

# 2026 Health Plan Coverage Comparison Chart

This chart is not intended to be a full description of coverage. The complete plan description is contained in the appropriate certificate of coverage or plan document issued by each plan. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this chart. If statements in this chart differ from applicable plan documents then the terms and conditions

of those documents prevail. This chart assumes all services are provided by a participating medical care provider when required. All benefits are subject to change. Contact the health plan for detailed information about benefit coverage and medical necessity requirements.

| Plan Type  | Managed Care (HMO) Plans   |   | Preferred Provider Organization (PPO)  |  | Traditional Plan   | Consumer-Directed with Health Savings Account  |  |
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| Plan Name  | U-M Premier Care Provider Network 1 <sup>2</sup>   | GradCare<br>Only available to GSIs, GRAs, med students and sponsored grad student groups  | BCBSM Community Blue PPO   |  | Comprehensive Major Medical  | Consumer-Directed Health Plan  |  |
|  |  |   | In-Network   | Out-of-Network   |  | In-Network   | Out-of-Network   |
| <b>General Information</b>                               |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deductible   | \$0 for Network 1  | \$0   | \$0  |  | \$500 individual<br>\$1,000 family   | \$1,700 individual<br>\$3,400 family <sup>3</sup>  | \$1,700 individual<br>\$3,400 family <sup>3,5</sup>  |
| Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximum                             | \$3,000 individual<br>\$6,000 family <sup>4</sup>  | \$3,000 individual<br>\$6,000 family <sup>4</sup>   | \$3,000 individual<br>\$6,000 family (in-network) <sup>4</sup>   | \$5,000 individual<br>\$10,000 family (out-of-network) <sup>4</sup>  | \$3,000 individual<br>\$6,000 family <sup>4</sup>  | \$5,500 individual<br>\$10,600 family <sup>3,4</sup>   | \$11,000 individual<br>\$21,200 family <sup>3,4,5</sup>  |
| Lifetime Maximum Benefit                                 | \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit across all plans for in vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services (combined).  | \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit across all plans for in vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services (combined).                             | \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit across all plans for in vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services (combined).  | Not covered  | \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit across all plans for in vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services (combined).  | \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit across all plans for in vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services (combined).  | Not covered  |
| Important Information About the Terms Used in This Chart | Covered means the plan payment amount for covered charges is 100% unless stated otherwise. Copay means a set dollar amount you pay for a covered service. <sup>2,6</sup> | Covered means the plan payment amount for covered charges is 100% unless stated otherwise. Copay means a set dollar amount you pay for a covered service. | Covered means the plan payment amount for covered charges is 100% unless stated otherwise. Copay means the set dollar amount you pay for a covered service. <sup>2,6</sup> | Covered at a percentage of BCBS allowed amount. Member is responsible for 100% of charges in excess of BCBS reimbursement. | Partially covered means you pay a \$500/\$1,000 deductible, then 20% coinsurance up to the annual out-of-pocket maximums. Coinsurance means a percentage of the BCBS allowed amount you pay for a covered service. | Partially covered means you pay a \$1,700/\$3,400 <sup>3</sup> deductible then 10% coinsurance up to the annual out-of-pocket maximums. Coinsurance means a percentage of the BCBS allowed amount you pay for a covered service. | Partially covered means you pay a \$1,700/\$3,400 <sup>3</sup> deductible then 50% coinsurance up to the annual out-of-pocket maximums. Coinsurance means a percentage of the BCBS allowed amount you pay for a covered service. |
| Preauthorization Required                                | Prior authorization is required for some services. These services must be medically necessary. Contact the health plan for additional information.                       | Prior authorization is required for some services. These services must be medically necessary. Contact the health plan for additional information.        | Prior authorization is required for some services. These services must be medically necessary. Contact the health plan for additional information.                         |  | Prior authorization is required for some services. These services must be medically necessary. Contact the health plan for additional information.   | Prior authorization is required for some services. These services must be medically necessary. Contact the health plan for additional information.   |  |
| <b>Preventive Services<sup>7,8</sup></b>                 |  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Routine Physical Exams                                   | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |
| Routine Pediatric Exams                                  | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |
| Routine Immunizations                                    | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |
| Cervical Cancer Screen                                   | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |
| Breast Cancer Screen                                     | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |
| Prostate Cancer Screen                                   | Covered  | Covered   | Covered  | Not covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Not covered  |

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<sup>3</sup> Deductible and out-of-pocket is medical and pharmacy combined.

<sup>4</sup> The out-of-pocket maximum does not include non-covered charges, and costs that exceed the plan's allowed amount for a particular service for all plans.

<sup>5</sup> In-network and out-of-network services accumulate separately toward the associated deductible and out-of-pocket maximum.

<sup>6</sup> Copays may differ for individuals represented by a union.

<sup>7</sup> Preventive Services as recommended under the Affordable Care Act.

<sup>8</sup> Your doctor may provide a preventive service, such as a cholesterol screening test, as part of an office visit. Be aware that your plan can require you to pay some costs of the office visit, if the preventive service is not the primary purpose of the visit, or if your doctor bills the plan for the preventive services separately from the office visit.

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|   |  |  | In-Network   | Out-of-Network   |  | In-Network   | Out-of-Network   |
| <b>Hospital Services — Inpatient</b>                              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hospital Admissions   | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Days of Care  | Unlimited days   | Unlimited days   | Unlimited days   |  | Unlimited days   | Unlimited days   |  |
| Room Type   | Semi-private room; private room if medically necessary                       | Semi-private room; private room if medically necessary                                   | Semi-private room; private room if medically necessary         |  | Semi-private room; private room if medically necessary | Semi-private room; private room if medically necessary                     |  |
| Hospital Physician Service  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Consultation Between Physicians                                   | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Surgery   | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| <b>Outpatient Services</b>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Office Visits   | \$25 copay for PCP<br>\$30 copay for specialist                              | \$25 copay for PCP<br>\$30 copay for specialist  | \$25 copay for PCP<br>\$30 copay for specialist                | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Outpatient Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapy <sup>9</sup> | \$25 copay per visit; limited to a combined 60 visits per condition per year | \$25 copay per visit; limited to a combined 60 visits per condition per year             | \$25 copay per visit; limited to a combined 60 visits per year | Covered at 50%; limited to a combined 60 visits per year | 20% coinsurance after deductible; unlimited visits     | 10% coinsurance after deductible; limited to a combined 60 visits per year | 50% coinsurance after deductible; limited to a combined 60 visits per year |
| Applied Behavioral Analysis for ASD                               | \$25 copay per visit   | \$25 copay per visit   | \$25 copay per visit   | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Therapeutic Radiology   | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Diagnostic Lab, X-Ray, EKGs                                       | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Outpatient Surgery  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Allergy Testing   | \$30 copay   | \$30 copay   | \$30 copay   | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |
| Injections <sup>10</sup>  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible                       | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible   |

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<sup>9</sup> Physical, occupational, and speech therapies are covered for acute conditions and may be subject to plan prior authorization/medical necessity. Administrative guidelines and interpretations may vary among plans. Contact plan for specific coverage provisions before commencing treatment.

<sup>10</sup> Provider may charge office visit when receiving an injection.

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| <b>Emergency Care</b>         |  |  |  |                |  |  |   |
| Ambulance                     | Covered for emergencies when medically necessary   | Covered for emergencies when medically necessary   | Covered for emergencies when medically necessary   |                | 20% coinsurance after deductible when medically necessary.   | 10% coinsurance after deductible when medically necessary  |   |
| Emergency Department          | \$100 copay copay waived if admitted   | \$100 copay copay waived if admitted   | \$100 copay copay waived if admitted   |                | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   |   |
| Observation Stay              | \$100 ER copay. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level | \$100 ER copay. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level | \$100 ER copay. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level |                | 20% coinsurance after deductible. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level | 10% coinsurance after deductible. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level | Emergency room coinsurance applies. All services provided while in observation are covered at the outpatient benefit level, 50% coinsurance after deductible. |
| <b>Mental Health Care</b>     |  |  |  |                |  |  |   |
| Inpatient Days of Care        | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Outpatient Individual Therapy | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Group Therapy                 | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Psychological Testing         | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| <b>Substance Use Care</b>     |  |  |  |                |  |  |   |
| Inpatient Days of Care        | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Outpatient Individual Therapy | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Group Therapy                 | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | \$25 copay   | Covered at 50% | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |

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| <b>Maternity Care</b>                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Prenatal and Postnatal Care <sup>11</sup> | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | Covered  | Covered  | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| Delivery                                  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered  | Covered at 50%   | 20% coinsurance after deductible   | 10% coinsurance after deductible   | 50% coinsurance after deductible  |
| <b>Skilled Nursing Facility</b>           |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Non-Custodial Care                        | Covered up to 120 days per calendar year   | Covered up to 120 days per calendar year   | Covered up to 120 days per calendar year   |  | 20% coinsurance after deductible. Up to 120 days per calendar year   | 10% coinsurance after deductible. Up to 120 days per calendar year   |   |
| <b>Hearing Services<sup>12</sup></b>      |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Examinations                              | \$30 copay; once every 36 months   | \$30 copay; once every 36 months   | Covered; once every 36 months  | Not covered  | 20% coinsurance after deductible; once every 36 months   | 10% coinsurance after deductible; once every 36 months   | Not covered   |
| Tests                                     | \$30 copay; once every 36 months   | \$30 copay; once every 36 months   | Covered; once every 36 months  | Not covered  | 20% coinsurance after deductible; once every 36 months   | 10% coinsurance after deductible; once every 36 months   | Not covered   |
| Hearing Aids <sup>13</sup>                | Covered up to allowed amount; monaural or binaural hearing aid every 36 months. Member may be balance billed for amounts above allowed amount. | Covered up to allowed amount; monaural or binaural hearing aid every 36 months. Member may be balance billed for amounts above allowed amount. | Covered up to allowed amount; monaural or binaural hearing aid every 36 months. Member may be balance billed for amounts above allowed amount. | Not covered  | 20% coinsurance after deductible. Monaural or binaural hearing aid every 36 months. Member may be balance billed for amounts above allowed amount. | 10% coinsurance after deductible. Monaural or binaural hearing aid every 36 months. Member may be balance billed for amounts above allowed amount. | Not covered   |
| <b>Vision Care</b>                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Eye Examinations                          | Covered. One exam per year. Out-of-network providers covered up to \$40. Dilation not covered  | Covered. One exam per year. Out-of-network providers covered up to \$40. Dilation not covered  | Covered; one exam per year. Dilation not covered   | Covered up to \$40; one exam per year. Dilation not covered. | 20% coinsurance after deductible; one exam per year. Dilation not covered  | 10% coinsurance after deductible; one exam per year. Dilation not covered  | 50% coinsurance after deductible up to \$40; one exam per year. Dilation not covered. |
| Eyeglasses                                | Not covered  | Not covered  | Not covered  |  | Not covered  | Not covered  | Not covered   |

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<sup>11</sup> When billed as a preventive visit.

<sup>12</sup> Hearing aid administration guidelines may differ by plan. Contact plan for specific provisions before commencing treatment.

<sup>13</sup> Includes ordering and fitting of hearing aids.

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| <b>Home Health Services</b>                                |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Home Health Care   | Covered   | \$30 copay  | Covered   | Covered                                       | 20% coinsurance after deductible  | 10% coinsurance after deductible  |   |
| Private Duty Nursing                                       | Not covered   | Not covered   | 30% coinsurance   | Covered at 50%                                | 30% coinsurance after deductible  | 10% coinsurance after deductible.   | 50% coinsurance after deductible                                |
| <b>Other Services</b>                                      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Hospice Care   | Covered   | Covered   | Covered   | Covered                                       | Covered   | 10% coinsurance after deductible  |   |
| Durable Medical Equipment, Orthotics, Prosthetic Appliance | Covered when authorized by the plan   | Covered when authorized by the plan   | Covered when medically necessary  | Not covered                                   | 20% coinsurance after deductible  | 10% coinsurance after deductible  |   |
| Voluntary Sterilization                                    | Covered   | Covered   | Covered   | Covered at 50%                                | Covered after deductible  | Covered after deductible  | 50% coinsurance after deductible                                |
| Chiropractic Spinal Manipulation                           | \$25 copay limited to 24 visits per year  | Not covered   | \$25 copay limited to 24 visits per year  | Covered at 50%; limited to 24 visits per year | 20% coinsurance after deductible, limited to 38 visits per calendar year  | 10% coinsurance after deductible, limited to 24 visits per year   | 50% coinsurance after deductible, limited to 24 visits per year |
| Gender Affirming Services                                  | \$30 copay  | \$30 copay  | \$30 copay  | Covered at 50%                                | 20% coinsurance after deductible  | 10% coinsurance after deductible  | 50% coinsurance after deductible                                |
| Infertility Treatment                                      | In vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services received at Michigan Medicine may be covered if criteria are met with a 20% coinsurance and a lifetime maximum payment of \$20,000 across all U-M health plans. Contact plan for details | In vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services received at Michigan Medicine may be covered if criteria are met with a 20% coinsurance and a lifetime maximum payment of \$20,000 across all U-M health plans. Contact plan for details | In vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services received at Michigan Medicine may be covered if criteria are met with a 20% coinsurance and a lifetime maximum payment of \$20,000 across all U-M health plans. Contact plan for details | Not covered <sup>14</sup>                     | In vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services received at Michigan Medicine may be covered if criteria are met with a 20% coinsurance and a lifetime maximum payment of \$20,000 across all U-M health plans. Contact plan for details <sup>14</sup> | In vitro fertilization and fertility preservation services received at Michigan Medicine may be covered if criteria are met with a 20% coinsurance and a lifetime maximum payment of \$20,000 across all U-M health plans. Contact plan for details | Not covered <sup>14</sup>                                       |

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<sup>14</sup> Contact the health plan if you live outside of Michigan.