MESSA ABC Plan 1 Medical plan highlights

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Effective Date: 2/1/2022

MESSA Account: Harper Creek Community Schools

Employee Group: 095ABCDH APA-BBC All employees eligible for medical

In-network health care benefits for you and your covered dependents

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In-network
Single coverage: \$1,400
2-Person & Family coverage: \$2,800
*Your deductible is subject to change each Jan. 1 according to IRS
rules governing HSA-qualified plans.
*When two or more lives are covered under this plan, the entire family deductible must be met before claims are paid for any individual.
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3-Tier Rx
Single coverage: \$3,400
2-Person & Family coverage: \$6,800

In-network services covered at no cost to you

Free preventive prescriptions

MESSA ABC covers an extensive list of FREE preventive prescriptions that have no deductible, copayment or coinsurance, including cholesterol and blood pressure medications, weight loss medications, prenatal vitamins, contraceptives and many more.

Preventive care and prenatal care

Certain services such as annual exams, screenings, childhood and adult immunizations, certain preventive medications and prenatal doctor visits.

In-network services subject to deductible and applicable coinsurance	
Blue Cross online visit	Urgent care
Office visit	Hospital emergency room (ER)
Chiropractic services including modalities Up to 38 visits per calendar year.	Osteopathic manipulations Performed by an Osteopathic physician. Up to 38 visits per calendar year.
Inpatient hospital	Autism - applied behavior analysis (ABA) services
Outpatient physical, occupational and speech therapy Up to a combined benefit maximum of 60 visits per individual per calendar year.	Hearing aids There is a maximum benefit for a hearing aid for each ear during a 36-month period.
Hearing care Hearing related services performed by an M.D. or D.O.	Acupuncture Must be performed by an M.D. or D.O.
Diagnostic lab and X-ray	Radiation and chemotherapy
Allergy testing and therapy	Bariatric surgery
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Medical care outside the U.S.

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Life and accidental death & dismemberment insurance

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MESSA ABC Plan 2 Medical plan highlights

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Plan features	In-network
Annual deductible The amount you pay for health care services and prescription drug purchases before your health insurance begins to pay. The annual deductible is based on the calendar year, Jan. 1 to Dec. 31.	Single coverage: \$2,000 2-Person & Family coverage: \$4,000 *When two or more lives are covered under this plan, the entire family deductible must be met before claims are paid for any individual.
Medical coinsurance A fixed percentage you pay for a medical service.	0%
Prescription drug coverage Under federal law governing HSA-qualified plans, prescription drugs are subject to the deductible (other than MESSA's free preventive prescriptions). After deductible is met, applicable prescription copayments and/or coinsurance apply. See Free preventive prescriptions below.	3-Tier Rx
Annual out-of-pocket maximums The most you have to pay for covered medical services and prescriptions in a calendar year, including deductible, copayments and coinsurance. Charges above approved amount and charges for services not covered under the plan do not count toward the out-of-pocket maximum.	Single coverage: \$4,000 2-Person & Family coverage: \$7,050
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Medical copayment - A fixed amount you pay for a medical visit.	\$20 Blue Cross online visit, \$20 office visit, \$20 specialist visit, \$25 urgent care, \$50 emergency room
Medical coinsurance - A fixed percentage you pay for a medical service.	20%
Prescription drug coverage - Subject to prescription copayments and coinsurance.	3-Tier Rx
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Covered service	In-network cost share
Preventive care - Certain services such as annual exams, screenings, childhood and adult immunizations and certain preventive medications.	No cost to you
Prenatal and postnatal care - Prenatal and postnatal doctor visits.	
Blue Cross online visit	Subject to deductible and Blue Cross online visit copayment
Office visit - e.g. primary care physican, obstetrics and gynecology and pediatric visits	Subject to deductible and office visit copayment
Specialist visit	Subject to deductible and specialist visit copayment
Urgent care - Copayment waived if services are required to treat a medical emergency or accidental injury.	Subject to deductible and urgent care copayment
Hospital emergency room (ER) - Copayment waived if admitted or due to an accidental injury.	Subject to deductible and emergency room copayment If copayment is waived, then coinsurance may apply
Allergy testing and therapy	Subject to deductible and coinsurance Specialist visit copayment may apply
Osteopathic manipulations - Performed by an Osteopathic	Subject to deductible and office visit copayment

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Acupuncture - Must be performed by an M.D. or D.O.	Subject to deductible and coinsurance
Mental health and substance abuse - outpatient care	Office visit copayment may apply
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Benefit Summary

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Member cost-share for in-network medical services.	
Deductible	\$375 individual/\$750 family
Coinsurance	20%
Blue Cross online visit copayment	\$10
Office visit copayment (e.g., primary care physician, obstetrics and gynecology, and pediatric visits)	\$25
Specialist visit copayment	\$50
Urgent care copayment	\$50
Emergency room copayment	\$200
Annual out-of-pocket maximum	2021: \$8,550 individual/\$17,100 family 2022: \$8,700 individual/\$17,400 family
Ambulance services	20% coinsurance
Surgery	20% coinsurance
Hospitalization	20% coinsurance
Certain services such as annual exams, screenings, childhood and adult immunizations and certain preventive medications	Free
Outpatient mental health and substance abuse copayment	\$25
Inpatient mental health and substance use disorder care	20% coinsurance. Preapproval is required. Services, admissions and lengths of stay that are not pre-approved will not be covered. Services must be medically necessary and provided by a payable provider.
Chiropractic and osteopathic manipulations	\$25 copayment – Maximum of 12 visits (combined) per calendar year.
Physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy and massage therapy performed by a chiropractor	Maximum of 30 visits (combined) per calendar year.
Diagnostic laboratory, pathology and radiology	20% coinsurance
Durable medical equipment (DME)	20% coinsurance. Must be prescribed by a physician and purchased from a payable DME provider. Purchases made online or from a retail store are not covered.
Common exclusions	
Hearing Aids	Not covered
Massage therapy performed by a massage therapist	Not covered
Bariatric surgery	Not covered
Acupuncture	Not covered
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Nutritional counseling performed by a registered dietitian	Not covered

Essentials by MESSA Rx coverage	
Retail and optional mail order delivery	34-day supply; 90 days if prescribed.
Specific preventive medications mandated by federal law are covered 100%. Age and gender limits apply.	Free
Generic medications	\$10 34-day/\$30 90-day
Brand name - Preferred	20% coinsurance 34-day supply \$40 min./\$80 max. 90-day supply \$120 min./\$240 max.
Brand name - Nonpreferred	20% coinsurance 34-day supply \$60 min./\$100 max. 90-day supply \$180 min./\$300 max.
Prior authorization	Required for some medications to ensure compliance with FDA- approved safe prescribing guidelines. Your doctor will submit documentation to support the need for the prescription.
Quantity limits	Applies to some medications to ensure patient safety and appropriate use.
Step therapy	Required for some medications. Step therapy helps keep costs down while making sure you get the safest, most effective and reasonably priced medication available.
Excluded drugs	Drugs that are excluded from coverage include, but are not limited to, brand-name drugs that have generic equivalents, erectile dysfunction drugs, weight loss drugs, heartburn and acid reflux medications (specific generics are covered), drugs that treat colds and coughs (including most antihistamines), and prenatal vitamins.