeth	
D7671 - Alveolus - open reduction, may include stabilization of teeth	
D7680 - Facial bones - complicated reduction with fixation and multiple surgical approaches	
D7710 - Maxilla - open	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible
	Dental Expenses.
reduction	
D7720 - Maxilla - closed reduction	
D7730 - Mandible - open reduction	
D7740 - Mandible - closed reduction	
D7750 - Malar and/or zygomatic arch - open reduction	
D7760 - Malar and/or zygomatic arch - closed reduction	
D7770 - Alveolus, open reduction stabilization of teeth	
D7771 - Alveolus, closed reduction stabilization of teeth	
D7780 - Facial bones - complicated reduction with fixation and multiple surgical approaches	
D7810 - Open reduction of dislocation	
D7820 - Closed reduction of dislocation	
D7840 - Condylectomy	
D7850 - Surgical discectomy, with/without implant	
D7852 - Disc repair	
D7854 - Synovectomy	
D7856 - Myotomy	
D7858 - Joint reconstruction	
D7860 - Arthrotomy	
D7865 - Arthroplasty	
D7870 - Arthrocentesis	
D7872 - Arthroscopy - diagnosis, with or without biopsy	
D7873 - Arthroscopy - surgical:	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
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lavage and lysis of adhesions	
D7874 - Arthroscopy - surgical: disc repositioning and stabilization	
D7875 - Arthroscopy - surgical: synovectomy	
D7876 - Arthroscopy - surgical: discectomy	
D7877 - Arthroscopy - surgical: debridement	
D7880 - Occlusal orthotic device, by report	
D7911 - Complicated suture - up to 5 cm	
D7912 - Complicated suture - greater than 5 cm	
D7920 - Skin graft (identify defect covered, location and type of graft)	
D7940 - Osteoplasty - for orthognathic deformities	
D7941 - Osteotomy - mandibular rami	
D7943 - Osteotomy - mandibular rami with bone graft; includes obtaining the graft	
D7944 - Osteotomy - segmented or subapical - per sextant or quadrant	
D7945 - Osteotomy - body of mandible	
D7946 - LeFort I (maxilla - total)	
D7947 - LeFort I (maxilla - segmented)	
D7948 - LeFort II or LeFort III (osteoplasty of facial bones for midface hypoplasia or retrusion)-without bone graft	
D7949 - LeFort II or LeFort III -	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
with bone graft	
D7950 - Osseous, osteoperiosteal, or cartilage graft of the mandible or maxilla - autogenous or nonautogenous, by report	
D7951 - Sinus augmentation with bone or bone substitutes	
D7952 - Sinus augmentation via a vertical approach	
D7955 - Repair of maxillofacial soft and/or hard tissue defect	
D7980 - Sialolithotomy	
D7981 - Excision of salivary gland, by report	
D7982 - Sialodochoplasty	
D7983 - Closure of salivary fistula	
D7990 - Emergency tracheotomy	
D7991 - Coronoidectomy	
D7995 - Synthetic graft - mandible or facial bones, by report	
D7997 - Appliance removal (not by dentist who placed appliance), includes removal of archbar	
D9410 - House/extended care facility call	
D9420 - Hospital call	
D9440 - Office visit for observation (during regularly scheduled hours) - no other services performed	
The following service is limited to 1 per site every 36 months.	20%
D7971 - Excision of pericoronal gingiva	

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.	
Adjunctive Services		
The following services are 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%	
D9110 - Palliative (Emergency) treatment of dental pain - minor procedure		
D9120 - Fixed partial denture sectioning		
D9210 - Local anesthesia not in conjunction with operative or surgical procedures		
Covered only when clinically Necessary.	20%	
D9220 - Deep sedation/general anesthesia first 30 minutes		
D9221 - Dental sedation/general anesthesia each additional 15 minutes		
D9230 - Inhalation of nitrous oxide/analgesia, anxiolysis		
D9241 - Intravenous conscious sedation/analgesia - first 30 minutes		
D9242 - Intravenous conscious sedation/analgesia - each additional 15 minutes		
D9248 - Non-intravenous moderate (conscious) sedation		
D9430 - Office visit for observation (during regularly scheduled hours) - no other services performed		
D9610 - Therapeutic drug injection, single by report		
D9612 - Therapeutic parenteral		

Benefit Description and	Benefits	
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.	
drugs - two or more		
D9910 - Application of desensitizing medicament		
D9930 - Treatment of complications (post-surgical) - unusual circumstances, by report		
The following services are limited to 1 per quadrant every 12 months.	20%	
D9950 - Occlusion analysis - mounted case		
D9951 - Occlusal adjustment - limited		
D9952 - Occlusal adjustment - complete		
Implant Procedures		
The following services are limited to one time every 60 months.	50%	
D6010 - Endosteal implant		
D6040 - Eposteal Implant		
D6050 - Transosteal implant, including hardware		
D6051 - Interim abutment		
D6053 - Implant supported complete denture		
D6054 - Implant supported partial denture		
D6055 - Connecting bar implant or abutment supported		
D6056 - Prefabricated abutment		
D6057 - Custom abutment - includes placement		
D6058 - Abutment supported porcelain ceramic crown		
D6059 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to high noble		

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Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
metal	
D6060 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to predominately base metal crown	
D6061 - Abutment supported porcelain fused to noble metal crown	
D6062 - Abutment supported cast high noble metal crown	
D6063 - Abutment supported case predominately base metal crown	
D6064 - Abutment supported porcelain/ceramic crown	
D6065 - Implant supported porcelain/ceramic crown	
D6066 - Implant supported porcelain fused to high metal crown	
D6067 - Implant supported metal crown	
D6068 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain/ceramic fixed partial denture	
D6069 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain fused to high noble metal fixed partial denture	
D6070 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain fused to predominately base metal fixed partial denture	
D6071 - Abutment supported retainer for porcelain fused to noble metal fixed partial denture	
D6072 - Abutment supported retainer for cast high noble metal fixed partial denture	
D6073 - Abutment supported retainer for predominately base	

Benefit Description and	Benefits
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
	Dental Expenses.
metal fixed partial denture	
D6074 - Abutment supported retainer for cast metal fixed partial denture	
D6075 - Implant supported retainer for ceramic fixed partial denture	
D6076 - Implant supported retainer for porcelain fused to high noble metal fixed partial denture	
D6077 - Implant supported retainer for cast metal fixed partial denture	
D6078 - Implant/abutment supported fixed partial denture for completely edentulous arch	
D6079 - Implant/abutment supported fixed partial denture for partially edentulous arch	
D6080 - Implant maintenance procedure	
D6090 - Repair implant prosthesis	
D6091 - Replacement of semi- precision or precision attachment	
D6094 - Abutment supported crown (titanium)	
D6095 - Repair implant abutment	
D6190 - Implant index	
D6194 - Abutment supported retainer crown for FPD - (titanium)	
The following services are limited to one time every 60 months and not covered if preformed within the first 12 months of placement.	50%
D6092 - Re-cement or re-bond	

Benefit Description and Limitations	Benefits  The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.
implant/abutment supported crown	
D6093 - Re-cement or re-bond implant/abutment supported fixed partial denture	
The following service is not subject to a frequency limit.  D6100 - Implant removal	50%

#### MEDICALLY NECESSARY ORTHODONTICS

Benefits for comprehensive orthodontic treatment are approved by us, only in those instances that are related to an identifiable syndrome such as cleft lip and or palate, Crouzon's syndrome, Treacher-Collins syndrome, Pierre-Robin syndrome, hemi-facial atrophy, hemi-facial hypertrophy; or other severe craniofacial deformities which result in a physically handicapping malocclusion as determined by our dental consultants. Benefits are not available for comprehensive orthodontic treatment for crowded dentitions (crooked teeth), excessive spacing between teeth, temporomandibular joint (TMJ) conditions and/or having horizontal/vertical (overjet/overbite) discrepancies.

All orthodontic treatment must be prior authorized.

Benefits will be paid in equal monthly installments over the course of the entire orthodontic treatment plan, starting on the date that the orthodontic bands or appliances are first placed, or on the date a one-step orthodontic procedure is performed.

Services or supplies furnished by a Dental Provider in order to diagnose or correct misalignment of the teeth or the bit. Benefits are available only when the service or supply is determined to be medically Necessary.

The following services are not subject to a frequency limitation as long as benefits have been prior authorized.	50%
D8080 - Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the adolescent dentition	
D8090 - Comprehensive orthodontic treatment of the adult dentition	
D8210 - Removable appliance therapy	
D8220 - Fixed appliance therapy	
D8660 - Pre-orthodontic treatment visit	
D8670 - Periodic orthodontic	

Benefit Description and	Benefits	
Limitations	The amount you pay is shown as a percentage of Eligible Dental Expenses.	
treatment visit		
D8680 - Orthodontic retention		
D8691 - Repair of orthodontic appliance		
D8692 - Replacement of lost or broken retainer		
D8693 - Re-cement or re- bonding or re-cementing of fixed retainers		

## **Pediatric Vision Care Services Schedule of Benefits**

Benefits are available for pediatric Vision Care Services from a Spectera Eyecare Networks Vision Care Provider. To find a Spectera Eyecare Networks Vision Care Provider, you may call the provider locator service at 1-800-839-3242. You may also access a listing of Spectera Eyecare Networks Vision Care Providers on the Internet at www.myuhcvision.com.

Benefits are not available for Vision Care Services that are not provided by a Spectera Eyecare Network Vision Care Provider.

When obtaining these Vision Care Services from a Spectera Eyecare Networks Vision Care Provider, you may be required to pay a Copayment at the time of service.

### 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-Pocket Maximum** - Any amount you pay in Copayments for Vision Care Services under this Schedule of Benefits applies to the Out-of-Pocket Maximum stated in the medical Schedule of Benefits.

#### **Annual Deductible**

Benefits for pediatric Vision Care Services provided under this *Schedule of Benefits* are not subject to any Annual Deductible stated in the medical *Schedule of Benefits*.

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 Copayments stated under each Vision Care Service in the *Schedule of Benefits* below.

Vision Care Service	Frequency of Service	Benefit
		(The Amount You Pay)
Routine Ophthalmologic Exam with Refraction (including dilation, if professionally indicated).	Once every calendar year.	No charge

Vision Care Service	Frequency of Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay)
Eyeglass Lenses	One pair every calendar year.	
Single Vision		20%
• Bifocal		20%

Trifocal	20%
Lenticular	20%
Polycarbonate     Lenses	No charge
Standard Scratch- Resistant Coating	No charge
Blended Segment     Lenses	20%
Intermediate Vision     Lenses	20%
Progressive Lenses  Standard Premium Select Ultra	20%
Photochromic Glass     Lenses	20%
Plastic     Photosensitive     Lenses	20%
Polarized Lenses	20%
Hi-Index Lenses	20%
Anti-Reflective Coating	
<ul><li>Standard</li><li>Premium</li><li>Ultra</li></ul>	20%
Ultra Violet Coating	20%

Vision Care Service	Frequency of Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay)
Eyeglass Frames	One pair per calendar year.	20%

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Contact Lenses (in lieu of eyeglasses)		
Benefits include the fitting/evaluation fees, contacts and follow-up care.	One year supply.	
Covered Contact     Lens Selection		20%
Necessary Contact Lenses		20%

Vision Care Service	Frequency of Service	Benefit (The Amount You Pay)
Low Vision Services		
<ul> <li>Low Vision         Comprehensive         Evaluation     </li> </ul>	Once every 24 months.	No charge
Low Vision Follow- Up Care	Four visits in any 5 year period.	25%
<ul> <li>Low vision aid such as high-power spectacles, magnifiers and telescopes</li> </ul>	Once every 12 months.	25%

## **Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits**

## **Benefits for Prescription Drug Products**

Benefits are available for Prescription Drug Products at a Network Pharmacy and are subject to Copayments and/or Coinsurance or other payments that vary depending on which of the tiers of the Prescription Drug List the Prescription Drug Product is listed.

Benefits are provided only when the Prescription Order or Refill has been issued by a Network Physician or other Network provider.

Benefits for Prescription Drug Products are available when the Prescription Drug Product meets the definition of a Covered Health Service or is prescribed to prevent conception. Benefits include:

- Prescription Drug Products prescribed to prevention conception include, but are not limited to, diaphragms, cervical caps, contraceptive rings, contraceptive patches, and oral contraceptives (including emergency contraceptive pills).
- FDA-approved over-the-counter contraceptives for women when prescribed by a Network Physician include, but are not limited to, female condoms, emergency contraceptives (Next Choice TM, Next Choice One-Dose TM, Plan B One-Step®), and contraceptive film, foam and gel.
- Disposable devices which are Medically Necessary for the administration of a covered outpatient Prescription Drug Product, including but not limited to:
  - Disposable needles and syringes needed for injecting Prescription Drug Products.
  - Inhaler spacers need to inhale Prescription Drug Products.
- Benefits for drugs prescribed for the treatment of sexual dysfunction disorders.
- Benefits for drugs prescribed to treat HIV/AIDS, including some single-tablet drug regimens, as mandated by California state law.

### **Benefits for Oral Chemotherapeutic Agents**

Oral chemotherapeutic agent Prescription Drug Products will be provided at a level no less favorable than chemotherapeutic agents are provided under *Pharmaceutical Products – Outpatient* in your Certificate of Coverage, regardless of tier placement. For oral chemotherapeutic agents on any Tier, the total amount of Copayments and/or Coinsurance shall not exceed \$200 for an individual prescription of up to a 30-day supply.

## If a Brand-name Drug Becomes Available as a Generic

If a Generic becomes available for a Brand-name Prescription Drug Product, the tier placement of the Brand-name Prescription Drug Product may change, and therefore your Copayment and/or Coinsurance may change. You will pay the Copayment and/or Coinsurance applicable for the tier to which the Prescription Drug Product is assigned.

Benefits are provided only when the Prescription Order or Refill has been issued by a Network Physician or other Network provider.

## **Supply Limits**

Benefits for Prescription Drug Products are subject to the supply limits that are stated in the "Description and Supply Limits" column of the Benefit Information table. For a single Copayment and/or Coinsurance, you may receive a Prescription Drug Product up to the stated supply limit.

You may determine whether a Prescription Drug Product has been assigned a supply limit for dispensing through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

## **Prior Authorization Requirements**

Some Prescription Drug Products require prior authorization. You may determine whether a particular Prescription Drug Product requires prior authorization through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

Before certain Prescription Drug Products are dispensed to you, either 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 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 Physician.

If you are taking a Prescription Drug Product that is removed from the Prescription Drug List (PDL) 34and the prescribing provider continues to prescribe the Prescription Drug Product for your medical condition, we will continue to cover the Prescription Drug Product provided that the drug is appropriately prescribed and is considered safe and effective for treating your medical condition.

If a contraceptive listed on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) is not available, or is deemed medically inadvisable by the Covered Person's provider, we will provide coverage for a contraceptive that is not listed on the PDL without cost sharing.

A Covered Person or his/her provider may request an exception to the supply limits for Prescription Drug Products. We will provide coverage for the Medically Necessary dosage and quantity of the Prescription Drug Product prescribed for the treatment of a medical condition consistent with professionally recognized standards of practice.

#### **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.

Most authorizations are completed within 24 hours. If required, a further clinical review will be completed in 72 hours of receipt of the request. In the event that the prior authorization request is disapproved by us, the notice of disapproval will contain an accurate and clear written explanation of the specific reasons for disapproving the prior authorization request.

In cases involving Prescription Drug Products for appropriately prescribed pain management medications for terminally ill patients, we will approve or deny the prescribing provider's request in a timely fashion, appropriate for the nature of the Covered Person's condition, not to exceed 72 hours of our receipt of the information requested by us. If the request is denied or additional information is required, we will contact the prescribing provider within one working day of the decision, with an explanation of the reason for the denial or the need for additional information. The requested treatment will be deemed authorized as of the expiration of the applicable timeframe.

Prescription Drug Products not included on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) may be generic or brand name drugs and require prior authorization. Your prescribing provider must obtain prior authorization from us for drugs that are not included on the Prescription Drug List (PDL). Prescription Drug Products not included on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) will be covered when Medically Necessary unless otherwise excluded by us as described in *Section 12: Outpatient Prescription Drug Services* of the *Certificate*. If

your prescribing provider does not obtain authorization for drugs not on the Prescription Drug List (PDL), they will not be covered.

The process for the Covered Person, the Covered Person's designee, or the Covered Person's prescribing provider to request a standard review of a decision that a Prescription Drug Product is not included on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) is as follows:

- In the case of a standard exception request, we will notify the Covered Person or the Covered Person's designee or the Covered Person's prescribing provider of the Benefit determination no later than 72 hours following receipt of the request. When we grant a standard exception request, we will provide coverage of the Prescription Drug Product for the duration of the prescription, including refills.
- In the case of an expedited exception request based on exigent circumstances, we will notify the Covered Person or the Covered Person's designee or the Covered Person's prescribing provider of the Benefit determination no later than 24 hours following receipt of the request. When we grant an exception based on exigent circumstances, we will provide coverage of the Prescription Drug Product (including refills) for the duration of the exigency. Exigent circumstances exist when a Covered Person is suffering from a health condition that may seriously jeopardize the Covered Person's life, health, or ability to regain maximum function or when the Covered Person is undergoing a current course of treatment using a Prescription Drug Product that is not on the Prescription Drug List (PDL).
- **External exception request review.** If we deny a request for a standard exception or for an expedited exception, the Covered Person, the Covered Person's designee, or the Covered Person's prescribing provider may request that the original exception request and subsequent denial of such request be reviewed by an independent review organization. A denial of a request for an exception is subject to Independent Medical Review (IMR). The IMR process is described under Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals. The Independent Medical Review Organization will make a determination on the external exception request and notify the Covered Person or the Covered Person's designee and the prescribing provider of the Benefit determination no later than 72 hours following receipt of the request, if the original request was a standard exception, and no later than 24 hours following its receipt of the request, if the original request was an expedited exception request. If the Independent Medical Review Organization grants an external exception review of a standard exception request, we will provide coverage of the Prescription Drug Product that is not on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) for the duration of the prescription. If the Independent Medical Review Organization grants an external exception review of an expedited exception request, we will provide coverage of the Prescription Drug Product that is not on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) for the duration of the exigency.

The Prescription Drug Products requiring prior authorization are subject to our periodic review and modification. There may be certain Prescription Drug Products that require you to notify us directly rather than your Physician or pharmacist. You may determine whether a particular Prescription Drug Product requires prior authorization through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

Certain Prescription Drug Products may require authorization prior to dispensing or may not be covered. If you do not obtain prior authorization from us before the Prescription Drug Product is dispensed, you will be required to pay for the Prescription Drug Product at the pharmacy. You may seek reimbursement from us as described in the *Certificate of Coverage (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 obtain prior authorization from us before the Prescription Drug Product was dispensed. The amount you are reimbursed will be based on the Prescription Drug Charge, less the required Copayment and/or Coinsurance, Ancillary Charge and any deductible that applies.

Benefits may not be available if the Prescription Drug Product is not a Covered Health Service or it is an Experimental or Investigational or Unproven Service. You can request an appeal of a denial of Benefits.

We may also require prior authorization for certain programs which may have specific requirements for participation and/or activation of an enhanced level of Benefits associated with such programs. You may access information on available programs and any applicable prior authorization, participation or activation requirements associated with such programs through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

If the Covered Person is changing policies, we will not require the Covered Person to repeat step therapy when the Covered Person is already being treated for a medical condition by a Prescription Drug Product provided the Prescription Drug Product is appropriately prescribed and considered safe and effective for the Covered Person's medical condition. However, we may impose a prior authorization requirement for the continued coverage of a Prescription Drug Product prescribed pursuant to step therapy requirements imposed by the former policy. The prescribing provider may also prescribe another Prescription Drug Product covered under this Policy that is medically appropriate for the Covered Person's medical condition.

You may determine whether a particular Prescription Drug Product or Pharmaceutical Product is subject to step therapy requirements through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

A request for an extension to the step therapy requirements may be submitted in the same manner as a request for prior authorization for Prescription Drug Products as described in *Prior Authorization Requirements* of this *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits*.

## **Step Therapy**

Certain Prescription Drug Products for which Benefits are described under this Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits or Pharmaceutical Products for which Benefits are described in your *Certificate* are subject to step therapy requirements.

Step therapy is a process whereby Prescription Drug Products or Pharmaceutical Products are filled with an effective, but more affordable medication. When appropriate, a more costly medication can be authorized if the Prescription Drug Product or Pharmaceutical Product is not effective in treating the Covered Person's condition. Step therapy is designed to encourage the use of cost-effective Prescription Drug Products or Pharmaceutical Products when appropriate.

If the Covered Person's Physician determines that a Prescription Drug Product or Pharmaceutical Product subject to the step therapy requirements is not medically appropriate or is not satisfactorily treating the Covered Person's condition, the Physician can request an exception to the step therapy process by contacting us at www.unitedhealthcareonline.com.

If the Covered Person is changing policies, we will not require the Covered Person to repeat step therapy when the Covered Person is already being treated for a medical condition by a Prescription Drug Product provided the Prescription Drug Product is appropriately prescribed and considered safe and effective for the Covered Person's medical condition. However, we may impose a prior authorization requirement for the continued coverage of a Prescription Drug Product prescribed pursuant to step therapy requirements imposed by the former policy. The prescribing provider may also prescribe another Prescription Drug Product covered under this Policy that is medically appropriate for the Covered Person's medical condition.

You may determine whether a particular Prescription Drug Product or Pharmaceutical Product is subject to step therapy requirements through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card.

A request for an exception to the step therapy requirements may be submitted in the same manner as a request for prior authorization for Prescription Drug Products as described in *Prior Authorization Requirements* of this *Outpatient Prescription Drug Schedule of Benefits*.

## What You Must Pay

You are not responsible for paying the Annual Deductible stated in the medical *Schedule of Benefits* before Benefits for Prescription Drug Products are available to you.

You are responsible for paying the applicable Copayment and/or Coinsurance described in the Benefit Information table, in addition to any Ancillary Charge. You are not responsible for paying a Copayment and/or Coinsurance for Preventive Care 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 Annual Deductible or Out-of-Pocket Drug Maximum.

The amount you pay for any of the following under this *Schedule of Benefits* will not be included in calculating any Out-of-Pocket Maximum stated in your *Certificate*:

- Ancillary Charges.
- 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 and our contracted rates (our Prescription Drug Charge) will not be available to you.
- Any amount you pay for Prescription Drug Products for Infertility that exceeds the Infertility Maximum Policy Benefit.

# **Payment Information**

Payment Term And Description	Amounts	
Infertility Maximum Policy Benefit		
The maximum amount we will pay for covered Prescription Drug Products for Infertility during the entire period of time you are enrolled for coverage under the Policy.	\$2,000 per Covered Person.	
Copayment and Coinsurance		
Copayment	For Prescription Drug Products at a retail Network Pharmacy, you are	
Copayment for a Prescription Drug Product at a Network Pharmacy is a	responsible for paying the lowest of the following:  The applicable Copayment and/or Coinsurance.	
specific dollar amount.  Coinsurance	The Network Pharmacy's Usual and Customary Charge for the Prescription Drug Product.	
Coinsurance for a Prescription Drug	The Prescription Drug Charge for that Prescription Drug Product.	
Product at a Network Pharmacy is a percentage of the Prescription Drug Charge.	For Prescription Drug Products from a mail order Network Pharmacy, you are responsible for paying the lower of the following:	
Copayment and Coinsurance	The applicable Copayment and/or Coinsurance.	
Your Copayment and/or Coinsurance is	The Prescription Drug Charge for that Prescription Drug Product.	
determined by the tier to which the Prescription Drug List (PDL)	See the Copayments and/or Coinsurance stated in the Benefit Information table for amounts.	
Management Committee has assigned a Prescription Drug Product.	You are not responsible for paying a Copayment and/or Coinsurance for Preventive Care Medications.	
NOTE: The tier status of a Prescription Drug Product can change periodically, generally quarterly but no more than six times per calendar year, based on the Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee's periodic tiering decisions. When that occurs, you may pay more or less for a Prescription Drug Product, depending on its tier assignment. Please access www.myuhc.com through the Internet or call Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card for the most upto-date tier status.	You are not responsible for paying a Copayment and/or Coinsurance for FDA-approved over-the-counter contraceptives for women as described under Benefits for <i>Prescription Drug Products</i> above.	

#### **Benefit Information Benefit (The Amount You Pay) Description and Supply Limits Specialty Prescription Drug Products** The following supply limits apply. Your Copayment and/or Coinsurance is determined by the tier to which the Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee has assigned As written by the provider, up to a the Specialty Prescription Drug Product. All Specialty Prescription Drug consecutive 31-day supply of a Products on the Prescription Drug List are assigned to Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier Specialty Prescription Drug 3 or Tier 4. Please access www.myuhc.com through the Internet or call Product, unless adjusted based Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card to determine on the drug manufacturer's tier status. packaging size, or based on For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product: \$10 Copayment per Prescription supply limits. Order or Refill. When a Specialty Prescription Drug Product is packaged or designed to For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$30 Copayment per Prescription deliver in a manner that provides more Order or Refill. than a consecutive 31-day supply, the For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$60 Copayment per Prescription Copayment and/or Coinsurance that Order or Refill. applies will reflect the number of days dispensed. For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: 25% of the Prescription Drug Charge up to \$250 per Prescription Order or Refill. If a Specialty Prescription Drug Product is provided for less than or more than a For oral chemotherapeutic agents on any Tier, the total amount of 31-day supply, the Copayment and/or Copayments and/or Coinsurance shall not exceed \$200 for an individual Coinsurance that applies will reflect the prescription of up to a 30-day supply. number of days dispensed. 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 through the Internet at www.myuhc.com or by calling Customer Care at 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 Copayment and/or 2 times the Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy Coinsurance (up to 50% of the

applicable Tier.

Prescription Drug Charge) based on the

Description and Supply Limits	Benefit (The Amount You Pay)
Supply limits apply to Specialty Prescription Drug Products obtained at a Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, a Non-Preferred Specialty Network Pharmacy, a non-Network Pharmacy, a mail order Network Pharmacy or a Designated Pharmacy	
Prescription Drugs from a Retail Network Pharmacy	
<ul> <li>As written by the provider, up to a consecutive 31-day supply of a Prescription Drug Product, unless adjusted based on the drug manufacturer's packaging size, or based on supply limits.</li> <li>A one-cycle supply of a contraceptive. You may obtain up to three cycles at one time if you pay a Copayment and/or Coinsurance for each cycle supplied. You are not responsible for paying a Copayment and/or Coinsurance for Prescription Drug Products prescribed to prevent conception that are considered Preventive Care Medications.</li> <li>If you disagree with a coverage determination, you can request an appeal. The complaint and appeals process is described under Section 6: Questions, Complaints and Appeals in the Certificate of Coverage. You may also call Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card.</li> <li>When a Prescription Drug Product is packaged or designed to deliver in a manner that provides more than a consecutive 31-day supply, the</li> <li>Copayment and/or Coinsurance that applies will reflect the number of days.</li> </ul>	Your Copayment and/or Coinsurance is determined by the tier to which the Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee has assigned the Prescription Drug Product. All Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription Drug List are assigned to Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3 or Tier 4. Please access www.myuhc.com through the Internet or call Customer Care at the telephone number on your ID card to determine tier status. For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product: \$10 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.  For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$30 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.  For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$60 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.  For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: 25% of the Prescription Drug Charge up to \$250 per Prescription Order or Refill.
applies will reflect the number of days dispensed.  Prescription Drug Products from a	
Mail Order Network Pharmacy	
The following supply limits apply	Your Copayment and/or Coinsurance is determined by the tier to which

### **Description and Supply Limits**

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 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 an initial Prescription Drug Product order and obtain 2 refills through a retail pharmacy prior to 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 mail order Copayment and/or Coinsurance for any Prescription Orders or Refills sent to the mail order pharmacy regardless of the number-of-days' supply written on the Prescription Order or Refill. Be sure your Physician writes your Prescription Order or Refill for a 90-day supply, not a 30-day supply with three refills.

### **Benefit (The Amount You Pay)**

the Prescription Drug List (PDL) Management Committee has assigned the Prescription Drug Product. All Prescription Drug Products on the Prescription Drug List are assigned to Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3 or Tier 4. Please access www.myuhc.com through the Internet or call *Customer Care* at the telephone number on your ID card to determine tier status.

For up to a 90-day supply, you pay:

For a Tier 1 Prescription Drug Product: \$25 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 2 Prescription Drug Product: \$75 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 3 Prescription Drug Product: \$150 Copayment per Prescription Order or Refill.

For a Tier 4 Prescription Drug Product: 25% of the Prescription Drug Charge up to \$625 per Prescription Order or Refill.