



Benefit Modification for Members with

Virtual BlueSM PPO Savings Two-Tier Embedded Deductible 1700/3400/3400 Effective January 1, 2026

This chart is a summary of specific benefit changes to your plan. For a list of legislative mandates and Blue Shield required changes, refer to the accompanying Contract and Benefit Changes list. Please contact your benefits administrator or call Customer Service for additional information regarding your plan.

	2025 Benefits	2026 Benefits
	When using a Participating Provider or Non-Participating Provider	When using a Participating Provider or Non-Participating Provider
Calendar Year medical and pharmacy Deductible	Individual coverage \$1,650	Individual coverage \$1,700
<i>This Plan combines medical and pharmacy Deductibles into one Calendar Year Deductible</i>	Family coverage \$3,300: individual \$3,300: Family	Family coverage \$3,400: individual \$3,400: Family

As required by SB 729 (Health care coverage: treatment for infertility and fertility services), access to fertility services will be available to your employees upon your renewal. However, plan documents, including the member's Summary of Benefits (SOB), may not display this coverage until our regulator, the DMHC, has approved our fertility coverage approach

	When using a Participating Provider ³	CYD ² applies	When using a Non-Participating Provider ⁴	CYD ² applies
Infertility Services				
Physician or surgeon services in an Outpatient Facility	10%	✓	40%	✓
Artificial Inseminations limited to 6 per lifetime	10%	✓	40%	✓
Oocyte (egg) retrieval limited to 3 per lifetime			40%	
• Ambulatory Surgery Center	5%	✓	Subject to a Benefit maximum of \$350/day 40%	✓
• Outpatient Department of a Hospital	15%	✓	Subject to a Benefit maximum of \$350/day 40%	✓
In vitro fertilization (IVF)	10%	✓	40%	✓
Embryo transfer			40%	
• Ambulatory Surgery Center	5%	✓	Subject to a Benefit maximum of \$350/day 40%	✓

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Cryopreservation limited to 1 of storage per lifetime for each of the following: sperm, reproductive tissue, oocytes (eggs), and embryos	10%	✓	40%	✓

Benefits are subject to modification for subsequently enacted state or federal legislation.

Note: This document is only a summary for informational purposes. It is not a contract. Please refer to the Evidence of Coverage and the Plan Contract for the exact terms and conditions of coverage.



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