

2024 Summary of Benefits

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Cigna Preferred Medicare (HMO) H9725-009-003

No referrals required

Service Area:

Alleghany, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, Rockingham, Stokes, Wilkes, and Yadkin counties, **NC**



Introduction

This Summary of Benefits gives you a summary of what **Cigna Preferred Medicare (HMO)** covers and what you pay. It doesn't list every service that we cover or every limitation or exclusion. To get a complete list of services we cover, refer to the plan's *Evidence of Coverage* (EOC) online at **CignaMedicare.com**, or call us to request a copy.

To Join

To join this plan, you must be entitled to Medicare Part A, be enrolled in Medicare Part B, and live in our service area.

Comparing coverage

If you want to compare our plan with other Medicare health plans, ask the other plans for their *Summary of Benefits*. Or use the *Medicare Plan Finder* on **www.medicare.gov**.

More about Original Medicare

If you want to know more about the coverage and costs of Original Medicare, look in your current *Medicare & You* handbook.

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1 | About This Plan

Which doctors, hospitals, and pharmacies can I use?

Cigna Preferred Medicare (HMO) has a network of doctors, hospitals, and other providers. If you use providers that are not in our network, the plan may not pay for these services.

You must generally use network pharmacies to fill your prescriptions for covered Part D drugs.

You can see our plan's Provider and Pharmacy Directory at our website CignaMedicare.com.

What do we cover?

Like all Medicare health plans, we cover everything Original Medicare covers—and more.

- Our customers get all the benefits covered by Original Medicare.
- Our customers also get more than what is covered by Original Medicare. Some of the extra benefits are outlined in this Summary of Benefits.

We cover Part D drugs. In addition, we cover Part B drugs such as chemotherapy and some drugs administered by your provider.

- You can see the plan's complete Comprehensive Prescription Drug List, which lists the Part D prescription drugs along with any restrictions on our website, CignaMedicare.com.
- Or call us, and we will send you a copy of the plan's Comprehensive Prescription Drug List.

2 | Monthly Premium, Deductible, and Limits

Benefit	Cigna Preferred Medicare (HMO)			
Monthly Plan Premium	\$0 per month. In addition, you must keep paying your Medicare Part B premium. This plan does not have a deductible.			
Medical Deductible				
Maximum Out-of-Pocket Amount (does not include prescription drugs)	Your yearly out-of-pocket limit(s) in this plan: \$3,900 applies to in-network Medicare-covered benefits This limit is the most you pay for copays, coinsurance, and other costs for Medicare-covered services for the year. If you reach the limit on out-of-pocket costs, you will keep getting in-network Medicare-covered hospital and medical services, and we will pay the full cost for the rest of the year. Please note that you will still need to pay your monthly premiums, if any, and cost-sharing for your Part D prescription drugs.			

3 | Covered Medical and Hospital Benefits

Benefit	What You Pay					
Note: Services with a 'may require prior authorization. Services with a ² may require a referral from your doctor.						
Inpatient Hospital Coverage ¹						
Except in an emergency, your doctor must tell the plan that you are going to be admitted to the hospital. For each Medicare-covered hospital stay,	\$325 copay per day for days I-6 \$0 copay per day for days 7-90					
you are required to pay the applicable cost sharing, starting with Day I, each time you are admitted.						
Outpatient Hospital Services						
Outpatient Hospital ¹ \$0-\$310 copay						
Outpatient Observation ^I	\$310 copay per stay					
Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC) Services						
ASC Services ¹	\$0-\$275 copay					
Doctor Visits						
Primary Care Provider (PCP)	\$0 copay for primary care doctor in-person or telehealth visits					
Specialists ¹	\$25 copay					

Benefit What You Pay Preventive Care Our plan covers many Medicare-covered **\$0** copay preventive services, including: Any additional preventive services approved Abdominal aortic aneurysm screening by Medicare during the contract year will be Alcohol misuse screenings and counseling covered. Please see your *EOC* for frequency of covered services. > Bone mass measurement > Breast cancer screening (mammogram) Cardiovascular disease (behavioral therapy) Cardiovascular screenings Cervical and vaginal cancer screening Colorectal cancer screening (colonoscopy, fecal occult blood test, multi-target stool DNA tests, screening barium enemas, flexible sigmoidoscopy) Depression screenings Diabetes screenings Diabetes self-management training Glaucoma tests > Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) infection screening Hepatitis C screening

> HIV screening

- Lung cancer screening with low-dose computed tomography (LDCT)
- > Medical nutrition therapy services
- Obesity screening and counseling
- Prostate cancer screenings (PSA)
- Sexually transmitted infections screening and counseling
- Smoking and tobacco use cessation counseling (counseling for people with no sign of tobacco-related disease)
- Vaccines, including COVID-19, flu shots, hepatitis B shots, and pneumococcal shots
- Welcome to Medicare preventive visit (one time)
- > Yearly Wellness visit

Benefit	What You Pay		
Emergency Care			
Emergency Care Services	\$120 copay		
	If you are admitted to the hospital within 24 hours for the same condition, you do not have to pay your share of the cost for emergency care.		
Worldwide Emergency/Urgent	\$120 copay		
Coverage/Emergency Transportation	Maximum worldwide coverage amount \$50,000		
Urgently Needed Services			
Urgent Care Services	\$60 copay		
	If you are admitted to the hospital within 24 hours for the same condition, you do not have to pay your share of the cost for urgent care.		
Diagnostic Services, Labs, and Imaging Costs for these services may vary based on pla	ace of service or type of service		
Diagnostic Procedures and Tests ¹	\$0-\$20 copay		
Lab Services ¹	\$0 copay		
Genetic Testing ^I	20% coinsurance		
Diagnostic Radiological Services (MRIs, CT scans, etc.) ¹	\$0-\$195 copay		
Therapeutic Radiological Services	20% coinsurance		
X-ray Services	\$0-\$25 copay		
Hearing Services			
Hearing Exams (Medicare-covered)	\$25 copay		
Diagnostic hearing and balance evaluations performed by your provider to determine if you need medical treatment are covered as outpatient care when furnished by a physician, audiologist, or other qualified provider. A separate physician cost-share will apply if additional services requiring cost-sharing are rendered.			
Routine Hearing Exams	\$0 copay for one routine hearing exam every year		

Benefit	What You Pay		
Hearing Aid Fitting/Evaluation	\$0 copay for one fitting/evaluation for hearing aid every year		
Hearing Aids	\$399-\$1,800 copay per device, limited to 2 devices every year. Actual cost-share will depend on hearing aid selected.		
Dental Services (Medicare-covered)			
Limited dental services (this does not include services in connection with care, treatment, filling, removal, or replacement of teeth)	\$25 copay		
Preventive and Comprehensive Dental Service	ces (Routine)		
Dental Allowance	\$0 copay up to allowance amount		
Routine preventive and comprehensive dental services with a licensed dentist who is not precluded or excluded from Medicare. Benefit does not cover cosmetic services. Provider submits claim to Cigna Dental Health.			
*Limitations, exclusions, and restrictions may apply.			
Maximum Coverage Amount	\$1,600 combined allowance for routine preventive and comprehensive dental services every year		
Vision Services			
Eye Exams (Medicare-covered)	\$0 copay for Medicare-covered diabetic		
A separate physician cost-share may apply if additional services requiring cost-sharing are rendered (e.g., but not limited to, if a medical eye condition is discovered during a preventive routine eye exam). A facility cost-share may apply for procedures performed at an outpatient surgical center.	retinopathy screening \$25 copay for all other Medicare-covered vision services		
Routine Eye Exam	\$0 copay for one routine exam every year		
One routine eye exam (including eye refraction) per year. Eye refractions outside of the annual routine eye exam are not covered. Vision services must be obtained from a provider within Cigna Healthcare's vision vendor network to be covered.			
Glaucoma Screening (Medicare-covered)	\$0 copay		

Benefit	What You Pay		
Eyewear (Medicare-covered)	\$0 copay		
Routine Eyewear > Eyeglasses (lenses and frames)	\$0 copay up to plan maximum coverage amount of \$250 every year		
 Eyeglass lenses Eyeglass frames Contact lenses (including contact lens fitting) Upgrades 	The plan-specified allowance may be applied to one set of the member's choice of eyewear once per year, to include the eyeglass frame/lenses/lens options combination or contact lenses (to include related professional fees) in lieu of eyeglasses.		
Mental Health Services			
Inpatient ⁱ	\$595 copay per day for days I-3		
Except in an emergency, your doctor must tell the plan that you are going to be admitted to the hospital.	\$0 copay per day for days 4-90		
For each Medicare-covered hospital stay, you are required to pay the applicable cost sharing, starting with Day I, each time you are admitted.			
Outpatient Individual or Group Therapy Visit ^I	\$0 copay		
Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) ¹			
Our plan covers up to 100 days per	\$10 copay per day for days I-20		
benefit period.	\$203 copay per day for days 21-60		
	\$0 copay per day for days 61-100		
Rehabilitation Services			
Cardiac (Heart) Rehab Services	\$10 copay		
Intensive Cardiac (Heart) Rehab Services	\$10 copay		
Pulmonary Rehab Services	\$10 copay		
Occupational Therapy Services	\$25 copay		
Physical Therapy and Speech/Language Therapy Services	\$25 copay		
Physical Therapy and Speech/Language Therapy Telehealth Services	\$0 copay		

Benefit	What You Pay			
Ambulance ¹				
Ground Service (one-way trip)	\$270 copay			
Air Service (one-way trip)	20% coinsurance			
Transportation (Routine)				
Routine, non-emergency transportation for up to 70-mile one-way trips to and from approved health-related locations. Prior authorization is required for trips exceeding 70 miles. Customers are required to coordinate with Cigna Healthcare's vendor for routine transportation to plan-approved locations at least 48 hours in advance. Mileage restrictions may apply. See EOC for full details and restrictions related to this benefit.	\$0 copay for 24 one-way trips every year			
Medicare Part B Drugs				
Medicare Part B Insulin Drugs	0%–20% coinsurance; up to a \$35 copay			
Medicare Part B Chemotherapy/Radiation Drugs ¹	0%-20% coinsurance			
Other Medicare Part B Drugs ¹	0%-20% coinsurance			
Medicare-covered Part B Drugs may be subject to step therapy requirements.	This plan has Part D prescription drug coverage. See Section 4 in the <i>Summary of Benefits</i> .			
Acupuncture Services				
Acupuncture Services (Medicare-covered) ¹ Services for chronic lower back pain.	\$20 copay			
Acupuncture Services (Routine)	Not covered			
Chiropractic Care				
Chiropractic Services (Medicare-covered) ¹	\$20 copay			
Routine Chiropractic Services	Not covered			

Benefit	What You Pay			
Fitness and Wellness Programs				
The Silver&Fit® Healthy Aging and Exercise program offers the flexibility of a fitness center membership, digital fitness tools, and one home fitness kit from a variety of kit options, including a wearable fitness tracker. You can also take advantage of digital workout plans available on the program's website, get one-on-one Healthy Aging Coaching by phone, video, or chat, and enjoy many other digital resources through the Well-Being Club.	\$0 copay			
Foot Care (Podiatry Services)				
Podiatry Services (Medicare-covered)	\$25 copay			
Routine Podiatry Services	Not covered			
Health Information Line				
Talk one-on-one with a Nurse Advocate* to get timely answers to your health-related questions at no additional cost, anytime day or night. The Health Information Line is not a substitute for calling 9II. If you are experiencing a health care emergency, please call 9II or go to your nearest emergency room.	\$0 copay			
*Nurse Advocates hold current nursing licensure in a minimum of one state but are not practicing nursing or providing any medical advice.				
Home-Delivered Meals				
	\$0 copay for home-delivered meals			
	Limited to I4 meals per discharge from a qualified hospital stay or skilled nursing facility (up to 3 stays per year). ESRD care management is limited to 56 meals once per year.			
Home Health Care ¹				
Home Health	\$0 copay			

Benefit	What You Pay			
Hospice				
Hospice care must be provided by a Medicare-certified hospice program.	\$0 copay			
Our plan covers hospice consultation services (one time only) before you select hospice. Hospice is covered outside of our plan. You may have to pay part of the cost for drugs and respite care. Please contact the plan for more details.				
Medical Equipment and Supplies				
Durable Medical Equipment (wheelchairs, oxygen, etc.) ¹	20% coinsurance			
Prosthetic Devices (braces, artificial limbs, etc.) ¹	20% coinsurance			
Medical Supplies ¹	20% coinsurance			
Diabetic Services and Supplies	\$0 copay for diabetes self-management training			
Brand limitations apply to certain supplies.	20 % coinsurance for therapeutic shoes or inserts ¹			
Blood sugar monitor/continuous glucose monitor (CGM) preferred brands include:	\$0 copay for diabetic monitoring supplies ¹			
 Abbott Diabetes Care: FreeStyle Lite, FreeStyle Freedom Lite, FreeStyle Precision Neo, FreeStyle Libre 2 (CGM), and FreeStyle Libre I4-Day (CGM) Life Scan Diabetes Care: OneTouch Ultra 2, OneTouch Verio Flex, and OneTouch Verio Reflect Dexcom: Dexcom G6 (CGM), Dexcom G7 (CGM) 				
Opioid Treatment Services				
FDA-approved treatment medications in addition to testing, counseling, and therapy.	\$25 copay			
Outpatient Substance Abuse ¹				
Individual or Group Therapy Visit	\$25 copay			
Over-the-Counter (OTC) Allowance				
Allowance for covered OTC drugs and other health-related pharmacy products	\$75 every 3 months			

Telehealth Services (Medicare-covered)	
For non-emergency urgent care, talk with a telehealth doctor via smart phone, computer, or tablet for care, including allergies, cough, headache, sore throat, and other minor illnesses. Benefit also includes telehealth mental health therapy and dermatology services.	\$0 copay for non-emergency urgent care virtual visits \$0 copay for mental health therapy virtual visits \$25 copay for dermatology care virtual visits
Extra Benefits Included in Your Plan	
Annual Physical Exam	\$0 copay
Cigna Healthy Today Card Use your pre-loaded Cigna Healthy Today card for easy access to incentives, rewards, and select benefits* that may be part of your plan. *Benefits, coverage, and amounts vary by plan. Limitations, exclusions, and restrictions may apply.	Based on your plan's allowance and frequency amounts, funds will be loaded on your Cigna Healthy Today card automatically. Allowance amounts do not carry over to the next quarter or the following year.
Cigna Medicare Advantage Incentives With the Cigna Medicare Advantage incentives program, you can earn money for completing certain healthy activities. After completing your yearly health check- up, you can qualify for additional incentives as determined by your plan and provider. Reward dollars are intended to be used on health and wellness products only.	You can earn up to \$100 , which is loaded on your Cigna Healthy Today card, for completing certain healthy activities.

What You Pay

Benefit

4 | Prescription Drug Benefits

Medicare Part D Drugs

Pharmacy (Part D) Deductible

This plan does not have a deductible.

Initial Coverage

The following charts show the cost-sharing amounts for Part D drugs covered under this plan. After you pay any yearly Part D deductible, you pay the following until your total yearly drug costs reach \$5,030. Total yearly drug costs are

the total drug costs paid by both you and a Part D plan.

Your costs may be different if you qualify for Extra Help. Your copay or coinsurance is based on the drug tier for your medication, which you can find in the plan Comprehensive Prescription Drug List on our website CignaMedicare.com. Or call us, and we will send you a copy of the Comprehensive Prescription Drug List.

		Mail Order Cost-Sharing		Retail Cost-Sharing	
Tier	Supply	Preferred	Standard	Preferred	Standard
Tier I	30-day	\$ O	\$10	\$ O	\$10
Preferred	60-day	\$ O	\$20	\$ O	\$20
Generic Drugs	90-day	\$ O	\$30	\$ O	\$30
Tier 2	30-day	\$4	\$20	\$4	\$20
Generic Drugs	60-day	\$8	\$40	\$8	\$40
	90-day	\$ O	\$60	\$12	\$60
Tier 3	30-day	\$45	\$47	\$45	\$47
Preferred Brand Drugs	60-day	\$90	\$94	\$90	\$94
	90-day	\$135	\$141	\$135	\$141
Tier 4	30-day	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
Non-Preferred Drugs	60-day	\$200	\$200	\$200	\$200
	90-day	\$300	\$300	\$300	\$300
Tier 5	30-day	33%	33%	33%	33%
Specialty Drugs	60-day	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
	90-day	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

Cost-sharing may vary depending on the customer's Part D coverage phase. Costs may differ based on pharmacy type or status, for example, preferred/non-preferred, mail order, long-term care (LTC), home infusion, and 30- or 90-day supply.

You may get your drugs at preferred or standard network retail pharmacies or preferred mail order pharmacies. Your prescription drug copay will typically be less at a preferred network pharmacy because it has a preferred agreement with your plan.

You can get your prescription from an out-ofnetwork pharmacy, but you may pay more than you would pay at an in-network pharmacy. If you reside in a long-term care facility, you would pay the standard retail cost-sharing at an in-network pharmacy.

Coverage Gap

Most Medicare prescription drug plans have a Coverage Gap (also called the Donut Hole). This means there is a temporary change in what you will pay for your Part D drugs. The Coverage Gap begins after your total yearly prescription drug costs (including what a Part D plan has paid and what you have paid) reach \$5,030. Not everyone will enter the Coverage Gap.

After you enter the Coverage Gap, you pay a maximum of **25**% of the plan's cost for covered brand name drugs and covered generic drugs until your costs total **\$8,000**, which is the end of the Coverage Gap.

This plan offers some additional prescription drug coverage for Tier I drugs in the Coverage Gap. See the table below to find out how much you will pay.

Catastrophic Coverage

You qualify for the Catastrophic Coverage Stage when your out-of-pocket costs have reached the **\$8,000** limit for the calendar year. Once you are in the Catastrophic Coverage Stage, you will pay **\$0** for all covered Part D drugs through the end of the calendar year.

		Mail Order Cost-Sharing		Retail Cost-Sharing	
Tier	Supply	Preferred	Standard	Preferred	Standard
Tier I Preferred Generic Drugs	30-day	\$ O	\$10	\$ O	\$10
	60-day	\$O	\$20	\$ O	\$20
	90-day	\$O	\$30	\$ O	\$30

What You Pay for Insulin

- > You won't pay more than \$35 for a one-month supply of each insulin product covered by our plan, no matter what cost-sharing tier it's on.
- > If your insulin is on a tier where cost-sharing is lower than \$35, you will pay the lower cost for your insulin.
- If your plan has a Part D deductible, the above will apply even if you haven't paid your deductible.

Select benefits may not be available in all service areas without a monthly premium. Some plans may include these benefits under the monthly premium. Benefits, features, and/or devices vary by plan/service area. Limitations, exclusions, and restrictions may apply. Contact the plan for more information.

Benefits, premiums, and/or copayments/coinsurance may change on January I of each year. You must continue to pay your Medicare Part B premium. Individuals may enroll in a plan only during specific times of the year and must have Medicare Parts A and B.

Out-of-network/non-contracted providers are under no obligation to treat plan members except in emergency situations. Please call our Customer Service number or see your *Evidence of Coverage* for more information, including the cost-sharing that applies to out-of-network services.

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