

City of Worcester: The Advantage Plan QHD

Coverage for: Individual and Individual + Family | Plan Type: HMO



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, call 1-855-216-5924 or visit <http://www.WorcesterAdvantagePlan.org>. 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.WorcesterAdvantagePlan.org> or call 1-855-216-5924 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible ?	\$1,500 person/ \$3,000 family. Doesn't apply to preventive care.	Generally you must pay all the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you elect individual coverage, you must meet the individual coverage deductible amount. If you have family coverage, family members must meet their own individual minimum annual deductible of \$3,000 as defined by the IRS guidelines until the family deductible has been met.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible ?	Yes. Preventive care and primary care services are covered before you meet your 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 certain covered services with licensed providers \$5,000 /person or \$10,000 /family.	The out-of-pocket limit is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. 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-billed 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 http://www.WorcesterAdvantagePlan.org or call 1-855-216-5924 for a list of participating 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 ?	Yes.	This plan will pay some or all of the costs to see a specialist for covered services but only if you have a referral before you see the specialist .



All [copayment](#) and [coinsurance](#) costs shown in this chart are either before or after your [deductible](#) has been met, if a [deductible](#) applies.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	Tier 1: \$20 co-pay/visit; Tier 2: \$25 co-pay/visit after deductible	Not covered	-----None-----
	Specialist visit	Tier 1: \$40 co-pay/visit; Tier 2: \$50 co-pay/visit after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Preventive care/screening /immunization	No charge	Not covered	You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive . Ask your provider if the services you need are preventive. Then check what your plan will pay for.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	Deductible	Not covered	-----None-----
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$100 co-pay/test in a hospital after deductible; \$50 co-pay/test in any other setting after deductible	Not covered	Limited to one payment per day when performed at the same facility for the same diagnosis. Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at http://www.WorcesterAdvantagePlan.org	Tier 1	\$10 copay /prescription (retail and emergency); \$25 copay/prescription (mail order) after deductible	\$10 copay/ prescription (emergency only) after deductible	Members will receive the first two maintenance medication fills through their pharmacy, then will be required to change to a 90-day refill schedule through their local CVS pharmacy or CVS mail order.
	Tier 2	\$30 copay/ prescription (retail and emergency); \$75 copay/prescription (mail order) after deductible	\$30 copay/ prescription (emergency only) after deductible	Members will receive the first two maintenance medication fills through their pharmacy, then will be required to change to a 90-day refill schedule through their local CVS pharmacy or CVS mail order.
	Tier 3	\$60 copay/ prescription (retail and emergency); \$180 copay/prescription (mail order) after deductible	\$60 copay/ prescription (emergency only) after deductible	Members will receive the first two maintenance medication fills through their pharmacy, then will be required to change to a 90-day refill schedule through their local CVS pharmacy or CVS mail order.

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		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	Tier 1: \$250 co-pay/surgery after deductible; Tier 2: \$500 co-pay/surgery after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Physician/surgeon fees	Deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$150 co-pay/visit after deductible	\$150 co-pay/visit after deductible	-----None-----
	Emergency medical transportation	Deductible	Deductible	-----None-----
	Urgent care	\$20 co-pay/visit after deductible	\$20 co-pay/visit after deductible	-----None-----
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	Tier 1: \$275 co-pay/admission after deductible; Tier 2: \$750 co-pay/admission after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Physician/surgeon fees	Deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	\$20 co-pay/visit after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Inpatient services	Deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	Tier 1: \$20 co-pay/visit; Tier 2: \$25 co-pay/visit	Not covered	For prenatal care, you pay an office visit co-pay for your first visit only.
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	See childbirth/delivery facility services.	See childbirth/delivery facility services.	See childbirth/delivery facility services.
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	Tier 1: \$275 co-pay/admission after deductible; Tier 2: \$750 co-pay/admission after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services. Inpatient amount is inclusive of childbirth/delivery professional services.

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		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	Deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Rehabilitation services	\$25 co-pay/visit in an office after deductible	Not covered	Short-term physical and occupational therapy limited to 60 visits combined per year. Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Habilitation services	\$25 co-pay/visit in an office after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Skilled nursing care	Deductible	Not covered	Up to 100 days per year. Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Durable medical equipment	20% coinsurance after deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
	Hospice services	Deductible	Not covered	Referral and preauthorization required for certain covered services.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No charge	Not covered	Routine eye exams are limited to one per 12 month period.
	Children's glasses	Not covered	Not covered	-----None-----
	Children's dental check-up	\$25 co-pay/visit after deductible	Not covered	-----None-----

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 .)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acupuncture Cosmetic Surgery Dental Care (Adult) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hearing Aids (over the age of 21) Long-Term Care Non-Emergency Care When Traveling Outside the U.S. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Private-Duty Nursing Routine Foot Care
Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your plan document.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abortion Services Bariatric Surgery 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chiropractic Care (limited to 12 visits per year) Infertility Treatment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Routine Eye Care (Adult) Weight Loss Programs

Your Rights to Continue Coverage: There are agencies that can help if you want to continue your coverage after it ends. For more information, contact the insurer at 1-800-868-5200. You may also contact your state insurance department at Massachusetts Division of Insurance Consumer Service Section 1-877-563-4467. The U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272 or www.dol.gov/ebsa, or the Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information about the Marketplace, visit www.HealthCare.gov or call 1-800-318-2596.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights: There are agencies that can help if you have a complaint against your plan for a denial of a claim. This complaint is called a grievance or appeal. For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical claim. Your plan documents also provide complete information to submit a claim, appeal, or a grievance for any reason to your plan. For more information about your rights, this notice, or assistance, contact your state insurance department at Massachusetts Division of Insurance Consumer Service Section 1-877-563-4467. Contact Health Care for All, One Federal St., Boston, MA 02110, 1-617-350-7279, www.massconsumerassistance.org. Group members may also contact the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272 or www.dol.gov/ebsa.

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

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 plan meet Minimum Value Standards? Yes

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 1-855-216-5924.

—————*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)	
■ The plan's overall deductible .	\$1,500	■ The plan's overall deductible .	\$1,500	■ The plan's overall deductible .	\$1,500
■ PCP	\$20	■ PCP	\$20	■ PCP	\$20
■ Specialist	\$40	■ Specialist	\$40	■ Specialist	\$40
■ Hospital Stay	\$275	■ Durable Medical Equipment	20%	■ Emergency Room	\$150
<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	\$16,780	Total Example Cost	\$7,360	Total Example Cost	\$2,670
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	\$1,500	Deductibles	\$1,500	Deductibles	\$1,500
Copayments	\$320	Copayments	\$900	Copayments	\$430
Coinsurance	\$0	Coinsurance	\$0	Coinsurance	\$20
<i>What isn't covered</i>		<i>What isn't covered</i>		<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$80	Limits or exclusions	\$60	Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Peg would pay is	\$1,900	The total Joe would pay is	\$2,460	The total Mia would pay is	\$1,950

The [plan](#) would be responsible for the other costs of these EXAMPLE covered services.

French:

Si vous, ou quelqu'un que vous êtes en train d'aider, a des questions à propos de Fallon Health, vous avez le droit d'obtenir de l'aide et l'information dans votre langue à aucun coût. Pour parler à un interprète, appelez 1-800-868-5200.

Italian:

Se tu o qualcuno che stai aiutando avete domande su Fallon Health, hai il diritto di ottenere aiuto e informazioni nella tua lingua gratuitamente. Per parlare con un interprete, puoi chiamare 1-800-868-5200.

Korean:

만약 귀하 또는 귀하가 돕고 있는 어떤 사람이 Fallon Health에 관해서 질문이 있다면 귀하는 그러한 도움과 정보를 귀하의 언어로 비용 부담없이 얻을 수 있는 권리가 있습니다. 그렇게 통역사와 얘기하기 위해서는 1-800-868-5200로 전화하십시오.

Greek:

Εάν εσείς ή κάποιος που βοηθάτε έχετε ερωτήσεις γύρω από το Fallon Health, έχετε το δικαίωμα να λάβετε βοήθεια και πληροφορίες στη γλώσσα σας χωρίς χρέωση. Για να μιλήσετε σε έναν διερμηνέα, καλέστε 1-800-868-5200.

Polish:

Jeśli Ty lub osoba, której pomagasz, macie pytania odnośnie Fallon Health, masz prawo do uzyskania bezpłatnej informacji i pomocy w własnym języku. Aby porozmawiać z tłumaczem, zadzwoń pod numer 1-800-868-5200.

Hindi:

यदि आपके ,या आप द्वारा सहायता ककर जा रहे ककसी व्यक्तत के Fallon Health [के बारे में प्रश्न हैं ,तो आपके पास अपनी भाषा में मुफ्त में सहायता और सूचना प्राप्त करने का अधिकार है। ककसी िभाषणर से बात करने के लिए ,1-800-868-5200 पर कॉि करें।

Gujarati:

જો તમે અથવા તમે શેઇને મદદ કરી રહ્યાં તેમ ાંથી શેઇને Fallon Health વિશે પ્રશ્નો શેર તો તમને મદદ અને મહત્તી મેળિેનો અલિક ર છે. તે ખર્ચ વિન તમ શી ભ ષ મ ાં પુ પ્ત કરી શક ર છે. દ ભ વર્ણો િ ત કરિ મ ડે,આ 1-800-868-5200 પર શેલ કરો.

Laotian:

້າທ່ານ, ຫຼື ື່ນທ່ານກ້າວຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອ, ມາຮ້າງາມກ່ຽວກັບ Fallon Health, ທ່ານມັ ສິດທ ະລະເດີຊ່ບການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອເລະຂໍ້ມູນຂ່າວສານທ ະບົບພາສາຂອງທ່ານບໍ່ມາໃຊ້ລ່າຍ. ການຮ້ອນກັບພາສາສາ, ໃຫ້ທ່ານ 1-800-868-5200.

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Fallon Health:

- 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 the phone number on the back of your member ID card, or by email at cs@fallonhealth.org.

If you believe that Fallon Health 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:

Compliance Director
Fallon Health
10 Chestnut St.
Worcester, MA 01608

Phone: 1-508-368-9382 (TRRS 711)
Email: compliance@fallonhealth.org

You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax or email. If you need help filing a grievance, the Compliance Director 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 Rights, electronically through the Office 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, D.C., 20201

Phone: 1-800-368-1019 (TDD: 1-800-537-7697)

Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.