Preventive Care Coverage at No Cost to You

Effective Jan. 1, 2019

Your health plan may provide certain contraceptive coverage and preventive screenings, as a benefit of membership, at no cost to you when you use a pharmacy or doctor in your health plan’s network. There is no co-pay, deductible or coinsurance, even if your deductible or out-of-pocket maximum has not been met. Coverage for contraceptives can vary depending on the type of plan you are enrolled in, as well as your prescription drug list. If you are using a contraceptive not listed under the Contraceptive Product Coverage, then co-payments, coinsurance or deductible may apply.

Screening Tests
- Hepatitis B screenings
- HIV screening
- Screenings for sexually transmitted infections (STIs) including chlamydia, gonorrhea, and syphilis

Contraception*

The following contraceptive items and services may be covered under the medical or pharmacy benefit without cost-sharing when provided by a pharmacy or doctor in your health plan’s network. This list is not all inclusive. Additional products may be covered at no additional cost.

- One or more prescribed products within each of the categories approved by the FDA for use as a method of contraception
- FDA-approved contraceptives available over the counter (i.e. foam, sponge, female condoms), when prescribed by a physician
- The morning after pill
- Medical devices such as diaphragm, cervical cap and contraceptive implants may be covered under the pharmacy or medical benefit
- Female sterilization, including tubal ligation and tubal implant
CONTRACEPTIVE PRODUCT COVERAGE*

CERVICAL CAPS
FEMCAP – cervical cap 22 mm, 26 mm, 30 mm

DIAPHRAGMS
CAYA – diaphragm arc-spring
OMNIFLEX DIAPHRAGM – diaphragms
WIDE-SEAL SILICONE DIAPHR – diaphragm wide seal 60 mm, 65 mm, 70 mm, 75 mm, 80 mm, 85 mm, 90 mm, 95 mm

EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTIVES
Aftera
Econtra EZ
Econtra One-Step
ELLA – ulipristal acetate tab 30 mg
Fallback Solo
levonorgestrel tab 1.5 mg (Plan B One-Step)
My Choice
My Way
Next Choice One Dose
Opcon One-Step
Option 2
React
Take Action

FEMALE CONDOMS
FC FEMALE CONDOM – condoms - female
FC2 FEMALE CONDOM – condoms - female

IMPLANTABLES
NEXPLANON – etonogestrel subdermal implant 68 mg

INJECTIONS
DEPO-PROVERA CONTRACEPTIVE – medroxyprogesterone acetate IM suspension 150 mg/mL
DEPO-PROVERA CONTRACEPTIVE – medroxyprogesterone acetate IM suspension prefilled syringe 150 mg/mL
DEPO-SUBQ PROVERA 104 – medroxyprogesterone acetate suspension prefilled syringe 104 mg/0.65 mL
medroxyprogesterone acetate IM suspension 150 mg/mL (Depo-Provera Contraceptive)
medroxyprogesterone acetate IM suspension prefilled syringe 150 mg/mL (Depo-Provera Contraceptive)

INTRAUTERINES
KYLEENA – levonorgestrel releasing IUD 17.5 mcg/day (19.5 mg total)
LILETTA – levonorgestrel releasing IUD 18.6 mcg/day (52 mg total)
MIRENA – levonorgestrel releasing IUD 20 mcg/day (52 mg total)
PARAGARD – copper IUD
SKYLA – levonorgestrel releasing IUD 14 mcg/day (13.5 mg total)

ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES
ORAL COMBINED
Azurette
Bekyree
Blisovi Fe 1/20
desogestrel/ethinyl estradiol & ethinyl estradiol tab 0.15-0.02/0.01 mg (21/5) (Mircette)
Gildess Fe 1/20
Junel Fe 1/20
Kariva
Kimidess
Larin Fe 1/20
Microgestin Fe 1/20
noretindrone & ethinyl estradiol-Fe chew tab 0.4 mg-35 mcg (Femcon Fe)
CONTRACEPTIVE PRODUCT COVERAGE*

noretinod acetate & ethinyl estradiol - Fe tab 1 mg-20 mcg (Loestrin Fe 1/20)
norgestimate-ethinyl estradiol tab 0.18-35/0.215-35/0.25-35 mg-mcg (Ortho Tri Cyclen)
Pimtrea
tarin Fe 1/20
Tri-Estarylla
Tri Femynor
Tri-Linyah
Trinessa
Tri-Previfem
Tri-Sprintec
Tri-Vylibra
Viorele
Wymzay Fe
Zenchent Fe

ORAL EXTENDED - CONTINUOUS

Amethia Lo
Camrese Lo
Introvale (91 day)
Jolessa (91 day)
levonorgestrel & ethinyl estradiol (91-day) tab 0.15-0.03 mg
levonorgestrel-ethinyl estradiol tab 0.1-0.02 mg (84) & ethinyl estradiol tab 0.01 mg (7) (LoSeasonique)
Quasense (91 day)
Setlakin (91 day)

ORAL PROGESTIN

Camila
Deblitane

Errin
Heather
Jencycla
Jolivette
Lyza
Nora-BE
norethindrone tab 0.35 mg (Ortho Micronor)
Norlyda
Norlyroc
Sharobel

PATCHES

XULANE – norelgestromin-ethinyl estradiol transdermal
150-35 mcg/24hr

RINGS

NUVARING – etonogestrel-ethinyl estradiol vaginal ring
0.120-0.015 mg/24hr

SPERMICIDES

ENCARE – nonoxynol-9 vaginal suppository 100 mg
OPTIONS CONCEPTROL VAGINAL – nonoxynol-9 gel 4%
OPTIONS GYNOL II VAGINAL – nonoxynol-9 gel 3%
SHUR-SEAL – nonoxynol-9 gel 2%
VCF VAGINAL CONTRACEPTIVE – nonoxynol-9 film 28%, foam 12.5%
VCF Vaginal Contraceptive Gel-nonoxynol-9-gel 4%

SPONGES

TODAY SPONGE – nonoxynol-9 vaginal sponge 1000 mg

* Some of these products may be covered under your medical benefit if provided by a doctor in your health plan’s network. Most generic drugs listed are followed by a reference brand drug in (parentheses). The brand name drug in parentheses is listed for reference and may not be covered under your benefit. This list is not all inclusive. Additional products may be covered at no additional cost.

* Prescription coverage for contraception may vary according to the terms and conditions of the plan and prescription drug list. A prescription may be required for coverage without cost-sharing under the pharmacy benefits for non-grandfathered plans. If your contraception product is not listed, check your prescription drug list or ask your doctor about therapeutic alternatives. Your doctor can also submit a coverage exception from BCBSTX (unless you have a benefit exclusion) for products not covered on your prescription drug list.

* Certain group health plans established or maintained by organizations that qualify as religious employers may be exempt. These services may be covered under a plan’s Pharmacy benefits.

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