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Notice of changes in Medicare and Medicare Supplement Coverage

Alaska

November 2024

Dear Member:

Thank you for being a member of the Premera Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alaska Medicare Supplement plan.

Medicare made changes to the level of coverage it provides, effective January 1, 2025. You are receiving details of the changes in this letter.

- Part A hospital deductible will change from \$1632 to \$1,676
- Part A hospital copay, days 61-90 will change from \$408 to \$419
- Part A hospital copay, day 91 or after will change from \$816 to \$838
- Part A skilled facility copay, days 21-100 will change from \$204 to \$209.50
- Part B deductible will change from \$240 to \$257

You will find more details on the reverse side of this letter. It includes information about your current health coverage. If you'd like to keep your current Premera Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alaska Medicare Supplement plan – no action is needed.

As a leader in healthcare coverage for Alaskans, Premera is committed to improving your life by making healthcare work better. If you have any questions about your Premera Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alaska Medicare Supplement plan, please call us at 800-508-4722 (TTY: 711). You can also visit us online at premera.com/msak.

We look forward to serving you in the year to come.

Sincerely,
Premera Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alaska

Plan A

Notice of changes in Medicare and your Medicare Supplement coverage.

The following chart briefly describes the modifications to Medicare and to your Medicare Supplement coverage.

SERVICE	MEDICARE		PLAN Premera		YOU	
	In 2024, Medicare Paid	In 2025, Medicare Will Pay	In 2024, Plan A Paid	In 2025, Plan A Will Pay	In 2024, You Paid	In 2025, You Will Pay
Inpatient Hospital Deductible	All but \$1,632 first 60 days per benefit period	All but \$1,676 first 60 days per benefit period	\$0	\$0	\$1,632	\$1,676
Inpatient Hospital Copayment	All but \$408 a day	All but \$419 a day	\$408 a day	\$419 a day	\$0	\$0
Lifetime Reserve (60 additional days)	All but \$816 a day	All but \$838 a day	\$816 a day	\$838 a day	\$0	\$0
Post-hospital Skilled Nursing Facility Copayment						
First 20 days	All approved amounts	All approved amounts	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
21st thru 100th day	All but \$204 a day	All but \$209.50 a day	\$0	\$0	Up to \$204 a day	Up to \$209.50 a day
101st day and after	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	All Costs	All Costs
Part B Deductible	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	First \$240 of Part B Medicare-approved amounts	First \$257 of Part B Medicare-approved amounts

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Premera Blue Cross
PO Box 327
Seattle, WA 98111
800-722-1471

Notice of availability and nondiscrimination 800-508-4722 | TTY: 711

Call for free language assistance services and appropriate auxiliary aids and services.

Tumawag para sa mga libreng serbisyo ng tulong sa wika at angkop na mga karagdagang tulong at serbisyo.

Llame para obtener servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística, y ayudas y servicios auxiliares apropiados.

무료 언어 지원 서비스와 적절한 보조 도구 및 서비스를 신청하십시오.

Hu thov kev pab txhais lus pub dawb thiab lwm yam khoom pab dawb thiab kev pab cuam ua tsim nyog.

Звоните для получения бесплатных услуг по переводу и других вспомогательных средств и услуг.

呼吁提供免费的语言援助服务和适当的辅助设备及服务。

呼籲提供免費的語言援助服務和適當的輔助設備及服務。

Vala'au mo auaunaga tau fesoasoani mo gagana e leai ni totogi ma fesoasoani fa'aopo'opo talafeagai ma auaunaga.

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無料言語支援サービスと適切な補助器具及びサービスをお求めください。

Tumawag para kadagiti libre a serbisio iti tulong iti pagsasao ken dagiti nakanada nga aid ken serbisio iti komunikasion.

Gọi cho các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí và các hỗ trợ và dịch vụ phụ trợ thích hợp.

Звертайтеся за безкоштовною мовною підтримкою та відповідними додатковими послугами.

ติดต่อขอบริการช่วยเหลือด้านภาษาฟรีพร้อมความช่วยเหลือและบริการอื่นๆ เพิ่มเติม

Fordern Sie kostenlose Sprachunterstützungsdienste und geeignete Hilfsmittel und Dienstleistungen an.

Zadzwoń, aby uzyskać bezpłatną pomoc językową oraz odpowiednie wsparcie i usługi pomocnicze.

Rele pou w jwenn sèvis asistans lengwistik gratis ak èd epi sèvis oksilyè ki apwopriye.

Appelez pour obtenir des services gratuits d'assistance linguistique et des aides et services auxiliaires appropriés.

Ligue para serviços gratuitos de assistência linguística e auxiliares e serviços auxiliares adequados.

Chiama per i servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti e per gli ausili e i servizi ausiliari appropriati.

اتصل للحصول على خدمات المساعدة اللغوية المجانية والمساعدات والخدمات المناسبة.

برای خدمات کمک زبانی رایگان و کمک‌ها و خدمات امدادی مقتضی، تماس بگیرید.

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