


# CHECKLIST FOR MEN'S HEALTH

## MAKE PREVENTIVE CARE A PRIORITY

Let's take control of your health today to ensure a healthier tomorrow. This checklist makes it easier to keep the most essential screenings and doctor visits top of mind. Plus, preventive care services are covered at no additional cost to you,\* so saving is easier, too.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	What	Who + When	Why
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Annual Routine Checkup</b>	<b>Everyone</b> Once a year	This once-a-year visit is a great opportunity to touch base with your doctor. Ages 55-69 should discuss if prostate screening is necessary.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Blood Pressure Screening</b>	<b>Age 18+</b> Once a year	Getting your blood pressure checked can give your doctor important information about your risk for stroke and heart attack.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Cholesterol Screening</b>	<b>Everyone</b> Every 4-6 years, more often if you have family history or other risk factors	Too much cholesterol makes it harder for blood to flow through your body. Lower your risk by eating healthier and exercising.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Colorectal Cancer Screening</b>	<b>Age 45-75</b> Regular testing; earlier if at higher risk	Special tests can detect colorectal cancer early, which makes it easier to treat.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Diabetes (Type 2) Screening</b>	<b>Age 35-70 and overweight/obese</b> Once a year	There are lots of ways to prevent and manage diabetes if you're aware of your risk.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>HIV Screening</b>	<b>Age 15-65</b> At least once in lifetime; once a year if at high risk	The only way to know you don't have HIV is to get tested.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Immunization Vaccines</b>	<b>Everyone</b> As directed by your doctor	Vaccinations aren't just for kids. Vaccines save lives, even for otherwise healthy people.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Lung Cancer Screening</b>	<b>Everyone, Ages 50-80 with a history of heavy smoking</b> Once a year	Adults are at high risk for lung cancer if they're heavy smokers (30 year history), currently smoke, or have quit in the past 15 years.
<input type="checkbox"/>	 <b>Obesity Screening and Counseling</b>	<b>Everyone</b> As directed by your doctor	Maintaining a healthy weight can give you more energy and reduce your risk for serious health conditions.

These are just some of the preventive care services available to you.

For a full list of what's covered, visit [ExcellusBCBS.com/PreventiveCare](https://www.ExcellusBCBS.com/PreventiveCare)



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\*A well visit or preventive service can sometimes turn into a "sick visit," in which out-of-pocket expenses for deductible, copay and/or coinsurance may apply. There may also be other services performed in conjunction with the above preventive care services that might be subject to deductible, copay and/or coinsurance. Does not include procedures, injections, diagnostic services, laboratory and X-ray services, or any other services not billed as preventive services.