# **Summary of Benefits**



### **Medicare Advantage and Part D**

Plan year: January 1 – December 31, 2020

**California** 

Los Angeles, Orange counties

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)
Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)

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# Thank you for your interest in our Medicare Advantage plans

Anthem Blue Cross offers a variety of benefits designed to help keep you healthy while protecting you from unexpected medical and drug costs. This booklet tells you what we cover, what you may pay and more. If you have questions, please call your agent.

# Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO) and Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)

#### Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)

Our service area includes these counties in CA: Los Angeles, Orange

#### **Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)**

Our service area includes these counties in CA: Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino

### **Have questions?**



- □ If you **are not** a member of our plan, please call us toll-free **1-844-309-6996** (TTY: **711**), and follow the instructions to be connected to a representative.
- If you are a member of our plan, please call us toll-free at 1-800-499-2793 (TTY: 711).
- Hours of operation: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week (except Thanksgiving and Christmas) from October 1 through March 31, and Monday to Friday (except holidays) from April 1 through September 30.



 You can learn more about us on our website at https://shop.anthem.com/medicare/ca.

While the Summary of Benefits does not include every service, limit or exclusion, the *Evidence of Coverage* does. Just give us a call to request a copy.

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO) and Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO) are Medicare Advantage and prescription drug plans. They include hospital, medical and prescription drug benefits in one plan. To join these plans, you must:

- □ Be entitled to Medicare Part A,
- □ Enrolled in Medicare Part B, and
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□ Live in our service area.

With these plans, you must use doctors and facilities in our plan. If you use a doctor or facility not in our plan, we may not cover the services.

### Medicare coverage that goes beyond Original Medicare

- Like all Medicare Advantage health plans, we cover everything that Original Medicare covers Part A (hospital services) and Part B (medical services), plus more. For some of these benefits, you may pay more in our plan than you would in Original Medicare. For others, you may pay less (see benefits section for more details).
- This plan covers Medicare Part D drugs and Part B drugs (such as chemotherapy and some drugs administered by your provider). To see if your prescription drugs are covered, follow the instructions in the "Know Your Drug Plan" section of this booklet.

### This is a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) plan. That means:

- □ You must choose a primary care provider (PCP) in the plan's network of doctors for covered services. A PCP is your main doctor who provides most of your medical care, including routine care and hospitalizations. Your PCP will also help coordinate your care after a stay in the hospital.
- Before you get care from a specialist, we highly recommend you talk to your PCP first. Doing so will keep your PCP informed and will help ensure you get the right care. Many specialist services require a referral from your PCP. So if you have a favorite specialist, make sure to ask if the specialist is in the plan's network.

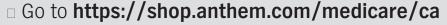
If you need emergency or urgent care, call 911 or go to the nearest doctor or facility that can help you. Most times, you must use doctors in our plan to get covered medical care, except for emergencies and urgently needed care when doctors in our plan are not available, or dialysis services when you are out of the service area. If you get routine care from doctors outside our plan, neither Medicare nor Anthem Blue Cross will pay for it.

# Is your PCP in our plan's network of doctors?



If, for any reason, you need to change your PCP, give us a call – we can help you! A doctor or PCP can join or leave our plan at any time, so be sure to ask if he or she is in our Medicare Advantage plan, taking new patients and accepts Medicare. You can find a PCP in our plan or check their status online. Just follow the steps below.

#### How to find a doctor/PCP in our plan:





- 1. Scroll to the *Useful Tools* section and choose the tab labeled **Find a Doctor**.
- 2. Enter your ZIP code, county and the date you want your coverage to begin and select **Continue**.
- 3. Fill in the details of your search (city, doctor's name, distance, etc.).
- 4. Be sure to check that the doctor displays as "In-Network" for these plans.
- Or you can call us and ask for a copy of the *Provider Directory*. The phone number is on page 2.

# **Know your drug plan**

### Prescription drugs are an important part of health and wellness

Our plan gives you access to the drugs you need to get healthy and stay active.

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## What is a formulary?



The formulary is a list of drugs covered by our plan that tells you:

- □ Which drugs require prior authorization from your plan before you fill your prescription,
- ☐ If there is a quantity limit on the frequency, amount or dosage,
- ☐ If you need to try other drugs first (called step therapy),
- □ And the cost-sharing tier a drug is in.

Our plan groups each drug into "tiers". The amount you pay depends on the drug's tier and what stage of the benefit you have reached. Learn more by going to the "Summary of 2020 prescription drug coverage" section in this guide.

# How to find if your drugs (or an acceptable alternative) are covered and what they'll cost:



- □ Visit https://shop.anthem.com/medicare/ca
  - 1. Scroll to the *Useful Tools* section and choose the tab labeled Find Your Covered Drugs.
  - 2. Enter your ZIP code, county and beginning coverage date; then select Continue.
  - 3. Enter the name of your drug, dosage, quantity and refill frequency, and select Add Drug.
  - 4. Select your pharmacy.
  - Select View All Plans.
  - 6. Make sure to choose **Show drug cost details** to view what tier your drugs are in, specific costs and coverage details.
- □ You can also call Customer Service at the number on page 2 to get a copy of the Formulary.

### Can I use any pharmacy to fill my covered prescriptions?

To get the best savings on your covered Part D drugs, you must generally use a pharmacy in our plan. You may get your covered drugs from pharmacies that are **not** in our plan, but only when you are unable to get your prescription drugs from a pharmacy that **is** in our plan.

To find a pharmacy in our plan, see our online *Pharmacy Directory* on our website at



https://shop.anthem.com/medicare/ca (under *Useful Tools*, select Find a Pharmacy, and enter your location and search details). Or you can give us a call and we'll send you a copy.

### Don't miss out on some "Extra Help"\*

If you qualify for **Medicare's "Extra Help**," you can get help with paying your drug plan's monthly payment (premium), yearly deductible, coinsurance and copays for covered prescription drugs. Plus:

- □ The coverage gap stage will not apply to you and
- □ There are no late enrollment penalties.



# To find out if you qualify for "Extra Help," call:

- 1-800-MEDICARE (TTY 1-877-486-2048), 24 hours a day/7 days a week.
- □ The Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY: 1-800-325-0778) between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m., Monday through Friday,
- □ Your state Medicaid office, or
- □ Our Customer Service number located on page 2.

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 $<sup>^</sup>st$  You can't get Medicare Coverage Gap Discounts on brand-name drugs if you receive "Extra Help."

# Optional supplemental dental benefits



You can add an Optional Supplemental Benefits (OSB) package to our plan for an additional monthly premium. (Optional Supplemental Benefits may not be available with every Medicare Advantage plan in this enrollment guide. See the "Optional Supplemental Dental Plans" section of the medical benefits chart for more details, including costs.)





# **Summary of 2020 medical benefits**



On the following pages, you can review more about our plan benefits to help you choose the right plan for you. If you want to compare our plan with other Medicare health plans, call and ask the other plans for a copy of their Summary of Benefits.

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How much is my premium (monthly payment)?		
\$0.00 per month	\$0.00 per month	

You must continue to pay your Medicare Part B premium.

Medicare Part B premium reduction	
\$20.00 per month	\$52.10 per month

How much is my deductible?	
This plan does not have a medical deductible.	This plan does not have a medical deductible.
This plan does not have a Part D deductible.	This plan does not have a Part D deductible.

Is there a limit on how much I will part (does not include Part D drugs)	ay for my covered medical services?
\$900 per year from doctors and facilities in our plan.	\$3,000 per year from doctors and facilities in our plan.

Like all Medicare health plans, our plan protects you by having yearly limits on your out-of-pocket costs for medical and hospital care.

Services you get from doctors or facilities in our plan go toward your yearly limit. If you reach the limit on out-of-pocket costs, you will not have to pay any out-of-pocket costs for covered Part A and Part B services for the rest of the year.

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Inpatient Hospital	
Facilities in our plan: You pay a \$0.00 copay for Medicare-covered stays at a network hospital.	Facilities in our plan: You pay a \$125.00 copay per day for days 1 - 5 for Medicare-covered stays at a network hospital, each benefit period. You pay a \$0.00 copay per day for days 6 - 90 for Medicare-covered stays at a network hospital, each benefit period.

Our plan covers 180 additional hospital days for an inpatient stay.

Our plan covers 270 days each benefit period.

Per-day cost sharing applies to each new inpatient admission (Note: transfers to an inpatient rehabilitation hospital is considered a new admission and cost sharing per day applies).

Your copays for inpatient benefits are based on benefit periods. A benefit period starts on the first day you go into a hospital or skilled nursing facility (SNF) and ends when you haven't had any inpatient hospital care or skilled nursing care for 60 days in a row. If you go into a hospital or a SNF after one benefit period has ended, a new benefit period starts. There's no limit to the number of benefit periods you can have.

Outpatient Hospital	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$100.00 copay

What you will pay depends on the service and where you are treated. Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for additional information.

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Ambulatory Surgical Center	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	<b>Doctors and facilities in our plan:</b>

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Doctor's Office Visits	
Primary care physician (PCP) visit:	
PCPs in our plan: \$0.00 copay	PCPs in our plan: \$5.00 copay

### **Specialist visit:**

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Your copay for services received through designated care programs is \$0.00.

Preventive Care Screenings and Annual Physical Exams		
Preventive care screenings:		
Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	

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Preventive Care Screenings and Annual Physical Exams		
Annual physical exam:		
Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	

### **Covered Preventive care screenings:**

- Abdominal aortic aneurysm screening
- Annual "wellness" visit
- Bone mass measurement
- Breast cancer screening (mammogram)
- Cardiovascular disease (behavioral therapy)
- Cardiovascular screening
- Cervical and vaginal cancer screening
- Colorectal cancer screenings (colonoscopy, fecal occult blood test, flexible sigmoidoscopy)
- Depression screening
- Diabetes prevention program
- Diabetes screenings and monitoring

- Hepatitis C Screening
- High Intensity Behavioral Counseling
- HIV screening
- Lung cancer screenings
- Medical nutrition therapy services
- Obesity screenings and counseling
- Prostate cancer screenings (PSA)
- Sexually transmitted infections screenings and counseling
- Tobacco use cessation counseling (counseling for people with no sign of tobacco-related disease)
- Vaccines, including flu shots, hepatitis B shots, pneumococcal shots
- "Welcome to Medicare" preventive visit (one-time)

Any extra preventive services approved by Medicare during the contract year will be covered. When you use doctors in this plan, 100% of the cost of preventive care screenings and annual physical exams are covered.

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#### **Emergency Care**

\$120.00 copay

If you are admitted to the hospital within 24 hours, you do not have to pay your share of the cost for emergency care.

# **Emergency and Urgent Care Worldwide Coverage**

World-wide emergency/urgent coverage and urgently needed services outside the United States is limited up to \$25,000.00 per calendar year combined.

\$120.00 copay

If you are admitted to the hospital within 24 hours, you do not have to pay your share of the cost for emergency care.

# **Emergency and Urgent Care Worldwide Coverage**

World-wide emergency/urgent coverage and urgently needed services outside the United States is limited up to \$25,000.00 per calendar year combined.

### **Urgently Needed Services**

\$0.00 copay \$20.00 copay

#### **Diagnostic Radiology Services** (such as MRIs, CT scans)

# **Doctors and facilities in our plan:** \$75.00 copay

Doctors and facilities in our plan:

\$150.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

What you pay for these services may vary based on where you are treated.

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Diagnostic Tests and Procedures	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay
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Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

What you pay for these services may vary based on where you are treated.

Lab Services	
<b>Doctors and facilities in our plan:</b> \$0.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Outpatient X-rays	
Doctors and facilities in our plan:	Doctors and facilities in our plan:
\$0.00 copay	\$0.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

What you pay for these services may vary based on where you are treated.

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#### Therapeutic Radiology Services (such as radiation treatment for cancer)

# **Doctors and facilities in our plan:** \$60.00 copay

**Doctors and facilities in our plan:** 20% coinsurance

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

What you pay for these services may vary based on where you are treated.

#### **Hearing Services**

**Medicare-covered hearing services** (Exam to diagnose and treat hearing and balance issues):

**Doctors in our plan:** \$0.00 copay

**Doctors in our plan:** \$0.00 copay

#### **Routine hearing services:**

Hearing Aids: You pay a \$0.00 copay for 2 digital hearing aids (1 hearing aid per ear) from the approved list, once every 3 years. Alternatively, an allowance of up to \$1,000.00 (\$500.00 per ear) can be applied towards the cost of other hearing aids, once every 3 years.

**Doctors in our plan:** You pay a \$0.00 copay for up to 1 routine hearing test every year and up to 1 fitting/ evaluation for a hearing aid every year.

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**Doctors in our plan:** You pay a \$0.00 copay for up to 1 routine hearing test every year and up to 1 fitting/ evaluation for a hearing aid every year.

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#### **Hearing Services**

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

#### **Dental Services**

**Medicare-covered dental services** (this does not include services for care, treatment, filling, removal or replacement of teeth):

## Doctors and dentists in our plan:

\$0.00 copay

#### **Doctors and dentists in our plan:**

\$5.00 - \$20.00 copay

#### **Preventive dental services:**

This plan covers unlimited oral exams, 2 cleaning(s) every year, and 1 dental X-ray(s) every 3 years.

Please refer to the Evidence of Coverage - Chapter 4 Dental Procedure Charts for additional information. This plan covers unlimited oral exams, 2 cleaning(s) every year, and 1 dental X-ray(s) every 3 years.

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Dental Services	
Comprehensive dental services:	
This is in addition to the routine preventive dental benefit offered on this plan.	This is in addition to the routine preventive dental benefit offered on this plan.
Please refer to the Evidence of Coverage - Chapter 4 Dental Procedure Charts for additional information.	Please refer to the Evidence of Coverage - Chapter 4 Dental Procedure Charts for additional information.

To find a dental provider in our plan, follow the same steps as the "How to find a doctor/PCP in our plan" box at the beginning of this booklet. Then select **Dental Provider** under **Provider Type**.

Vision Services		
Medicare-covered vision services:		
Exam to diagnose and treat diseases and conditions of the eye		
Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors in our plan: \$20.00 copay	
Eyeglasses or contact lenses after cataract surgery		
Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay	

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Vision Services	
Routine vision services:	
Routine vision exam	
This plan covers 1 routine eye exam every calendar year.	This plan covers 1 routine eye exam every calendar year.
<b>Doctors in our plan:</b> \$0.00 copay	<b>Doctors in our plan:</b> \$0.00 copay

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#### **Vision Services**

#### **Routine eyewear (lenses and frames)**

You pay a \$0.00 copay for 1 pair of eyeglass lenses every calendar year. You pay a \$0.00 copay for 1 pair of frames, at the contracted rate up to \$150.00 every calendar year. You are responsible for paying any costs for such frames over \$150.00. You pay a \$0.00 copay for contact lenses, at the contracted rate up to \$150.00 every calendar year. You are responsible for paying any costs for such contact lenses over \$150.00.

Doctors in our plan: \$0.00 copay

You pay a \$20.00 copay for 1 pair of eyeglass lenses every other calendar year. You pay a \$0.00 copay for 1 pair of frames, at the contracted rate up to \$100.00 every other calendar year. You are responsible for paying any costs for such frames over \$100.00. You pay a \$0.00 copay for contact lenses, at the contracted rate up to \$100.00 every other calendar year. You are responsible for paying any costs for such contact lenses over \$100.00.

**Doctors in our plan:** \$0.00 - \$20.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

To find a vision provider in our plan, follow the same steps as the "How to find a doctor/PCP in our plan" box at the beginning of this booklet. Then select **Vision Provider** under **Provider Type**.

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Mental Health Care	
Inpatient visit:	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: Days 1-5: you pay a \$125.00 copay per day. Days 6-90: you pay a \$0.00 copay per day.
Our plan has a lifetime limit of 190 days for inpatient mental health care in a psychiatric hospital. This limit does not apply to inpatient mental health services provided in a general hospital.	Our plan has a lifetime limit of 190 days for inpatient mental health care in a psychiatric hospital. This limit does not apply to inpatient mental health services provided in a general hospital.
Our plan covers up to 60 additional days in an inpatient setting.	Our plan covers up to 60 additional days in an inpatient setting.  Per day cost sharing applies to each new inpatient admission. (Note: transfers to an inpatient rehabilitation hospital is considered a new admission and cost sharing per day applies).

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#### **Mental Health Care**

#### Outpatient individual and group therapy services:

Outpatient mental health services using doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay

Outpatient group or individual therapy visit at a network psychiatrist's office: \$0.00 copay

Outpatient mental health services using doctors and facilities in our plan: \$20.00 copay

Outpatient group or individual therapy visit at a network psychiatrist's office: \$20.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Your copay for services received through designated care programs is \$0.00.

#### **Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF)**

# **Doctors and facilities in our plan:** \$0.00 copay

#### Doctors and facilities in our plan:

You pay a \$0.00 copay for days 1 - 20 for Medicare-covered stays at a skilled nursing facility (SNF). You pay a \$100.00 copay per day for days 21 - 100 for Medicare-covered stays at a SNF.

Our plan covers up to 100 days in a Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF).

Your copays for SNF benefits are based on benefit periods. A benefit period starts on the first day you go into a hospital or SNF and ends when you haven't had any inpatient hospital care or skilled nursing care for 60 days in a row. If you go into a SNF after one benefit period has ended, a new benefit period starts. There's no limit to the number of benefit periods you can have.

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Physical Therapy	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Provided through designated care programs: \$0.00 copay Other doctors and facilities in our plan: \$20.00 copay

Ambulance	
Ground/Water Ambulance:	
Emergency transportation services in our plan: \$100.00 copay per trip	Emergency transportation services in our plan: \$100.00 copay per trip
Air Ambulance:	
Emergency transportation services in our plan: \$100.00 copay per trip	Emergency transportation services in our plan: \$100.00 copay per trip

Your cost-share will be waived if you are transferred between institutions or the plan directs an admission from home to a facility.

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#### **Transportation**

# Transportation services in our plan: Plan approved locations

You pay a \$0.00 copay for 50 one-way trips to scheduled medical appointments and services at planapproved locations per year.

Plan approved locations are locations that are contracted with Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO) and/or they require an authorization.

#### **Designated care programs**

You pay a \$0.00 copay for unlimited round trips to scheduled medical appointments and services provided through designated care programs.

# Transportation services in our plan: Plan approved locations

You pay a \$0.00 copay for 12 one-way trips to scheduled medical appointments and services at planapproved locations per year.

Plan approved locations are locations that are contracted with Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO) and/or they require an authorization.

Routine transportation coverage is limited to plan-approved locations (within the local service area) provided by contracted transportation vendors in our plan. If you need a ride, call at least 24 hours ahead of time.

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Medicare Part B Drugs	
Other Part B Drugs:	
<b>Drugs in our plan:</b> 0% - 20% coinsurance	<b>Drugs in our plan:</b> 0% - 20% coinsurance
Chemotherapy drugs:	
<b>Drugs in our plan:</b> 20% coinsurance	<b>Drugs in our plan:</b> 20% coinsurance

# **Additional benefits**



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Adult Day Care Services	
You could visit a licensed adult daycare center once a week if you need help with 2 or more activities of daily living. You'll experience supervised care, physical and rehabilitation activities, and the chance to socialize.	You could visit a licensed adult daycare center once a week if you need help with 2 or more activities of daily living. You'll experience supervised care, physical and rehabilitation activities, and the chance to socialize.

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Chiropractic Care	
Medicare-covered chiropractic services:	
Providers in our plan: \$0.00 copay	<b>Providers in our plan:</b> \$20.00 copay

Medicare coverage includes manipulation of the spine to correct a subluxation (when one or more of the bones of your spine move out of position).

Routine chiropractic services:	
Not Covered	Providers in our plan: \$20.00 copay
	for up to 12 visits every calendar year.

Some services, procedures or drugs are only covered if your PCP or other provider gets permission from our plan first. This is called prior authorization (pre-approval). Please contact your PCP or refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* (EOC) for services that require prior authorization.

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#### Foot Care (podiatry services)

#### Medicare-covered podiatry:

Provided through designated care

programs: \$0.00 copay

Other doctors in our plan: \$0.00

copay

Provided through designated care

programs: \$0.00 copay

Other doctors in our plan: \$20.00

**Doctors and facilities in our plan:** 

copay

Foot exams and treatment are covered if you have diabetes-related nerve damage and/or meet certain conditions.

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

#### **Routine foot care:**

**Doctors in our plan:** \$0.00 copay

This plan covers: up to 12 routine foot

care visits every calendar year.

Not Covered

#### **Home Health Care**

**Doctors and facilities in our plan:** 

\$0.00 copay \$0.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

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#### **In-Home Support**

Upon discharge from a hospital or nursing facility, receive up to 8 fourhour shifts of assistance in performing activities of daily living (ADLs). Activities include support such as light cleaning or help obtaining groceries outside the home.

Upon discharge from a hospital or nursing facility, receive up to 4 fourhour shifts of assistance in performing activities of daily living (ADLs). Activities include support such as light cleaning or help obtaining groceries outside the home.

Requires prior authorization and referral. You must use network providers.

#### **LiveHealth Online**

Lets you talk to a board-certified doctor, or licensed psychologist or therapist, by live, two-way video on a computer, smartphone or tablet.

Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for additional information.

Lets you talk to a board-certified doctor, or licensed psychologist or therapist, by live, two-way video on a computer, smartphone or tablet.

Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for additional information.

#### **Meals Benefit**

#### **Post Hospitalization Meals**

\$0.00 copay for up to 21 meals (3 meals per day for 7 days) per discharge from the hospital or skilled nursing facility.

#### **Post Hospitalization Meals**

\$0.00 copay for up to 14 meals (2 meals per day for 7 days) per discharge from the hospital or skilled nursing facility.

Some services, procedures or drugs are only covered if your PCP or other provider gets permission from our plan first. This is called prior authorization (pre-approval). Please contact your PCP or refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* (EOC) for services that require prior authorization.

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#### **Medical Equipment/Supplies**

#### **Durable Medical Equipment** (wheelchairs, oxygen, etc.):

Suppliers in our plan: You pay a 0% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered durable medical equipment and related supplies is \$0-\$499.99 per item. You pay a 20% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered durable medical equipment and related supplies is \$500 or greater per item.

Suppliers in our plan: You pay a 0% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered durable medical equipment and related supplies is \$0-\$499.99 per item. You pay a 20% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered durable medical equipment and related supplies is \$500 or greater per item.

### Medical supplies and prosthetic devices (braces, artificial limbs, etc.):

**Suppliers in our plan:** You pay a \$0.00 copay for Medicare-covered prosthetic devices and related supplies.

Suppliers in our plan: You pay a 0% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered prosthetic devices and related supplies is \$0-\$499.99 per item. You pay a 20% coinsurance when the purchase or rental price of the Medicare-covered prosthetic devices and related supplies is \$500 or greater per item.

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Medical Equipment/Supplies	
Diabetic supplies and services:	
Suppliers in our plan: 20% coinsurance	Suppliers in our plan: 20% coinsurance

#### **Outpatient Rehabilitation**

Cardiac (heart) rehab services (with a limit of two, one-hour sessions per day and a maximum of 36 sessions within a 36-week period):

Doctors and facilities in our plan:	Doctors and facilities in our plan:
\$0.00 copay	\$20.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

**Pulmonary (lung) rehab services** (with a limit of two, one-hour sessions per day and a maximum of 36 sessions):

Doctors and facilities in our plan:	Doctors and facilities in our plan:
\$0.00 copay	\$20.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Outpatient Rehabilitation	
Occupational therapy visit:	
Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$0.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$20.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

#### **Outpatient Substance Abuse**

#### Individual & Group therapy visit:

# Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$15.00 copay Doctors and facilities in our plan: \$35.00 copay

Note: We highly recommend you talk to your PCP first, before you get care from a specialist.

#### **Outreach Support Program**

This program connects you with services that can address loneliness and encourage meaningful conversations with your caregivers and health care professionals. No prior authorization or referral are required.

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Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Over-the-Counter Items	
This plan covers up to \$365 per quarter.	This plan covers up to \$125 per quarter.
There are many ways to access your benefit:	There are many ways to access your benefit:
Shop online or use the mobile app and have items sent to your home or to a store location near you for pickup	<ul> <li>Shop online or use the mobile app and have items sent to your home or to a store location near you for pickup</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Shop at more than 4,600</li> <li>Walmart and Neighborhood</li> <li>Market stores and other</li> <li>participating retailers</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Shop at more than 4,600</li> <li>Walmart and Neighborhood</li> <li>Market stores and other</li> <li>participating retailers</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Call to place an order and have items sent to your home</li> </ul>	☐ Call to place an order and have items sent to your home

### **Pain Management**

You could have up to 24 acupuncture/pressure, chiropractic and/or therapeutic massage visits per year, if they are medically approved.

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Requires prior authorization and referral. You must use network providers.

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Pest Control	
Based on qualifying clinical criteria, you could have your home treated every three months to control pests, if they are having a direct impact on your health.	Based on qualifying clinical criteria, you could have your home treated every three months to control pests, if they are having a direct impact on your health.

Requires prior authorization and referral.

#### **Prescribed Meals**

Based on qualifying clinical criteria, enjoy 2 home-delivered meals per day for up to 90 consecutive days alongside a nutrition education.

Based on qualifying clinical criteria, enjoy 2 home-delivered meals per day for up to 90 consecutive days alongside a nutrition education.

Requires prior authorization and referral. You must use network providers.

Renal Dialysis	
<b>Doctors and facilities in our plan:</b> \$25.00 copay	Doctors and facilities in our plan: 20% coinsurance

Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)

#### **Respite Care**

You could receive up to 80 hours (minimum of 4 four-hour shifts) of respite care per calendar year through a network provider if you have a chronic debilitating medical condition and your 24/7 primary caregiver is unpaid, for you to relieve your primary caregiver from the daily routine caregiving such as walking, bathing, getting in/out of bed/chair, dressing, toileting, and eating.

You could receive up to 40 hours (minimum of 4 four-hour shifts) of respite care per calendar year through a network provider if you have a chronic debilitating medical condition and your 24/7 primary caregiver is unpaid, for you to relieve your primary caregiver from the daily routine caregiving such as walking, bathing, getting in/out of bed/chair, dressing, toileting, and eating.

Requires prior authorization and referral. You must use network providers.

### SilverSneakers®\* Fitness program

When you become our member, you can sign up for SilverSneakers. It's included in our plan. To learn more details, go to

www.silversneakers.com or call SilverSneakers at 1-855-741-4985 (TTY: 711), Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET.

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Some services, procedures or drugs are only covered if your PCP or other provider gets permission from our plan first. This is called prior authorization (pre-approval). Please contact your PCP or refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* (EOC) for services that require prior authorization.

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Telemonitoring	
Covers in-home equipment and telecommunication technology to monitor specific health conditions.	Covers in-home equipment and telecommunication technology to monitor specific health conditions.
Please refer to the <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for additional information.	Please refer to the <i>Evidence of Coverage</i> for additional information.

#### 24/7 NurseLine

24-hour access to a nurse helpline, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.
Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for additional information.

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Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for additional information.



# Summary of 2020 prescription drug coverage



### Know where to go:

Once you become a member of our plan, Chapters 5 and 6 of your *Evidence of Coverage* include lots of important details about your pharmacy benefit.



To find a pharmacy in our plan:

□ Visit https://shop.anthem.com/medicare/ca (under *Useful Tools*, select Find a Pharmacy, and enter your location and search details).

# The four stages of drug coverage

What you pay for your covered drugs depends, in part, on which coverage stage you are in.



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Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Stage 4
Deductible	Initial Coverage	Coverage Gap	Catastrophic Coverage
If you have a deductible, you will pay 100% of your drug cost until you meet your deductible. (If you have no deductible, or if a specific drug tier does not apply to the deductible, you will skip to Stage 2.)	You will pay a copay or a percentage of the cost, and your plan pays the rest for your covered drugs.	In this stage, you pay a greater share of the costs. It begins after you and your plan have paid a certain amount on covered drugs during Stages 1 and 2 (this can vary by plan). See Stage 2: Initial Coverage below for the exact amount. After you enter the coverage gap, you pay 25% of the plan's cost for covered brand-	In this stage, after your yearly out-of-pocket drug costs (including drugs purchased through mail order and your retail pharmacy) reach \$6,350, the plan pays most, or in some cases all, of the cost of your covered Part D prescription drugs. See the Catastrophic Coverage section
You will get an <b>Ex</b>	close you are to	name drugs and 25% of the plan's cost for covered generic drugs until your costs total \$6,350. Some plans have extra coverage. See the Coverage Gap section for more details.	below for what you pay with this plan.

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)	
Stage 1: How much is my deductib	le?	
This plan does not have a Part D deductible.	This plan does not have a Part D deductible.	

#### **Stage 2: Initial Coverage**

After you pay your yearly deductible (if your plan has one), you pay the amount listed in the table on the following pages, until your total yearly drug costs reach \$4,020. Total yearly drug costs are the total drug costs paid by both you and our Part D plan.

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You may get your covered drugs at retail pharmacies and mail-order pharmacies in our plan. Generally, you may get your covered drugs from pharmacies not in our plan only when you are unable to get your prescription drugs from a pharmacy that is in our plan. If you live in a long-term care facility, you pay the same as at a standard retail pharmacy.

If you qualify for low-income subsidy (LIS), also known as Medicare's "Extra Help" program, the amount you pay may be different in this Stage.

# **Stage 2: Initial Coverage**

# **Standard Retail and Mail Order Cost Sharing**

Cost Sharing	Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Tier 1: Preferred Generic		
Standard retail one- month supply	\$0.00	\$5.00
Mail order three-month supply \$0.00		\$10.00
Tier 2: Generic		
Standard retail one- month supply	\$9.50	\$14.50
Mail order three-month supply	\$19.00	\$29.00
Tier 3: Preferred Brand		
Standard retail one- month supply	\$37.50	\$45.00
Mail order three-month supply	\$75.00	\$90.00
Tier 4: Nonpreferred Drugs		
Standard retail one- month supply	\$85.00	\$95.00
Mail order three-month supply	\$170.00	\$190.00

## **Stage 2: Initial Coverage**

## **Standard Retail and Mail Order Cost Sharing**

Cost Sharing	Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Tier 5: Specialty Tier		
Standard retail one- month supply	33%	33%
Mail order three-month supply	Not available	Not available
Tier 6: Select Care Drugs		
Standard retail one- month supply	\$0.00	\$10.00
Mail order three-month supply	\$0.00100	\$20.00100

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>100</sup>The three-month supply for this tier on this plan is 100 days.

will enter the coverage gap.

Stage 3: Coverage Gap	
Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
For drugs on Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 6, you pay the same cost-sharing that is listed in Stage 2 above.  For all other drugs, you pay 25% of the plan's cost for covered brand name drugs and 25% of the plan's cost for covered generic drugs until your costs total \$6,350, which is the end of the coverage gap. Not everyone	You pay <b>25%</b> of the plan's cost for covered brand name drugs and <b>25%</b> of the plan's cost for covered generic drugs until your costs total <b>\$6,350</b> , which is the end of the coverage gap. Not everyone will enter the coverage gap.

Stage 4: Catastrophic Coverage	
Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
After your yearly out-of-pocket drug costs reach \$6,350: For tiers 1 and 6, you pay \$0.00. For tier 2, you pay the greater of \$3.60 copay for generics (including brand drugs treated as generic) or 5% coinsurance. For all other tiers, you pay a \$8.95 copay or 5% coinsurance.	After your yearly out-of-pocket drug costs reach \$6,350: For tiers 1 and 6, you pay \$0.00. For tier 2, you pay the greater of \$3.60 copay for generics (including brand drugs treated as generic) or 5% coinsurance. For all other tiers, you pay a \$8.95 copay or 5% coinsurance.



# Optional supplemental dental plans



Adding an optional supplemental benefit plan to your Medicare Advantage plan is good for your health in more ways than one:

- □ No yearly deductibles
- □ No waiting periods
- □ Large number of dentists in our plan

# Package 1: High Option Dental Plan

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
How much is the monthly payment?	
An extra \$35.00 per month. You must keep paying your Medicare Part B monthly payment.	An extra \$35.00 per month. You must keep paying your Medicare Part B monthly payment.
How much is the deductible?	
This package does not have a deductible.	This package does not have a deductible.
Is there a limit on how much the pla	n will pay?
Doctors in our plan:  ☐ The plan will pay up to \$1500 for the following preventive dental benefits each year (benefit maximum).	Doctors in our plan:  The plan will pay up to \$1500 for the following preventive dental benefits each year (benefit maximum).
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<ul> <li>The plan will pay up to \$1500 for the following preventive dental benefits each year (benefit maximum).</li> <li>Talk to your doctor and confirm all covereceive services.</li> <li>Benefits included:</li> <li>You pay no copay for:</li> </ul>	The plan will pay up to \$1500 for the following preventive dental benefits each year (benefit maximum).  Prage, costs and codes before you  You pay no copay for:

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Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus (HMO)
Benefits included:	
each year <b>and</b> up to seven periapical images per calendar year	each year <b>and</b> up to seven periapical images per calendar year
☐ Two fluoride treatments	□ Two fluoride treatments
<ul> <li>You pay 20% of the covered charges for certain restorative dental services (fillings and crowns)</li> </ul>	☐ You pay 20% of the covered charges for certain restorative dental services (fillings and crowns)
You pay 50% of the covered charges for certain endodontic, periodontic, denture, and oral surgery dental services which include, but are not limited to, the following:	You pay 50% of the covered charges for certain endodontic, periodontic, denture, and oral surgery dental services which include, but are not limited to, the following:
□ Root canal treatment	□ Root canal treatment
<ul> <li>Periodontal scaling and root planing</li> </ul>	□ Periodontal scaling and root planing
☐ Simple and surgical extractions	☐ Simple and surgical extractions

Since these services are not normally covered under Original Medicare, we offer them as a Supplemental Benefit for an extra monthly payment through this Optional Supplemental Package. Please refer to the *Evidence of Coverage* for more details about this package.

# Package 2: Optional Dental Plan

Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus	
How much is the monthly payment?		
An extra \$9.00 per month. You must keep paying your Medicare Part B monthly payment.	An extra \$9.00 per month. You must keep paying your Medicare Part B monthly payment.	
How much is the deductible?		
This package does not have a deductible.	This package does not have a deductible.	
Is there a limit on how much the pla	n will pay?	
This package has an unlimited annual maximum.	This package has an unlimited annual maximum.	
Talk to your doctor and confirm all coverage, costs and codes before you receive services.		
Benefits included:		
DENTAL:		
You pay no copay for:  Oral exams Two cleanings (routine prophylaxis) each year (additional cleanings are covered for the higher copay each calendar year)  Dental X-rays every 3 years	You pay no copay for:  Oral exams Two cleanings (routine prophylaxis) each year (additional cleanings are covered for the higher copay each calendar year)  Dental X-rays every 3 years	

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Anthem MediBlue Value Plus (HMO)	Anthem MediBlue StartSmart Plus
Benefits included:	
<ul> <li>Select comprehensive coverage that includes restorative, endodontics, periodontics, dentures, and more</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Select comprehensive coverage that includes restorative, endodontics, periodontics, dentures, and more</li> </ul>

# Ways we support your health

### Get fit and be healthy with SilverSneakers®

We offer the SilverSneakers<sup>1, 2</sup> fitness program as a plan benefit at no cost to you. SilverSneakers includes:



- □ In-home SilverSneakers On-Demand™ video classes.
- All basic amenities at participating locations nationwide.
- Group exercise classes at some sites.
- Fun social activities.
- Access to a secure, members-only online community.

#### How to get started:

When you become our member, you have SilverSneakers. Go to **www.silversneakers.com** to find over 16,000+ nationwide fitness locations and SilverSneakers FLEX classes, and get your unique SilverSneakers ID number. Just show your ID number at the fitness location front desk or to the SilverSneakers FLEX instructor to start working out! You can use more than one location at a time. If you already have a gym membership, SilverSneakers does not replace it or your gym privileges. For more details, visit **www.silversneakers.com** or call SilverSneakers Customer Service at **1-855-741-4985** (TTY: **711**), Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastern Time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Benefit coverage may vary by plan, see SilverSneakers in the benefits tables for details.

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# Live**Health**

Using LiveHealth Online, you can visit with a board-certified doctor or licensed psychologist or therapist from the comfort and privacy of your home using your smartphone, tablet or computer for a \$0 copay. Doctors are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week to assess common health conditions like the flu, a cold, sinus infection, pink eye, sore throat and more.

When you're having a tough time coping or feeling stressed, you can make an appointment and visit with a therapist in four days or less. Getting started is easy. You can sign up at https://livehealthonline.com or by downloading our free mobile app.



#### **Need dental care?**

Add an Optional Supplemental Benefits (OSB) package to your plan. These expanded benefits, which aren't covered under Medicare Advantage plans or Original Medicare, \*are good for your health in more ways than one:

- □ No yearly deductibles
- □ No waiting periods; use them immediately after your start date
- □ Offer large networks of dentists

How to add OSBs to your plan: Up to 90 days after your effective date, you can add the package of your choice to most Medicare Advantage plans for an additional monthly premium. Your options are listed on the Enrollment form included in this guide. To learn more, see the "Optional Supplemental Dental Plans" section of the medical benefits chart or talk to your agent.

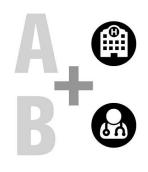
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> LiveHealth Online is the trade name of Health Management Corporation, a separate company, providing telehealth services on behalf of our plan.

<sup>\*</sup> Benefit coverage may vary by plan, see the Optional Supplemental Benefits in the benefits tables for details.

# An overview of how Medicare works

If you're new to Medicare, this information can help you decide what option is right for you.

ORIGINAL MEDICARE (PARTS A and B) is offered by the federal government. It helps cover the costs for:



- ☐ Inpatient care in hospitals and skilled nursing facilities (not custodial or long-term care).
- ☐ Hospice and some home health care services.
- □ Doctors' services, hospital outpatient care and some home health care services, as well as lab tests, medical equipment and supplies.
- Most preventive services, including a yearly wellness exam.

#### But Original Medicare doesn't cover everything. Parts A and B don't cover:



Prescription drugs.



Routine vision, dental or hearing care.

## $\Box$ HERE ARE YOUR OPTIONS $\Box$

## Option 1 Choose all your coverage in one plan

Medicare PART C (offered by private insurers) can also be called a "Medicare Advantage" plan and:



- Includes all of Part A (hospital) and Part B (medical) coverage.
- ☐ Usually includes Part D prescription drug coverage.
- □ Often offers extra services and benefit options.

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	Has yearly limits on services.	your out-of-pocket	costs for medical
Anthem MediBlue	e Value Plus (HMO)   7	Anthem MediBlue S	tartSmart Plus 51 (HMO)

#### **How Medicare works - continued**

- OR -

## Option 2 Choose one or both of the following

MEDICARE PART D (offered by private insurers) is stand-alone prescription drug coverage and



- ☐ Helps pay for many of your prescribed drugs.
- ☐ Gives you access to mail-order options and retail drug stores across the country.

MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT (offered by private insurers) bridges the gap in costs that are not fully covered by Original Medicare, such as:

Medicare Supplement





- □ Medicare Part B excess charges.
- ☐ Skilled Nursing Facility care coinsurance.
- ☐ Foreign Travel Emergencies.

# **Medicare ID cards**

The Medicare plan option you choose will determine the plan ID card or cards you will need to carry with you at all times.

If you choose one of our Medicare Advantage and Prescription Drug (MAPD) plans:

#### One Card for ALL!



You should put away your red, white and blue Medicare ID card because all you'll need to carry is one card. Just present your MAPD plan ID card for all your covered medical and drug benefits.

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# **How can I learn more about Medicare?**

#### Medicare & You - a helpful tool



We strongly recommend you obtain a copy of the official U.S. government's *Medicare & You* handbook to get the answers to all of your questions about Medicare. If you do not have a copy, you can view it online at **www.medicare.gov** or call Medicare for a copy at **1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)**, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. TTY users can call **1-877-486-2048**.

# When you can enroll

#### **Initial coverage period**





You can sign up for a Medicare Advantage or Part D plan when you are first eligible for Medicare. Your initial enrollment phase is a 7-month period that includes the 3 months before you turn 65, the month you turn 65 and the 3 months after you turn 65.

#### **Annual election period - October 15 to December 7**



This is the time frame each year that you can enroll in or change your Medicare Advantage or Part D plan. You may also switch to Original Medicare (Parts A and B). New coverage begins January 1 of each year, after you've enrolled.

#### Open enrollment period - January 1 to March 31



If you're enrolled in a MA-PD plan, you may switch to another MA-PD plan; an MA-only plan; or Original Medicare with or without a PDP.

## **Special enrollment period**



You can sign up for a Medicare Advantage or Part D plan outside of the time frame above if certain events occur in your life or if you're eligible for low-income subsidy (also called "Extra Help").

# **Avoid late-enrollment penalties**

It's important to enroll in a Medicare plan when you're first eligible. If you don't, you may have to pay the following penalties:

	Medicare Part A: Your monthly premium, if you have one, may increase by 10% per year for twice the number of years you could have had Part A but didn't sign up.  Medicare Part B: Your monthly premium may increase 10% for
A	each 12-month period that you could have had Part B but didn't sign up. You'll have to pay this penalty for as long as you have Part B.
	Medicare Part D: If you don't sign up when you're first eligible, you may have to pay this penalty for as long as you are enrolled in Part D, and it may increase every year. (You may not have to pay if you receive "Extra Help" or can provide proof of other creditable coverage.)

#### It's important we treat you fairly

That's why we follow Federal civil rights laws in our health programs and activities. We don't discriminate, exclude people, or treat them differently on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability. For people with disabilities, we offer free aids and services. For people whose primary language isn't English, we offer free language assistance services through interpreters and other written languages. Interested in these services? Call Customer Service for help (TTY: 711).

If you think we failed to offer these services or discriminated based on race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a complaint, also known as a grievance. You can file a complaint with our Compliance Coordinator in writing to Compliance Coordinator, 4361 Irwin Simpson Rd, Mailstop: OH0205-A537; Mason, Ohio 45040-9498. Or you can file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights at 200 Independence Avenue, SW; Room 509F, HHH Building; Washington, D.C. 20201 or by calling 1-800-368-1019 (TTY: 1-800-537-7697) or online at https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf. Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

#### Get help in your language

Separate from our language assistance program, we make documents available in alternate formats for members with visual impairments. If you need a copy of this document in an alternate format, please call the Customer Service number on the back of your ID card.

**English:** You have the right to get this information and help in your language for free. Call Customer Service for help.

**Spanish:** Tiene el derecho de obtener esta información y ayuda en su idioma de forma gratuita. Llame al número de Servicios para Miembros para obtener ayuda.

#### **Arabic:**

يحق لك الحصول على هذه المعلومات والمساعدة بلغتك مجاناً. اتصل بخدمة العملاء للمساعدة.

**Armenian:** Դուք իրավունք ունեք Ձեր լեզվով ստանալու այս տեղեկատվությունը և ցանկացած օգնություն` անվձար։ Օգնություն ստանալու համար զանգահարեք համախորդների սպասարկման կենտրոն։

Chinese: 您有權使用您的語言免費獲得該資訊和協助。請致電客戶服務部尋求協助。

#### Farsi:

شما این حق را دارید که این اطلاعات و کمکها را به صورت رایگان به زبان خودتان دریافت کنید. برای دریافت کمک با مرکز خدمات مشتریان تماس بگیرید.

**French:** Vous avez le droit d'accéder gratuitement à ces informations et à une aide dans votre langue. Pour obtenir de l'aide, veuillez appeler le service client.

**Haitian:** Ou gen dwa resevwa enfòmasyon sa a ak asistans nan lang ou pale a pou gratis. Rele nimewo Sèvis Kliyan an pou jwenn èd.

**Italian:** Ha il diritto di ricevere queste informazioni ed eventuale assistenza nella sua lingua senza alcun costo aggiuntivo. Per assistenza, chiami il Servizio clienti.

Japanese: この情報と支援を希望する言語で無料で受けることができます。サポートが必要な場合はカスタマー サービスにお電話ください。

Korean: 귀하께는 본 정보와 도움을 비용없이 귀하의 언어로 받으실 권리가 있습니다. 도움을 받으시려면 고객 서비스부로 연락해 주십시오.

**Polish:** Masz prawo do bezpłatnego otrzymania niniejszych informacji oraz uzyskania pomocy w swoim języku. Zadzwoń pod numer Działu Obsługi Klienta w celu uzyskania pomocy.

**Portuguese:** Você tem o direito de receber gratuitamente estas informações e ajuda no seu idioma. Ligue para o Atendimento ao Cliente para obter ajuda.

**Russian:** Вы имеете право получить данную информацию и помощь на вашем языке бесплатно. Для получения помощи звоните в отдел обслуживания клиентов.

**Tagalog:** May karapatan kang makuha ang impormasyon at tulong na ito sa sarili mong wika ng walang kabayaran. Tumawag sa Serbisyo para sa mga Kustomer para matulungan ka.

Vietnamese: Bạn có quyền được biết về thông tin này và được hỗ trợ bằng ngôn ngữ của bạn miễn phí. Hãy liên hệ với Dịch vụ khách hàng để được hỗ trợ.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, los servicios de asistencia lingüística están disponibles sin costo alguno para usted. Llame al **1-800-499-2793** (TTY: **711**).

This information is not a complete description of benefits. Call **1-800-499-2793** (TTY: **711**) for more information.

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#### Anthem Blue Cross - H0544 2020 Medicare Star Ratings\*

The Medicare Program rates all health and prescription drug plans each year, based on a plan's quality and performance. Medicare Star Ratings help you know how good a job our plan is doing. You can use these Star Ratings to compare our plan's performance to other plans. The two main types of Star Ratings are:

- 1. An Overall Star Rating that combines all of our plan's scores.
- 2. Summary Star Rating that focuses on our medical or our prescription drug services.

Some of the areas Medicare reviews for these ratings include:

- How our members rate our plan's services and care;
- How well our doctors detect illnesses and keep members healthy;
- How well our plan helps our members use recommended and safe prescription medications.

For 2020, Anthem Blue Cross received the following Overall Star Rating from Medicare.



We received the following Summary Star Rating for Anthem Blue Cross's health/drug plan services:

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Health Plan Services: 3.5 Stars

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Drug Plan Services: 3.5 Stars

The number of stars shows how well our plan performs.

 $\bigstar \bigstar \bigstar \bigstar \bigstar$  5 stars - excellent

 $\bigstar \bigstar \bigstar \bigstar$  4 stars - above average

★★★ 3 stars – average

★ ★ 2 stars - below average

★ 1 star - poor

Learn more about our plan and how we are different from other plans at www.medicare.gov.

We do not discriminate, exclude people, or treat them differently on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability in our health programs and activities.

You may also contact us at 1-844-309-6996 (toll-free) or 711 (TTY), 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week (except Thanksgiving and Christmas) from October 1 through March 31, and Monday to Friday (except holidays) from April 1 through September 30.

Current members please call 1-800-499-2793 (toll-free) or 711 (TTY).

\*Medicare evaluates plans based on a 5-star rating system. Star Ratings are calculated each year and may change from one year to the next.

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#### **Enrollment Checklist**

Before making an enrollment decision, it is important that you fully understand our benefits and rules. If you have any questions, you can call and speak to a customer service representative at 1-844-309-6996 TTY: 711, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week (except Thanksgiving and Christmas) from October 1 through March 31, and Monday to Friday (except holidays) from April 1 through September 30.

Understanding the Benefits	
	Review the full list of benefits found in the Evidence of Coverage (EOC), especially for those services for which you routinely see a doctor. Visit https://shop.anthem.com/medicare/ca or call 1-844-309-6996 to view a copy of the EOC.
	Review the provider directory (or ask your doctor) to make sure the doctors you see now are in the network. If they are not listed, it means you will likely have to select a new doctor.
	Review the pharmacy directory to make sure the pharmacy you use for any prescription medicines is in the network. If the pharmacy is not listed, you will likely have to select a new pharmacy for your prescriptions.
Understanding Important Rules	
	In addition to your monthly plan premium, you must continue to pay your Medicare Part B premium. This premium is normally taken out of your Social Security check each month.
	Benefits, premiums and/or copayments/co-insurance may change on January 1, 2021.
	Except in emergency or urgent situations, we do not cover services by out-of-network providers (doctors who are not listed in the provider directory).