

Luzerne Intermediate Unit 18 PPO 10213751, 10213752, 10213753

On the chart below, you'll see what your plan pays for specific services. You may be responsible for a facility fee, clinic charge or similar fee or charge (in addition to any professional fees) if your office visit or service is provided at a location that qualifies as a hospital department or a satellite building of a hospital.

Benefit	In Network	Out of Network
General Provisions		
Effective Date	January 1, 2025	
Benefit Period(1)	Calendar Year	
Deductible (per benefit period)		
Individual	\$150	\$450
Family	\$450	\$1,350
Plan Pays – payment based on the plan allowance	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Out-of-Pocket Limit (Once met, plan pays 100% coinsurance for the rest of the benefit period)		
Individual	none	\$3,000
Family	none	\$6,000
Total Maximum Out-of-Pocket (Includes deductible, coinsurance, copays, and other qualified medical expenses, Network only) (2) Once met, the plan pays 100% of covered services for the rest of the benefit period.		
Individual	\$3,300	not applicable
Family	\$6,600	not applicable
Office/Clinic/Urgent Care Visits		
Retail Clinic Visits & Virtual Visits	100% after \$10 copay	50% after deductible
Primary Care Provider Office Visits & Virtual Visits	100% after \$10 copay	50% after deductible
Specialist Office Visits & Virtual Visits	100% after \$25 copay	50% after deductible
Virtual Visit Originating Site Fee	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Urgent Care Center Visits	100% after \$25 copay	50% after deductible
	Copayment, if any, does not apply to Urgent Care Center Visits prescribed for the treatment of Mental Health or Substance Use Disorder	
Telemedicine Services (3)	100% after \$10 copay	not covered
Preventive Care (4)		
Routine Adult		
Physical Exams	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Adult Immunizations	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Routine Gynecological Exams, including a Pap Test	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% (deductible does not apply)
Breast Cancer Screenings (annual routine and supplemental)	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% (deductible does not apply)
BRCA-Related Genetic Counseling and Genetic Testing	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Colorectal Cancer Screening	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Diagnostic Services and Procedures	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Nutritional Therapy	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
	Limit: 6 visits per benefit period. Covered for any diagnosis	
Prostate Cancer Screening	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% (deductible does not apply)
Routine Pediatric		
Physical Exams	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Pediatric Immunizations	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% (deductible does not apply)
Diagnostic Services and Procedures	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% after deductible
Emergency Services		
Emergency Room Services(5)	100% after \$35 copay (waived if admitted)	
Ambulance- Emergency and Non-Emergency (6)	80% (deductible does not apply) for emergencies 80% after deductible for non-emergencies	80% (deductible does not apply) for emergencies 80% after deductible for non-emergencies
Hospital and Medical / Surgical Expenses (including maternity)(5)		
Hospital Inpatient	100% after deductible	50% after deductible

Benefit	In Network	Out of Network
Short-Term Inpatient Rehabilitation	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	Limit: Unlimited	
Hospital Outpatient	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Outpatient Surgery (facility)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Surgical Services (professional)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Maternity (non-preventive facility & professional services) including dependent daughter	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Medical Care (including inpatient visits and consultations)/Surgical Expenses	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Therapy and Rehabilitation Services		
Physical Medicine	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 36 visits/benefit period aggregate with speech therapy and occupational therapy - Limit does not apply when Therapy Services are prescribed for the treatment of Mental Health or Substance Use Disorder	
Respiratory Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Speech Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 36 visits/benefit period aggregate with occupational therapy and physical medicine - Limit does not apply when Therapy Services are prescribed for the treatment of Mental Health or Substance Use Disorder	
Occupational Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 36 visits/benefit period aggregate with speech therapy and physical medicine - Limit does not apply when Therapy Services are prescribed for the treatment of Mental Health or Substance Use Disorder	
Spinal Manipulations	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 12 visits/benefit period. No age limit	
Cardiac Rehabilitation Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: unlimited	
Infusion Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Chemotherapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Radiation Therapy	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Dialysis	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Mental Health / Substance Abuse		
Inpatient Mental Health Services	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Inpatient Detoxification / Rehabilitation	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Outpatient Mental Health Services (includes virtual behavioral health visits)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Outpatient Substance Abuse Services	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Other Services		
Allergy Extracts and Injections	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Autism Spectrum Disorder Including Applied Behavior Analysis (7)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	Limit: \$40,000 per benefit period	
Assisted Fertilization Procedures (Limited to Artificial Insemination - 3 attempts per lifetime)	not covered	not covered
Dental Services Related to Accidental Injury	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Diabetes Treatment		
Equipment and Supplies	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Diabetes Education Program	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Diabetes Care Management Program (DCMP) - Digitally Monitored, includes telehealth consult for the A1C test	100% (deductible does not apply) continuous glucose monitor sprints are limited to three (3) per benefit period.	Not covered
DCMP - All Other Telehealth Consults	100% (deductible does not apply)	Not covered
Diagnostic Services		
Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET scan, etc.)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Basic Diagnostic Services (standard imaging, diagnostic medical, lab/pathology, allergy testing)	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Durable Medical Equipment, Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Ostomy Supplies	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	Limit: No dollar limit	
Home Health Care	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Hospice	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 180 days/lifetime	
Infertility Counseling, Testing	100% after deductible	50% after deductible

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	Testing to determine infertility only	
Mammograms, Medically Necessary	100% (deductible does not apply)	50% (deductible does not apply)
Private Duty Nursing	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 240 hours/benefit period	
Skilled Nursing Facility Care	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
	limit: 100 days/benefit period	
Transplant Services	100% after deductible	50% after deductible
Precertification Requirements (8)	Yes	Yes

This is not a contract. This benefits summary presents plan highlights only. Please refer to the policy/ plan documents, as limitations and exclusions apply. The policy/ plan documents control in the event of a conflict with this benefits summary.

(1) Your group's benefit period is based on a Calendar Year which runs from January 1 to December 31.

(2) The Network Total Maximum Out-of-Pocket (TMOOP) is mandated by the federal government. TMOOP must include deductible, coinsurance, copays, and any qualified medical expense. Prescription drug expenses are subject to a separate prescription drug TMOOP.

(3) Telemedicine Services (acute care for minor illnesses available on-demand 24/7) must be performed by a Highmark Designated Telemedicine Provider. Additional services provided by a Designated Telemedicine Provider are paid according to the benefit category that they fall under (e.g. PCP is eligible under the PCP Office Visit benefit, Behavioral Health is eligible under the Outpatient Mental Health Services benefit).

(4) Services are limited to those listed on the Highmark Preventive Schedule with enhancements (Women's Health Preventive Schedule may apply).

(5) Benefits for Emergency Care Services rendered by an Out-of-Network Provider will be paid at the Network services level. Benefits for Hospital Services or Medical Care Services rendered by an Out-of-Network Provider to a member requiring an inpatient admission or observation immediately following receipt of Emergency Care Services will be paid at the Network services level. The member will not be responsible for any amounts billed by the Out-of-Network Provider that are in excess of the plan allowance for such services.

(6) Air Ambulance services rendered by out-of-network providers will be covered at the highest network level of benefits.

(7) Diagnostic assessment to diagnose Autism Spectrum Disorders may be performed by a licensed physician, licensed physician assistant, licensed psychologist or certified registered nurse practitioner. Diagnostic assessments performed by a licensed physician, licensed physician assistant or certified registered nurse practitioner will be covered as specified in the Office Visit benefit category. Diagnostic assessments performed by a licensed psychologist will be covered as specified in the Mental Health Care Services- Outpatient benefit category. Applied Behavioral Analysis for the treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders will be covered as specified above. All other Covered Services for the treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders will be covered according to the benefit category(e.g. speech therapy, diagnostic services). Services for the treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders do not reduce visit/day limits. If ASD benefit period dollar maximum applies, only non-essential health benefits will accumulate

(8) If you receive services from an out-of-area provider or an out-of-network provider, you must contact Highmark Utilization Management prior to a planned inpatient admission, prior to receiving certain outpatient services or within 48 hours of an emergency or unplanned inpatient admission to obtain any required precertification. If precertification is not obtained and it is later determined that all or part of the services received were not medically necessary or appropriate, you will be responsible for the payment of any costs not covered by your health plan.

Health benefits or health benefit administration may be provided by or through Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, First Priority Health or First Priority Life, all of which are independent licensees of the Blue Cross Blue Shield Association.

Discrimination is Against the Law

The claims administrator complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. The claims administrator does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

The claims administrator:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact the Civil Rights Coordinator.

If you believe that the claims administrator has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, including sex stereotypes and gender identity, you can file a grievance with: Civil Rights Coordinator, P.O. Box 22492, Pittsburgh, PA 15222, Phone: 1-866-286-8295, TTY: 711, Fax: 412-544-2475, email: CivilRightsCoordinator@highmarkhealth.org. You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, the Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201
1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

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

Please note that your employer – and not the claims administrator – is entirely responsible for determining member eligibility and for the design of your plan/program; including, any exclusion or limitation described in the benefit Booklet.

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call the number on the back of your ID card (TTY: 711).

ATENCIÓN: Si usted habla español, servicios de asistencia lingüística, de forma gratuita, están disponibles para usted. Llame al número en la parte posterior de su tarjeta de identificación (TTY: 711).

请注意：如果您说中文，可向您提供免费语言协助服务。
请拨打您的身份证背面的号码（TTY：711）。

CHỦ Ý: Nếu quý vị nói tiếng Việt, chúng tôi cung cấp dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí cho quý vị. Xin gọi số điện thoại ở mặt sau thẻ ID của quý vị (TTY: 711).

ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите по-русски, вы можете воспользоваться бесплатными услугами языковой поддержки. Позвоните по номеру, указанному на обороте вашей идентификационной карты (номер для текст-телефонных устройств (TTY): 711).

Geb Acht: Wann du Deutsch schwetzsch, kannst du en Dolmetscher griegen, un iss die Hilf Koschdefrei. Kannst du die Nummer an deine ID Kard dahinner uffrue (TTY: 711).

알림: 한국어를 사용하시는 분들을 위해 무료 통역이 제공됩니다. ID 카드 뒷면에 있는 번호로 전화하십시오 (TTY: 711).

ATTENZIONE: se parla italiano, per lei sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica a titolo gratuito. Contatti il numero riportato sul retro della sua carta d'identità (TTY: 711).

تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية، فهناك خدمات المساعدة في اللغة المجانية متاحة لك. اتصل بالرقم الموجود خلف بطاقة هويتك (جهاز الاتصال لذوي صعوبات السمع والنطق: 711).

ATTENTION: Si vous parlez français, les services d'assistance linguistique, gratuitement, sont à votre disposition. Appelez le numéro au dos de votre carte d'identité (TTY: 711).

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, steht Ihnen unsere fremdsprachliche Unterstützung kostenlos zur Verfügung. Rufen Sie dazu die auf der Rückseite Ihres Versicherungsausweises (TTY: 711) aufgeführte Nummer an.

ધ્યાન આપશો: જો તમે ગુજરાતી ભાષા બોલતા હો, તો ભાષા સહાયતા સેવાઓ, મફતમાં તમને ઉપલબ્ધ છે. તમારા ઓળખપત્રના પાછળના ભાગે આવેલા નંબર પર ફોન કરો (TTY: 711).

UWAGA: Dla osób mówiących po polsku dostępna jest bezpłatna pomoc językowa. Zadzwoń pod numer podany na odwrocie karty ubezpieczenia zdrowotnego (TTY: 711).

Kominike : Si se Kreyòl Ayisyen ou pale, gen sèvis entèprèt, gratis-ticheri, ki la pou ede w. Rele nan nimewo ki nan do kat idantite w la (TTY: 711).

ប្រការចងចាំ: បើលោកអ្នកនិយាយ ភាសាខ្មែរ ហើយត្រូវការសេវាភាសាដើមដែលអាចផ្តល់ជូនលោកអ្នកដោយឥតគិតថ្លៃ។ សូមទូរស័ព្ទទៅលេខដែលមាននៅលើខ្នងកាតសម្គាល់របស់លោកអ្នក (TTY: 711) ។

ATENÇÃO: Se a sua língua é o português, temos atendimento gratuito para você no seu idioma. Ligue para o número no verso da sua identidade (TTY: 711).

ATENSYON: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, may makukuha kang mga libreng serbisyon tulong sa wika. Tawagan ang numero sa likod ng iyong ID card (TTY: 711).

注：日本語が母国語の方は言語アシスタンス・サービスを無料でご利用いただけます。ID カードの裏に明記されている番号に電話をおかけください (TTY: 711)。

توجه: اگر شما به زبان فارسی صحبت می کنید، خدمات کمک زبان، به صورت رایگان، در دسترس شماست. با شماره واقع در پشت کارت شناسایی خود (TTY: 711) تماس بگیرید.

BAA ÁKONÍNÍZIN: Diné k'ehgo yánílti'go, language assistance services, éí t'áá níik'eh, bee níká a'doowoł, éí bee ná'ahóót'i'. ID bee nééhózingo nanitinígíí bine'déé' (TTY: 711) jį' hodiilnih.

ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिनदी बोलते हैं, तो आपके लिये निःशुल्क भाषा सहायता सेवा उपलब्ध है। आपके सदस्य पहचान (ID) कार्ड के पीछे दिए गए नंबर पर फोन करें। (TTY: 711).

توجه فرمائیں: اگر آپ اردو بولتے ہیں، زبان معاونت سروس، مفت میں آپ کے لیے دستیاب ہے۔ اپنے شناختی کارڈ کی پشت پر درج شدہ نمبر پر کال کریں (TTY: 711)۔

గమనిక: మీరు తెలుగు మాట్లాడితే, లాగ్ వేక్ అసినీషన్ సర్వీసెస్, ఛార్జి లేకుండా, మీకు అందుబాటులో ఉన్నాయి. మీ మెంబర్ ఐడెంటిఫికేషన్ కార్డు (ఐడి) వెనుక ఉన్న నంబరుకు కాల్ చేయండి (TTY: 711).

โปรดทราบ: หากคุณพูด ไทย, มีบริการช่วยเหลือด้านภาษาให้ทุก โดยไม่มีค่าใช้จ่าย โทรไปยังหมายเลขที่อยู่ด้านหลังบัตรประจำตัวประชาชนของคุณ (TTY: 711)

ध्यान दनुहोस्: यदतिपाई नेपाली भाषा बोलनुहुन्छ भने, तपाईंका लागि भाषा सहायता सेवाहरू निःशुल्क उपलब्ध हुन्छन्। तपाईंको आइडी कार्डको पछाडि आगमा रहेको नम्बर (TTY: 711) मा फोन गर्नुहोस्।

Aandacht: Indien u Nederlands spreekt, is de taaladviesdienst gratis beschikbaar voor u. Bel het nummer op de achterkant van uw identificatie (ID) kaart (TTY: 711).