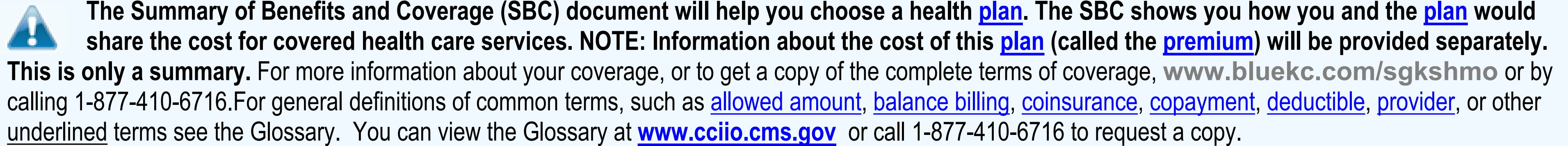
Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What You Pay For Covered Services

Coverage Period: Beginning on or after 01/01/2017

Kansas City: **Blue-Care**

Coverage for: All Coverage Tiers | **Plan Type:** HMO



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, **www.bluekc.com/sgkshmo** or by calling 1-877-410-6716.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 **www.cciio.cms.gov** or call 1-877-410-6716 to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	$0	See the Common Medical Events chart below for your costs for services this plan covers.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes.	This plan covers items and services even if you haven't yet met the deductible amount. But a copayment or coinsurance may apply. For example, for non-grandfathered plans, this plan covers certain preventive services without cost-sharing and before you meet your deductible. See a list of covered preventive services at https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/.
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet deductibles for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan?	For Network providers $1,000 individual/ $3,000 family	The out-of-pocket limit is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. If you have other family members in this plan, they have to meet their own out-of-pocket limits until the overall family out-of-pocket limit has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit?	Premiums, balance-billed charges and health care this plan doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit.
Will you pay less if you use a network provider?	Yes. See www.BlueKC.com or call 1-877-410-6716 for a list of network providers.	This plan uses a provider network. You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network. You will pay the most if you use an out-of-network provider, and you might receive a bill from a provider for the difference between the provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). Be aware, your network provider might use an out-of-network provider for some services (such as lab work). Check with your provider before you get services.
Do you need a referral to see a specialist?	No.	You can see the specialist you choose without a referral.

All **copayment** and **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
		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	$15 copay/visit	Not Covered	None
	Specialist visit	$30 copay/visit	Not Covered	None
	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	No Charge	Not Covered	You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your provider if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your plan will pay for.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	No Charge	Not Covered	None
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	$50 copay/scan	Not Covered	Only one copay will apply for each provider on a specified date of service even if multiple scans are performed. Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about **prescription drug coverage** is available at **www.BlueKC.com/dl**	Generic drugs	$12 copay retail/$24 copay mail order	Not Covered	Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Includes Generic Specialty Drugs.
	Preferred brand drugs	$45 copay retail/$90 copay mail order	Not Covered	Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Includes Non-Preferred Generic Drugs.
	Non-preferred brand drugs	$65 copay retail/$130 copay mail order	Not Covered	Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Includes Preferred Brand Specialty Drugs.
	Specialty drugs	Same cost sharing as retail.	Not Covered	Prescriptions for a specialty drug will need to be filled at a designated specialty pharmacy. Limited to a one month supply. Includes only Non-Preferred Brand Specialty Drugs.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	$200 copay/day	Not Covered	Limited to a combined $1,000 copay that includes inpatient hospital services and outpatient surgery in hospital or other outpatient facility; inpatient hospice; inpatient mental illness; and inpatient substance abuse per calendar year.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	$150 copay/visit	$150 copay/visit	Copay waived if admitted to a hospital.
	Emergency medical transportation	$0 copay/use for ground ambulance	$0 copay/use for ground ambulance	$250 copay for air ambulance.
	Urgent care	$30 copay/visit	Not Covered	None
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	$200 copay/day	Not Covered	Limited to a combined $1,000 copay that includes inpatient hospital services and outpatient surgery in hospital or other outpatient facility; inpatient hospice; inpatient mental illness; and inpatient substance abuse per calendar year. Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility
	Physician/surgeon fees	No Charge	Not Covered	None

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	$15 copay/visit	Not Covered	None
	Inpatient services	200 copay/day	Not Covered	Limited to a combined $1,000 copay that includes inpatient hospital services and outpatient surgery in hospital or other outpatient facility; inpatient hospice; inpatient mental illness; and inpatient substance abuse per calendar year. Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
If you are pregnant	Office visits	$30 copay/visit	Not Covered	Cost sharing does not apply to certain preventive services. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound). You must pay your office visit copayment for each visit to a Physician for Complications of Pregnancy. Dependent daughters are not covered for maternity services. Only one office visit copayment shall apply for Physician obstetrical services per pregnancy.
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No charge	Not Covered	Dependent daughters are not covered for maternity services.
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	$200 copay/day	Not Covered	Dependent daughters are not covered for maternity services. Limited to $1,000 copay per calendar year.
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	$0 copay/ visit	Not Covered	60 visit calendar year maximum.
	Rehabilitation services	No Charge	Not Covered	Physical, occupational and skeletal manipulation: 60 combined visit calendar year maximum. Speech and hearing: 20 visit calendar year maximum.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitations, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		In-Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
	Habilitation services	No Charge	Not Covered	None
	Skilled nursing care	$0 copay/day	Not Covered	Limited to $0 copay per calendar year. 30 day calendar year maximum. Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
	Durable medical equipment	No Charge	Not Covered	Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
	Hospice services	$100 copay/day	Not Covered	Limited to a combined $1,000 copay that includes inpatient hospital services and outpatient surgery in hospital or other outpatient facility; inpatient hospice; inpatient mental illness; and inpatient substance abuse per calendar year. 14 day lifetime maximum at an inpatient hospice facility. Prior authorization is required for service received at an inpatient facility. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	$0 copay	Not Covered	Limited to one eye exam per calendar year.
	Children's glasses	Not Covered	Not Covered	None
	Children's dental check-up	Not Covered	Not Covered	None

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.)		
• Acupuncture • Bariatric surgery • Cosmetic surgery • Dental care (Adult)	• Hearing aids • Infertility treatment • Long-term care	• Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S. • 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.)		
• Chiropractic care limited to a combined (PT/OT/Skeletal manipulation) 60 visit calendar year maximum	• Private-duty nursing	• Routine eye care limited to one eye exam per calendar year

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: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Kansas City at 816-395-2953 or www.BlueKC.com, Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform, Healthcare.gov at www.Healthcare.gov or call 1-800-318-2596. 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 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: Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform, Missouri Department of Insurance at 1-800-726-7390 or the Kansas Department of Insurance at 1-800-432-2484.

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 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 1-877-410-6716.

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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** $0
- **Specialist** Copayment $30
- **Hospital (facility)** Copayment $200
- **Other coinsurance** 0%

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)*

Total Example Cost	**$12,800**
In this example, Peg would pay:	
Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$500
Coinsurance	$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$60
The total Peg would pay is	**$560**

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

- **The plan's overall deductible** $0
- **Specialist** Copayment $30
- **Hospital (facility)** Copayment $200
- **Other coinsurance** 0%

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)*

Total Example Cost	**$7,400**
In this example, Joe would pay:	
Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$1,000
Coinsurance	$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$30
The total Joe would pay is	**$1,030**

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

- **The plan's overall deductible** $0
- **Specialist** Copayment $30
- **Hospital (facility)** Copayment $200
- **Other coinsurance** 0%

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

Total Example Cost	**$1,900**
In this example, Mia would pay:	
Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$120
Coinsurance	$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$0
The total Mia would pay is	**$120**

Note: These numbers assume the patient does not participate in the plan's wellness program. If you participate in the plan's wellness program, you may be able to reduce your costs. For more information about the wellness program, please contact: 1-816-395-2121
*Note: This plan has other deductibles for specific services included in this coverage example. See "Are there other deductibles for specific services?" row above.

The **plan** would be responsible for the other costs of these EXAMPLE covered services.

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  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
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  - Information written in other languages

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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.

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