

MEMORANDUM

TO: EXECUTIVE BOARD, HBX

FROM: MARY BETH SENKEWICZ, HBX Staff to Standard Plans Advisory

Working Group

DATE: JANUARY 28, 2015

RE: REVISED BRONZE STANDARD PLAN

As reported to the Executive Board by Standard Plans Advisory Working Group chair Dr. Leighton Ku, CMS has published a new Actuarial Value (A/V) calculator for use in Plan Year 2016. The new calculator resulted in a change to the A/V of the previously-adopted Bronze standard plan that rendered the plan outside of the acceptable actuarial range. The Standard Plans Advisory Working Group met by telephone conference call on January 20, 2015. The working group recommends changing the standard Bronze plan in two places to decrease the A/V and bring it into the acceptable range: adding a \$250 Rx deductible (however, generic drugs are not subject to the deductible), and increasing the maximum out-of-pocket (MOOP) from \$6,350 to the maximum allowable, \$6,850. The Bronze plan with those changes is attached.

Standard Plans Advisory Working Group Draft Bronze Plan 2016 Revised 1-20-2015

Actuarial Value		60.3 61.3%	
Individual Overall Deductible		4,500	
Other individual dedu	ctibles for specific services		
	Medical	4,500	
Prescription Drugs		\$0 \$250	
Dental		\$0	
Individual Out-of-Pocket Maximum		\$6,350 \$6,850	
Common Medical Event	Service Type	Member Cost Share	Deductible Applies
Health Care Provider's Office or Clinic visit	Primary care visit or non-specialist practitioner visit to treat an injury or illness	\$50	
	Specialist visit	\$50	
	Preventive care/screening/immunization	\$0	
Tests	Laboratory tests	\$50	X
	X-rays and diagnostic imaging	\$50	X
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs	\$500	X
Drugs to treat Illness or Condition	Generic	\$25	
	Preferred brand	50%	X
	Non-preferred Brand	50%	X
	Specialty	Applicable cost	X
		shares	
		apply50%	
Outpatient Surgery	Facility fee (e.g. hospital room)	20%	X
	Physician/Surgeon fee	20%	X
Need Immediate Attention	Emergency room services	20%	X
	Emergency medical transportation	0	
	Urgent Care	\$50	
Hospital Stay	Facility fee (e.g. hospital room)	20%	X
- v	Physician/surgeon fee	20%	X
Mental/Behavioral	M/B outpatient services	\$50	
Health	M/B inpatient services	20%	X
Health, Substance	Substance abuse disorder outpatient services	\$50	
Abuse needs	Substance abuse disorder inpatient services	20%	X
Pregnancy	Prenatal care and preconception services	\$0	
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	inpatient services Professional	20%	X
Help recovering or	Home health care (up to 90 visits for 4 hours per	\$0	X
other special health	calendar yr)		
needs	Outpatient rehabilitation services	\$50	X
	Outpatient habilitation services	\$50	X
	Skilled nursing care	20%	X
	Durable medical equipment	20%	X

	Hospice services	20%	X
Child eye care	Eye exam (OD)	\$50	
	1 pair of glasses per year (or contact lenses in lieu of	\$0	
	glasses)		
Child Dental	Oral Exam	\$0	
Diagnostic and	Preventive - cleaning	\$0	
Preventive	Preventive- x-ray	\$0	
	Sealants per tooth	\$0	
	Topical fluoride application	\$0	
Child Dental Basic	Amalgam Fill – 1 surface	\$41	
Services			
Child Dental Major	Root canal - molar	\$512	
Services	Gingivectomy per Quad	\$279	
	Extraction – single tooth exposed root or	\$69	
	Extraction – complete bony	\$241	
	Porcelain with Metal Crown	\$523	
Child Orthodontics	Medically necessary orthodontics	\$3,422	