



An update on your specialty Rx benefit

Your plan will look a little different next year

Here's what's new

We're changing how we calculate your annual deductible and out-of-pocket maximum* if you use a third-party copay assistance program** – commonly known as a “manufacturer copay card” – when you fill your prescription through CVS Specialty®.

You can still use these programs to help save money, but any savings or rebates you receive from the drug manufacturer will no longer count toward your annual deductible or out-of-pocket maximum. Only your out-of-pocket payments will apply.

What this means for your out-of-pocket costs

While the copay† amount required by your plan may increase, the amount you actually have to pay out-of-pocket may be reduced – or stay the same – after you enroll in a third-party copay assistance program.

We'll send more information before we make this plan change. In the meantime, you can continue to fill your prescriptions as usual.



*Out-of-pocket maximum is the amount you must pay each policy year before the policy starts paying the full benefits. This may be for the whole family and/or one person alone.

**Not all specialty prescriptions offer assistance. Eligibility for third-party copay assistance program is dependent on the applicable terms and conditions required by that particular program and are subject to change. This change does not affect copay assistance programs provided by foundations or financial needs-based copay assistance. Eligibility for third-party copay assistance program is dependent on the applicable terms and conditions required by that particular program and are subject to change.

†Copayment, copay or coinsurance means the amount a member is required to pay for a prescription in accordance with a Plan, which may be a deductible, a percentage of the prescription price, a fixed amount or other charge, with the balance, if any, paid by a Plan.

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