IWDC of **WNY** Welfare Fund: Active Coverage

Coverage Period:01/01/2016 - 12/31/2016

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What it Costs Coverage for: Individual + Family | Plan Type: PPO



This is only a summary. If you want more detail about your coverage and costs, you can get the complete terms in the policy or plan document at www.ironworkersdcwny.com or by calling 1-800-288-0782 or 1-585-424-3510.

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	In-Network: \$200 person/\$400 family; Out-of-Network: \$200 person/\$400 family. Doesn't apply to prescription drug, dental or optical benefits and preventative care. Balance bills, and excluded services also do not count toward the deductible .	You must pay all the costs up to the <u>deductible</u> amount before this plan begins to pay for covered services you use. Check your policy or plan document to see when the <u>deductible</u> starts over (usually, but not always, January 1st). See the chart starting on page 2 for how much you pay for covered services after you meet the <u>deductible</u> .
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet <u>deductibles</u> for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an <u>out-of-</u> <u>pocket limit</u> on my expenses?	Yes. \$2,500 per person/In- Network; \$2,500 per person/Out-of-Network	The <u>out-of-pocket limit</u> is the most you could pay during a coverage period (usually one year) for your share of the cost of covered services. This limit helps you plan for health care expenses.
What is not included in the <u>out-of-pocket</u> <u>limit?</u>	Premiums, balance bills, deductibles, prescription drug, dental and optical expenses and health care this plan does not cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit .
Is there an overall annual limit on what the plan pays?	No.	The chart starting on page 2 describes any limits on what the plan will pay for <i>specific</i> covered services, such as office visits.

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If you aren't clear about any of the bolded terms used in this form, see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform or call 1-800-288-0782 or 1-585-424-3510 to request a copy.

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Does this plan use a <u>network</u> of <u>providers</u> ?	Yes. For a list of in-network providers, see www.multiplan.com, call 1-888-987-7427.	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care provider , this plan will pay some or all of the costs of covered services. Be aware, your in-network doctor or hospital may use an out-of-network provider for some services. Plans use the term in-network, preferred , or participating for providers in their network . See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of providers .
	No. You don't need a referral to see a specialist .	You can see the specialist you choose without permission from this plan.
Are there services this plan doesn't cover?	Yes.	Some of the services this plan doesn't cover are listed on page 6. See your policy or plan document for additional information about <u>excluded services</u> .



- Co-payments are fixed dollar amounts (for example, \$15) you pay for covered health care, usually when you receive the service.
- <u>Co-insurance</u> is *your* share of the costs of a covered service, calculated as a percent of the <u>allowed amount</u> for the service. For example, if the plan's <u>allowed amount</u> for an overnight hospital stay is \$1,000, your <u>co-insurance</u> payment of 20% would be \$200. This may change if you haven't met your <u>deductible</u>.
- The amount the plan pays for covered services is based on the <u>allowed amount</u>. If an out-of-network <u>provider</u> charges more than the <u>allowed amount</u>, you may have to pay the difference. For example, if an out-of-network hospital charges \$1,500 for an overnight stay and the <u>allowed amount</u> is \$1,000, you may have to pay the \$500 difference. (This is called <u>balance billing</u>.)
- This plan may encourage you to use in-network **providers** by charging you lower **deductibles**, **co-payments** and **co-insurance** amounts.

Common Medical Event		Your Cost if You Use an		
	Service You May Need	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions
	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	20% co-insurance	30% coinsurance	-None-
	Specialist visit	20% co-insurance	30% coinsurance	-None-
If you visit a health care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Other practitioner office visit	50% coinsurance for chiropractors; 20% coinsurance for all other practitioners	50% coinsurance for chiropractors; 30% coinsurance for all other practitioners	Maximum chiropractic benefit of \$550 per person per calendar year. Back-related care only. Children not eligbile for chiropractic services unless medically necessary.

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If you visit a health care <u>provider's</u> office or clinic	Preventive care/screening/immunization	20% co-insurance; No charge for member and spouse	30% co-insurance	Subject to age and frequency limits.
	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	Outpatient only. Inpatient diagnostic tests covered by hospital facility fee.
If you have a test	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	Precertification required. Outpatient only. Inpatient imaging covered by hospital facility fee.
	Generic drugs	\$10 co-pay retail; \$20 co- pay mail order	\$10 co-pay retail; mail order not covered	Certain drugs subject to prior
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition	Brand name drugs without Generic Equivalent	\$20 co-pay retail; \$40 co- pay mail order	\$20 co-pay retail; mail order not covered	authorization and/or quantity limitations. Retail outlets will provide greater of 30 days or 100 units supply; Mail order
More information about <u>prescription</u> drug coverage is available at www.express-	Brand name drugs with Generic Equivalent	\$20 co-pay retail; \$40 co- pay mail order, plus difference in cost between generic and brand name drug.	\$20 co-pay retail only, plus difference in cost between generic and brand name; mail order not covered	pharmacy will provide 90-day supply. Fertility agents, legend vitamins and prescriptions for cosmetic problems excluded.
scripts.com.	Specialty Drugs	\$40 co-pay mail order (prorated for supplies less than 90 days)	Not Covered	Must use Accredo Pharmacy. Retail not covered.
If you have	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required.
outpatient surgery	Physician/surgeon fees	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	-None-
If you need immediate medical	Emergency room services	Physician's fees: 20% co- insurance; no charge for facility	Physician's fees: 20% co- insurance; no charge for facility	4% coinsurance for lab/x-ray provided in emergency room. Non-emergency use of emergency room services not covered.
attention	Emergency medical transportation	No charge	No charge	Non-emergency use of emergency transportation services not covered.
	Urgent care	20% co-insurance	20% co-insurance	-None-

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If you have a hospital	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No charge	10% co-insurance	Elective hospitalization subject to precertification at least 10 days before admission.	
stay	Physician/surgeon fee	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	-None-	
	Mental/Behavioral health outpatient services	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	-None-	
	Mental/Behavioral health inpatient services	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required.	
If you have mental health, behavioral health, or substance	Substance use disorder outpatient services	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	Coverage limited to psychiatrists, psychologists, counselors, with a master's degree and master's prepared certified social workers.	
abuse needs	Substance use disorder inpatient services	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required for nonemergency inpatient services. Coverage limited to psychiatrists, psychologists, counselors, with a master's degree and master's prepared certified social workers.	
	Prenatal and postnatal care	4% co-insurance	14% co-insurance	-None-	
If you are pregnant	services services; no charge facility fees	14% coinsurance physiain fees; 10% coinsurance facility fees	Precertification required for confinements over 48 hours following a normal birth or 96 hours following a caesarean section.		

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	Home health care	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required. Limited to 40 home health care visits per person per year. 4 hours equivalent to 1 visit.	
If you need help recovering or have other special health	Rehabilitation services	No charge for inpatient rehabilitation; 20% coinsurance outpatient services	10% co-insurance for inpatient rehabilitation; 30% coinsurance for outpatient services	Precertification required. Inpatient services available only if services cannot be provided at home or in outpatient setting. Limited to 60 consecutive inpatient days per injury or illness. Limited to short-term active progressive, physical, occupational and speech therapies.	
needs	Habilitation services	Not covered	Not covered	Not covered	
	Skilled nursing care	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required. Limited to 60 days per person per year.	
	Durable medical equipment	20% co-insurance	30% co-insurance	Precertification required. Payment for standard model only. No reimbursement for DME available over the counter.	
	Hospice service	No charge	10% co-insurance	Precertification required. Limited to 180 days per person per year.	
	Eye exam	Amounts over \$200 for both exam and glasses or contacts.	Amounts over \$200 for both exam and glasses or contacts.	Limited to one exam every 24 months. Maximum allowance does not apply to eye exam benefit for dependents under age 19.	
If your child needs dental or eye care		both exam and glasses or	Amounts over \$200 for both exam and glasses or contacts.	Limited to one pair of eye glasses or supply of contact lenses every 24 months. Sunglasses and non-prescription lenses excluded.	
	Dental check-up	20% co-insurance	20% co-insurance	Oral exams limited to once every six months.	

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Excluded Services & Other Covered Services:

Services Your Plan Does NOT Cover (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other excluded services.)				
 ◆ Acupuncture ◆ Habilitation Services ◆ Non-emergency care when traveling outside the 				
Bariatric surgery	 Infertility treatment 	U.S. or Canada		
 Cosmetic surgery 	• Long-term care	 Weight loss programs 		

Other Covered Services (This isn't a complete list. Check your policy or plan document for other covered services and your costs for those services.)

- Chiropractic care (\$550 calendar year maximum. Must be for back-related care. Dependent children not eligible unless medically necessary.)
- Dental care (Adult) (\$1,500 calendar year maximum for participants age 19 and older. \$2,050 lifetime orthodontia maximum for all participants.)
- Hearing aids (\$500 maximum per ear every three years.)
- Private-duty nursing (40 home care visits per person per calendar year. Must be for skilled care)
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- Routine eye care (Adult) (Maximum reimbursement of \$200 every two years for exam and glasses or contact lenses.)
 - Routine foot care (Foot orthotics are subject to a \$1,000 annual maximum.)

Your Rights to Continue Coverage:

If you lose coverage under the plan, then, depending upon the circumstances, Federal and State laws may provide protections that allow you to keep health coverage. Any such rights may be limited in duration and will require you to pay a **premium**, which may be significantly higher than the **premium** you pay while covered under the plan. Other limitations on your rights to continue coverage may also apply.

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the plan at 1-800-288-0782 or 1-585-424-3510. You may also contact your state insurance department, the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-3272 or www.dol.gov/ebsa, or the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at 1-877-267-2323 x61565 or www.cciio.cms.gov.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights:

If you have a complaint or are dissatisfied with a denial of coverage for claims under your plan, you may be able to <u>appeal</u> or file a <u>grievance</u>. For questions about your rights, this notice or assistance, you can contact the Fund Office at 1-800-288-0782 or 1-585-424-3510. You may also contact the Department of Labor's Employee Benefits Security Administration at 1-866-444-EBSA (3272) or www.dol.gov/ebsa/healthreform for more information regarding your rights.

Does this Coverage Provide Minimum Essential Coverage?

The Affordable Care Act requires most people to have health care coverage that qualifies as "minimum essential coverage." **This plan or policy <u>does provide</u> minimum essential coverage.**

Does this Coverage Meet the Minimum Value Standard?

The Affordable Care Act establishes a minimum value standard of benefits of a health plan. The minimum value standard is 60% (actuarial value). This health coverage does meet the minimum value standard for the benefits it provides.

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About these Coverage Examples:

These examples show how this plan might cover medical care in given situations. Use these examples to see, in general, how much financial protection a sample patient might get if they are covered under different plans.



This is not a cost estimator.

Don't use these examples to estimate your actual costs under this plan. The actual care you receive will be different from these examples, and the cost of that care will also be different.

See the next page for important information about these examples.

Having a baby (normal delivery)

- Amount owed to providers: \$7,540
- Plan pays \$6,990
- Patient pays \$550

Sample care costs:

Total	\$7,540
Vaccines, other preventive	\$40
Radiology	\$200
Prescriptions	\$200
Laboratory tests	\$500
Anesthesia	\$900
Hospital charges (baby)	\$900
Routine obstetric care	\$2,100
Hospital charges (mother)	\$2,700

Patient pays:

Deductibles	\$200
Co-pays	\$20
Co-insurance	\$150
Limits or exclusions	\$180
Total	\$550

Managing type 2 diabetes

(routine maintenance of a well-controlled condition)

- Amount owed to providers: \$5,400
- Plan pays \$4,160
- Patient pays \$1,240

Sample care costs:

Prescriptions	\$2,9 00
Medical Equipment and Supplies	\$1,300
Office Visits and Procedures	\$700
Education	\$300
Laboratory tests	\$100
Vaccines, other preventive	\$100
Total	\$5,400

Patient pays:

Limits or exclusions	\$220
Co-insurance	\$420
Co-pays	\$400
Deductibles	\$200

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Questions and answers about the Coverage Examples:

What are some of the assumptions behind the Coverage Examples?

- Costs don't include **premiums**.
- Sample care costs are based on national averages supplied by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and aren't specific to a particular geographic area or health plan.
- The patient's condition was not an excluded or preexisting condition.
- All services and treatments started and ended in the same coverage period.
- There are no other medical expenses for any member covered under this plan.
- Out-of-pocket expenses are based only on treating the condition in the example.
- The patient received all care from innetwork <u>providers</u>. If the patient had received care from out-of-network <u>providers</u>, costs would have been higher.

What does a Coverage Example show?

For each treatment situation, the Coverage Example helps you see how <u>deductibles</u>, <u>copayments</u>, and <u>co-insurance</u> can add up. It also helps you see what expenses might be left up to you to pay because the service or treatment isn't covered or payment is limited.

Does the Coverage Example predict my own care needs?

No. Treatments shown are just examples. The care you would receive for this condition could be different based on your doctor's advice, your age, how serious your condition is, and many other factors.

Does the Coverage Example predict my future expenses?

No. Coverage Examples are <u>not</u> cost estimators. You can't use the examples to estimate costs for an actual condition. They are for comparative purposes only. Your own costs will be different depending on the care you receive, the prices your <u>providers</u> charge, and the reimbursement your health plan allows.

Can I use Coverage Examples to compare plans?

✓ Yes. When you look at the Summary of Benefits and Coverage for other plans, you'll find the same Coverage Examples. When you compare plans, check the "Patient Pays" box in each example. The smaller that number, the more coverage the plan provides.

Are there other costs I should consider when comparing plans?

✓ Yes. An important cost is the premium you pay. Generally, the lower your premium, the more you'll pay in out-of-pocket costs, such as copayments, deductibles, and copayments. You should also consider contributions to accounts such as health savings accounts (HSAs), flexible spending arrangements (FSAs) or health reimbursement accounts (HRAs) that help you pay out-of-pocket expenses.

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