





Thank you for being a member.

We're here to help make your health care experience easier. Use this guide to better understand your benefits, find care options, manage costs and get the most out of your health plan.

What's inside:

- Important things to know and do
- Put your benefits to work
- · Find the care you need
- Know how your health plan works
- Save on medications
- Explore additional health and wellness resources



Have a health care question?

Call a UnitedHealthcare Advocate at 1-800-718-1299.



Tell us what else you'd like to see.

If you receive a request to complete a survey about your health care experience, we'd appreciate any feedback you can provide.



Take advantage of the Consumer Driven **Option Plan.**

- · Save on eligible expenses using your Personal Care Account (PCA). Every January, the plan deposits \$1,200 or \$2,400 into your PCA, depending on your level of coverage. (Learn more on page 4 and page 7.)
- Get an additional \$25 for your PCA any time you or a covered family member get an annual exam.
- Use One Pass Select™ to access thousands of gyms nationwide, with memberships starting at \$10/month. (See page 9 for more details.)



Access your plan details at myuhc.com.

- Register at **myuhc.com**® to explore your benefits and make informed care decisions.
- · Find care and compare costs for network providers and services.
- · Check plan balances, view your claims and access your health plan ID card.
- Access wellness programs and view clinical recommendations.
- Use 24/7 Virtual Visits to connect with providers by phone or video* to discuss common medical conditions and get prescriptions,** if needed.
- · View your PCA balance.
- Compare prescription costs and order refills.

Set up your account today.

- Go to myuhc.com > Register Now.
- · Have your ID card handy and follow the step-by-step instructions.



Download the UnitedHealthcare app.

The **UnitedHealthcare®** app puts your health plan at your fingertips. Download it to:

- Find nearby network care options in your network.
- See your claim details and view progress toward your deductible.
- View and share your health plan ID card with your doctor's office.
- · Video chat with a doctor 24/7.





Let your Personal Care Account (PCA) help cover health costs.

The Consumer Driven Option Plan features a PCA that covers 100% of your health care expenses as long as there are funds available. In January each year, the plan automatically funds your PCA at \$1,200 (self only) or \$2,400 (self plus one or self and family). You can use your PCA for:

- · Medical care
- Prescription drugs and supplies
- · Dental and vision services
- Surgery and hospital services
- · Mental health and substance use treatment

Your PCA covers both network and out-of-network services. However, care can be less expensive when you stay in the network because network providers discount their fees.

Learn more about controlling how your PCA pays claims on page 7.



Roll over unused funds in your PCA.

If you have money in your PCA at the end of the year, your balance will automatically roll over to the next year, as long as you stay enrolled in this plan. The maximum allowed amount is \$5,000 (self only) and \$10,000 (self plus one or self and family).



Help boost your overall well-being.

Find a network PCP.

A PCP is a primary care provider, sometimes called a primary care physician or doctor. They can be a family practitioner, internist, pediatrician or general medicine physician. Although your plan does not require you to choose a PCP, it's a good idea to have one because your PCP generally:

- Knows your health history
- · Can guide you on the best path of care
- Can advise you when to see a specialist and provide electronic referrals

Sign in to myuhc.com > Find Care & Costs to find a network physician, clinic, hospital or lab based on location, specialty, reputation, estimated cost of services, availability, hours of operation and more. You can even see patient ratings and compare quality and costs before you choose a provider. If you'd like more information on a physician's professional qualifications, call a UnitedHealthcare Advocate at 1-800-718-1299.

Keep up on preventive care.

Preventive care such as routine wellness exams and certain recommended screenings and immunizations are covered at no additional cost when you see network providers. Learn more at **uhc.com/preventivecare.**

Choose quality care providers.

The UnitedHealth Premium® program uses national, evidence-based measures to evaluate physicians in multiple specialties. Find UnitedHealth Premium Care Physicians by going to myuhc.com > Find a Provider and look for the blue hearts.

Shop around.

Whether you're having a minor procedure or a major surgery, it's a good idea to check pricing before scheduling an appointment. Visit **myuhc.com** > **Find Care & Costs** to estimate your costs.



Get access to care any time - virtually.

Use your smartphone or other connected device* to access virtual primary and urgent care through your UnitedHealthcare plan. To schedule a virtual primary care appointment or urgent care through 24/7 Virtual Visits, download the UnitedHealthcare app or visit **myuhc.com/virtualcare**.

What kind of virtual care might be right for you?

Virtual primary care:

- Annual wellness visits
- Regular follow-ups for conditions like asthma, diabetes, etc.
- Lab tests and preventive screenings
 - A Care Team will guide you, when needed, to in-person care such as labs, imaging, specialists and more.
- Referrals to quality network specialists
- Medication review and prescriptions, if needed**
- · Cost aligns with PCP benefit

24/7 Virtual Visits:

- Non-emergency care for common health issues like the flu, fevers, sore throats, etc.
- Non-emergency care for sudden health issues like pink eye, migraines, back pain, allergies and anxiety
- Prescription refills, if needed**
- Cost aligns with 24/7 Virtual Visits benefit

^{*}Data rates may apply

^{**}Certain prescriptions may not be available, and other restrictions may apply



Care options

to consider

Compare options to help keep costs down.

Getting care at the place that may best fit your condition or situation may save you up to \$2,500 compared to an emergency room (ER) visit.*

START HERE



Primary care provider (PCP)

The provider who may know you best



24/7 Virtua Visits

A care provider over the phone*** or by video



Convenience

Nurse practitioners and physician assistants at retail pharmacy clinics



Urgent care

Physicians and care teams at walk-in clinics



Emergency room

Physicians and care teams at hospital mergency departments

			retail pharmacy clinics		emergency departments
Average cost*	In-person: \$170* Virtual: \$99 or less	Less than \$49**	\$100*	\$185*	\$2,700*
Allergies	✓	✓			_
Bladder infection/UTI	✓			✓	
Broken bone				✓	✓
Bronchitis	✓	✓		✓	
Chest pain					✓
Cough	✓	✓	✓		
COVID-19 symptoms	✓			✓	
Earache	✓	✓	✓		
Fever	✓	✓			
Flu/common cold	✓	✓	✓		
Migraine/headache	✓	✓			
Muscle ache/sprain	✓			✓	
Pink eye	✓	✓			
Shortness of breath					✓
Sinus infection	✓	✓			
Skin rash	✓	✓	✓		
Sore throat	✓	✓			
Stomach pain (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea)	~			✓	
Yeast infection	✓	✓			

[✓] Indicates the care option to consider for the common conditions listed

^{*2022:} Average allowed amounts charged by UnitedHealthcare Network Providers and not tied to a specific condition or treatment. Actual payments may vary depending upon benefit coverage. (Estimated \$2,500 difference between the average emergency room visit, \$2,700 and the average urgent care visit \$185.) The information and estimates provided are for general informational and illustrative purposes only and is not intended to be nor should be construed as medical advice or a substitute for your doctor's care. You should consult with an appropriate health care professional to determine what may be right for you. In an emergency, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.

^{**}The Designated Virtual Visit Provider's reduced rate for a 24/7 Virtual Visit is subject to change at any time.

^{***}Data rates may apply.



The Consumer Driven Option Plan: a breakdown.

1 Your health expenses are paid by your PCA first.

The APWU Health Plan contributes money to your account:

Self only	Self plus one/Self and family:
\$1,200	\$2,400

Your full PCA balance is available in January each year. Your PCA pays your eligible medical and pharmacy expenses as long as there are funds available.

2 After you use up your PCA funds, you need to meet your deductible.

Your deductible is the amount you pay before your medical plan pays.

Deductible:

Self only	Self plus one/Self and family:
Network:	Network:
\$2,200 - \$1,200 (PCA) = \$1,000	\$4,400 - \$2,400 (PCA) = \$2,000
Out-of-network:	Out-of-network:
\$2,700 - \$1,200 (PCA) = \$1,500	\$5,400 - \$2,400 (PCA) = \$3,000

3 After your deductible is met, you then pay only coinsurance.

Once you've met your deductible, you and the medical plan share expenses. This is called coinsurance. The percentage you pay for covered services is:

Medical services:

- Network − 15%
- Centers of Excellence (COEs) − 10%
- Out-of-network − 50%

Network preventive care is covered 100%

Prescription drugs (retail or mail order):

- Network lowest-cost medications (Tiers 1 and 2) 25%
- Highest-cost medications (Tier 3) 40%
- Out-of-network Not covered

The maximum prescription amount for Tiers 1 and 2 is \$200 per prescription for a 30-day supply, and \$300 per prescription for Tier 3. After you reach your out-of-pocket maximum, all eligible expenses are covered up to 100% for the rest of the year.

Out-of-pocket maximum:

Self only	Self plus one/Self and family:	
Network: \$6,500	Network: \$13,000	
Out-of-network: \$12,000	Out-of-network: \$24,000	



Control how your PCA pays claims.

If you don't want your PCA to automatically pay your medical claims, you must take the following steps each year:

- Log in to myuhc.com
- Click on
- "Claims and Accounts"
- · Click on
- "Health Reimbursement Account"
- · Click on
- "Automatic Payments"
- · Click on

"Change Automatic Payment Settings"

Note: If you changed your automatic payment settings in 2023, you must do it again in 2024. You can now make changes to your settings, such as having your FSAFEDS pay first (if you have an FSAFEDS). Please note that your pharmacy claims will always be paid automatically by your PCA. If you have any questions, please call 1-800-718-1299.



Say hello to your pharmacy benefits.

Optum Rx® is your pharmacy benefit manager, making it easier to save on medications and keep track of them, whether you're online or on the go.

Manage your meds.

When you go to **myuhc.com** > **Pharmacies & Prescriptions** you can:

- · Find and compare medication costs.
- · Locate a network pharmacy.
- See if your medications have any requirements before filling them.



Maximize your prescriptions 1 of 3 ways.

Use Optum Home Delivery.

Order up to a 3-month supply of medications you take regularly.* Sign up on **myuhc.com**, use the **UnitedHealthcare app** or call **1-800-718-1299**. There's free standard shipping to U.S. addresses. Make sure you have at least a 1-month supply to cover you through the transition.

2 Pick up at the pharmacy.

Show your ID card at any network pharmacy — which can be found by checking the **Pharmacy Locator** on **myuhc.com**, the **UnitedHealthcare app** or by calling **1-800-718-1299**.



If you fill a prescription when you have benefit dollars available in your PCA, the funds will be applied and you may pay nothing.

3 Consider lower-tier and generic medications.

Choosing generic medications or those in the lower tiers of your Prescription Drug List (PDL) may help keep costs down.

Sign in to myuhc.com > Pharmacies & Prescriptions to:

- View your PDL.
- See the most commonly prescribed medications covered by your plan.
- Find pricing and lower-cost options.



Make your way toward enhanced wellness.

Check out the following resources for extra support to reach your health goals. All of these programs are available at no additional cost to you and your family.

Rediscover your passion for health.

Starting Jan. 1, 2024, you and eligible family members can use One Pass Select™ to reach your fitness goals. Whether you work out at home or at the gym, choose a membership that fits your lifestyle in one easy, affordable plan.

- Choose from a large nationwide network of gyms and fitness studios.
- Work out at home with live or on-demand fitness classes.
- Get groceries and household essentials delivered to your home.
- Select the \$10/month digital-only plan or 1 of the 4 other membership tiers.

Get started at OnePassSelect.com.

Start living tobacco-free.

Since 1985, **Quit For Life®** has helped more than 4 million tobacco users quit for good. It's a personal support program available at no additional cost to you. Choose from a variety of online tools and get access to a Quit Coach® and an app to customize a quit plan to help you break free from tobacco. Enroll today at **myuhc.com**.

Your path to better health.

Sign up for **Rally**® on **myuhc.com**. It's a program to help you move more and eat better to reach your health goals. It even rewards you for your progress. How it works:

- Take your health survey to see how you're doing in vital areas such as nutrition, fitness, sleep and stress. This helps you pinpoint focus areas for goal setting.
- Pick your focus. Get personalized recommendations based on your survey results. Then, choose ones that fit your lifestyle and track your progress on your dashboard.
- Earn rewards. You can earn Rally Coins for almost everything, from logging in regularly to completing healthy actions. Your Coins will be combined with those of other Rally users to reach a certain goal. When the goal is met, Rally will donate money to an organization like the American Heart Association®, Alzheimer's Association®, Autism Speaks®, American Cancer Society® and more.



Find support for your growing family.

Maternity support.

Whether you're thinking about having a baby or have one on the way, maternity support offers information, resources and 1-on-1 nurse support before, during and after pregnancy. To complete a short assessment, watch videos and learn more, visit **myuhc.com/maternity.**

Maven.

APWU Health Plan members and their covered dependents enrolled in the Consumer Driven Option Plan have 24/7 access to Maven, an all-in-one digital health platform to support you on your pregnancy and postpartum journey, up to your child's first birthday. You can use Maven to:

- Book virtual appointments for unlimited coaching and education with providers across 30+ specialties, including OB-GYNs, mental health specialists, physical therapists, career coaches and pediatricians.
- Talk to your own Care Advocate who can help you find support, navigate your benefits and understand your health bills.
- Access community forums and a library of expert content, including provider-led classes like Postpartum Recovery 101.

Visit **mavenclinic.com/join/apwuhp** for more information.



Get care for specific needs.

Behavioral health support.

Whether you have a specific need or want to work on your personal growth, connect to self-help digital tools, in-person or virtual behavioral health providers and more for help to:

- · Address depression, stress, anxiety or substance use issues
- · Improve relationships at home or work
- · Work through emotional issues or grief
- Manage medications, compulsive habits or eating disorders

Whenever you need someone to talk to, support is available.

Visit myuhc.com or call 1-800-718-1299 to get started.

Disease management.

These services are designed to help you manage chronic health conditions more effectively. Specialized program nurses are available to help you and your family manage conditions such as:

- Asthma
- · Chronic kidney disease
- Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)
- · Coronary artery disease
- Diabetes
- Heart failure
- · Back pain

Visit myuhc.com or call 1-800-718-1299 to get started.

Access to some of the nation's leading health care facilities.

If you have a special condition, such as cancer or need an organ transplant, our Centers of Excellence (COE) network is available to help you find doctors and medical centers, and better understand your specific care needs. COEs help supplement the care you may be receiving from your local hospital and doctor, and offer benefits that may include:

- · Higher rates of accurate diagnoses and appropriate therapy
- Fewer complications
- Planned and coordinated care provided by a team of experts
- Higher survival rates, shorter stays and decreased costs
- Expanded treatment options

COEs are here to offer access to the care you need, when you need it. Please note that you pay a lower coinsurance (10% instead of 15%) for eligible cancer care and organ transplants services when you use a Centers of Excellence facility.

Check out available hearing aid benefits.

UnitedHealthcare Hearing provides access to over 2,000 name-brand models and styles of hearing aids at significant savings. Choose virtual care with hearing aid home delivery or in-person care at more than 7,000 hearing providers nationwide.

We do not treat members differently because of sex, age, race, color, disability or national origin.

If you think you weren't treated fairly because of your sex, age, race, color, disability or national origin, you can send a complaint to the Civil Rights Coordinator:

Mail: UnitedHealthcare Civil Rights Grievance

P.O. Box 30608

Salt Lake City, UT 84130

Online: UHC_Civil_Rights@uhc.com

You must send the complaint within 60 days of when you found out about it. A decision will be sent to you within 30 days. If you disagree with the decision, you have 15 days to ask us to look at it again. If you need help with your complaint, please call the toll-free member phone number listed on your ID card.

You can also file a complaint with the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services:

Online: ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf

Complaint forms are available at

www.hhs.gov/ocr/complaints/index.html.

Phone: Toll-free **1-800-368-1019**, **1-800-537-7697** (TDD)

Mail: U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services 200 Independence Avenue SW, Room 509F

HHH Building

Washington, DC 20201

We provide free services to help you communicate with us such as letters in other languages or large print. You can also ask for an interpreter. To ask for help, please call the toll-free member phone number listed on your health plan ID card.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español (**Spanish**), hay servicios de asistencia de idiomas, sin cargo, a su disposición. Llame al número de teléfono gratuito que aparece en su tarjeta de identificación.

請注意:如果您說中文 (Chinese), 我們免費為您提供語言協助服務。請撥打會員卡所列的免付費會員電話號碼.

XIN LƯU Ý: Nếu quý vị nói tiếng Việt (**Vietnamese**), quý vị sẽ được cung cấp dịch vụ trợ giúp về ngôn ngữ miễn phí. Vui lòng gọi số điện thoại miễn phí ở mặt sau thẻ hôi viên của quý vi.

알림: 한국어(**Korean**)를 사용하시는 경우 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 귀하의 신분증 카드에 기재된 무료 회원 전화번호로 문의하십시오.

PAALALA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog (**Tagalog**), may makukuha kang mga libreng serbisyo ng tulong sa wika. Pakitawagan ang toll-free na numero ng telepono na nasa iyong identification card.

ВНИМАНИЕ: бесплатные услуги перевода доступны для людей, чей родной язык является русским (**Russian**). Позвоните по бесплатному номеру телефона, указанному на вашей идентификационной карте.

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ATANSYON: Si w pale Kreyòl ayisyen (**Haitian Creole**), ou kapab benefisye sèvis ki gratis pou ede w nan lang pa w. Tanpri rele nimewo gratis ki sou kat idantifikasyon w.

ATTENTION : Si vous parlez français (**French**), des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Veuillez appeler le numéro de téléphone gratuit figurant sur votre carte d'identification.

UWAGA: Jeżeli mówisz po polsku (**Polish**), udostępniliśmy darmowe usługi tłumacza. Prosimy zadzwonić pod bezpłatny numer telefonu podany na karcie identyfikacyjnej.

ATENÇÃO: Se você fala português (**Portuguese**), contate o serviço de assistência de idiomas gratuito. Ligue gratuitamente para o número encontrado no seu cartão de identificação. ACHTUNG: Falls Sie Deutsch (**German**) sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Bitte rufen Sie die gebührenfreie Rufnummer auf der Rückseite Ihres Mitgliedsausweises an.

توجه: اگر زبان شما فارسی (Farsi) است، خدمات امداد زبانی به طور رایگان در اختیار شما می باشد. لطفا با شماره تلفن رایگانی که روی کارت شناسایی شما قید شده تماس بگیرید.

ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिंदी (Hindi) बोलते हैं, आपको भाषा सहायता सेबाएं, नि:शुल्क उपलब्ध हैं। कृपया अपने पहचान पत्र पर सूचीबद्ध टोल-फरी फोन नंबर पर कॉल करें।

DÍÍ BAA'ÁKONÍNÍZIN: Diné (**Navajo**) bizaad bee yániłti'go, saad bee áka'anída'awo'ígíí, t'áá jíík'eh, bee ná'ahóót'i'. T'áá shoodí ninaaltsoos nitl'izí bee nééhozinígíí bine'déé' t'áá jíík'ehgo béésh bee hane'í biká'ígíí bee hodíilnih.



Visit uhc.com/legal/required-state-notices to view important state required notices.

Virtual primary care are services available with a provider via video, chat, email, or audio-only where permitted under state law. Virtual primary care services are only available if the provider is licensed in the state that the member is located at the time of the appointment. Virtual primary care is not intended to address emergency or life-threatening medical conditions and should not be used in those circumstances. Services may not be available at all times, or in all locations, or for all members. Certain prescriptions may not be available, and other restrictions may apply.

24/7 Virtual Visits is a service available with a Designated Virtual Network Provider via video, or audio-only where permitted under state law. Unless otherwise required, benefits are available only when services are delivered through a Designated Virtual Network Provider. 24/7 Virtual Visits are not intended to address emergency or life-threatening medical conditions and should not be used in those circumstances. Services may not be available at all times, or in all locations, or for all members. Check your benefit plan to determine if these services are available.

Certain preventive care items and services, including immunizations, are provided as specified by applicable law, including the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA), with no cost-sharing to you. These services may be based on your age and other health factors. Other routine services may be covered under your plan, and some plans may require copayments, coinsurance or deductibles for these benefits. Always review your benefit plan documents to determine your specific coverage details.

We share available contact information (e.g., name, address, phone number) with your assigned PCP office, and they may contact you with additional information on how they can help coordinate your care.

All UnitedHealthcare members can access a cost estimate online or on the mobile app. None of the cost estimates are intended to be a guarantee of your costs or benefits. Your actual costs may vary. When accessing a cost estimate, please refer to the Website or Mobile application terms of use under Find Care & Costs section. Refer to your health plan coverage documents for information regarding your specific benefits. Specific information about network and out-of-network facility-based physicians can be found at myuhc.com or by calling the toll-free member phone number that appears on your health plan ID card

Evaluation of New Technologies: UnitedHealthcare's Medical Technology Assessment Committee reviews clinical evidence that impacts the determination of whether new technology and health services will be covered. The Medical Technology Assessment Committee is composed of Medical Directors with diverse specialties and subspecialties from throughout UnitedHealthcare and its affiliated companies, guest subject matter experts when required, and staff from various relevant areas within UnitedHealthcare. The Committee meets monthly to review published clinical evidence, information government regulatory agencies and nationally accepted clinical position statements for new and existing medical technologies and treatments, to assist UnitedHealthcare in making informed coverage decisions.

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Rally Health® provides health and well-being information and support as part of your health plan. It does not provide medical advice or other health services, and is not a substitute for your doctor's care. If you have specific health care needs, consult an appropriate health care professional. Participation in the health survey is voluntary. Your responses will be kept confidential in accordance with the law and will only be used to provide health and wellness recommendations or conduct other plan activities.

One Pass Select is a voluntary program featuring a subscription based nationwide gym network. The information provided under this program is for general informational purposes only and is not intended to be nor should be construed as medical advice. Individuals should consult an appropriate health care professional before beginning any exercise program and/or to determine what may be right for them. Purchasing discounted gym and fitness studio memberships may have tax implications. Employers and individuals should consult an appropriate tax professional to determine if they have any tax obligations with respect to the purchase of these discounted memberships under this program. One Pass Select is not available in HI, KS, VT and Puerto Ricc for fully insured groups.

The information provided under the Maternity Support Program is for general informational purposes only and is not intended to be nor should be construed as medical and/or nutritional advice. Program nurses cannot diagnose problems or suggest treatment. This program is not a substitute for your doctor. Participants should consult an appropriate health care professional to determine what may be right for them. Employers are responsible for ensuring that any wellness programs they offer to their employees comply with applicable state and/or federal law, including, but not limited to, GINA, ADA and HIPAA wellness programs, which in many circumstances contain maximum incentive threshold limits for all wellness programs combined that are generally limited to 30% of the cost of self-only coverage of the lowest-cost plan, as well as obligations for employers to provide certain notices to their employees. Employers should discuss these issues with their own legal counsel.

Maven and Maven Wallet are products of Maven Clinic Co. Maven is an independent company contracted to provide family-building support including care advocacy, virtual coaching, and education. Maven does not provide medical care and is not intended to replace your in-person heath care providers. Use of the services is subject to terms of service and privacy policy. Maven® is a registered trademark of Maven Clinic Co. All rights reserved.

The Quit For Life® program provides information regarding tobacco cessation methods and related well-being support. Any health information provided by you is kept confidential in accordance with the law. The Quit For Life program does not provide clinical treatment or medical services and should not be considered a substitute for your doctor's care. Participation in this program is voluntary. If you have specific health care needs or questions, consult an appropriate health care professional. This service should not be used for emergency or urgent care needs. In an emergency, call 911 or go to the nearest emergency room.

Disease Management programs and services may vary on a location-by-location basis and are subject to change with written notice. UnitedHealthcare does not guarantee availability of programs in all service areas and provider participation may vary. Certain items may be excluded from coverage and other requirements or restrictions may apply. If you select a new provider or are assigned to a provider who does not participate in the Disease Management program, your participation in the program will be terminated. Self-Insured Plans (ASO) covered persons may have an additional premium cost. Please check with your employer.

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