
Section 2. How we change for 2008

Do not rely only on these change descriptions; this Section is not an official statement of benefits. For that, go to Section 5 Benefits. Also, we edited and clarified language throughout the brochure; any language change not shown here is a clarification that does not change benefits.

Changes to this Plan

- United States Postal Service non-law enforcement career employees may now be covered either by Postal Category 1 or Postal Category 2 premiums rates.
- Your share of the non-Postal premium will increase for Self Only coverage and increase for Self and Family. See page 70.
- **Office visits**-The copayment for office visits to primary care physicians (PCP) for members age 13 and over will increase to \$15 per visit. See page 16.
- **Office visits**-The copayment for office visits to a specialist will increase to \$30 per visit. See page 16.
- **Outpatient surgical facility**-You now pay \$150 per outpatient surgical hospital visit. See page 37.
- **Inpatient hospital**-The inpatient hospital copayment will increase to \$150 per day for up to 3 days. See page 36.
- **Emergency room**-The copay for services received in a hospital emergency room will increase to \$75. See page 39.
- **Urgent care**-The copay for services received at an urgent care center will increase to \$50. See page 39.
- **Specialty Pharmacy Program**-Members are no longer required to use the Specialty Pharmacy Program to fill prescriptions used to treat certain rare, unusual or complex diseases. You may now elect to use this program voluntarily. See page 42 for the advantages of the Specialty Pharmacy Program.