

# Your Summary of Benefits

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Custom BC Anthem PPO Health Savings Account (HSA) 1500 10/30

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**This Summary of Benefits is a brief overview of your plan's benefits only. The benefits listed are for both in state and out of state members, there may be differences in benefits depending on where you reside. For more detailed information about the benefits in your plan, please refer to your Certificate of Insurance or Evidence of Coverage (EOC), which explains the full range of covered services, as well as any exclusions and limitations for your plan.**

This plan is an innovative type of coverage that allows an member to use a Health Savings Account to pay for routine medical care. The program also includes traditional health coverage, similar to a typical health plan, that protects the member against large medical expenses. The member can spend the money in the HSA account the way the member wants on routine medical care, prescription drugs and other qualified medical expenses. There are no copays or deductibles to satisfy first. Unused dollars can be saved from year to year to reduce the amount the member may have to pay in the future. If covered expenses exceed the member's available HSA dollars, the traditional health coverage is available after a limited out-of-pocket amount is paid by the member.

Certain Covered Services have maximum visit and/or day limits per year. The number of visits and/or days allowed for these services will begin accumulating on the first visit and/or day, regardless of whether your Deductible has been met. The member is responsible for all costs over the plan maximums. Plan maximums and other important information appear in italics. Benefits are subject to all terms, conditions, limitations, and exclusions of the Policy.

### Subject to Utilization Review

Certain services are subject to the utilization review program. Before scheduling services, the member must make sure utilization review is obtained. If utilization review is not obtained, benefits may be reduced or not paid, according to the plan.

### Explanation of Maximum Allowed Amount

Maximum Allowed Amount is the total reimbursement payable under the plan for covered services received from Participating and Non-Participating Providers. It is the payment towards the services billed by a provider combined with any applicable deductible, copayment or coinsurance.

**Participating Providers-** The rate the provider has agreed to accept as reimbursement for covered services. Members are not responsible for the difference between the provider's usual charges & the maximum allowed amount.

**Non-Participating Providers & Other Health Care Providers-(includes those not represented in the PPO provider network)-** Reimbursement amount is based on: an Anthem Blue Cross rate or fee schedule, a rate negotiated with the provider, information from a third party vendor, or billed charges. For Medical Emergency care rendered by a Non-

Participating Provider or Non-Contracting Hospital, reimbursement may be based on the reasonable and customary value. Members may be responsible for any amount in excess of the reasonable and customary value.

**Participating Pharmacies & Home Delivery Program-members** are not responsible for any amount in excess of the prescription drug maximum allowed amount. **Non-Participating Pharmacies-members** are responsible for any expense not covered under this plan & any amount in excess of the prescription drug maximum allowed amount.

**When using non-participating providers, members are responsible for any difference between the covered expense & actual charges, as well as any deductible & percentage copay. When using the outpatient prescription drug benefits, members are always responsible for drug expense which is not covered under this plan, as well as any deductible, percentage or dollar copay.**

**Calendar Year Deductible for all providers** (applicable to medical care & prescription drug benefits; family deductible includes employee & one or more enrolled family members, no coverage may be paid for any family member unless this \$3,000 deductible is met)

\$1,500/individual member

\$3,000/family

**Copay per admission for non-PPO hospital or residential treatment center** (does not apply to the Out of Pocket Maximums)

\$500/admission (waived for emergency admission)

**Copay per admission for non-PPO hospital or residential treatment center if services are not preauthorized** (does not apply to the Out of Pocket admission Maximums)

\$500/visit (waived for emergency admission)

**Copay for Emergency Room Services** (which applies to Out of Pocket Maximums, if PPO provider)

None

**Annual Out-of-Pocket Maximums** (includes calendar year, emergency room deductible & prescription drug maximum allowed amounts. The family out-of-pocket maximum is non-embedded meaning the cost shares of all family members apply to one shared family out-of-pocket. The individual out-of-pocket only applies to individuals enrolled under single coverage.)

- Participating Providers, Participating Pharmacy & Other Health Care Providers \$3,000/individual member; \$6,000/family
- Non-Participating Providers & Non-Participating Pharmacy \$9,000/individual member; \$18,000/family

The following do not apply to out-of-pocket maximums: non-covered expenses. After an annual out-of-pocket maximum is met for medical and prescription drugs during a calendar year, the individual member or family (includes employee & members of the employee's family) will no longer be required to pay a copay or coinsurance for medical and prescription drug covered expenses for the remainder of that year. The member remains responsible for non-covered expenses.

**Lifetime Maximum** Unlimited

Covered Services	In-Network	Out-of-Network <sup>f</sup>
<b>Preventive Care Services</b> Preventive Care Services including*, physical exams, preventive screenings (including screenings for cancer, HPV, diabetes, cholesterol, blood pressure, hearing and vision, immunizations, health education, intervention services, HIV testing), and additional preventive care for women provided for in the guidelines supported by the Health Resources and Services Administration. *This list is not exhaustive. This benefit includes all Preventive Care Services required by federal and state law.	No copay (deductible waived)	Not covered
<b>Physician Medical Services</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Office &amp; home visits (includes retail health clinic &amp; online clinic visit)</li> <li>• Hospital &amp; skilled nursing facility visits</li> <li>• Surgeon &amp; surgical assistant; anesthesiologist or anesthesiologist</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Diabetes Education Programs</b> (requires physician supervision) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teach members &amp; their families about the disease process, the daily management of diabetic therapy &amp; self-management training</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Physical Therapy, Physical Medicine &amp; Occupational Therapy, including Chiropractic Services</b> (limited to 24 visits/calendar year; additional visits may be authorized)	10%	30%
<b>Speech Therapy</b>	10%	30%
<b>Acupuncture</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Services for the treatment of disease, illness or injury</li> </ul>	10% <sup>†</sup>	30% <sup>†</sup>
<b>Diagnostic X-ray &amp; Lab</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Other diagnostic x-ray &amp; lab</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MRI, CT scan, PET scan &amp; nuclear cardiac scan (subject to utilization review)</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Urgent Care</b> (physician services)	10%	30%

Covered Services	In-Network	Out-of-Network <sup>f</sup>
<b>Emergency Care</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emergency room services &amp; supplies</li> <li>Physician services</li> </ul>	10% 10%	10% 10%
<b>Hospital Medical Services</b> <i>(subject to utilization review for inpatient and certain outpatient services; waived for emergency admissions)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Semi-private or private room, medically necessary services &amp; supplies</li> <li>Outpatient medical care, surgical services &amp; supplies <i>(hospital care other than emergency room care)</i></li> </ul>	10% 10%	30% 30%
<b>Skilled Nursing Facility</b> <i>(subject to utilization review)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Semi-private room, services &amp; supplies <i>(limited to 100 days/calendar year ; limit does not apply to mental health and substance abuse)</i></li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Related Outpatient Medical Services &amp; Supplies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ground or air ambulance transportation, services &amp; disposable supplies (air ambulance in a non-medical emergency is subject to pre-service review and benefit limited to \$50,000 for non-PPO provider per trip)</li> <li>Blood transfusions, blood processing &amp; the cost of unreplaced blood &amp; blood products<sup>‡</sup></li> <li>Autologous blood <i>(self-donated blood collection, testing, processing &amp; storage for planned surgery)</i><sup>‡</sup></li> </ul>	20% 20% 20%	20% 20% 20%
<b>Ambulatory Surgical Centers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outpatient surgery, services &amp; supplies</li> </ul>	10%	30% <i>(benefit limited to \$350/admit)</i>
<b>Pregnancy &amp; Maternity Care</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physician office visits</li> <li>Prescription drug for abortion <i>(mifepristone)</i></li> </ul> Normal delivery, cesarean section, complications of pregnancy & abortion. Refer to the Physician & Hospital Medical Services benefits for both inpatient and outpatient hospital coverage.	10% 10%	30% 30%
<b>Mental or Nervous Disorders and Substance Abuse</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coverage provided by MHN</li> </ul>		
<b>Durable Medical Equipment</b> <i>(may be subject to utilization review)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rental or purchase of DME including hearing aids <i>(hearing aids benefit is available for one hearing aid per ear every three years; breast pump and supplies are covered under preventive care at no charge for in-network)</i></li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Home Health Care</b> <i>(subject to utilization review)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services &amp; supplies from a home health agency <i>(limited to 100 visits/calendar year, one visit by a home health aide equals four hours or less; not covered while insured person receives hospice care)</i></li> </ul>	10%	30%

Covered Services	In-Network	Out-of-Network <sup>f</sup>
<b>Home Infusion Therapy</b> ( <i>subject to utilization review</i> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes medication, ancillary services &amp; supplies; caregiver training &amp; visits by provider to monitor therapy; durable medical equipment; lab services</li> </ul>	10%	30% ( <i>benefit limited to \$600/day</i> )
<b>Hemodialysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outpatient hemodialysis services &amp; supplies</li> </ul>	10%	30% ( <i>benefit limited to \$350/day</i> )
<b>Hospice Care</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inpatient or outpatient services; family bereavement services</li> </ul>	No copay ( <i>deductible waived</i> )	20% <sup>‡</sup>
<b>Bariatric Surgery</b> <i>(subject to utilization review; covered only when performed at a Blue Distinction Centers for Specialty Care [BDCSC])</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inpatient services provided in connection with medically necessary surgery for weight loss, only for morbid obesity</li> <li>Travel expenses for an authorized, specified surgery (<i>recipient &amp; companion transportation limited to \$3,000 per surgery</i>)</li> </ul>	10%	Not covered <sup>f</sup>
	No copay ( <i>deductible waived</i> )	Not covered <sup>f</sup>
<b>Organ &amp; Tissue Transplants</b> ( <i>subject to utilization review; specified transplants covered only when performed at Centers of Medical Excellence [CME] and Blue Distinction Centers for Specialty Care [BDCSC] for California; Blue Distinction Centers for Specialty Care [BDCSC] for out of California</i> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inpatient services provided in connection with non-investigative organ or tissue transplants</li> <li>Transplant travel expense for an authorized, specified transplant (<i>recipient &amp; companion transportation limited to \$10,000 per transplant</i>)</li> <li>Unrelated donor search, limited to \$30,000 per transplant</li> </ul>	10%	Not covered <sup>§</sup>
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<b>Prosthetic Devices</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coverage for breast prostheses; prosthetic devices to restore a method of speaking; surgical implants; artificial limbs or eyes; the first pair of contact lenses or eyeglasses when required as a result of eye surgery; wigs for alopecia resulting from chemotherapy or radiation therapy; &amp; therapeutic shoes &amp; inserts for members with diabetes</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Temporomandibular Joint Disorder</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Splint therapy &amp; surgical treatment</li> </ul>	10%	30%
<b>Outpatient Prescription Drug Benefits</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coverage provided by Express Scripts</li> </ul>		

Certain types of physicians may not be represented in the PPO network in the state where the member receives services. If such physician is not available in the service area, the member's copay is the same as for PPO (with and without pre-notification, if applicable). Member is responsible for applicable copays, deductibles and charges which exceed covered expense.

In addition to the benefits described above, coverage may include additional benefits, depending upon the member's home state. The benefits provided in this summary are subject to federal and California laws. There are some states that require more generous benefits be provided to their residents, even if the master policy was not issued in their state. If the member's state has such requirements, we will adjust the benefits to meet the requirements.

This Summary of Benefits has been updated to comply with federal and state requirements, including applicable provisions of the recently enacted federal health care reform laws. As we receive additional guidance and clarification on the new health care reform laws from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Department of Labor and Internal Revenue Service, we may be required to make additional changes to this summary of benefits. This proposed benefit summary is subject to the approval of the California Department of Insurance and the California Department of Managed Health Care.

† Acupuncture services can be performed by a certified acupuncturist (C.A.), a doctor of medicine (M.D.), a doctor of osteopathy (D.O.), a podiatrist (D.P.M.), or a dentist (D.D.S.).

‡ These providers may not be represented in the PPO network in the state where the member receives services.

§ Exception: If service is performed at a Centers of Medical Excellence [CME] for California or Blue Distinction Centers for Speciality Care [BDCSC] for out of California, the services will be covered same as the PPO (in-network) benefit.

f Member pays copay plus all charges in excess of the maximum allowed amount.

## Exclusions and Limitations

**Not Medically Necessary.** Services or supplies that are not medically necessary, as defined.

**Experimental or Investigative.** Any experimental or investigative procedure or medication. But, if member is denied benefits because it is determined that the requested treatment is experimental or investigative, the member may request an independent medical review, as described in the Certificate.

**Services Received Outside of the United States.** Services rendered by providers located outside the United States, unless the services are for an emergency, emergency ambulance or urgent care.

**Crime or Nuclear Energy.** Conditions that result from (1) the member's commission of or attempt to commit a felony, as long as any injuries are not a result of a medical condition or an act of domestic violence; or (2) any release of nuclear energy, whether or not the result of war, when government funds are available for the treatment of illness or injury arising from the release of nuclear energy.

**Not Covered.** Services received before the member's effective date. Services received after the member's coverage ends, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Excess Amounts.** Any amounts in excess of covered expense or any medical benefit maximum.

**Work-Related.** Work-related conditions if benefits are recovered or can be recovered, either by adjudication, settlement or otherwise, under any workers' compensation, employer's liability law or occupational disease law, whether or not the member claims those benefits. If there is a dispute of substantial uncertainty as to whether benefits may be recovered for those conditions pursuant to workers' compensation, we will provide the benefits of this plan for such conditions, subject to a right of recovery and reimbursement under California Labor Code Section 4903, as specified as covered in the Certificate or EOC.

**Government Treatment.** Any services the member actually received that were provided by a local, state or federal government agency, except when payment under this plan is expressly required by federal or state law. We will not cover payment for these services if the member is not required to pay for them or they are given to the member for free.

**Services of Relatives.** Professional services received from a person living in the member's home or who is related to the member by blood or marriage, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Voluntary Payment.** Services for which the member has no legal obligation to pay, or for which no charge would be made in the absence of insurance coverage or other health plan coverage, except services received at a non-governmental charitable research hospital. Such a hospital must meet the following guidelines: 1. it must be internationally known as being devoted mainly to medical research; 2. at least 10% of its yearly budget must be spent on research not directly related to patient care; 3. at least one-third of its gross income must come from donations or grants other than gifts or payments for patient care; 4. it must accept patients who are unable to pay; and 5. Two-thirds of its patients must have conditions directly related to the hospital's research.

**Private Contracts.** Services or supplies provided pursuant to a private contract between the member and a provider, for which reimbursement under Medicare program is prohibited, as specified in Section 1802 (42 U.S.C. 1395a) of Title XVIII of the Social Security Act.

**Inpatient Diagnostic Tests.** Inpatient room and board charges in connection with a hospital stay primarily for diagnostic tests which could have been performed safely on an outpatient basis.

**Mental or Nervous Disorders.** Academic or educational testing, counseling, and remediation. Mental or nervous disorders or substance abuse, including rehabilitative care in relation to these conditions, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Orthodontia.** Braces, other orthodontic appliances or orthodontic services.

**Dental Services or Supplies.** For dental treatment, regardless of origin or cause, except as specified below. "Dental treatment" includes but is not limited to preventative care and fluoride treatments; dental x rays, supplies, appliances, dental implants and all associated expenses; diagnosis and treatment related to the teeth, jawbones or gums, including but not limited to:

1. Extraction, restoration, and replacement of teeth; 2. Services to improve dental clinical outcomes.

This exclusion does not apply to the following:

1. Services which we are required by law to cover; 2. Services specified as covered in this booklet; 3. Dental services to prepare the mouth for radiation therapy to treat head and/or neck cancer.

**Hearing Aids or Tests.** Hearing aids and routine hearing tests, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Optometric Services or Supplies.** Optometric services, eye exercises including orthoptics. Routine eye exams and routine eye refractions, as specified as covered in the Certificate. Eyeglasses or contact lenses, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Outpatient Occupational Therapy.** Outpatient occupational therapy, except by a home health agency, hospice, or home infusion therapy provider, as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Outpatient Speech Therapy.** Outpatient speech therapy, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Cosmetic Surgery.** Cosmetic surgery or other services performed solely for beautification or to alter or reshape normal (including aged) structures or tissues of the body to improve appearance. This exclusion does not apply to reconstructive surgery (that is, surgery performed to correct deformities caused by congenital or developmental abnormalities, illness, or injury for the purpose of improving bodily function or symptomatology or to create a normal appearance), including surgery performed to restore symmetry following mastectomy. Cosmetic surgery does not become reconstructive surgery because psychological or psychiatric reasons.

**Commercial Weight Loss Programs.** Weight loss programs, whether or not they are pursued under medical or physician supervision, unless specifically listed as covered in this plan. This exclusion includes, but is not limited to, commercial weight loss programs (Weight Watchers, Jenny Craig, LA Weight Loss) and fasting programs. This exclusion does not apply to medically necessary treatments for morbid obesity or dietary evaluations and counseling, and behavioral modification programs for the treatment of anorexia nervosa or bulimia nervosa. Surgical treatment for morbid obesity is covered as described in the Certificate.

**Sterilization Reversal.**

**Infertility Treatment.** Any services or supplies furnished in connection with the diagnosis and treatment of infertility, including, but not limited to diagnostic tests, medication, surgery, artificial insemination, in vitro fertilization, sterilization reversal and gamete intrafallopian transfer, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Surrogate Mother Services.** For any services or supplies provided to a person not covered under the plan in connection with a surrogate pregnancy (including, but not limited to, the bearing of a child by another woman for an infertile couple).

**Orthopedic shoes and shoe inserts.** This exclusion does not apply to orthopedic footwear used as an integral part of a brace, shoe inserts that are custom molded to the patient, or therapeutic shoes and inserts designed to treat foot complications due to diabetes, as specifically stated in the EOC/Certificate.

**Air Conditioners.** Air purifiers, air conditioners or humidifiers.

**Custodial Care or Rest Cures.** Inpatient room and board charges in connection with a hospital stay primarily for environmental change or physical therapy. Services provided by a rest home, a home for the aged, a nursing home or any similar facility. Services provided by a skilled nursing facility or custodial care or rest cures, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Clinical Trials** - Services and supplies in connection with clinical trials, except as specified as covered in the Certificate or EOC.

**Health Club Memberships.** Health club memberships, exercise equipment, charges from a physical fitness instructor or personal trainer, or any other charges for activities, equipment or facilities used for developing or maintaining physical fitness, even if ordered by a physician. This exclusion also applies to health spas.

**Personal Items.** Any supplies for comfort, hygiene or beautification.

**Education or Counseling.** Educational services or nutritional counseling, except as specified as covered in the Certificate. This exclusion does not apply to counseling for the treatment of anorexia nervosa or bulimia nervosa.

**Food or Dietary Supplements.** Nutritional and/or dietary supplements, except as provided in this plan or as required by law. This exclusion includes, but is not limited to, those nutritional formulas and dietary supplements that can be purchased over the counter, which by law do not require either a written prescription or dispensing by a licensed pharmacist.

**Gene Therapy.** Gene therapy as well as any drugs, procedures, health care services related to it that introduce or is related to the introduction of genetic material into a person intended to replace or correct faulty or missing genetic material.

**Telephone and Facsimile Machine Consultations.** Consultations provided by telephone or facsimile machine.

**Routine Exams or Tests.** Routine physical exams or tests which do not directly treat an actual illness, injury or condition, including those required by employment or government authority, except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Acupuncture.** Acupuncture treatment, except as specified as covered in the Certificate. Acupressure or massage to control pain, treat illness or promote health by applying pressure to one or more specific areas of the body based on dermatomes or acupuncture points.

**Eye Surgery for Refractive Defects.** Any eye surgery solely or primarily for the purpose of correcting refractive defects of the eye such as nearsightedness (myopia) and/or astigmatism. Contact lenses and Eye glasses required as a result of this surgery.

**Physical Therapy or Physical Medicine.** Services of a physician for physical therapy or physical medicine, except when provided during a covered inpatient confinement or as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Outpatient Prescription Drugs and Medications.** Outpatient prescription drugs or medications and insulin, except as specified as covered in the Certificate. Any non-prescription, over-the-counter patent or proprietary drug or medicine. Cosmetics, health or beauty aids.

**Residential accommodations.** Residential accommodations to treat medical or behavioral health conditions, except when provided in a hospital, hospice, skilled nursing facility or residential treatment center. This exclusion includes procedures, equipment, services, supplies or charges for the following:

- Domiciliary care provided in a residential institution, treatment center, halfway house, or school because a member's own home arrangements are not available or are unsuitable, and consisting chiefly of room and board, even if therapy is included.
- Care provided or billed by a hotel, health resort, convalescent home, rest home, nursing home or other extended care facility home for the aged, infirmary, school infirmary, institution providing education in special environments, supervised living or halfway house, or any similar facility or institution.
- Services or care provided or billed by a school, custodial care center for the developmentally disabled, or outward bound programs, even if psychotherapy is included.
- Wilderness camps.

**Specialty Pharmacy Drugs.** Specialty pharmacy drugs that must be obtained from the specialty pharmacy program, but, which are obtained from a retail pharmacy, are not covered by this plan. Member will have to pay the full cost of the specialty pharmacy

drugs obtained from a retail pharmacy that should have been obtained from the specialty pharmacy program.

**Contraceptive Devices.** Contraceptive devices prescribed for birth control except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Diabetic Supplies.** Prescription and non-prescription diabetic supplies except as specified as covered in the Certificate.

**Private Duty Nursing.** Private duty nursing services.

**Lifestyle Programs.** Programs to alter one's lifestyle which may include but are not limited to diet, exercise, imagery or nutrition. This exclusion will not apply to cardiac rehabilitation programs approved by us.

**Medical Equipment, Devices and Supplies.** This plan does not cover the following:

- Replacement or repair of purchased or rental equipment because of misuse, abuse, or loss/theft.
- Surgical supports, corsets, or articles of clothing unless needed to recover from surgery or injury.
- Enhancements to standard equipment and devices that is not medically necessary.
- Supplies, equipment and appliances that include comfort, luxury, or convenience items or features that exceed what is medically necessary in your situation.

This exclusion does not apply to the medically necessary treatment as specifically stated as covered in the EOC/Certificate.

**Varicose Vein Treatment.** Treatment of varicose veins or telangiectatic dermal veins (spider veins) by any method (including sclerotherapy or other surgeries) when services are rendered for cosmetic purposes.

**Third Party Liability:** Anthem Blue Cross Life and Health Insurance Company is entitled to reimbursement of benefits paid if the member recovers damages from a legally liable third party.

**Coordination of Benefits.** The benefits of this plan may be reduced if the member has any other group health or dental coverage so that the services received from all group coverages do not exceed 100% of the covered expense.

**Medicare.** For which benefits are payable under Medicare Parts A and/or B, or would have been payable if you had applied for Parts A and/or B, except as listed or as required by federal law, as described in the EOC. If you do not enroll in Medicare Part B, we will calculate benefits as if you had enrolled. You should sign up for Medicare Part B as soon as possible to avoid large out of pocket costs.

**Services Received from Providers on a Federal or State Exclusion List.** Any service, drug, drug regimen, treatment, or supply furnished, ordered or prescribed by a provider identified as an excluded individual or entity on the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office of Inspector General List of Excluded Individuals/Entities (OIG List), the General Services Administration System for Award Management (GSA List), State Medicaid exclusion lists or other exclusion/sanctioned lists as published by Federal or State regulatory agencies. This exclusion does not apply to an emergency medical condition.

**Drugs Given to you by a Doctor.** The following exclusions apply to drugs you receive from a doctor:

- Delivery Charges. Charges for the delivery of prescription drugs.
- Clinically-Equivalent Alternatives. Certain prescription drugs may not be covered if you could use a clinically equivalent drug, unless required by law. "Clinically equivalent" means drugs that for most members, will give you similar results for a disease or condition. If you have questions about whether a certain drug is covered and which drugs fall into this group, please call the number on the back of your Identification Card, or visit our website at [www.anthem.com](http://www.anthem.com).

If you or your doctor believes you need to use a different prescription drug, please have your doctor or pharmacist get in touch with us. We will cover the other prescription drug only if we agree that it is medically necessary and appropriate over the clinically equivalent drug. We will review benefits for the prescription drug from time to time to make sure the drug is still medically necessary.

- **Compound Drugs.** Compound drugs unless all of the ingredients are FDA-approved in the form in which they are used in the compound drug and as designated in the FDA's Orange Book: Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations, require a prescription to dispense, and the compound drug is not essentially the same as an FDA-approved product from a drug manufacturer. Exceptions to non-FDA approved compound ingredients may include multi-source, non-proprietary vehicles and/or pharmaceutical adjuvants.
- **Drugs Contrary to Approved Medical and Professional Standards.** Drugs given to you or prescribed in a way that is against approved medical and professional standards of practice.
- **Drugs Over Quantity or Age Limits.** Drugs which are over any quantity or age limits set by the plan or us.
- **Drugs Over the Quantity Prescribed or Refills After One Year.** Drugs in amounts over the quantity prescribed or for any refill given more than one year after the date of the original prescription.
- **Drugs Prescribed by Providers Lacking Qualifications, Registrations and/or Certifications.** Prescription drugs prescribed by a provider that does not have the necessary qualifications, registrations and/or certifications as determined by us.
- **Drugs That Do Not Need a Prescription.** Drugs that do not need a prescription by federal law (including drugs that need a prescription by state law, but not by federal law), except for injectable insulin. This exclusion does not apply to over-the-counter drugs that we must cover under state law, or federal law when recommended by the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force, and prescribed by a doctor.
- **Lost or Stolen Drugs.** Refills of lost or stolen drugs.
- **Non-Approved Drugs.** Drugs not approved by the FDA.