

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What You Pay for Covered Services
**AmeriHealth Caritas Next Gold Copay Focus + \$0 Deductible + Free PCP + Free 24/7 Preferred
 Provider PCP/Urgent Virtual Care + No Referrals**

Coverage Period: 01/01/2027 - 12/31/2027
Coverage for: 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 1-833-282-2252 (TTY 711). 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 www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary/ or call 1-833-282-2252 (TTY 711) to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	In Network: \$0/Individual, \$0/Family Out of Network: Not Covered	See the Common Medical Events chart below for your costs for services this plan covers.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes. All covered health services are covered without a 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. For example, this plan covers certain preventive services without cost sharing and before you meet your deductible . See a list of covered preventive services at https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/ .
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?	In Network: \$9,000/Individual, \$18,000/Family Out of Network: Not Covered	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 limit until the overall family out-of-pocket limit has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit?	Premiums , balance-billing charges, penalties for failure to obtain preauthorization for services and health care this plan does not 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 www.amerhealthcaritasnext.com/la or call 1-833-282-2252 (TTY 711) for a list of network 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?	No.	You can see the specialist you choose without a referral .



All [copayment](#) and [coinsurance](#) costs shown in this chart are 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
		In Network (You will pay the least)	Out of Network (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.	No Charge	Not Covered	None
	Specialist visit	\$35 copayment /visit	Not Covered	None
	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 needed are preventive . Then check what your plan will pay for.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	X-ray: \$65 copayment /visit Blood work: \$50 copayment /visit	X-ray: Not Covered Blood work: Not Covered	None
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$300 copayment /visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at https://welcome.benefitrx.com/acnextla/prescription-drug-list	Preferred generic drugs (Tier 1a)	\$5 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	Prior authorization / step therapy may be required. Covers up to a 30-day supply (retail subscription); 31–90 day supply (mail order prescription). Cost share shown is per retail prescription. Mail order cost share is 2.5 times retail cost.
	Non-preferred generic drugs (Tier 1b)	\$25 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	
	Preferred brand drugs (Tier 2)	\$60 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	
	Non-preferred brand and non-preferred (high cost) generic drugs (Tier 3)	\$110 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	

* For more information about limitations and exceptions, see the [plan](#) or policy document at <https://www.amerihealthcaritasnext.com/content/dam/amerihealth-caritas/acnext/pdf/la/2027/member/forms/evidence-of-coverage.pdf.coredownload.inline.pdf>

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	Specialty drugs (Tier 4a)	\$120 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	
	Non-preferred specialty drugs (Tier 4b)	\$150 copayment /prescription	Not Covered	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	\$500 copayment /visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
	Physician/surgeon fees	\$250 copayment /visit	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	\$1,000 copayment /visit	\$1,000 copayment /visit	You pay the same level as in-network if it is an emergency as defined in your policy, otherwise not covered.
	Emergency medical transportation	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	None
	Urgent care	\$60 copayment /visit	\$60 copayment /visit	Out-of-network Urgent Care services are covered when network providers are temporarily unavailable or inaccessible and if the services are for an urgent condition as defined in your plan policy, otherwise not covered.

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If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	Day 1 - 3: \$1,500 copayment /day, Day 4 and after: No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	No Charge \$500 copayment /visit for other outpatient services.	Not Covered	Covered no limit. The cost sharing that displays next to office visit, applies to outpatient office visits only. All other outpatient services may be subject to additional cost sharing. Please refer to the plan policy documents for detailed information.
	Inpatient services	Day 1 - 3: \$1,500 copayment /day, Day 4 and after: No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	No Charge	Not Covered	Cost sharing does not apply for preventive services . Depending on the type of services, a coinsurance may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound).
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	

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If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
	Rehabilitation services	\$35 copayment /visit	Not Covered	Covered no limit.
	Habilitation services	\$35 copayment /visit	Not Covered	Covered no limit.
	Skilled nursing care	Day 1 - 3: \$1,500 copayment /day, Day 4 and after: No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
	Durable medical equipment	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
	Hospice services	No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization may be required. Covered no limit.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No Charge	Not Covered	1 exam per benefit period
	Children's glasses	No Charge	Not Covered	1 pair of children's eye glasses (with standard frames and lenses) or contact lenses per benefit period
	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	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](#).)

- Abortion (except in cases of rape, incest, or when life of mother is endangered)
- Bariatric surgery
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care (Adult)
- Infertility treatment
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Routine eye care (Adult)

Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your [plan](#) document.)

- Acupuncture (covered as an integrated cancer treatment only)
- Chiropractic care
- Hearing aids 1 wearable item per impaired ear per 3 years
- Private-duty nursing 5000 dollars per benefit period
- Routine foot care
- Weight loss programs

Your Rights to Continue Coverage: There are agencies that can help if you want to continue your coverage after it ends. The contact information for those agencies is: U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272 or www.dol.gov/ebsa, or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov, or Louisiana Department of Insurance, 1702 N 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802, Phone: 1-225-342-5900. Other options to continue coverage are 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.

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Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

[Minimum Essential Coverage](#) generally includes [plans](#), [health insurance](#) available through the [Marketplace](#) or other individual market policies, Medicare, Medicaid, CHIP, TRICARE, and certain other coverage. If you are eligible for certain types of [Minimum Essential Coverage](#), you may not be eligible for the [premium tax credit](#).

Does this plan meet the Minimum Value Standards? Not Applicable

If your [plan](#) doesn't meet the [Minimum Value Standards](#), you may be eligible for a [premium tax credit](#) to help you pay for a [plan](#) through the [Marketplace](#).

Language Access Services:

Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-833-282-2252.

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To see examples of how this [plan](#) might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.

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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)

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$0
■ Specialist copayment	\$35
■ Hospital (facility)	\$0
■ Other copayment	\$65

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

[Specialist](#) office visits (*prenatal care*)
 Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services
 Childbirth/Delivery Facility Services
[Diagnostic tests](#) (*ultrasounds and blood work*)
[Specialist](#) visit (*anesthesia*)

Total Example Cost	\$12,700
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In this example, Peg would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$0
Copayments	\$500
Coinsurance	\$1,700
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$2,260

Managing Joe's Type 2 Diabetes

(a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$0
■ Specialist copayment	\$35
■ Hospital (facility)	\$0
■ Other copayment	\$65

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

[Primary care physician](#) office visits (*including disease education*)
[Diagnostic tests](#) (*blood work*)
[Prescription drugs](#)
[Durable medical equipment](#) (*glucose meter*)

Total Example Cost	\$5,600
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In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$0
Copayments	\$1,100
Coinsurance	\$200
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$40
The total Joe would pay is	\$1,340

Mia's Simple Fracture

(in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

■ The plan's overall deductible	\$0
■ Specialist copayment	\$35
■ Hospital (facility)	\$0
■ Other copayment	\$65

This EXAMPLE event includes services like:

[Emergency room care](#) (*including medical supplies*)
[Diagnostic test](#) (*x-ray*)
[Durable medical equipment](#) (*crutches*)
[Rehabilitation services](#) (*physical therapy*)

Total Example Cost	\$2,800
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In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$0
Copayments	\$1,200
Coinsurance	\$200
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$1,400

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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 at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, phone: **1-800-368-1019 (TTY 1-800-537-7697)**. Complaint forms are available at <https://www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/ocr-cr-complaint-form-package.pdf>.

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