



## Choice PPO – Pennsylvania Employees Benefit Trust Fund Active Members

	Network Providers	Out-of-Network Providers *
<b>DEDUCTIBLE (per calendar year)</b> Annual in-network deductible must be paid first for the following services: imaging, hospital expenses (inpatient and outpatient) and medical/surgical expenses including physician services (except office visits), skilled nursing facility care and home health care.	\$400 single \$800 family	\$800 single \$1,600 family
<b>MEDICAL OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM (per calendar year)</b>	\$400 single \$800 family  Plus copayments	Deductible \$800 single / \$1,600 family  30% coinsurance of the next \$17,365 single/ \$34,731 family after which the plan pays at 100%
<b>COMBINED OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM (per calendar year)</b> When the Out-of-Pocket Maximum is reached, the PPO pays at 100% until the end of the benefit period.	\$10,600 single \$21,200 family  <i>Includes costs for medical, mental health and substance abuse benefits and prescription drug costs (cost difference between brand and generic does not apply).</i>  Includes deductibles, coinsurance, copayments and any other expenditure required of an individual which is a qualified medical expense for the essential health benefits.	\$10,600 single \$21,200 family  <i>Includes costs for medical, mental health and substance abuse benefits and prescription drug costs (cost difference between brand and generic does not apply).</i>  Includes deductibles, coinsurance and any other expenditure required of an individual which is a qualified medical expense for the essential health benefits. This does not include balance billing amounts for out-of-network providers but it does include out-of-network cost sharing.

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<b>PREVENTIVE CARE</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See the PEBTF Summary Plan Description (SPD) for a list of preventive benefits</li> </ul>	Covered 100% -- not subject to annual Deductible	70% plan payment; Member pays 30% If not available in-network, full cost shall be covered without any cost sharing
<b>MATERNITY SERVICES</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Office visits</li> </ul>	Covered 100% including first prenatal visit	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hospital and newborn care</li> </ul>	Covered 100% after Deductible	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<b>PHYSICIAN VISITS</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Office visits (family practice, general practice, internal medicine and pediatrics)</li> </ul>	\$20 Copayment per office visit	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specialist office visits</li> </ul>	\$45 Copayment per office visit	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnostic tests (imaging, X-ray, MRI, etc.), inpatient visits, surgery and anesthesia</li> </ul>	Covered 100% after Deductible	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnostic tests (lab)</li> </ul>	Covered 100%	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<b>OUTPATIENT THERAPIES</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outpatient physical &amp; occupational therapy</li> <li>Speech therapy (due to a medical diagnosis or for the diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorders, not for developmental)</li> <li>Cardiac rehabilitation (18 visits per year)</li> <li>Pulmonary rehabilitation (12 visits per year)</li> <li>Respiratory therapy</li> <li>Manipulation therapy (restorative, chiropractic – 6 Medically Necessary visits, then Treatment Plan submitted; not for maintenance of a condition)</li> </ul>	\$20 Copayment per visit	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<b>OTHER PROVIDER SERVICES</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Radiation therapy, chemotherapy, kidney dialysis (not covered at a Non-Network freestanding dialysis center)</li> <li>Gene therapy (in-network not subject to Deductible and Copayment)</li> <li>Home Health Care</li> <li>Outpatient Private Duty Nursing (240 hours per year/8 hours per day)</li> <li>Skilled Nursing Facility (240 days per year)</li> </ul>	Covered 100% after Deductible	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hospice (outpatient)</li> </ul>	Covered 100%	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hospice (inpatient)</li> </ul>	Covered 100% (365 days per admission)	Not covered
<b>OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL FACILITIES</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professional fees &amp; facility services, including: X-rays, pre-admission tests, radiation therapy, chemotherapy, kidney dialysis (not covered if provided in a Non-Network freestanding dialysis center – is covered at a Non-Network rate if it is a Non-Network hospital), anesthesia &amp; surgery</li> </ul>	Covered 100% after Deductible	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outpatient Diabetic Education</li> </ul>	Covered 100%	Not covered

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<b>INPATIENT HOSPITAL SERVICES</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Professional fees &amp; facility services including: room &amp; board &amp; other Covered Services (preauthorization is required for most services)</li> </ul>	Covered 100% after Deductible (365 days per benefit period)	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%  Non-Network: 70 days per calendar year
<b>EMERGENCY CARE</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Urgent care</li> </ul>	\$50 Copayment	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emergency treatment for accident or medical emergency</li> </ul>	\$200 emergency room Copayment (waived if the visit leads to an inpatient admission to the hospital); Deductible waived	\$200 emergency room Copayment (waived if the visit leads to an inpatient admission to the hospital); Deductible waived
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ambulance services for emergency care</li> </ul>	Covered 100%; Deductible waived	Covered 100%; Deductible waived
<b>DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rental or purchase of durable medical equipment, supplies, prosthetics &amp; orthotics, in accordance with the medical plan's DME policy</li> </ul>	Covered 100% if obtained by a Network supplier; Deductible waived  <b>NOTE:</b> Equipment or supplies dispensed in a physician's office or emergency room setting, provided as part of Home Health Care, Skilled Nursing Facility care or Hospice services; or as part of covered dialysis and home dialysis will be paid by your PPO at 100% after Deductible, if it is billed by the Provider and not by a DME supplier. Your Provider may dispense the equipment and will bill your PPO. For example, if you receive a knee brace or crutches at the emergency room, it is paid at 100% after Deductible.  If your doctor writes a prescription for a DME item, you should obtain it from a Network supplier to get the highest level of benefits.	70% plan payment; Member pays 30%; Deductible waived if obtained by an out-of-network supplier
<b>LIFETIME MAXIMUM BENEFIT</b>	Unlimited	Unlimited

\*Participating providers agree to accept the PPO plan allowance as payment in full, often less than their normal charge. If you visit a non-participating provider, you are responsible for paying the deductible, coinsurance and the difference between the provider's charges and the plan allowance.

**NOTE:** All benefits are limited to covered services that are determined by the PPO to be medically necessary.

**This chart is intended as an easy-to-read summary. Benefits, limitations, and exclusions are provided in accordance with the PEBTF Summary Plan Description.**

## **Pre-certification List**

Under the PEBTF Choice PPO plan, pre-certification is required for certain types of care. Pre-certification is a review of certain doctor-recommended inpatient admissions and other services. This review is done before the care is provided. Its purpose is to ensure that the care is necessary and appropriate for the medical condition or problem involved.

### **Services that require pre-certification, regardless of whether they are performed as inpatient or outpatient:**

- All non-emergency inpatient admissions, including acute care, long-term acute care, skilled nursing facilities, and rehabilitation hospitals. Emergency admissions require notification within 48 hours.
- Air ambulance transports.
- Any reconstructive surgery for the treatment of a medical disease, injury, accident or congenital anomaly.
- Outpatient rehabilitation therapies including physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, respiratory therapy and manipulation therapy. The completion of a treatment plan is required for manipulation therapies to be covered beyond the initial six (6) visits.
- Home Health Care – a treatment plan must be submitted for review
- Home Infusion Therapy – requires preauthorization.
- Transplant evaluation and services – preauthorization will include referral assistance by the National Medical Excellence program to the Institutes of Excellence for Transplant network, if appropriate.
- Non-emergency high technology radiology services, including without limitation magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), magnetic resonance angiography (MRA), computed tomography (CT) scanning, position emission tomography (PET) scanning, and cardiac nuclear imaging.

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