


# Ector County Health Benefit Plan

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What You Pay For Covered Services

Coverage Period: 10/1/2020-9/30/2021

Coverage for: All levels Plan Type: PPO

 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, visit [www.groupresources.com](http://www.groupresources.com). 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 <https://www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary> or call 1-800-749-9963 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall <a href="#">deductible</a> ?	\$441 employee \$882 employee plus one dependent \$1,333 family	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from providers up to the <a href="#">deductible</a> amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family members on the plan, each family member must meet their own individual <a href="#">deductible</a> until the total amount of the <a href="#">deductible</a> expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family <a href="#">deductible</a> .
Are there services covered before you meet your <a href="#">deductible</a> ?	Yes. The <a href="#">deductible</a> does not apply to prescriptions, home health care, hospice care, or to <a href="#">preventive services</a> .	This <a href="#">plan</a> covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the <a href="#">deductible</a> amount. But a <a href="#">co-payment</a> or <a href="#">coinsurance</a> may apply. For example, this <a href="#">plan</a> covers certain <a href="#">preventive services</a> without <a href="#">cost-sharing</a> and before you meet your <a href="#">deductible</a> . See a list of covered preventive services at <a href="https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/">https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/</a> .
Are there other <a href="#">deductibles</a> for specific services?	No	You don't have to meet <a href="#">deductibles</a> for specific services.
What is the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> for this <a href="#">plan</a> ?	\$3,057 per person	The <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. If you have other family members in this <a href="#">plan</a> , they have to meet their own <a href="#">out-of-pocket limits</a> until the overall family <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> has been met.
What is not included in the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> ?	<a href="#">Deductibles</a> , premiums, balance-billed charges, penalties, and health care this <a href="#">plan</a> doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <a href="#">out-of-pocket limit</a> .
Will you pay less if you use a <a href="#">network provider</a> ?	Yes. See <a href="http://www.pbhn.org">www.pbhn.org</a> or <a href="http://www.multiplan.com">www.multiplan.com</a> for a list of participating providers.	You will pay less if you use a <a href="#">provider</a> in the plan's network. You will pay the most if you use an <a href="#">out-of-network provider</a> , and you might receive a bill from a <a href="#">provider</a> for the difference between the <a href="#">provider's</a> charge and what your plan pays ( <a href="#">balance billing</a> ).
Do you need a <a href="#">referral</a> to see a <a href="#">specialist</a> ?	No	You can see the <a href="#">specialist</a> you choose without a referral.



All **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
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
<b>If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic</b>	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
	<u>Specialist</u> visit	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
	<u>Preventive care/screening/</u> Immunizations	No charge for first \$300 then 10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	You may have to pay for services that aren't <u>preventive</u> . Ask your <u>provider</u> if the services you need are <u>preventive</u> . Then check what your <u>plan</u> will pay for. <b>Gardasil vaccine is not covered.</b>
<b>If you have a test</b>	<u>Diagnostic test</u> (x-ray, blood work) Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
<b>If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition</b> For more information about drug coverage, visit <a href="http://www.medtrakservices.com">www.medtrakservices.com</a> or call (800) 771-4648	Generic drugs	\$6 retail (30) - \$12 retail (90) \$12 mail order (90)	Not covered	Covers up to a 30-day or 90 day supply retail and a 90 day supply mail order
	Preferred brand drugs	\$30 retail (30) - \$60 retail (90) \$60 mail order (90)	Not covered	
	Prescription drugs costing \$250 or more retail/ \$750 or more mail order	\$60 retail (30) - \$120 retail (90) \$120 mail order (90)	Not covered	
	Prescription drugs costing \$1,000 or more retail/ \$3,000 or more mail order	\$60 plus 30% of retail cost (30) \$120 plus 30% of retail cost (90) \$120 plus 30% of mail order cost (90)	Not covered	
<b>If you have outpatient surgery</b>	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center) and Physician/surgeon fees	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None

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Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you need immediate medical attention	<a href="#">Emergency room care</a>	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area and out-of-network		None
	<a href="#">Emergency medical transportation</a>	20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 20% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area and out-of-network		None
	<a href="#">Urgent care</a>	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room) and Physician/surgeon fees	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	Inpatient services must be pre-certified or a \$500 penalty will apply
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services and Inpatient services	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	Inpatient services must be pre-certified or a \$500 penalty will apply
If you are pregnant	Office visits Childbirth/delivery professional services and facility services	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	None
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	<a href="#">Home health care</a>	No charge		None
	<a href="#">Rehabilitation services</a>	10% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN physician 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PBHN facility 20% <u>coinsurance</u> PPO 30% <u>coinsurance</u> out of area	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	50 visits per calendar year per type of therapy
	<a href="#">Habilitation services</a>			60 days per calendar year
	<a href="#">Skilled nursing care</a>			Letter of medical necessity is required
	<a href="#">Durable medical equipment</a>	No charge		None
<a href="#">Hospice services</a>	No charge		None	
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No charge	40% <u>coinsurance</u>	Covered under <a href="#">Preventive care</a>
	Children's glasses	Not covered		None
	Children's dental check-up	See separate dental plan – not covered by medical plan		None

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## 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](#).)

- Bariatric surgery
- Hearing Aids
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care if traveling outside the U.S.
- Routine eye care (Adult)
- Routine foot care
- Weight loss programs

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

- Acupuncture
- Chiropractic care (Limited to 26 visits per calendar year)
- Cosmetic surgery (Covered only when required due to illness or injury and when performed within 12 months of such illness or injury, or because of congenital birth defects, trauma, tumors, or developmental deformities)
- Dental care (Adult – limited to emergency repair of accidental injury to sound natural teeth including the replacement of such teeth or setting of a jaw fractured or dislocated in an accident when treatment is received within six months of such accident; cutting procedures in the oral cavity for tumors or cysts of the jawbone; treatment of fractures and traumatic dislocations of the jawbone; cutting procedures on gums or mouth tissues needed to treat a disease; and the removal of impacted teeth)
- Infertility treatment (Covered only if plan criteria are met)
- Private duty nursing (Covered only when medically necessary – prior approval is required)

**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: US Dept of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration (866) 444-3272 or [www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform). You may also call Group Resources at (800) 749-9963. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance [Marketplace](#). For more information about the [Marketplace](#), visit [www.HealthCare.gov](http://www.HealthCare.gov) or call 1-800-318-2596.

**Your Grievance and Appeals Rights:** There are agencies that can help if you have a complaint against your [plan](#) for a denial of a [claim](#). This complaint is called a [grievance](#) or [appeal](#). For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical [claim](#). Your [plan](#) documents also provide complete information to submit a [claim](#), [appeal](#), or a [grievance](#) for any reason to your [plan](#). For more information about your rights, this notice, or assistance, contact: Group Resources 770-623-8383 or the Department of Labor's Employee Benefit Security Administration (866) 444-3272 or [www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform](http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform).

**Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage?** **Yes** If you don't have [Minimum Essential Coverage](#) for a month, you'll have to make a payment when you file your tax return unless you qualify for an exemption from the requirement that you have health coverage for that month.

**Does this plan meet the Minimum Value Standards?** **Yes** 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: (202) 727-4559]

.....*To see examples of how this plan might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.*.....

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](#) \$441
- [Specialist](#) [coinsurance](#) 10%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 10%

**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*)

<b>Total Example Cost</b>	<b>\$12,800</b>
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**In this example, Peg would pay:**

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
Deductibles	\$440
Copayments	\$40
Coinsurance	\$2250
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
<b>The total Peg would pay is</b>	<b>\$2790</b>

**Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes**  
(a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$441
- [Specialist](#) [coinsurance](#) 10%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 10%

**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*)

<b>Total Example Cost</b>	<b>\$7,400</b>
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**In this example, Joe would pay:**

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
Deductibles	\$440
Copayments	\$575
Coinsurance	\$250
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
<b>The total Joe would pay is</b>	<b>\$1325</b>

**Mia's Simple Fracture**  
(in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$441
- [Specialist](#) [coinsurance](#) 10%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 20%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 10%

**This EXAMPLE event includes services like:**  
Emergency room care (*including medical supplies*)  
Diagnostic test (*x-ray*)  
Durable medical equipment (*crutches*)  
Rehabilitation services (*physical therapy*)

<b>Total Example Cost</b>	<b>\$1,900</b>
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**In this example, Mia would pay:**

<i>Cost Sharing</i>	
Deductibles	\$440
Copayments	\$0
Coinsurance	\$250
<i>What isn't covered</i>	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
<b>The total Mia would pay is</b>	<b>\$690</b>