




The Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) document will help you choose a health [plan](#). The SBC shows you how you and the [plan](#) would share the cost for covered health care services. **NOTE: Information about the cost of this [plan](#) (called the [premium](#)) will be provided separately.**

This is only a summary. For more information about your coverage, or to get a copy of the complete terms of coverage, go to www.bsny.com or call [1-800-888-1238](tel:1-800-888-1238). For general definitions of common terms, such as [allowed amount](#), [balance billing](#), [coinsurance](#), [copayment](#), [deductible](#), [provider](#), or other underlined terms see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/pdf/SBCUniformGlossary.pdf> or call 1-888-249-2583 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible ?	In-network providers: None Out-of-Network providers: \$250/Individual and \$500/Family	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family members on the plan , each family member must meet their own individual deductible until the total amount of deductible expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family deductible .
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible ?	Yes. Preventive services are not subject to the deductible .	This plan covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the deductible amount. But a copayment or coinsurance may apply.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No	You don't have to meet deductibles for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan ?	For network providers \$4,500 individual / \$9,000 family; for out-of-network providers \$2,500 individual / \$5,000 family	If you have other family members in this plan, they have to meet their own out-of-pocket limits until the overall family out-of-pocket limit has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit ?	Premiums , balance-billing charges, and health care this plan doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit .
Will you pay less if you use a network provider ?	Yes. See www.bsny.com or call 1-800-888-1238 for a list of network providers .	This plan uses a provider network . You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network . You will pay the most if you use an out-of-network provider , and you might receive a bill from a provider for the difference between the provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). Be aware, your network provider might use an out-of-network provider for some services (such as lab work). Check with your provider before you get services.
Do you need a referral to see a specialist ?	No	You can see the in-network specialist you choose without permission from this plan.

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If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	\$10 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	None
	Specialist visit	\$10 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	None
	Preventive care/screening/immunization	No charge	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required on certain procedures. Call the number on the back of your id card for details.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required on certain procedures. Call the number on the back of your id card for details.
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If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.bsny.com	Generic drugs (Tier 1)	Not covered	Not covered	
	Preferred brand drugs (Tier 2)	Not covered	Not covered	
	Non-preferred brand drugs (Tier 3)	Not covered	Not covered	
	Specialty drugs (Tier 4)	Not covered	Not covered	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required on certain procedures. Call the number on the back of your id card for details.
	Physician/surgeon fees	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$35 copay / visit	\$35 copay / visit	None
	Emergency medical transportation	\$0 copay / visit	\$0 copay / visit	
	Urgent care	\$10 copay / visit	\$10 copay / visit	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required
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	Inpatient services	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required on certain procedures. Call the number on the back of your id card for details.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	None
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	See comments	20% coinsurance	\$10 Cost-share applied to initial visit for physician fee or maternity care; additional services will take a cost share as required.
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	None
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	\$10 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	100 aggregate visits per year; does not include home infusion therapy.
	Rehabilitation services	\$10 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	60 combined rehabilitative PT/OT/ST visits per person, per year.
	Habilitation services	\$10 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	60 combined habilitative PT/OT/ST visits per person, per year.
	Skilled nursing care	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	120 days per year
	Durable medical equipment	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	Prior authorization required on certain procedures. Call the number on the back of your id card for details.
	Hospice services	\$0 copay / visit	20% coinsurance	210 days
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	\$0 copay / visit	Not covered	Coverage limited to one exam/year. Discounts may apply.
	Children's glasses	Not covered	Not covered	
	Children's dental check-up	See limitations and exceptions	See limitations and exceptions	Contact your group administrator for details.

Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

Services Your [Plan](#) Generally Does NOT Cover (Check your policy or [plan](#) document for more information and a list of any other [excluded services](#).)

- Acupuncture
- Long Term Care
- Weight Loss Programs
- Cosmetic surgery
- Custodial Care
- Private Duty Nursing
- Dental (Adult)
- Hearing Aids
- Routine Foot Care

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

- Bariatric Surgery
- Infertility treatment
- Chiropractic Care
- Routine Eye Care (Adult)
- Elective Abortion
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.

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[Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwijigo holne' 1-888-249-2583.

—————*To see examples of how this plan might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.*—————

About these Coverage Examples:



This is not a cost estimator. Treatments shown are just examples of how this [plan](#) might cover medical care. Your actual costs will be different depending on the actual care you receive, the prices your [providers](#) charge, and many other factors. Focus on the [cost sharing](#) amounts ([deductibles](#), [copayments](#) and [coinsurance](#)) and [excluded services](#) under the [plan](#). Use this information to compare the portion of costs you might pay under different health [plans](#). Please note these coverage examples are based on self-only coverage.

Peg is having a Baby (9 months of in-network pre-natal care and a hospital delivery)	Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes (a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)	Mia's Simple Fracture (in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)
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<p>This EXAMPLE event includes services like: Specialist office visits (<i>prenatal care</i>) Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services Childbirth/Delivery Facility Services Diagnostic tests (<i>ultrasounds and blood work</i>) Specialist visit (<i>anesthesia</i>)</p>	<p>This EXAMPLE event includes services like: Primary care physician office visits (<i>including disease education</i>) Diagnostic tests (<i>blood work</i>) Prescription drugs Durable medical equipment (<i>glucose meter</i>)</p>	<p>This EXAMPLE event includes services like: Emergency room care (<i>including medical supplies</i>) Diagnostic test (<i>x-ray</i>) Durable medical equipment (<i>crutches</i>) Rehabilitation services (<i>physical therapy</i>)</p>
Total Example Cost \$7,540	Total Example Cost \$5,400	Total Example Cost \$1,925
In this example, Peg would pay:	In this example, Joe would pay:	In this example, Mia would pay:
<i>Cost Sharing</i>	<i>Cost Sharing</i>	<i>Cost Sharing</i>
Deductibles \$0	Deductibles* \$0	Deductibles* \$0
Copayments \$10	Copayments \$100	Copayments \$85
Coinsurance \$0	Coinsurance \$0	Coinsurance \$0
<i>What isn't covered</i>	<i>What isn't covered</i>	<i>What isn't covered</i>
Limits or exclusions \$350	Limits or exclusions \$2,980	Limits or exclusions \$0
The total Peg would pay is \$360	The total Joe would pay is \$3,080	The total Mia would pay is \$85

Note: These numbers assume the patient does not participate in the [plan's](#) wellness program. If you participate in the [plan's](#) wellness program, you may be able to reduce your costs. For more information about the wellness program, please contact www.bsneny.com or call [1-800-888-1238](tel:1-800-888-1238). *Note: This plan has other [deductibles](#) for specific services included in this coverage example. See "Are there other deductibles for specific services?" row above.

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Για βοήθεια στα ελληνικά, καλέστε το τμήμα εξυπηρέτησης πελατών στον αριθμό που αναφέρεται στην ταυτότητά σας.

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