### Highmark Delaware: Blue Advantage HSA EPO - \$2,000/\$6,000 Coverage Period: Beginning on or after 01/01/2013

Summary of Benefits and Coverage: What this Plan Covers & What it Costs. Coverage for: Individual/Family Plan Type: HSA EPO

**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 <u>www.highmarkbcbsde.com</u> or by calling 1-800-633-2563.

Important Questions	Answers	Why this Matters:
What is the overall deductible?	\$2,000 Individual/ \$6,000 Family; does not apply to preventive services.	You must pay all the costs up to the <b>deductible</b> amount before this plan begins to pay for covered services you use. Check your policy or plan document to see when the <b>deductible</b> 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 <b>deductible</b> .
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No	You don't have to meet <b>deductibles</b> for specific services, but see the chart starting on page 2 for other costs for services this plan covers.
Is there an out-of-pocket limit on my expenses?	Yes. \$5,950 Individual/ \$11,900 Family	The <b>out-of-pocket</b> limit 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 out-of-pocket limit?	Premiums, balance-billed charges, any copays, and health care this plan does not cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the <b>out-of-pocket</b> 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.
Does this plan use a network of providers?	Yes. Go to www.Highmarkbcbsde.com or call 1-800-633-2563 for a list of in- network providers.	If you use an in-network doctor or other health care <b>provider</b> , 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 <b>provider</b> for some services. Plans use the term in-network, <b>preferred</b> , or participating for <b>providers</b> in their <b>network</b> . See the chart starting on page 2 for how this plan pays different kinds of <b>providers</b> .
Do I need a referral to see a specialist?	No	You can see the <b>specialist</b> 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 in the section <i>Services Your Plan Does NOT Cover</i> . See your policy or plan document for additional information about <b>excluded services</b> .

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Co-payments are fixed dollar amounts (for example, \$15) you pay for covered health care, usually when you receive the service.
 Co-insurance is *your* share of the costs of a covered service, calculated as a percent of the allowed amount for the service. For example, if the plan's allowed amount for an overnight hospital stay is \$1,000 and you have met your deductible, your co-insurance payment of 20% would be \$200. This may change if you haven't met any of your deductible.

• The amount the plan pays for covered services is based on the allowed amount. If an out-of-network provider charges more than the allowed amount, you may have to pay the difference. For example, if an out-of-network hospital charges \$1,500 for an overnight stay and the allowed amount is \$1,000, you may have to pay the \$500 difference. (This is called balance billing.)

• This plan may encourage you to use **participating providers** by charging you lower **deductibles**, **co-payments** and **co-insurance** amounts.

		Your cost if you use an			
Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-network provider	Out-of-Network Provider	Limitations & Exceptions	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	No charge	Not Covered	None	
	Specialist visit	No charge	Not Covered	None	
	Other practitioner office visit	No charge	Not Covered	Coverage is limited to 30 visits per plan year for chiropractic care.	
	Preventive care / screening / immunizations	No charge	Not Covered	Coverage is limited by age, gender and risk parameters as identified in Highmark Delaware's Preventive Health Guidelines.	
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	No charge	Not Covered	None	
	Imaging (CT / PET scans, MRIs)	No charge	Not Covered	None	

		Your cost if	you use an		
Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-network provider	Out-of-Network Provider	imitations & Exceptions	
	Generic drugs	No charge	No charge	Some drugs require prior authorization and/or have quantity limits.	
If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition	Preferred brand drugs	25% coinsurance	25% coinsurance	Some drugs require prior authorization and/or have quantity limits.	
More information about prescription drug coverage is available at .	Non-preferred brand drugs	50% coinsurance	50% coinsurance	Some drugs require prior authorization and/or have quantity limits.	
	Specialty drugs	No charge	Same as in Network	Some drugs require prior authorization.	
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	None	
	Physician / surgeon fee	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	None	
If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room services	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	Care must be rendered within 48 hours of onset of symptoms.	
	Emergency medical transportation	20% coinsurance	20% coinsurance	None	
	Urgent care	No charge	Not Covered	None	
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g. hospital room)	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	Unauthorized care will be denied.	
	Physician / surgeon fee	20% coinsurance	Not Covered	Unauthorized care will be denied.	

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Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	In-network provider	Out-of-Network Provider		
If you have mental health, behavioral health,	Mental / Behavioral health outpatient services	No charge	Not Covered	Non-parity services limited to 20 visits per plan year.	
	Mental / Behavioral health inpatient services	Professional-20% coinsurance/ Facility-20% coinsurance	Professional-Not covered/ Facility- Not Covered	Non-parity services limited to 31 days per plan year. Unauthorized care will be denied.	
or substance abuse needs	Substance use disorder outpatient services	No charge	Not covered	None	
	Substance use disorder inpatient services	Professional-20% coinsurance/ Facility-20% coinsurance	Not covered	Unauthorized care will be denied.	
	Prenatal and postnatal care	Not covered	Not covered	Maternity is not covered.	
If you are pregnant	Delivery and all inpatient services	Not covered	Not covered	Maternity is not covered.	
If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	20% coinsurance	Not covered	Coverage is limited to 100 visits per plan year. Unauthorized care will be denied.	
	Rehabilitation services	No charge	No charge	Coverage is limited to 30 visits per plan year.	
	Habilitation services	Not covered	Not covered	No coverage for habilitation services.	
	Skilled nursing care	Professional-20% coinsurance/ Facility-20% coinsurance	Not covered	Coverage is limited to 120 days per benefit period. Unauthorized care will be denied.	
	Durable medical equipment	20% coinsurance	Not covered	None	
	Hospice service	20% coinsurance	Not covered	None	

If your child needs dental or eye care	Eye exam	No charge	Not covered	Coverage is limited to one routine visit per plan year.
	Glasses	Not covered	Not covered	No coverage for glasses.
	Dental check-up	Not covered	Not covered	No coverage for dental check-up.

### **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
- Care in Residental Facilities
- Dental Care
- Habilitation Services
- Maternity
- Weight Loss Programs
- Bariatric Surgery
- Cosmetic Surgery
- Experimental/Investigational Care
- Infertility Treatment
- Non-emergency Care Outside US
- Worker's Compensation Claims
- Care by Family Members
- Custodial Care/Rest Homes
- Glasses
- Long-Term Care
- Routine Foot Care

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

- Chiropractic Care
- Routine Eye Care (Adult)
- Hearing Aids
- Inpatient Private-Duty Nursing

### Your Rights to Continue Coverage:

Federal and State laws may provide protections that allow you to keep this health insurance coverage as long as you pay your premium. There are exceptions, however, such as if:

- You Commit fraud
- The Insurer stops offering services in the State
- You move outside the coverage area

For more information on your rights to continue coverage, contact the insurer at 800.633.2563. You may also contact your state insurance department at

www.delawareinsurance.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 appeal or file a grievance. For

questions about your rights, this notice, or assistance, you can contact:

- The Delaware Department of Insurance /Consumer Assistance Program: 841 Silver Lake Blvd, Dover, DE 19904, or 302.674.7300 (local), 800.282.8611 (toll free), or consumer@state.de.us.
- Additionally, the Delaware Department of Insurance/Consumer Assistance Program can help you file your appeal.

To see examples of how this plan might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next page.

### 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 differe plans.



This is not a cost estimator.

Don't use the 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)		Managing type 2 diabetes (routine maintanence of a well-controlled condition)		
<ul> <li>Amount owed to providers:</li> <li>Plan pays</li> <li>Patient pays</li> </ul>	\$7,540 \$0 \$7,540	<ul> <li>Amount owed to providers:</li> <li>Plan pays</li> </ul>	\$5,400 \$3,920	
t Sample care costs:		Patient pays	\$1,480	
ent Hospital charges (mother)	\$2,700	Sample care costs:	<u> </u>	
Routine obstetric care	\$2,100	Prescriptions	\$2,900	
Hospital charges (baby)	\$900	Medical Equipment and Supplies	\$1,300	
Anesthesia	\$900	Office Visits and Procedures	\$700	
Laboratory tests	\$500	Education	\$300	
Prescriptions	\$200	Laboratory tests	\$100	
Radiology	\$200	Vaccines, other preventive	\$100	
Vaccines, other preventive	\$40	Total	\$5,400	
Total	\$7,540	Patient pays:	\$0,100	
Patient pays:		Deductibles	\$1,150	
Deductibles	\$0	Co-pays	\$0	
<u>Co-pays</u>	\$0	Co-insurance	\$250	
Co-insurance	\$0	Limits or exclusions	\$80	
Limits or exclusions	\$7,540	Total	\$1,480	
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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 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 providers. If the patient had received from out-of-network providers, costs would have been higher.

## What does a Coverage Example show?

For each treatment situation, the Coverage Example helps you see how deductibles, copayments, and co-insurance 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?

 <u>No.</u> 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?

 <u>No.</u> 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 providers charge, and the reimbursement your health plan allows.

## Can I Use Coverage Examples to compare plans ?

 <u>Yes.</u> 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 the number, the more coverage the plan provides.

# Are there other costs I should consider when comparing plans?

 <u>Yes.</u> An important cost is the premium you pay. Generally, the lower your premium, the more you'll pay in out-ofpocket costs, such as co-payments, deductibles, and co-insurance. 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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