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/ksppo 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?	For In-Network providers $0 individual / $0 family. For Out-of-Network providers $1,000 individual / $2,000 family.	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family members on the plan, each family member must meet their own individual deductible until the total amount of deductible expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family deductible.
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible?	Yes. Preventive care services are covered before you meet your deductible.	This plan covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the deductible amount. But a copayment or coinsurance may apply. For example, 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 In-Network providers $1,500 individual / $3,000 family. For Out-of-Network providers $3,000 individual / $6,000 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-billing charges, 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	$20 copay/visit	30% coinsurance	Other services/procedures that are performed in a physician's office are subject to the network deductible and coinsurance level (excluding lab).
	Specialist visit	$20 copay/visit	30% coinsurance	Same limitations as primary care.
	Preventive care/screening/ immunization	No charge	30% coinsurance	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)	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Blood Work: No charge if performed in In-Network provider's office/independent lab.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	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/2023Preferred	Generic drugs, including Specialty drugs	RxPremier: Retail $10 copay/fill; Mail Order $20 copay/fill	Retail $10 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply; Mail Order $20 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply	Prior authorization may be required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the drug being your responsibility. Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Prescriptions for a specialty drug will need to be filled at a designated specialty pharmacy and are limited to a 34 day supply.
	Preferred brand drugs, including Specialty drugs	RxPremier: Retail $30 copay/fill; Mail Order $60 copay/fill	Retail $30 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply; Mail Order $60 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply	Prior authorization may be required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the drug being your responsibility. Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Prescriptions for a specialty drug will need to be filled at a designated specialty pharmacy and are limited to a 34 day supply.

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)	
	Non-preferred brand drugs, including Specialty drugs	RxPremier: Retail $50 copay/ fill; Mail Order $100 copay/fill	Retail $50 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply; Mail Order $100 copay/fill then 50% coinsurance, Deductible does not apply	Prior authorization may be required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the drug being your responsibility. Covers up to 34 day supply (retail) and between 35 to 102 day supply (mail order). Prescriptions for a specialty drug will need to be filled at a designated specialty pharmacy and are limited to a 34 day supply.
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Certain outpatient surgeries and services must be prior authorized. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
	Physician/surgeon fees	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	None
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	$75 copay/visit, then 10% coinsurance	$75 copay/visit, then 10% coinsurance	Copay waived if admitted to a hospital.
	Emergency medical transportation	10% coinsurance	10% coinsurance	None
	Urgent care	$20 copay/visit	30% coinsurance	Same limitations as primary care.
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
	Physician/surgeon fees	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	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	Office Visit: No charge; Therapy in a Provider's Office: No charge; Therapy in a Facility: 10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Your employer participates in an employee assistance program. This program may provide additional mental health or substance abuse benefits.
	Inpatient services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	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	$20 copay/visit	30% coinsurance	Cost sharing does not apply for 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. Only one office visit copayment shall apply for Physician obstetrical services per pregnancy.
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	None
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	None
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	60 visit Calendar Year maximum.
	Rehabilitation services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Physical, occupational, and skeletal manipulation: 60 combined visit Calendar Year maximum. Speech and hearing: 20 combined visit Calendar Year maximum.
	Habilitation services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	See Rehabilitation Service Limits.

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)	
	Skilled nursing care	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	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	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	Prior authorization is required. Failure to obtain approval may result in the cost of the service being your responsibility.
	Hospice services	10% coinsurance	30% coinsurance	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	$20 copay/visit	30% coinsurance	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.)

- Abortion (except when the life of the mother is endangered)
- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental care
- Hearing aids
- Long-term care
- Routine foot care

Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your plan document.)		
• Chiropractic care	• Coverage provided outside the United States. See www.bluekc.com/ksppo.	• Infertility treatment
• Private-duty nursing	• Routine eye care limited to one eye exam per Calendar Year	• Weight loss programs

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 the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa. Or, you may also contact Department of Health and Human Services, Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight, at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov. 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 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 on how 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 your plan at: 1-888-989-8842 or you can contact the Kansas Insurance Department at 800-432-2484 or at www.insurance.kansas.gov. You may also contact the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa.

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes.
Minimum Essential Coverage generally includes plans, health insurance available through the Marketplace or other individual market policies, Medicare, Medicaid, CHIP, TRICARE, and certain other coverage. If you are eligible for certain types of Minimum Essential Coverage, you may not be eligible for the premium tax credit.

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.

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	$20
Hospital (facility) coinsurance	10%
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 (*anesthesia*)

Total Example Cost	**$12,700**

In this example, Peg would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$30
Coinsurance	$900
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$60
The total Peg would pay is	**$990**

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	$20
Hospital (facility) coinsurance	10%
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

Total Example Cost	**$5,600**

In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$900
Coinsurance	$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$0
The total Joe would pay is	**$900**

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

The plan's overall deductible	$0
Specialist copayment	$20
Hospital (facility) coinsurance	10%
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)*

Total Example Cost	**$2,800**

In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	$0
Copayments	$100
Coinsurance	$300
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	$0
The total Mia would pay is	**$400**

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.

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

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