

Ambetter from Absolute Total Care: Ambetter Essential Care 1 (2019)

Coverage for: Individual/Family | Plan Type: HMO



The Summary of Benefits and Coverage (SBC) document will help you choose a health [plan](#). The SBC shows you how you and the [plan](#) would share the cost for covered health care services. NOTE: Information about the cost of this [plan](#) (called the [premium](#)) will be provided separately. This is only a summary. For more information about your coverage, or to get a copy of the complete terms of coverage, visit

<https://Ambetter.AbsoluteTotalCare.com/2019-brochures.html>, or call 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711). For general definitions of common terms, such as [allowed amount](#), [balance billing](#), [coinsurance](#), [copayment](#), [deductible](#), [provider](#), or other [underlined](#) terms see the Glossary. You can view the Glossary at <https://www.healthcare.gov/sbc-glossary> or call 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711) to request a copy.

Important Questions	Answers	Why This Matters:
What is the overall deductible ?	\$7,900 individual/\$15,800 family.	Generally, you must pay all of the costs from providers up to the deductible amount before this plan begins to pay. If you have other family members on the plan , each family member must meet their own individual deductible until the total amount of deductible expenses paid by all family members meets the overall family deductible .
Are there services covered before you meet your deductible ?	Yes. Preventive care services and generic drugs are covered before you meet your deductible .	This plan covers some items and services even if you haven't yet met the deductible amount. But a copayment or coinsurance may apply. For example, this plan covers certain preventive services without cost-sharing and before you meet your deductible . See a list of covered preventive services at https://www.healthcare.gov/coverage/preventive-care-benefits/ .
Are there other deductibles for specific services?	No.	You don't have to meet deductibles for specific services.
What is the out-of-pocket limit for this plan ?	For network providers : \$7,900 individual/\$15,800 family. No, for non-network providers .	The out-of-pocket limit is the most you could pay in a year for covered services. If you have other family members in this plan , they have to meet their own out-of-pocket limits until the overall family out-of-pocket limit has been met.
What is not included in the out-of-pocket limit ?	Premiums , balance-billing charges, and health care this plan doesn't cover.	Even though you pay these expenses, they don't count toward the out-of-pocket limit .
Will you pay less if you use a network provider ?	Yes. See Find a Provider or call 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711) for a list of network providers .	This plan uses a provider network . You will pay less if you use a provider in the plan's network . You will pay the most if you use an out-of-network provider , and you might receive a bill from a provider for the difference between the provider's charge and what your plan pays (balance billing). Be aware, your network provider might use an out-of-network provider for some services (such as lab work). Check with your provider before you get services.
Do you need a referral to see a specialist ?	No.	You can see the specialist you choose without a referral .



All [copayment](#) and [coinsurance](#) costs shown in this chart are after your [deductible](#) has been met, if a [deductible](#) applies.

Common Medical Event	Services You May Need	What You Will Pay		Limitation, Exceptions, & Other Important Information
		Network Provider (You will pay the least)	Out-of-Network Provider (You will pay the most)	
If you visit a health care provider's office or clinic	Primary care visit to treat an injury or illness	No charge after deductible	Not covered	----None----
	Specialist visit	No charge after deductible	Not covered	----None----
	Preventive care / screening / immunization	No charge	Not covered	You may have to pay for services that aren't preventive. Ask your provider if the services needed are preventive. Then check what your plan will pay for.
If you have a test	Diagnostic test (x-ray, blood work)	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. Failure to obtain prior authorization for any service that requires prior authorization may result in reduction of benefits. See your policy for more details.
	Imaging (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.

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If you need drugs to treat your illness or condition More information about prescription drug coverage is available at Preferred Drug List .	Generic drugs (Tier 1)	Retail: \$20 <u>Copay</u> /prescription; Mail order: \$60 <u>Copay</u> /prescription; <u>deductible</u> does not apply	Not covered	<u>Prescription drugs</u> are provided up to 31 days retail and up to 90 days through mail order. Mail orders are subject to 3x retail <u>cost-sharing</u> amount.
	Preferred brand drugs (Tier 2)	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. <u>Prescription drugs</u> are provided for up to 31 days retail and up to 90 days through mail order. Mail orders are subject to 3x retail <u>cost-sharing</u> amount.
	Non-preferred brand drugs (Tier 3)	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. <u>Prescription drugs</u> are provided for up to 31 days retail and up to 90 days through mail order. Mail orders are subject to 3x retail <u>cost-sharing</u> amount.
	Specialty drugs (Tier 4)	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. <u>Prescription drugs</u> are provided for up to 31 days retail and up to 90 days through mail order. Mail orders are subject to 3x retail <u>cost-sharing</u> amount.
If you have outpatient surgery	Facility fee (e.g., ambulatory surgery center)	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.

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If you need immediate medical attention	Emergency room care	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	----None----
	Emergency Medical transportation	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	----None----
	Urgent Care	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	----None----
If you have a hospital stay	Facility fee (e.g., hospital room)	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.
	Physician/surgeon fees	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.
If you need mental health, behavioral health, or substance abuse services	Outpatient services	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. (PCP and other practitioner visits do not require prior authorization)
	Inpatient services	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.

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If you are pregnant	Office visits	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization not required for deliveries within the standard timeframe per federal regulation, but may be required for other services. <u>Cost-sharing</u> does not apply for <u>preventive services</u> . Depending on the type of services, <u>coinsurance</u> , <u>deductible</u> or <u>copayment</u> may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound).
	Childbirth/delivery professional services	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization not required for deliveries within the standard timeframe per federal regulation, but may be required for other services. <u>Cost-sharing</u> does not apply for <u>preventive services</u> . Depending on the type of services, <u>coinsurance</u> , <u>deductible</u> or <u>copayment</u> may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound).
	Childbirth/delivery facility services	No charge after <u>deductible</u>	Not covered	Prior authorization not required for deliveries within the standard timeframe per federal regulation, but may be required for other services. <u>Cost-sharing</u> does not apply for <u>preventive services</u> . Depending on the type of services, <u>coinsurance</u> , <u>deductible</u> or <u>copayment</u> may apply. Maternity care may include tests and services described elsewhere in the SBC (i.e. ultrasound).

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If you need help recovering or have other special health needs	Home health care	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. 60 Visits per year.
	Rehabilitation services	No charge after deductible	Not covered	30 Visits per therapy per year.
	Habilitation services	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.
	Skilled nursing care	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. 60 Days per year.
	Durable medical equipment	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required.
	Hospice services	No charge after deductible	Not covered	Prior authorization may be required. 6 months per episode.
If your child needs dental or eye care	Children's eye exam	No charge	Not covered	1 Visit per year
	Children's glasses	No charge	Not covered	1 Item per year
	Children's dental check-up	Not covered	Not covered	-----None-----

Excluded Services & Other Covered Services

Services your [Plan](#) Generally Does NOT cover (Check your policy or [plan](#) documentation for more information and a list of any other [excluded services](#).)

- Abortion (Except in cases of rape, incest, or when the life of the mother is endangered)
- Acupuncture
- Bariatric surgery
- Cosmetic surgery
- Dental Care
- Hearing aids
- Infertility treatment
- Long-term care
- Non-emergency care when traveling outside the U.S.
- Private-duty nursing
- Routine eye care (Adult)
- Weight loss programs

Other Covered Services (Limitations may apply to these services. This isn't a complete list. Please see your [plan](#) document.)

- Chiropractic care
- Routine foot care (Related to diabetes treatment)

Your Rights to Continue Coverage: There are agencies that can help if you want to continue your coverage after it ends. The contact information for those agencies is: Ambetter from Absolute Total Care at 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711); South Carolina Department of Insurance, PO Box 100105, Columbia, SC 29202, Phone No. (803) 737-6180 or (800) 768-3467. Other coverage options may be available to you too, including buying individual insurance coverage through the [Health Insurance Marketplace](#). For more information about the [Marketplace](#), [visit www.HealthCare.gov](#) or call 1-800-318-2596.

Your Grievance and Appeals Rights: There are agencies that can help if you have a complaint against your [plan](#) for a denial of a [claim](#). This complaint is called a [grievance](#) or [appeal](#). For more information about your rights, look at the explanation of benefits you will receive for that medical [claim](#). Your [plan](#) documents also provide complete information to submit a [claim](#), [appeal](#), or a [grievance](#) for any reason to your [plan](#). For more information about your rights, this notice, or assistance, contact: South Carolina Department of Insurance, PO Box 100105, Columbia, SC 29202, Phone No. (803) 737-6180 or (800) 768-3467.

Does this plan provide Minimum Essential Coverage? Yes

If you don't have [Minimum Essential Coverage](#) for a month, you'll have to make a payment when you file your tax return unless you qualify for an exemption from the requirement that you have health coverage for that month.

Does this plan meet the Minimum Value Standards? Yes

If your [plan](#) doesn't meet the [Minimum Value Standards](#), you may be eligible for a [premium tax credit](#) to help you pay for a [plan](#) through the [Marketplace](#).

Language Access Services:

Spanish (Español): Para obtener asistencia en Español, llame al 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711)

Tagalog (Tagalog): Kung kailangan ninyo ang tulong sa Tagalog tumawag sa 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711)

Chinese (中文): 如果需要中文的帮助, 请拨打这个号码 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711)

Navajo (Dine): Dinek'ehgo shika at'ohwol ninisingo, kwijigo holne' 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711)

—————To see examples of how this [plan](#) might cover costs for a sample medical situation, see the next section.—————

About these Coverage Examples:



This is not a cost estimator. Treatments shown are just examples of how this [plan](#) might cover medical care. Your actual costs will be different depending on the actual care you receive, the prices your [providers](#) charge, and many other factors. Focus on the [cost sharing](#) amounts ([deductibles](#), [copayments](#) and [coinsurance](#)) and [excluded services](#) under the [plan](#). Use this information to compare the portion of costs you might pay under different health [plans](#). Please note these coverage examples are based on self-only coverage

Peg is Having a baby

(9 months of in-network prenatal care and a hospital delivery)

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$7,900
- [Specialist coinsurance](#) 0%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 0%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 0%

This EXAMPLE even includes services like:

Specialist office visits (prenatal care)
 Childbirth/Delivery Professional Services
 Childbirth/Delivery facility Services
 Diagnostic test (ultrasounds and blood work)
 Specialist visit (anesthesia)

Total Example Cost \$12,800

In this example, Peg would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$7,900
Copayments	\$0
Coinsurance	\$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Peg would pay is	\$7,960

Managing Joe's type 2 Diabetes

(a year of routine in-network care of a well-controlled condition)

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$7,900
- [Specialist coinsurance](#) 0%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 0%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 0%

This EXAMPLE even includes services like:

Primary care physician office visits (includes disease education)
 Diagnostic tests (blood work)
 Prescription Drugs
 Durable medical equipment (glucose meter)

Total Example Cost \$7,400

In this example, Joe would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$6,500
Copayments	\$600
Coinsurance	\$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$60
The total Joe would pay is	\$7,160

Mia's Simple Fracture

(in-network emergency room visit and follow up care)

- The [plan's](#) overall [deductible](#) \$7,900
- [Specialist coinsurance](#) 0%
- Hospital (facility) [coinsurance](#) 0%
- Other [coinsurance](#) 0%

This EXAMPLE even includes services like:

Emergency room care (including medical supplies)
 Diagnostic test (x-ray)
 Durable medical equipment (crutches)
 Rehabilitation services (Physical therapy)

Total Example Cost \$1,900

In this example, Mia would pay:

Cost Sharing	
Deductibles	\$1,900
Copayments	\$0
Coinsurance	\$0
What isn't covered	
Limits or exclusions	\$0
The total Mia would pay is	\$1,900

The [plan](#) would be responsible for the other costs of these EXAMPLE covered services.

Statement of Non-Discrimination

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- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Ambetter from Absolute Total Care at 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).

If you believe that Ambetter from Absolute Total Care has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with: Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, ATTN: Ambetter Grievances and Appeals Department, 12515-8 Research Blvd, Suite 400, Austin, TX 78759, 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711), Fax: 1-833-886-7956. You can file a grievance by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, Ambetter from Absolute Total Care is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD).

Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

Spanish:	Si usted, o alguien a quien está ayudando, tiene preguntas acerca de Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, tiene derecho a obtener ayuda e información en su idioma sin costo alguno. Para hablar con un intérprete, llame al 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Chinese:	如果您，或是您正在協助的對象，有關於 Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, 方面的問題，您有權利免費以您的母語得到幫助和訊息。如果要與一位翻譯員講話，請撥電話 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Vietnamese:	Nếu quý vị, hay người mà quý vị đang giúp đỡ, có câu hỏi về Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, quý vị sẽ có quyền được giúp và có thêm thông tin bằng ngôn ngữ của mình miễn phí. Để nói chuyện với một thông dịch viên, xin gọi 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Korean:	만약 귀하 또는 귀하가 돕고 있는 어떤 사람이 Ambetter from Absolute Total Care,에 관해서 질문이 있다면 귀하는 그러한 도움과 정보를 귀하의 언어로 비용 부담없이 얻을 수 있는 권리가 있습니다. 그렇게 통역사와 얘기하기 위해서는 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711) 로 전화하십시오.
French:	Si vous-même ou une personne que vous aidez avez des questions à propos Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, vous avez le droit de bénéficier gratuitement d'aide et d'informations dans votre langue. Pour parler à un interprète, appelez le 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Tagalog:	Kung ikaw, o ang iyong tinutulangan, ay may mga katanungan tungkol sa Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, may karapatan ka na makakuha nang tulong at impormasyon sa iyong wika ng walang gastos. Upang makausap ang isang tagasalin, tumawag sa 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Russian:	В случае возникновения у вас или у лица, которому вы помогаете, каких-либо вопросов о программе страхования Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, вы имеете право получить бесплатную помощь и информацию на своем родном языке. Чтобы поговорить с переводчиком, позвоните по телефону 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
German:	Falls Sie oder jemand, dem Sie helfen, Fragen zu Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, hat, haben Sie das Recht, kostenlose Hilfe und Informationen in Ihrer Sprache zu erhalten. Um mit einem Dolmetscher zu sprechen, rufen Sie bitte die Nummer 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711) an.
Gujarati:	જ તમને અથવા તમે જેમની મદદ કરી રહ્યા હોય તેમને, Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, વિશે કોઈ પ્રશ્ન હોય તો તમને, કોઈ ખર્ચ વિના તમારી ભાષામાં મદદ અને માહિતી પ્રાપ્ત કરવાનો અધિકાર છે. દુભાષિયા સાથે વાત કરવા માટે 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711) ઉપર કોલ કરો.
Arabic:	إذا كان لديك أو لدى شخص تساعد أسئلة حول Ambetter from Absolute Total Care، لديك الحق في الحصول على المساعدة والمعلومات الضرورية بلغتك من دون أية تكلفة. للتحدث مع مترجم اتصل بـ 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Portuguese:	Se você, ou alguém a quem você está ajudando, tem perguntas sobre o Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, você tem o direito de obter ajuda e informação em seu idioma e sem custos. Para falar com um intérprete, ligue para 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).
Japanese:	Ambetter from Absolute Total Care, について何かご質問がございましたらご連絡ください。ご希望の言語によるサポートや情報を無料でご提供いたします。通訳が必要な場合は、1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711). までお電話ください。
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Mon-Khmer, Cambodian:	ប្រសិនបើលោកអ្នកឬ នរណាម្នាក់ដែលអ្នកកំពុងតែជួយមានបញ្ហាអំពី Ambetter from Absolute Total Care អ្នកមានសិទ្ធិទទួលបានជំនួយសិនបើអ្នកមានជំនាញលោកអ្នកដោយឥតគិតថ្លៃ។ សូមសិយាយទៅកាន់អ្នកបកប្រែភាសាខ្មែរ 1-833-270-5443 (Relay 711).