UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company

UHC Choice Plus POS Platinum 0 B

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What it Costs

Coverage Period: Based on group plan year
Coverage for: Employee/Family | **Plan Type:** POS

This is only a summary. If you want more detail about your coverage and costs, you can get the complete terms in the policy or plan document at **uhc.com/employer/small-business/shop/md** or by calling **1-877-856-2430.**

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	Network: **$0** Non-Network: **$1,000** Indiv **/ $2,000** Family Per calendar year. Does not apply to prescription drugs, services listed below as "No Charge" and copays except as noted below.	You must pay all the costs up to the **deductible** amount before this plan begins to pay for covered services you use. Check your policy or plan document to see when the **deductible** starts over (usually, but not always, January 1st). See the chart starting on page 2 for how much you pay for covered services after you meet the **deductible.**
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet **deductibles** for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an out-of-pocket limit on my expenses?	Yes, Network: **$5,000** Indiv **/ $10,000** Family Non-Network: **$6,000** Indiv **/ $12,000** Family	The **out-of-pocket limit** is the most you could pay during a coverage period (usually one year) for your share of the cost of covered services. This limit helps you plan for health care expenses.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit?	Premiums, balance-billed charges, health care this plan doesn't cover and penalties for failure to obtain pre-authorization for services.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the **out-of-pocket limit**.
Is there an overall annual limit on what the plan pays?	No.	The chart starting on page 2 describes any limits on what the plan will pay for *specific* covered services, such as office visits.
Does this plan use a network of providers?	Yes. For a list of **network providers**, see **uhc.com/find-a-physician/shopmdchoicepl-us** or call **1-877-856-2430.**	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care **provider**, this plan will pay some or all of the costs of covered services. Be aware, your in-network doctor or hospital may use an out-of-network **provider** for some services. Plans use the term in-network, **preferred**, or participating for **providers** in their **network**. See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of **providers**.
Do I need a referral to see a specialist?	No.	You can see the **specialist** you choose without permission from this plan.
Are there services this plan doesn't cover?	Yes.	Some of the services this plan doesn't cover are listed on page 5. See your policy or plan document for additional information about **excluded services**.

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- **Copayments** are fixed dollar amounts (for example, $15) you pay for covered health care, usually when you receive the service.
- **Coinsurance** is *your* share of the costs of a covered service, calculated as a percent of the **allowed amount** for the service. For example, if the plan's **allowed amount** for an overnight hospital stay is $1,000, your **coinsurance** payment of 20% would be $200. This may change if you haven't met your **deductible**.
- The amount the plan pays for covered services is based on the **allowed amount**. If an out-of-network **provider** charges more than the **allowed amount**, you may have to pay the difference. For example, if an out-of-network hospital charges $1,500 for an overnight stay and the **allowed amount** is $1,000, you may have to pay the $500 difference. (This is called **balance billing**.)
- This plan may encourage you to use network **providers** by charging you lower **deductibles**, **copayments** and **coinsurance** amounts.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	Your Cost If You Use a Network Provider	Your Cost If You Use a Non-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	$15 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Virtual visits (Telehealth) - $15 copay per visit by a Designated Virtual Network Provider. If you receive services in addition to office visit, additional copays, deductibles, or co-ins may apply.
	Specialist visit	$30 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	If you receive services in addition to office visit, additional copays, deductibles, or co-ins may apply.
	Other practitioner office visit	$15 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Cost Share applies for only Manipulative (Chiropractic) Services and is limited to 20 visits per policy period. Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
	Preventive care/screening-/immunization	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded *	Includes preventive health services specified in the health care reform law. *Deductible/co-ins may not apply to certain services.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	Free Standing Provider: No Charge Hospital-Based: No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network for sleep studies or no coverage.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	Free Standing Provider: No Charge Hospital-Based: No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	$150 Hospital-Based per occurrence deductible applies prior to the Annual Deductible. Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.

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If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about **prescription drug coverage** is available at uhc.com/rxfind	Tier 1 - Your Lowest-Cost Option	Retail: $15 copay Mail-Order: $37.50 copay Specialty Drugs: $15 copay	Retail: $15 copay Specialty Drugs: $15 copay	Provider means pharmacy for purposes of this section. Retail: Up to a 31 day supply. Mail-Order: Up to a 90 day supply. Copay is per prescription order up to the day supply limit listed above. You may need to obtain certain drugs, including certain specialty drugs, from a pharmacy designated by us. Certain drugs may have a Pre-Authorization requirement or may result in a higher cost. You may be required to use a lower-cost drug(s) prior to benefits under your policy being available for certain prescribed drugs. See the website listed for information on drugs covered by your plan. Not all drugs are covered. If a dispensed drug has a chemically equivalent drug at a lower tier, the cost difference between drugs in addition to any applicable Copay and/or Co-ins may be applied. Tier 1 contraceptives are covered at No Charge.
	Tier 2 - Your Midrange-Cost Option	Retail: $25 copay Mail-Order: $62.50 copay Specialty Drugs: $100 copay	Retail: $25 copay Specialty Drugs: $100 copay	
	Tier 3 - Your Highest-Cost Option	Retail: $50 copay Mail-Order: $125 copay Specialty Drugs: $150 copay	Retail: $50 copay Specialty Drugs: $150 copay	
	Tier 4 (if applicable) - Additional High-Cost Options	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	Ambulatory Surg Center / Office: No Charge Hospital-Based: No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for certain services for non-network or no coverage. $150 Hospital-Based per occurrence deductible applies prior to the Annual Deductible.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room services	$150 copay per visit	$150 copay per visit	None
	Emergency medical transportation	No Charge	No Charge	None

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	Urgent care	$75 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	If you receive services in addition to urgent care, additional copays, deductibles, or co-ins may apply.
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
	Physician/surgeon fee	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	None
If you have mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse needs	Mental/Behavioral health outpatient services	$30 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Partial hospitalization/intensive outpatient therapy: No Charge Pre-Authorization required for certain services for non-network or no coverage.
	Mental/Behavioral health inpatient services	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
	Substance use disorder outpatient services	$30 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Partial hospitalization/intensive outpatient therapy: No Charge Pre-Authorization required for certain services for non-network or no coverage.
	Substance use disorder inpatient services	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage
If you are pregnant	Prenatal and postnatal care	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Additional copays, deductibles, or co-ins may apply depending on services rendered.
	Delivery and all inpatient services	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Inpatient Authorization may apply.
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
	Rehabilitation services	$15 copay per outpatient visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Physical, Speech, Occupational limited to 30 visits per condition (each). Cardiac 90 visits. Pre-Authorization required for certain services for non-network or no coverage.
	Habilitative services	$15 copay per outpatient visit	20% co-ins, after ded	Age 18 and under: unlimited. Age 19 and older : services provided under and limits are combined with Rehabilitation services above. Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.

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	Skilled nursing care	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Limited to 100 days per policy period. Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
	Durable medical equipment	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Pre-Authorization required for non-network DME over $1,000 or no coverage.
	Hospice service	No Charge	20% co-ins, after ded	Inpatient Pre-Authorization required for non-network or no coverage.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Eye exam	$15 copay per visit	20% co-ins, after ded	One exam every 12 months.
	Glasses	50% co-ins	50% co-ins, after ded	One pair every 12 months.
	Dental check-up	0% co-ins, after ded	0% co-ins, after ded	Cleanings covered 2 times per 12 months. Additional limitations may apply. Dental Deductible: Network: $100 Indiv / $200 Family

Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

Services Your Plan Does NOT Cover (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other excluded services.)

- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care (Adult)
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Private-duty nursing
- Routine eye care (Adult)
- Routine foot care
- Weight loss programs

Other Covered Services (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other covered services and your costs for these services.)

- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Chiropractic care
- Hearing aids
- Infertility treatment

Your Rights to Continue Coverage:

If you lose coverage under the plan, then, depending upon the circumstances, Federal and State laws may provide protections that allow you to keep health coverage. Any such rights may be limited in duration and will require you to pay a **premium**, which may be significantly higher than the premium you pay while covered under the plan. Other limitations on your rights to continue coverage may also apply.

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the plan at 1-866-747-1019. You may also contact your state insurance department, the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA(3272)or www.dol.gov/ebsa, or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights:

If you have a complaint or are dissatisfied with a denial of coverage for claims under your plan, you may be able to **appeal** or file a **grievance**. For questions about your rights, this notice, or assistance, you can contact the Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA(3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform or the Maryland Insurance Administration at 1-800-492-6116 or www.mdinsurance.state.md.us/sa. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact Maryland Office of the Attorney General Health Education and Advocacy Unit at 1-877-261-8807 or TTY 1-800-576-6372 or visit www.oag.state.md.us/consumer.

Does this Coverage Provide Minimum Essential Coverage?

The Affordable Care Act requires most people to have health care coverage that qualifies as "minimum essential coverage." **This plan or policy does provide minimum essential coverage.**

Does this Coverage Meet the Minimum Value Standard?

The Affordable Care Act establishes a minimum value standard of benefits of a health plan. The minimum value standard is 60% (actuarial value). **This health coverage does meet the minimum value standard for the benefits it provides.**

Language Access Services:

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

About these Coverage Examples:

These examples show how this plan might cover medical care in given situations. Use these examples to see, in general, how much financial protection a sample patient might get if they are covered under different plans.

This is not a cost estimator.

Don't use these examples to estimate your actual costs under this plan. The actual care you receive will be different from these examples, and the cost of that care will also be different.

See the next page for important information about these examples.

Having a baby
(normal delivery)

- **Amount owed to providers:** $7,540
- **Plan pays** $7,320
- **Patient pays** $220

Sample care costs:

Hospital charges (mother)	$2,700
Routine obstetric care	$2,100
Hospital charges (baby)	$900
Anesthesia	$900
Laboratory tests	$500
Prescriptions	$200
Radiology	$200
Vaccines, other preventive	$40
Total	**$7,540**

Patient pays:

Deductibles	$0
Copays	$20
Coinsurance	$0
Limits or exclusions	$200
Total	**$220**

Managing type 2 diabetes
(routine maintenance of a well-controlled condition)

- **Amount owed to providers:** $5,400
- **Plan pays** $4,160
- **Patient pays** $1,240

Sample care costs:

Prescriptions	$2,900
Medical Equipment and Supplies	$1,300
Office Visits and Procedures	$700
Education	$300
Laboratory tests	$100
Vaccines, other preventive	$100
Total	**$5,400**

Patient pays:

Deductibles	$0
Copays	$1,200
Coinsurance	$0
Limits or exclusions	$40
Total	**$1,240**

Questions and answers about the Coverage Examples:

What are some of the assumptions behind the Coverage Examples?

- Costs don't include **premiums**.
- Sample care costs are based on national averages supplied by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and aren't specific to a particular geographic area or health plan.
- The patient's condition was not an excluded or preexisting condition.
- All services and treatments started and ended in the same coverage period.
- There are no other medical expenses for any member covered under this plan.
- Out-of-pocket expenses are based only on treating the condition in the example.
- The patient received all care from in-network **providers.** If the patient had received care from out-of-network **providers**, costs would have been higher.
- If other than individual coverage, the Patient Pays amount may be more.

What does a Coverage Example show?

For each treatment situation, the Coverage Example helps you see how **deductibles**, **copayments**, and **coinsurance** can add up. It also helps you see what expenses might be left up to you to pay because the service or treatment isn't covered or payment is limited.

Does the Coverage Example predict my own care needs?

✘ **No .** Treatments shown are just examples. The care you would receive for this condition could be different based on your doctor's advice, your age, how serious your condition is, and many other factors.

Does the Coverage Example predict my future expenses?

✘ **No .** Coverage Examples are **not** cost estimators. You can't use the examples to estimate costs for an actual condition. They are for comparative purposes only. Your own costs will be different depending on the care you receive, the prices your **providers** charge, and the reimbursement your health plan allows.

Can I use Coverage Examples to compare plans?

✓ **Yes .** When you look at the Summary of Benefits and Coverage for other plans, you'll find the same Coverage Examples. When you compare plans, check the "Patient Pays" box in each example. The smaller that number, the more coverage the plan provides.

Are there other costs I should consider when comparing plans?

✓ **Yes .** An important cost is the **premium** you pay. Generally, the lower your **premium**, the more you'll pay in out-of-pocket costs, such as **copayments**, **deductibles**, and **coinsurance**. You should also consider contributions to accounts such as health savings accounts (HSAs), flexible spending arrangements (FSAs) or health reimbursement accounts (HRAs) that help you pay out-of-pocket expenses.

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