

# Your plan makes it easy to access care





## How to use your benefits in and out of your plan's network

When it comes to receiving quality healthcare, your Group Medicare Advantage plan empowers you to choose what works for you. You can visit any doctor or care provider who is eligible to participate in Medicare. This means you can keep seeing your current doctors whether they are in your plan's network or not. If you owe any cost shares, they will be the same. Plus, you can see a specialist, as needed, without a referral.

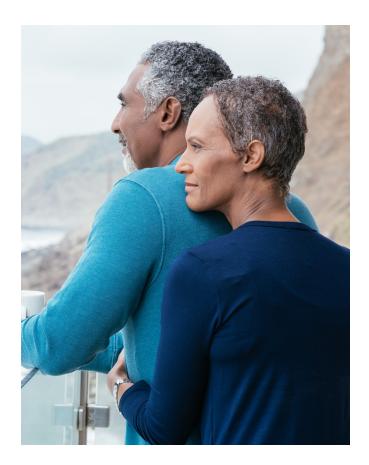
## How claims are handled depending on your care provider

| If your care provider:   | You will:  |
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| <ul><li>Is eligible to participate in Medicare</li><li>Is in your plan's network</li><li>Agrees to file claims for you</li></ul>     | Only be responsible for paying your copay or coinsurance (your percentage of the costs).   |
| <ul><li>Is eligible to participate in Medicare</li><li>Is not in your plan's network</li><li>Agrees to file claims for you</li></ul> | Only be responsible for paying your copay or coinsurance.  |
| <ul><li>Is eligible to participate in Medicare</li><li>Is not in your plan's network</li><li>Will not file claims for you</li></ul>  | Pay for your services out of pocket, and file your own claims to be reimbursed for anything beyond your regular copay or coinsurance amount. |
| Is not eligible to participate in Medicare   | Be responsible for the full cost of services.  |

## If you do see a doctor outside of your plan's network, just make sure they:

- Are eligible to participate in Medicare.
- Agree to accept and bill your Group Medicare Advantage plan.

If a care provider outside of your plan's network has questions about working with your plan, you can have them call us at the Provider Services number on your plan membership card. They can also verify your eligibility anytime through the Availity portal at www.availity.com.



### We're here to help

Our Member Services team is happy to answer your questions and help you choose a care team that works best for you. Call us at the number on the back of your plan membership card.

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Out-of-network/non-contracted providers are under no obligation to treat plan members, except in emergency situations. Please call our Member Services number or see your *Evidence of Coverage* online for more information, including the cost sharing that applies to out-of-network services.