

SOUTH CAROLINA HEALTH INSURANCE POOL (SCHIP)

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STANDARDIZED MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT COVERAGE

BENEFIT PLANS A, C and D AVAILABLE

Benefit Chart of Medicare Supplement Plans Sold on or After January 1, 2020

This chart shows the benefits included in each of the standard Medicare supplement plans. Some plans may not be available. Only applicants first eligible for Medicare before 2020 may purchase Plans C, F and high deductible F. Every company must make Plan “A” available. Note: An “✓” means 100% of the benefits paid.

BASIC BENEFITS:

- Hospitalization: Part A coinsurance plus coverage for 365 additional days after Medicare benefits end.
- Medical Expenses: Part B coinsurance (generally 20% of Medicare-approved expenses) or copayments for hospital outpatient services. Plans K, L and N require you to pay a portion of Part B coinsurance or copayment.
- Blood: First three pints of blood each year.
- Hospice: Part A coinsurance.

Benefits	Plans Available to All Applicants								Medicare first eligible before 2020 only	
	A	B	D	G ¹	K	L	M	N	C	F ¹
Medicare Part A coinsurance and hospital coverage (up to an additional 365 days after Medicare benefits are used up)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Medicare Part B coinsurance or Copayment	✓	✓	✓	✓	50%	75%	✓	✓ copays apply ³	✓	✓
Blood (first three pints)	✓	✓	✓	✓	50%	75%	✓	✓	✓	✓
Part A hospice care coinsurance or copayment	✓	✓	✓	✓	50%	75%	✓	✓	✓	✓
Skilled nursing facility coinsurance			✓	✓	50%	75%	✓	✓	✓	✓
Medicare Part A deductible		✓	✓	✓	50%	75%	50%	✓	✓	✓
Medicare Part B deductible									✓	✓
Medicare Part B excess charges				✓						✓
Foreign travel emergency (up to plan limits)			✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓
Out-of-pocket limit in 2023 ²					\$6,940 ²	\$3,470 ²				
¹ Plans F and G also have a high deductible option which require first paying a plan deductible of \$2,700 before the plan begins to pay. Once the plan deductible is met, the plan pays 100% of covered services for the rest of the calendar year. High deductible plan G does not cover the Medicare Part B deductible. However, high deductible plans F and G count your payment of the Medicare Part B deductible toward meeting the plan deductible.										
² Plans K and L pay 100% of covered services for the rest of the calendar year once you meet the out-of-pocket yearly limit.										
³ Plan N pays 100% of the Part B coinsurance, except for co-payment of up to \$20 for some office visits and up to a \$50 co-payment for emergency room visits that do not result in an inpatient admission.										

PREMIUM AND RENEWABILITY INFORMATION

Your policy will stay in effect as long as you pay your premium on time. Premium payments are paid monthly.

The South Carolina Health Insurance Pool (SCHIP) can only raise your premium if the premium for all policies like yours in this state is raised. If premiums change, you will be notified at least 31 days before the change.

Plan A	Plan C	Plan D
Monthly Premium	Monthly Premium	Monthly Premium
\$1,024.01	\$1,317.47	\$1,206.49

The Administrator has arranged to receive all claims filed to the S.C. Medicare Administrator. (You would need to file all claims from any other state directly to us.)

DISCLOSURES

Use this outline to compare benefits and premiums among policies.

Read Your Policy Very Carefully

This is only an outline describing your policy's most important features. The policy is part of your insurance contract. You must read the policy itself to understand all the rights and duties of both you and SCHIP.

Right To Return Policy

If you find that you are not satisfied with your policy, you can return it to SCHIP, Post Office Box 61173, Columbia, SC 29260. If you send the policy back to us within 30 days after you receive it, SCHIP will treat the policy as if it had never been issued and return all your premium payments minus any claims paid.

Notice

- This policy may not fully cover all of your medical costs.
- The Administrator is not connected with Medicare.
- This outline of coverage does not give all the details of Medicare coverage. Contact your local Social Security office or consult the *Medicare and You* Guide for more details.

Complete Answers Are Very Important

When you fill out the application for the new policy, be sure to answer truthfully and completely all questions. The Pool may cancel your policy and refuse to pay any claims if you leave out or falsify important information.

Review the application carefully before you sign it. Be certain that all information has been properly recorded.

Only applicants first eligible for Medicare before 2020 may purchase Medicare Supplement Plan C.

**South Carolina Health Insurance Pool (SCHIP)
Medicare (Part A) — Hospital Services — Per Benefit Period**

* A Benefit Period begins on the first day you receive service as an inpatient in a hospital and ends after you have been out of the hospital and have not received skilled care in any other facility for 60 days in a row.

SERVICES	MEDICARE PAYS	PLAN A PAYS	YOU PAY
HOSPITALIZATION*			
Semiprivate room and board, general nursing and miscellaneous services and supplies:			
First 60 days	All but \$1,600	\$0	\$1,600 (Part A deductible)
61st through 90th day	All but \$400 a day	\$400 a day	\$0
91st day and after:			
— While using 60 lifetime reserve days	All but \$800 a day	\$800 a day	\$0
Once lifetime reserve days are used:			
— Additional 365 days	\$0	100% of Medicare-eligible expenses	\$0**
— Beyond the additional 365 days	\$0	\$0	All costs
SKILLED NURSING FACILITY CARE*			
You must meet Medicare's requirements, including having been in a hospital for at least three days, and entering a Medicare-approved facility within 30 days after leaving the hospital.			
First 20 days	All approved amounts	\$0	\$0
21 st through 100 th day	All but \$200 a day	\$0	Up to \$200 a day
101 st day and after	\$0	\$0	All costs
BLOOD			
First three pints	\$0	Three pints	\$0
Additional amounts	100%	\$0	\$0
HOSPICE CARE			
You must meet Medicare's requirements, including a doctor's certification of terminal illness.	All but very limited copayment/coinsurance for outpatient drugs and in-patient respite care	Medicare copayment/coinsurance	\$0

****NOTICE:** When your Medicare Part A hospital benefits are exhausted, the insurer stands in the place of Medicare and will pay whatever amount Medicare would have paid for up to an additional 365 days as provided in the policy's "Core Benefits." During this time the hospital is prohibited from billing you for the balance based on any differences between its billed charges and the amount Medicare would have paid.

Medicare (Part B) — Medical Services — Per Calendar Year

* Once you have been billed \$226 of Medicare-approved amounts for covered services (which are noted with an asterisk), your Part B deductible will have been met for the calendar year.

SERVICES	MEDICARE PAYS	PLAN A PAYS	YOU PAY
MEDICAL EXPENSES — IN OR OUT OF THE HOSPITAL AND OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL TREATMENT , such as: physician's services, Inpatient and outpatient medical and surgical services and supplies, physical and speech therapy, diagnostic tests, durable medical equipment:			
— First \$226 of Medicare-approved amounts*	\$0	\$0	\$226 (Part B deductible)
— Remainder of Medicare-approved amounts	Generally 80%	Generally 20%	\$0
Part B Excess Charges (Above Medicare-approved amounts)	\$0	\$0	All costs
BLOOD			
First three pints	\$0	All costs	\$0
Next \$226 of Medicare-approved amounts*	\$0	\$0	\$226 (Part B deductible)
Remainder of Medicare-approved amounts	80%	20%	\$0
CLINICAL LABORATORY SERVICES			
Tests for diagnostic services	100%	\$0	\$0
MEDICARE (PART A & B)			
HOME HEALTH CARE MEDICARE-APPROVED SERVICES			
Medically necessary skilled care services and medical supplies	100%	\$0	\$0
Durable medical equipment:			
— First \$226 of Medicare-approved amounts*	\$0	\$0	\$226 (Part B deductible)
— Remainder of Medicare-approved amounts	80%	20%	\$0

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SERVICES	MEDICARE PAYS	PLAN C PAYS	YOU PAY
HOSPITALIZATION*			
Semiprivate room and board, general nursing and miscellaneous services and supplies:			
First 60 days	All but \$1,600	\$1,600 (Part A deductible)	\$0
61st through 90th day	All but \$400 a day	\$400 a day	\$0
91st day and after:			
— While using 60 lifetime reserve days	All but \$800 a day	\$800 a day	\$0
Once lifetime reserve days are used:			
— Additional 365 days	\$0	100% of Medicare-eligible expenses	\$0**
— Beyond the additional 365 days	\$0	\$0	All costs
SKILLED NURSING FACILITY CARE*			
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First 20 days	All approved amounts	\$0	\$0
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OTHER BENEFITS — Not Covered By Medicare			
FOREIGN TRAVEL — NOT COVERED BY MEDICARE			
Medically necessary emergency care services during the first 60 days of each trip outside the USA:			
— First \$250 each calendar year	\$0	\$0	\$250
— Remainder of charges	\$0	80% to a lifetime maximum benefit of \$50,000	20% and amounts over the \$50,000 lifetime maximum

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Benefit Plans A, C and D