Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What it Costs Coverage for: Individual or Family | Plan Type: HMO



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 www.qualchoice.com or by calling 1 (800) 235-7111.

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	\$0	See the chart starting on page 2 for your costs for services this plan covers.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an <u>out-of-</u> <u>pocket limit</u> on my expenses?	No.	There's no limit on how much you could pay during a coverage period for your share of the cost of covered services.
What is not included in the <u>out-of-pocket</u> <u>limit?</u>	This plan has no out-of-pocket limit.	Not applicable because there's no <b>out-of-pocket limit</b> on your expenses.
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 <i>specific</i> covered services, such as office visits.
Does this plan use a <u>network</u> of <u>providers</u> ?	Yes. For a list of <b>in-network providers</b> , see provider-search.qualchoice.com or call 1 (800) 235-7111.	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care <u>provider</u> , 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 <u>provider</u> for some services. Plans use the term in-network, <u>preferred</u> , or participating for <u>providers</u> in their <u>network</u> . See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of <u>providers</u> .
Do I need a referral to see a specialist?	No. You don't need a referral to see an <b>in-network specialist</b> .	You can see the <b>specialist</b> 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 4. See your policy or plan document for additional information about <b>excluded services</b> .

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

Common		Your cost if you use a		
Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-Network Provider	Out-Of-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions
	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none
	Specialist visit	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none
If you visit a health care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Other practitioner office visit	No Cost to You	No Cost to You for nurse practitioner Not Covered for chiropractor	Coverage is limited to 30 visits per calendar year for Chiropractic combined with PT/OT/ST
	Preventive care/screening/immunization	No Cost to You	Not Covered	none
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none
ii you nave a test	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth
If you need drugs to	Generic drugs	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Covers up to a 30-day supply (retail
treat your illness or	Preferred brand drugs	No Cost to You	Not Covered	prescription); Mail order Not
condition	Non-preferred brand drugs	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Covered
More information about prescription drug coverage is available at www.qualchoice.com/members/drug for mulary.	Specialty drugs	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Pre-auth/step-therapy may apply  Maximum quantity per RX may apply  Your formulary is Essential

Common		Your cost if you use a			
Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-Network Provider	Out-Of-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
outpatient surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
	Emergency room services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency medical transportation	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Coverage is limited to \$1,000/trip for ground ambulance and \$5,000/trip for air ambulance	
	Urgent care	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
If you have a hospital	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth	
stay	Physician/surgeon fee	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
If you have mental	Mental/Behavioral health outpatient services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
health, behavioral health, or substance	Mental/Behavioral health inpatient services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth	
abuse needs	Substance use disorder outpatient services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
	Substance use disorder inpatient services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth	
	Prenatal and postnatal care	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	none	
If you are pregnant	Delivery and all inpatient services	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth; Coverage is limited to \$2,000 benefit maximum per newborn for the first 90 days after birth for Out of Network services	
	Home health care	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth, Coverage is limited to 50 visits per calendar year	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Rehabilitation services	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Coverage is limited to 30 visits per calendar year for PT/OT/ST combined with Chiropractic	
	Habilitation services	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Requires pre-auth, Coverage is limited to 30 visits per calendar year for PT/OT/ST combined with Chiropractic	

Common		Your cost if you use a		
Medical Event  Services You May Need		In-Network Provider	Out-Of-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions
	Skilled nursing care	No Cost to You	Not Covered	Requires pre-auth, Coverage is limited to 60 days per calendar year for Skilled Nursing combined with Inpatient rehabilitation
	Durable medical equipment	No Cost to You	Not Covered	none
	Hospice service	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Requires pre-auth; Coverage is limited to individuals with life expectancy of 6 months or less
	Eye exam	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Coverage is limited to 1 exam every 12 months up to age 19
If your child needs dental or eye care	Glasses	No Cost to You	No Cost to You	Coverage is limited to 1 pair of standard frames & lenses per calendar year up to age 19
	Dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	none

#### **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.)

Acupuncture
 Bariatric surgery
 Cosmetic surgery
 Dental care (Adult)
 Acupuncture
 Infertility treatment
 Long-term care
 Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
 Private-duty nursing
 Routine eye care (Adult)
 Routine foot care unless related to treatment of diabetes
 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.)

Chiropractic care

## **Your Rights to Continue Coverage:**

Federal and State laws may provide protections that allow you to keep this health insurance coverage as long as you pay your **premium**. There are exceptions, however, such as if:

- You commit fraud
- The insurer stops offering services in the State
- You move outside the coverage area

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the insurer at 1 (800) 235-7111. You may also contact your state insurance department at 1-866-645-1790.

## **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 your state insurance department at **1-800-852-5494**. Additionally, a consumer assistance program can help you file your appeal. Contact **1-800-852-5494**.

## **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:**

Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-	obtener as	sistencia en	Español.	llame al	1-800-23	35-7111.

———————————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 \$7,340
- Patient pays \$200

#### 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	\$0
Coinsurance	\$0
Limits or exclusions	\$200
Total	\$200

## Managing type 2 diabetes

(routine maintenance of a well-controlled condition)

- Amount owed to providers: \$5,400
- Plan pays \$5,320
- Patient pays \$80

## 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:

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Deductibles	\$0
Copays	\$0
Coinsurance	\$0
Limits or exclusions	\$80
Total	\$80

**Coverage Examples** 

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## 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 innetwork providers. If the patient had received care from out-of-network **providers**, costs would have been higher.

## 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.

Coverage Period: 01/01/2017 - 12/31/2017

## **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-ofpocket 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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#### **Non-Discrimination and Accessibility Notice**

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#### QualChoice:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters
  - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Customer Service at (501) 228-7111. If you believe that QualChoice has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with:

QualChoice Civil Rights Coordinator

QualChoice

P.O. Box 25610

Little Rock, AR 72221-5610

(501) 228-7111

Fax #: 501-707-6729

QCA COE@qualchoice.com

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, the QualChoice Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Office Rights electronically through the for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-868-1019, 800–537–7697 (TDD). Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

#### **Notice of Discrimination Grievance Procedures**

It is the policy of QualChoice not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability. QualChoice has adopted an internal grievance procedure providing for prompt and equitable resolution of complaints alleging any action prohibited by Section 1557 of the Affordable Care Act (42 U.S.C. 18116) and its implementing regulations at 45 CFR part 92, issued by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Section 1557 prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability in certain health programs and activities. Section 1557 and its implementing regulations may be examined in the office of the QualChoice Civil Rights Coordinator, who has been designated to coordinate the efforts of QualChoice to comply with Section 1557 (the "Section 1557 Coordinator"):

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Any person who believes someone has been subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability may file a grievance under this procedure. It is against the law for QualChoice to retaliate against anyone who opposes discrimination, files a grievance, or participates in the investigation of a grievance.

#### Procedure:

- Grievances must be submitted to the Section 1557 Coordinator within sixty (60) days of the date the person filing the grievance becomes aware of the alleged discriminatory action.
- A complaint must be in writing, containing the name and address of the person filing it. The complaint must state the problem or action alleged to be discriminatory and the remedy or relief sought.
- The Section 1557 Coordinator (or her/his designee) shall conduct an investigation of the complaint. This investigation may be informal, but it will be thorough, affording all interested persons an opportunity to submit evidence relevant to the complaint. The Section 1557 Coordinator will maintain the files and records of QualChoice relating to such grievances. To the extent possible, and in accordance with applicable law, the Section 1557 Coordinator will take appropriate steps to preserve the confidentiality of files and records relating to grievances and will share them only with those who have a need to know.
- The Section 1557 Coordinator will issue a written decision on the grievance, based on a preponderance of the evidence, no later than thirty (30) days after its filing, including a notice to the complainant of their right to pursue further administrative or legal remedies.
- The person filing the grievance may appeal the decision of the Section 1557 Coordinator by writing to the Vice President Corporate Responsibility within fifteen (15) days of receiving the Section 1557 Coordinator's decision. The Vice President Corporate Responsibility shall issue a written decision in response to the appeal no later than thirty (30) days after its filing.

The availability and use of this grievance procedure does not prevent a person from pursuing other legal or administrative remedies, including filing a complaint of discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability in court or with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights. A person can file a complaint of discrimination electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal,

which is available at: <a href="https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf">https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf</a>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201.

Complaint forms are available at: <a href="http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html">http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html</a>. Such complaints must be filed within 180 days of the date of the alleged discrimination. QualChoice will make appropriate arrangements to ensure that individuals with disabilities and individuals with limited English proficiency are provided auxiliary aids and services or language assistance services, respectively, if needed to participate in this grievance process. Such arrangements may include, but are not limited to, providing qualified interpreters, providing taped cassettes of material for individuals with low vision, or assuring a barrier-free location for the proceedings. The Section 1557 Coordinator will be responsible for such arrangements.

QualChoice offers help for members with limited English proficiency (LEP). The following statement is printed in the top languages used in Arkansas, as required by the Federal government. ATTENTION: If you speak [insert language], language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

#### Spanish

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#### Vietnamese

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

#### Marshallese

LALE: Ñe kwōj kōnono Kajin Majōl, kwomaroñ bōk jerbal in jipañ ilo kajin ne am ejjelok wōnāān. Kaalok 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

#### Chinese

注意:如果您使用繁體中文,您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

Lao

ໂປດຊາບ: ຖ້າວ່າ ທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາ ລາວ, ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ, ໂດຍບໍ່ເສັຽຄ່າ, ແມ່ນມີພ້ອມໃຫ້ທ່ານ. ໂທຣ 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

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Arabic

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German

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

French

ATTENTION: Si vous parlez français, des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Appelez le 1-800-235-7111 (ATS: 711).

Hmong

LUS CEEV: Yog tias koj hais lus Hmoob, cov kev pab txog lus, muaj kev pab dawb rau koj. Hu rau 1-800-235-7111 (TTY: 711).

Korean

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Portuguese

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Japanese

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Hindi

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Gujarati

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