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Summary of Benefits

City of Riverside Effective January 1, 2024 HMO Plan

Access+ HMO Network

Custom Access+ HMO Facility Deductible 40-40%/5800

This Summary of Benefits shows the amount you will pay for Covered Services under this Blue Shield of California Plan. It is only a summary and it is included as part of the Evidence of Coverage (EOC).¹ Please read both documents carefully for details.

Medical Provider Network:

This Plan uses a specific network of Health Care Providers, called the Access+ HMO provider network. Medical Groups, Independent Practice Associations (IPAs), and Physicians in this network are called Participating Providers. You must select a Primary Care Physician from this network to provide your primary care and help you access services, but there are some exceptions. Please review your Evidence of Coverage for details about how to access care under this Plan. You can find Participating Providers in this network at blueshieldca.com.

Calendar Year Deductibles (CYD)²

A Calendar Year Deductible (CYD) is the amount a Member pays each Calendar Year before Blue Shield pays for Covered Services under the Plan. Blue Shield pays for some Covered Services before the Calendar Year Deductible is met, as noted in the Benefits chart below.

	When using a Participating Provider ³
Individual coverage	\$5,800
Family coverage	\$5,800: individual
	\$11,600: Family
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Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum⁴

An Out-of-Pocket Maximum is the most a Member will pay for Covered Services each Calendar Year. Any exceptions are listed in the EOC.

	When using a Participating Provider ³
Individual coverage	\$6,450
Family coverage	\$6,450: individual
	\$12,900: Family

No Annual or Lifetime Dollar Limit

Under this Plan there is no annual or lifetime dollar limit on the amount Blue Shield will pay for Covered Services.

Benefits ⁵	Your payment	Your payment	
	When using a Participating Provider ³	CYD ² applies	
Preventive Health Services ⁶			
Preventive Health Services	\$O		
California Prenatal Screening Program	\$O		
Physician services			
Primary care office visit	\$40/visit		
Access+ specialist care office visit (self-referral)	\$50/visit		
Other specialist care office visit (referred by PCP)	\$40/visit		
Physician home visit	\$40/visit		
Physician or surgeon services in an Outpatient Facility	\$O		
Physician or surgeon services in an inpatient facility	\$O		
Other professional services			
Other practitioner office visit	\$40/visit		
Includes nurse practitioners, physician assistants, therapists, and podiatrists.			
Teladoc consultation	\$0		
Family planning			
Counseling, consulting, and education	\$0		
 Injectable contraceptive, diaphragm fitting, intrauterine device (IUD), implantable contraceptive, and related procedure. 	\$0		
Tubal ligation	\$0		
• Vasectomy	\$0		
Medical nutrition therapy, not related to diabetes	\$O		
Pregnancy and maternity care			
Physician office visits: prenatal and postnatal	\$O		
Abortion and abortion-related services	\$0		
Emergency Services			
Emergency room services	\$250/visit plus 40%		
If admitted to the Hospital, this payment for emergency room services does not apply. Instead, you pay the Participating Provider payment under Inpatient facility services/ Hospital services and stay.			
Emergency room Physician services	\$0		

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	When using a Participating Provider ³	CYD ² applies
Urgent care center services	\$40/visit	
Ambulance services	\$100/transport	
This payment is for emergency or authorized transport.		
Outpatient Facility services		
Ambulatory Surgery Center	40%	~
Outpatient Department of a Hospital: surgery	40%	~
Outpatient Department of a Hospital: treatment of illness or injury, radiation therapy, chemotherapy, and necessary supplies	\$0	
Inpatient facility services		
Hospital services and stay	40%	~
Transplant services		
This payment is for all covered transplants except tissue and kidney. For tissue and kidney transplant services, the payment for Inpatient facility services/ Hospital services and stay applies.		
Special transplant facility inpatient services	40%	~
Physician inpatient services	\$O	
This payment is for Covered Services that are diagnostic, non- Preventive Health Services, and diagnostic radiological procedures. For the payments for Covered Services that are considered Preventive Health Services, see Preventive Health Services.		
Laboratory and pathology services		
Includes diagnostic Papanicolaou (Pap) test.		
Laboratory center	\$O	
Outpatient Department of a Hospital	\$O	
Basic imaging services		
Includes plain film X-rays, ultrasounds, and diagnostic mammography.		
Outpatient radiology center	\$O	
Outpatient Department of a Hospital	\$O	
Other outpatient non-invasive diagnostic testing		
Testing to diagnose illness or injury such as vestibular function tests, EKG, cardiac monitoring, non-invasive vascular studies, sleep medicine testing, muscle and range of motion tests, EEG, and EMG.		
Office location	\$O	
Outpatient Department of a Hospital	\$O	

	When using a Participating	CYD ²
	Provider ³	applie
Advanced imaging services		
Includes diagnostic radiological and nuclear imaging such as CT scans, MRIs, MRAs, and PET scans.		
Outpatient radiology center	\$O	
Outpatient Department of a Hospital	\$0	
Rehabilitative and Habilitative Services		
Includes physical therapy, occupational therapy, respiratory therapy, and speech therapy services.		
Office location	\$40/visit	
Outpatient Department of a Hospital	\$40/visit	
Durable medical equipment (DME)		
DME	50%	
Breast pump	\$O	
Orthotic equipment and devices	\$O	
Prosthetic equipment and devices	\$O	
Home health care services	\$40/visit	
Up to 100 visits per Member, per Calendar Year, by a home health care agency. All visits count towards the limit, including visits during any applicable Deductible period. Includes home visits by a nurse, Home Health Aide, medical social worker, physical therapist, speech therapist, or occupational therapist, and medical supplies.		
Home infusion and home injectable therapy services		
Home infusion agency services	\$O	
Includes home infusion drugs, medical supplies, and visits by a nurse.		
Hemophilia home infusion services	\$O	
Includes blood factor products.		
Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) services		
Up to 100 days per Member, per benefit period, except when provided as part of a Hospice program. All days count towards the limit, including days during any applicable Deductible period and days in different SNFs during the Calendar Year.		
Freestanding SNF	40%	~
Hospital-based SNF	40%	~
Hospice program services	\$0	
Includes pre-Hospice consultation, routine home care, 24-hour continuous home care, short-term inpatient care for pain and symptom management, and inpatient respite care.		

Benefits⁵

Your payment

	When using a Participating Provider ³	CYD ² applies
Other services and supplies		
Diabetes care services		
 Devices, equipment, and supplies 	20%	
Self-management training	\$40/visit	
Medical nutrition therapy	\$40/visit	
Dialysis services	\$0	
PKU product formulas and special food products	\$0	
Allergy serum billed separately from an office visit	50%	

Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Benefits

Your payment

Mental health and substance use disorder Benefits are provided through Blue Shield's Mental Health Service Administrator (MHSA).	When using a MHSA Participating Provider ³	CYD ² applies
Outpatient services		
Office visit, including Physician office visit	\$40/visit	
Teladoc mental health	\$O	
Other outpatient services, including intensive outpatient care, electroconvulsive therapy, transcranial magnetic stimulation, Behavioral Health Treatment for pervasive developmental disorder or autism in an office setting, home, or other non-institutional facility setting, and office-based opioid treatment	\$0	
Partial Hospitalization Program	\$O	
Psychological Testing	\$O	
npatient services		
Physician inpatient services	\$O	
Hospital services	40%	~
Residential Care	40%	~

Notes

1 Evidence of Coverage (EOC):

The Evidence of Coverage (EOC) describes the Benefits, limitations, and exclusions that apply to coverage under this Plan. Please review the EOC for more details of coverage outlined in this Summary of Benefits. You can request a copy of the EOC at any time.

<u>Capitalized terms are defined in the EOC.</u> Refer to the EOC for an explanation of the terms used in this Summary of Benefits.

2 Calendar Year Deductible (CYD):

<u>Calendar Year Deductible explained.</u> A Calendar Year Deductible is the amount you pay each Calendar Year before Blue Shield pays for Covered Services under the Plan.

If this Plan has any Calendar Year Deductible(s), Covered Services subject to that Deductible are identified with a check mark (•) in the Benefits chart above.

<u>Covered Services not subject to the Calendar Year medical Deductible.</u> Some Covered Services received from Participating Providers are paid by Blue Shield before you meet any Calendar Year medical Deductible. These Covered Services do not have a check mark (•) next to them in the "CYD applies" column in the Benefits chart above.

<u>Family coverage has an individual Deductible within the Family Deductible.</u> This means that the Deductible will be met for an individual with Family coverage who meets the individual Deductible prior to the Family meeting the Family Deductible within a Calendar Year.

3 Using Participating Providers:

<u>Participating Providers have a contract to provide health care services to Members.</u> When you receive Covered Services from a Participating Provider, you are only responsible for the Copayment or Coinsurance, once any Calendar Year Deductible has been met.

<u>Teladoc.</u> Teladoc mental health and substance use disorder consultations are provided through Teladoc. These services are not administered by Blue Shield's Mental Health Service Administrator (MHSA).

4 Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum (OOPM):

<u>Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum explained.</u> The Out-of-Pocket Maximum is the most you are required to pay for Covered Services in a Calendar Year. Once you reach your Out-of-Pocket Maximum, Blue Shield will pay 100% of the Allowed Charges for Covered Services for the rest of the Calendar Year.

<u>Your payment after you reach the Calendar Year OOPM.</u> You will continue to pay all charges for services that are not covered, charges above the Allowed Charges, and charges for services above any Benefit maximum.

<u>Any Deductibles count towards the OOPM.</u> Any amounts you pay that count towards the medical Deductible also count towards the Calendar Year Out-of-Pocket Maximum.

<u>Family coverage has an individual OOPM within the Family OOPM.</u> This means that the OOPM will be met for an individual with Family coverage who meets the individual OOPM prior to the Family meeting the Family OOPM within a Calendar Year.

5 Separate Member Payments When Multiple Covered Services are Received:

Each time you receive multiple Covered Services, you might have separate payments (Copayment or Coinsurance) for each service. When this happens, you may be responsible for multiple Copayments or Coinsurance. For example, you may owe an office visit payment in addition to an allergy serum payment when you visit the doctor for an allergy shot.

6 Preventive Health Services:

If you only receive Preventive Health Services during a Physician office visit, there is no Copayment or Coinsurance for the visit. If you receive both Preventive Health Services and other Covered Services during the Physician office visit, you may have a Copayment or Coinsurance for the visit.

Plans may be modified to ensure compliance with State and Federal requirements.

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