

2019 BENEFIT GUIDE

• FBISD
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for a healthy life!

FORT BEND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Fort Bend ISD is pleased to offer a comprehensive benefit program for you and your family. The decisions you make as a new hire or during the annual open enrollment remain in effect until the next open enrollment period, unless you experience a qualifying event (additional information on page 6 and 7 of this guide).

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Available to ALL FBISD Employees*



*Everything you need in **ONE PLACE!***

Now available on your smartphone!

- ✓ Access Your Resources 24/7
- ✓ EAP Helpline
- ✓ Health Benefits
- ✓ Fitness
- ✓ Community
- ✓ ... and more!

Employee Wellness

LiveWell!

VISION

To create a wellness culture that empowers employees to lead healthier and well-balanced lives.

MISSION

To improve employee health, well-being and quality of life by providing health and wellness education, a diverse selection of wellness programs, and an atmosphere that is conducive to health improvements.

GOAL

All employees make strides towards a healthier tomorrow.



Working Together

FBISD's LiveWell Employee Wellness Program integrates Employee Benefits, Employee Assistance Program (EAP), community events, social networking, and UnitedHealthcare (UHC) resources and programs. Together we can transform the lives and well-being of our employees.



Offerings

FBISD LiveWell Employee Wellness Program offers a broad range of wellness services, programs, and events.

ANNUAL PROGRAMS

- Marathon Of The Month
- Million-Mile Month

FITNESS CLASSES & DISCOUNTS

- Onsite Bootcamp, Zumba, Yoga & Open Swim
- Discounts to Local Gyms & Healthclubs

EDUCATIONAL CLASSES & PROGRAMS

- Diabetes Education Seminars
- Mindfulness / Stress-Reduction Campaign
- Strength & Conditioning Seminar

ONSITE ACTIVITIES

- Flu shots
- Mammograms



Get Started!

Make your health and wellbeing the best it can be by connecting with what fits your needs and interests. Personal wellbeing is essential to happiness, and to the excellence of our organization!

Get involved with YOUR Wellness!

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/Page/761>



When You Need Them

LiveWell Contacts

Whether you need assistance with a claim or simply have a benefit question, you may use the email address below or call a Fort Bend ISD representative directly. In certain situations, it will be necessary for the representative to contact a provider or insurance carrier on your behalf. If your issue cannot be resolved in one email or phone call, you will always be informed of the status until resolution has been reached.

Medical

UnitedHealthcare
Group #902915
(888) 651-7319
www.myuhc.com



Virtual Visits

Doctor on Demand
(800) 997-6196
www.myuhc.com



Muscle & Joint Pain

Airrosti
(800) 404- 6050
www.airrosti.com



Planned Surgery

Surgery Plus
(855) 200-9513
www.mysurgeryplus.com



Prescription Drugs

RxBenefits/Express Scripts
(800) 334-8134, Customer Service
www.express-scripts.com



Flexible Spending Account

UnitedHealthcare
(877) 311-7849
www.myuhc.com



Dental

Guardian, Group #00470637
(800) 541-7846 – PPO
(888) 618-2016 - DHMO
www.guardiananytime.com



Vision

VSP through Guardian
Group #00470637
(800) 877-7195
www.guardiananytime.com



Life and Disability

GuardianGroup # 530311
(800) 525-4542 | Life
(800) 268-2525 | STD
(800) 538-4583 | LTD
www.guardiananytime.com



COBRA

Discovery Benefits
(866) 451-3399
www.discoverybenefits.com

EAP

Alliance Work Partners
(800) 343-3822
www.awpnw.com



403(b) & 457 Plans

TCG Administrators (formerly JEM)
(800) 943-9179
www.tcgservices.com

Legal & Identity Theft Service

Legal Shield
(800) 654-7757 General Info
(800) 458-6982 Legal Service
www.legalshield.com



Supplemental Insurance

AFLAC
(713) 444-2208
www.aflac.com/fortbendis
lisa_bates@us.aflac.com



Teacher Retirement System of Texas

(800) 223-8778
www.trs.state.tx.us

FBISD Benefits Department

(281) 634-1418
benefits@fortbendis.com

FBISD LiveWell App

App Technical Support
support@enspire.me

LiveWell Contacts, continued

FBISD Benefits Department

(281) 634-1418
benefits@fortbendisd.com

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fax (281) 327-1214

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REZ-Z: Kimberly Brown, (281) 634-1241
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East Zone: Alton Nash, (281) 509-2237
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Rachel.Robinson@fortbendisd.com

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Benefits and Payroll Director

Sonja Curtis, (281) 634-1219
Sonja.Curtis@fortbendisd.com

The information in this Benefits Guide is intended for illustrative purposes and informational purposes only. The information contained herein was taken from various summary plan descriptions, certificates of coverage and benefit information. Every effort was taken to accurately report your benefits, however, discrepancies and errors are always possible. It is not intended to alter or expand rights or liabilities set forth in the official plan documents or contracts. It is not an offer to contract nor are there any expressed or implied guarantees. In the case of a discrepancy between this information and the actual plan documents, the plan documents will prevail. If you have any questions about this summary, please contact the Benefits Department.

Who, When, and How

Eligibility

WHO IS ELIGIBLE

All active, full-time employees are eligible for benefits through Fort Bend ISD. For all employees, benefits will be effective on the first of the month following your start date. For life and disability coverage, if you are not actively at work on the effective date, your coverage will be delayed until you return to active employment.

WHEN TO ENROLL ONLINE*

Online enrollment must be completed in My Self-Serve within 30 days of your start date, a qualifying life event, or during open enrollment.

WHO ARE ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS

You may enroll your eligible dependents in the Medical, Dental, Vision, and Voluntary Life and Accidental Death & Dismemberment (AD&D) Plans. Your eligible dependents include your legal spouse, natural child, adopted child, or a child placed with you for adoption. Your eligible dependents may be enrolled in benefits up to age 26.

HOW TO CONTINUE COVERAGE IF EMPLOYMENT TERMINATES

All of your plans end at the end of the month in which your employment ends. You may continue your life plans by applying within 31 days of your last day of employment. You may continue your medical, dental, vision, and medical FSA plan for a limited period of time after termination through Federal COBRA continuation.

WHEN TO CHANGE YOUR BENEFITS*

The benefit choices you make upon initial enrollment and during our annual enrollment period will remain in place until the next open enrollment, or when you experience a qualifying life event. Your benefit change must be consistent with your change in family status.

These changes include:

- Marriage, divorce, or legal separation
- Gain or loss of an eligible dependent for reasons such as birth, adoption, court order, disability, death, reaching the dependent age limit
- Termination of your or your Dependent's Medicaid or Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) coverage as a result of loss of eligibility (you must contact the FBISD Benefits Department within 60 days of termination)
- You or your Dependent become eligible for a premium assistance subsidy under Medicaid or CHIP (you must contact the FBISD Benefits Department within 60 days of determination of subsidy eligibility)
- Significant changes in employment or employer-sponsored benefit coverage that affect you or your spouse's benefit eligibility
- Loss of other insurance coverage (**Note:** An employee who begins COBRA benefits and then voluntarily drops the COBRA coverage cannot come on to the FBISD benefit plans mid-year. You must wait until the FBISD open enrollment period to add benefits.)

It is your responsibility to contact the FBISD Benefits Department **within 30 days** of the qualifying event to request a change to your benefits. You must provide the Benefits Department with documentation that states the qualifying event and the date this event has or will occur.

* HOW TO ENROLL IN YOUR BENEFITS ONLINE THROUGH MY SELF SERVE

GO TO www.FortBendISD.com, and click on the "Staff" tab.

LOG IN Office 365 by clicking on your name and entering your password.

note: **If your account does not appear**, CLICK the "+ Use another account", enter your FBISD email address to log in.

If you need to reset your password, call the FBISD Customer Service Center at (281) 634-1300.

CLICK "Staff Links" > "My Self Serve" > Sign In to PeopleSoft (your User ID is firstname.lastname)

CLICK Main Menu > "Self Service" > "Benefits" > "Benefits Enrollment" > "Select" (next to your job title).

TO MAKE BENEFIT ELECTIONS, CLICK "Edit" > "Update and Continue".

TO CONFIRM BENEFIT ELECTIONS, CLICK "Update Elections".

TO FINISH ENROLLMENT, CLICK "Submit" on BOTH the Benefit Elections Page and the Submit Benefit Choices Page.

PRINT XML for a Benefits Summary for your records. Disable your pop-up blocker to allow the PDF to appear.

Required Proof Documents

To enroll your dependents in the benefit plans, you must submit proof of eligibility documents by email or fax to your benefits specialist **within 14 days**. You should NOT submit original documents or certified copies (which would have a raised seal). Make sure the official seal is visible on all copies. Original documents cannot be returned.

Legal Marriage

If you are legally married, you must submit a COPY of:

- Marriage Certificate

Common Law Marriage

If you are in a common law marriage, you must submit a COPY of:

- County Certificate from the County where the marriage was recognized or recorded; OR
- If the County does not issue certificates, you can submit a Common Law Marriage Affidavit, plus the supporting documents listed on the affidavit; AND
- Most Recent Federal Tax Return

Biological Child

To verify the eligibility of a biological child, you must submit a COPY of:

- Birth Certificate of Biological Child; OR
- Documentation on hospital letterhead indicating the birth date of the child or children under 6 months old

Stepchild

To verify the eligibility of your stepchild, you must submit a COPY of:

- Child's Birth Certificate showing the child's parent is the employee's spouse; AND
- Marriage Certificate showing legal marriage between the employee and the child's parent; AND
- Most Recent Federal Tax Return (if applicable)

Adopted Child

To verify the eligibility of an adopted child or a child placed with you for adoption, you must submit a COPY of the following documents. The documents you submit will depend on the current stage of the adoption.

- Official court or agency placement/guardianship papers for a child placed with you for adoption (initial stage); OR
- Official Court Adoption Agreement for an Adopted Child (mid-stage); OR
- Birth Certificate (final stage)

Other Child

for whom you are the legal guardian

To verify the eligibility of any other type of child for whom you are the legal guardian, you must submit a COPY of:

- Most Recent Federal Tax Return; AND
- Court papers demonstrating legal guardianship, including the person named as the legal guardian

Grandchild

To verify the eligibility of your grandchild, you must submit a COPY of:

- Most Recent Federal Tax Return; AND
- Official court papers establishing legal guardianship

ABOUT SUBMITTING TAX RETURNS Make sure to submit the pages that display all tax dependents, your tax filing status, your address, your signature (and your spouse's, if appropriate), and the filing date. Submit either one joint return or the returns of both spouses, if you filed as "Married, Filing Separately". This is required even if you filed electronically. Make sure to black out your financial information. For audit verification, your personal income data is not required. If you have not filed your most recent tax return, submit your prior year's return.

2019 Medical Plans

Changes & Updates

FBISD is a self-funded medical plan, which means our contributions pay for our own medical bills. We have been able to keep our medical costs lower than most ISD's in our area for 5+ years. We continue this effort to keep premiums low. 2019 updates include:

Replacement of Choice Plan with the New Nexus ACO

- **Effective 1/1/2019 the Choice Plan will be ELIMINATED.**
- FBISD now offers three great networks of care: Kelsey Sybold - St. Luke's, Choice Premium Tier - Methodist, and Nexus - Memorial Herman.
- Enrollees on the NEW Nexus plan should select a PCP within **60 days of enrollment** in the Memorial Herman Hospital System, or one will be assigned.
- While **referrals are not required** in this model, there is an opportunity for greater coordination of the member's care with specialists, nurses, hospitals, and the advocacy team.
- Every member of your family will receive their own ID card which will include their selected PCP.

PREMIUMS will Remain the Same with Minimal Change to the Out of Pocket Cost

- Implementation of minor changes to the deductible, out of pocket, and physician office visit benefits on the Choice Premium Plan AND a \$50 increase to the emergency care copay on the Kelsey and Choice Premiums Plans.

NEW Laboratory Change

- Effective 1/1/2019 **BOTH** Quest and LabCorp are in-network for UnitedHealthCare.

Smart Steps

Avoid A Medical Surcharge

2 STEPS TO AVOID A MEDICAL SURCHARGE

When you enroll in a FBISD medical plan for the first time, you have **60 days** from the date your medical insurance goes into effect to complete steps 1 and 2 of the wellness requirements in order to avoid a \$25 per pay period medical surcharge.

1. Biometric Screening (Biometric Surcharge)

Register and download the physician form at <https://my.questforhealth.com>; use member ID from your UHC medical card, and registration key. *Note: Coming soon! Updated registration key will be provided for the 2019 requirement.*

2. Rally Health Survey

Register for a myuhc.com account; login with your user ID and password; select "Rally Health Survey" icon on the home page.

NOTE: If you enroll your spouse on a FBISD medical plan, your spouse **MUST** also complete these steps.

If at any time you or your spouse are contacted for Nurse Coaching / Disease Management (NCP), you **MUST accept the phone call and participate in the program to avoid the surcharge.**

Choose Your In-Network Doctor

CALL UNITEDHEALTHCARE at (888) 651-7319 FOR ALL MEDICAL PLANS

to find In-Network providers, Urgent Care or Convenience Care location

FIND AN IN-NETWORK DOCTOR for KELSEY UHC CHARTER PLAN

VISIT www.kelsey-seybold.com/providers
(the website provides all In-Network options)

**FIND AN IN-NETWORK DOCTOR | HOSPITAL for
CHOICE HRA, CHOICE PREMIUM TIER, and CHOICE HIGH DEDUCTIBLE PLAN**

VISIT www.myuhc.com
(Select the Choice Network of Providers)

REMEMBER: When selecting a provider for CHOICE PREMIUM TIER

Choose a Tier 1 provider ("Premium Care Physician") to pay a lower out of pocket expense compared to the Tier 2 providers.

UnitedHealthcare Premium Specialties (Tier 1)

Allergy • Cardiology • ENT • Endocrinology • Family Medicine • Gastroenterology • General Surgery • Internal Medicine • Nephrology • Neurology • Neurosurgery, Orthopedics & Spine • Obstetrics & Gynecology • Pediatrics • Pulmonology • Rheumatology • Urology

FIND AN IN-NETWORK DOCTOR | HOSPITAL for Nexus ACO OA

VISIT www.myuhc.com
(Select the Nexus ACO + Nexus ACO OA Network of Providers)

UNREGISTERED MEMBERS

1. Visit www.myuhc.com
2. Select "Find a Doctor" in the middle
3. Select Nexus ACO OA Network
4. On the next screen, enter a doctor name, facility name, specialty or condition; search by distance, gender, etc.

REGISTERED MEMBERS

1. Visit MyUHC.com and click "Register Now".
[To set-up a HealthSafe ID you'll be asked to...](#)
2. Identify yourself
[Enter your name, birthdate, ZIP Code, Member ID and group number.](#)
3. Create a username and password
[The website will guide you through password requirements.](#)
4. Set-up account recovery preferences
[In case you misplace your username or password.](#)
5. Agree to Terms of Use, Privacy Policy, and the Consumer Communications Notice
[Which you may review on the website.](#)
6. Confirm your contact information.
[You'll be guided through steps to verify your email address and phone number.](#)

MEDICAL PLAN OPTIONS

Comparison

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In-Network Benefits ONLY

| PLAN NAME | KELSEY UHC CHARTER | NEXUS | | CHOICE PREMIUM TIER | | CHOICE HRA | CHOICE HIGH DEDUCTIBLE |
|--|--|---|---------------|---|---------------|---|---|
| Network | Kelsey Seybold | Nexus ACO | OA | Choice | | Choice | Choice |
| Deductible | | Tier 1 | Tier 2 | Tier 1 | Tier 2 | | |
| Individual / | \$750 / | \$1,500 / | \$2,000 / | \$1,500 / | \$2,000 / | \$2,500 / | \$6,500 / |
| Family | \$1,500 | \$3,000 | \$4,000 | \$3,000 | \$4,000 | \$5,000 | \$13,000 |
| Out of Pocket Max. | | | | | | | |
| Individual / | \$3,750 / | \$5,000 / | \$6,000 / | \$5,000 / | \$6,000 / | \$6,000 / | \$6,500 / |
| Family | \$7,500 | \$10,000 | \$12,000 | \$10,000 | \$12,000 | \$12,000 | \$13,000 |
| Physician Office Visit | | | | | | | |
| Primary Care | \$25 copay | \$25 copay | \$50 copay | \$30 copay | \$50 copay | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Specialist | \$35 copay | \$40 copay | \$75 copay | \$45 copay | \$75 copay | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Virtual Visit* | \$25 / visit | \$25 / visit | \$25 / visit | \$25 / visit | \$25 / visit | \$40 / visit | \$40 / visit |
| Preventive Services | | | | | | | |
| Deductible waived | Plan pays 100% | Plan pays 100% | | Plan pays 100% | | Plan pays 100% | Plan pays 100% |
| Routine Labs, X-Rays | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible | | 20% after deductible | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Airrosti Muscle/Joint* | \$35 copay | \$40 copay | | \$45 copay | | 30% eligible expenses after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Surgery Plus** | covered at 100% | covered at 100% | | covered at 100% | | covered at 100% | covered at 100% |
| Inpatient Hospital | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible | | 20% after deductible | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | \$75 copay | \$75 copay | | \$75 copay | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Advanced Imaging (CT scan, MRI, PET) | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible | | 20% after deductible | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Emergency Room (true emergency) | \$300 copay*** then 20% after deductible | \$300 copay then 20% after deductible | | \$300 copay then 20% after deductible | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible | | 20% after deductible | | 30% after deductible | 0% after deductible |
| Prescription | | | | | | | |
| Retail Rx Drugs (30 days) | 30%/40%/50%/45% | 30%/40%/50%/45% | | 30%/40%/50%/45% | | 30%/40%/50%/45% | 0% after deductible |
| Mail Order Rx (90 days) | 25%/35%/45%/45% | 25%/35%/45%/45% | | 25%/35%/45%/45% | | 25%/35%/45%/45% | 0% after medical deductible |
| | | Tier 1 hospital: Memorial Herman Hospital Tier 2 hospitals: any within UHC Network | | Tier 1 hospital: Methodist Hospital Tier 2 hospitals: any within UHC Network | | FBISD HRA contribution: \$500 Individual / \$1,000 Family | Plan meets ACA Affordability requirements |
| Rates by Plan**** | pay periods | pay periods | | pay periods | | pay periods | pay periods |
| | 24 19 | 24 19 | | 24 19 | | 24 19 | 24 19 |
| Employee Only | \$80.23 \$101.34 | \$88.67 \$112.00 | | \$88.67 \$112.00 | | \$52.92 \$66.85 | \$31.05 \$39.22 |
| Employee + Spouse | \$248.39 \$313.76 | \$287.61 \$363.30 | | \$287.61 \$363.30 | | \$194.16 \$245.25 | N/A N/A |
| Employee + Children | \$221.67 \$280.00 | \$245.00 \$309.47 | | \$245.00 \$309.47 | | \$136.08 \$171.89 | \$122.73 \$155.03 |
| Employee + Family | \$328.59 \$415.06 | \$380.47 \$480.59 | | \$380.47 \$480.59 | | \$247.78 \$312.99 | N/A N/A |

* Subject to change

** These benefits are separate from UHC, and made available in your medical plan at *no additional cost to your premium*

*** The copay is waived if admitted for the Kelsey, Choice Premium and Nexus.

**** There are 19 pay period contributions for hourly employees (24 for all others) and do not include medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

Where to Access Care Fast

KNOW YOUR OPTIONS BEFORE THERE'S AN EMERGENCY

KNOW YOUR OPTIONS BEFORE THERE'S AN EMERGENCY The emergency room is always there when you need it for a serious or life-threatening condition. Before you have an emergency... Do you know your options to avoid the ER? If you need care and it's not an emergency, that's the time to pause, and remember that there are alternatives to the emergency room that can save you money. You can avoid the ER by driving instead to Urgent Care or a Convenience Clinic. You can avoid the trip altogether with the convenience of your phone with Virtual Visits!

CALL UNITEDHEALTHCARE FOR ALL MEDICAL PLANS

to find an In-Network Urgent Care or Convenience Care location

(888) 651-7319

Urgent Care Centers

Urgent Care Centers save you thousands and give you immediate access to a doctor. They specialize in treating injuries or illnesses before they become life-threatening. Some conditions they can treat are:

- Sprains & Strains
- Cuts that may need stitches
- Minor burns
- Minor infections
- Minor broken bones

Convenience Care Clinic

They're located in retail stores and are staffed by nurses, practitioners and physician assistants. They can help with:

- Common infections
- Minor Skin Conditions
- Cuts & Burns
- Flu Shots

Virtual Visits

Talk with a doctor anytime, 24/7. Some of the conditions that you can treat using Virtual Visits from the comfort of your own home are:

- Bladder infections and Urinary Tract Infections (UTIs)
- Bronchitis
- Cold or the Flu
- Fevers
- Pink eye
- Stomach pain

Note: there are additional options beyond those covered here.

If you think you may have a medical emergency, call your doctor, go to the emergency room or call 911 immediately.

MEDICAL PLAN

Kelsey UHC Charter



The **Kelsey UHC Charter Plan** is a partnership between UHC and Kelsey-Seybold and utilizes ONLY **Kelsey-Seybold** physicians and affiliates. This is an in-network only plan. If you are out of the area and have an emergency, you may seek emergency care. If you have a dependent that is outside the Kelsey-Seybold network area, they will have access to the **Choice Network** for care with authorization from UHC. Please call 877-805-1970 to receive the authorization before seeking care.

In-Network ONLY, Kelsey Seybold Network Providers

| Benefit | Out-of-Pocket Expense |
|---|--|
| Deductible Individual/Family | \$750 / \$1,500 |
| Maximum Out-of-Pocket (incl. deductible, medical, and RX coinsurance) Individual/Family | \$3,750 / \$7,500 |
| Office Visit PCP / Specialist / Virtual Visit | \$25 copay / \$35 copay / \$25 per visit |
| Preventative Services | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) |
| Routine Lab & X-ray In-Office Visit / Outpatient Basis | 20% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | \$75 copay |
| Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET, etc.) | 20% after deductible |
| Emergency Room | \$300 copay (waived if admitted); deductible & coinsurance apply |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 20% after deductible |
| Inpatient Hospital | 20% after deductible (with referral from PCP) |

Additional Programs Included In Your Medical Premium: Virtual Visits, Airrosti, Surgery Plus, Healthy Pregnancy, Real Appeal (see pages 32-36)

Note: For a complete description of benefits, see the Summary of Benefits & Coverage or Summary Plan Description.

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/page/75664>

| PLAN RATES* | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$80. ²³ | \$101. ³⁴ |
| Employee + Spouse | \$248. ³⁹ | \$313. ⁷⁶ |
| Employee + Child(ren) | \$221. ⁶⁷ | \$280. ⁰⁰ |
| Employee + Family | \$328. ⁵⁹ | \$415. ⁰⁶ |

*Per pay period contributions without medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

MEDICAL PLAN

Nexus



The **Nexus** Plan is offered through UHC and utilizes the **Nexus ACO OA** network. Benefits are **ONLY** for In-Network providers. If you are out of the area and have an emergency, you may seek emergency care. When you choose a Tier 1 provider, you are choosing providers in the Memorial Herman Hospital System.

TIER 1 (In-Network ONLY) Memorial Herman Hospital System

TIER 2 (In-Network ONLY) All UHC In-Network Choice Providers and Hospitals

| Benefit | Tier 1 | Tier 2 |
|---|---|---|
| Deductible Individual/Family | \$1,500 / \$3,000 | \$2,000 / \$4,000 |
| Maximum Out-of-Pocket (incl. deductible, medical, and RX coinsurance) Individual/Family | \$5,000 / \$10,000 | \$6,000 / \$12,000 |
| Office Visit PCP / Specialist / Virtual Visit | \$25 copay / \$40 copay / \$25 per visit | \$50 copay / \$75 copay / \$25 per visit |
| Preventative Services | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) |
| Routine Lab & X-ray In-Office Visit / Outpatient Basis | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | \$75 copay | \$75 copay |
| Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET, etc.) | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Emergency Room | \$300 copay (waived if admitted); deductible & coinsurance apply | \$300 copay (waived if admitted); deductible & coinsurance apply |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Inpatient Hospital | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |

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<https://www.fortbendisd.com/page/75662>

| PLAN RATES* | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$88. ⁶⁷ | \$112. ⁰⁰ |
| Employee + Spouse | \$287. ⁶¹ | \$363. ³⁰ |
| Employee + Child(ren) | \$245. ⁰⁰ | \$309. ⁴⁷ |
| Employee + Family | \$380. ⁴⁷ | \$480. ⁵⁹ |

*Per pay period contributions without medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

MEDICAL PLAN

Choice Premium Tier



The **Choice Premium Tier Plan** is offered through UHC and utilizes the **Choice** network. Benefits are ONLY for In-Network providers. If you are out of the area and have an emergency, you may seek emergency care. When you choose a Tier 1 provider (Premium Care Physician), you are choosing providers who meet high quality and cost efficiency guidelines.

TIER 1 (In-Network ONLY) Premium Care Physician, Methodist Hospital System

TIER 2 (In-Network ONLY) Choice Network Providers, All UHC In-Network Hospitals

| Benefit | Tier 1 | Tier 2 |
|---|---|---|
| Deductible Individual/Family | \$1,500 / \$3,000 | \$2,000 / \$4,000 |
| Maximum Out-of-Pocket (incl. deductible, medical, and RX coinsurance) Individual/Family | \$5,000 / \$10,000 | \$6,000 / \$12,000 |
| Office Visit PCP / Specialist / Virtual Visit | \$30 copay / \$45 copay / \$25 per visit | \$50 copay / \$75 copay / \$25 per visit |
| Preventative Services | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) |
| Routine Lab & X-ray In-Office Visit / Outpatient Basis | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | \$75 copay | \$75 copay |
| Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET, etc.) | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Emergency Room | \$300 copay (waived if admitted); deductible & coinsurance apply | \$300 copay (waived if admitted); deductible & coinsurance apply |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |
| Inpatient Hospital | 20% after deductible | 20% after deductible |

Additional Programs Included In Your Medical Premium: Virtual Visits, Airrosti, Surgery Plus, Healthy Pregnancy, Real Appeal (see pages 32-36)

Note: For a complete description of benefits, see the Summary of Benefits & Coverage or Summary Plan Description.

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/page/75663>

| PLAN RATES* | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$88. ⁶⁷ | \$112. ⁰⁰ |
| Employee + Spouse | \$287. ⁶¹ | \$363. ³⁰ |
| Employee + Child(ren) | \$245. ⁰⁰ | \$309. ⁴⁷ |
| Employee + Family | \$380. ⁴⁷ | \$480. ⁵⁹ |

*Per pay period contributions without medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

MEDICAL PLAN

Choice HRA



The **Choice HRA Plan** is offered through UHC and utilizes the **Choice** network. Benefits are **ONLY** for In-Network providers. If you are out of the area and have an emergency, you may seek emergency care.

In-Network ONLY, Choice Network Providers

| Benefit | Out-of-Pocket Expense |
|---|---|
| Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) Individual/Family | Amount District contributes to your account: \$500 / \$1,000 |
| Deductible Individual/Family | \$2,500 / \$5,000 |
| Maximum Out-of-Pocket (incl. deductible, medical, and RX coinsurance) Individual/Family | \$6,000 / \$12,000 |
| Office Visit PCP / Specialist / Virtual Visit | 30% after deductible |
| Preventative Services | Plan pays 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) |
| Routine Lab & X-ray In-Office Visit / Outpatient Basis | 30% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | 30% after deductible |
| Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET, etc.) | 30% after deductible |
| Emergency Room | 30% after deductible |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 30% after deductible |
| Inpatient Hospital | 30% after deductible |

Additional Programs Included In Your Medical Premium: Virtual Visits, Airrosti, Surgery Plus, Healthy Pregnancy, Real Appeal (see pages 32-36)

Note: For a complete description of benefits, see the Summary of Benefits & Coverage or Summary Plan Description.

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/page/75665>

| PLAN RATES* | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$52. ⁹² | \$66. ⁸⁵ |
| Employee + Spouse | \$194. ¹⁶ | \$245. ²⁵ |
| Employee + Child(ren) | \$136. ⁰⁸ | \$171. ⁸⁹ |
| Employee + Family | \$247. ⁷⁸ | \$312. ⁹⁹ |

*Per pay period contributions without medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

IMPORTANT NOTE If you are enrolled in the Choice HRA plan, you must exhaust the funds in your Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) before you can use your Flexible Spending Account (FSA) funds for medical expenses. You will not be able to use your FSA debit card for medical expenses if you are enrolled in the Choice HRA plan. However, you will be able use the FSA debit card to fill prescriptions. You must pay out-of-pocket for medical expenses and seek reimbursement from the FSA by submitting a claim form and your receipts.

MEDICAL PLAN

Choice High Deductible



The **Choice High Deductible Plan** is offered through UHC and utilizes the **Choice** network. Benefits are **ONLY** for In-Network providers. If you are out of the area and have an emergency, you may seek emergency care. This plan meets "affordability" under the Affordable Care Act (ACA).

In-Network ONLY, Choice Network Providers

| Benefit | Out-of-Pocket Expense |
|---|---|
| Deductible Individual/Family | \$6,500 / \$13,000 |
| Maximum Out-of-Pocket (incl. deductible, medical, and RX coinsurance) Individual/Family | \$6,500 / \$13,000 |
| Office Visit PCP / Specialist / Virtual Visit | 0% after ded / 0% after ded |
| Preventative Services | Covered at 100% (deductible and copays do not apply) |
| Routine Lab & X-ray In-Office Visit / Outpatient Basis | 0% after deductible |
| Urgent Care | 0% after deductible |
| Advanced Imaging (MRI, CAT, PET, etc.) | 0% after deductible |
| Emergency Room | 0% after deductible |
| Inpatient Mental Health / Substance Abuse | 0% after deductible |
| Inpatient Hospital | 0% after deductible |
| Prescription Drug Plan | 0% after deductible |
| | The amount you pay prior to meeting your deductible is based on the discounts ESI has negotiated with the pharmacy. |

Additional Programs Included In Your Medical Premium: Virtual Visits, Airrosti, Healthy, Pregnancy, Real Appeal (see pages 32-36)

Note: For a complete description of benefits, see the Summary of Benefits & Coverage or Summary Plan Description.

<https://www.fortbendisd.com/page/75674>

| PLAN RATES* | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$31. ⁰⁵ | \$39. ²² |
| Employee + Spouse | Not offered | Not offered |
| Employee + Child(ren) | \$122. ⁷³ | \$155. ⁰³ |
| Employee + Family | Not offered | Not offered |

*Per pay period contributions without medical surcharge (see page 10 for more information).

Prescription Drug Plan

Rx Benefits | Express Scripts

The Prescription Drug plan is offered through Express Scripts (ESI), administered by RxBenefits. RxBenefits is a Pharmacy Benefits Administrator that provides experts to help you navigate issues related to purchasing prescription medicine. **You are automatically enrolled in the prescription drug program when you enroll in one of the Fort Bend ISD medical plans.** Below is a table showing the applicable coinsurance by tier for a 31 day supply (except for Choice High Deductible Plan):

RETAIL BENEFITS You can obtain up to a 31-day supply at any ESI Network pharmacy.

PARTICIPATING PHARMACIES INCLUDE

Walmart • Target • CVS • Walgreen's • Rite-Aid • Duane Reade • Medicine Shoppe • Ralph's • Kroger • Meijer • H-E-B • Sam's Club • Shopko • Randall's • And Many More

MAIL ORDER BENEFITS In addition to local retail access, your employer offers the additional benefit of Mail Order. Maintenance drugs can be ordered through ESI's mail order pharmacy and delivered to your home. Maintenance medications are those that you take for ongoing medical conditions like diabetes, high blood pressure and asthma. Mail Order allows you to enjoy benefits such as home delivery with free standard shipping for up to a 90-day supply of medication, and you can conveniently order refills by internet or by phone, anytime.

SPECIALTY MEDICATIONS are those that are used to treat complex, chronic conditions like cancer, rheumatoid arthritis and MS, and often require special handling and administration. Specialty medications require prior authorization and quantity limits may apply.

myDrugCosts TOOL Now available to help you shop and compare prices for your prescription medications. You can access myDrugCosts in your FBISD LiveWell App or online at myDrugCosts.com.

NOTE

The pharmacy plan has a Mandatory Generic Drug Policy in place.

If you choose a brand-name medication when a generic medication is available, you will be responsible for paying the difference in cost between the brand-name and the generic medication, plus the applicable coinsurance.



RETAIL
(% of drug cost)

Tier 1 - 30%

Tier 2 - 40%

Tier 3 - 50%

MAIL ORDER*
(% of drug cost)

Tier 1 - 25%

Tier 2 - 35%

Tier 3 - 45%

**Mail order prescriptions have a maximum per 90-day supply of \$150.*

SPECIALTY MEDICATIONS

Limited to 30-day at home delivery, at 45% coinsurance with a maximum of \$75.

myDrugCosts

Shop for best prices for your medications in your FBISD LiveWell app.

fortbendisd.myDrugCosts.com



Prescription Drug Plan

Step Therapy

Step Therapy is a program designed especially for people who take prescription drugs regularly to treat ongoing medical conditions. Step Therapy simply means making sure you get safe and proven-effective medicine for your condition – at the lowest possible cost to you. In other words, it's how you can avoid paying more for the medicine you need.

How Step Therapy Works

A panel of independent licensed physicians, pharmacists and other medical experts work with ESI to recommend medicines for the step therapy program. Together, they review the most current research on thousands of prescription medicines tested and approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Then they determine the most appropriate medicines to include in the program. Medicines are then grouped in categories, or "steps."

Front-line Drugs – Step 1 – These are the first step and are typically generic and lower-cost brand-name medicines. They are proven to be safe and effective, as well as affordable. In most cases, they provide the same health benefit as more expensive medicines, but at a lower cost.

Backup Drugs – Step 2 and Step 3 drugs – are typically brand-name medicines. They are best suited for the few patients who don't respond to first-line medicines. They're also the most expensive options.

How do you find out if a first-line medicine is right for you?

Only your doctor can make that decision. Log in to your account at express-scripts.com or call the number on your member ID card to find out if step therapy applies to the medicine your doctor prescribed. If it does, you can see a list of first-line alternatives. You can give that list to your doctor to choose the medicine your plan covers that best treats your condition.

What happens if your doctor gives you a prescription that's not on the first-line list for your plan?

The first time you try to fill the prescription, your pharmacist should explain that step therapy requires you to try a first-line medicine before a second-line medicine is covered. Since only your doctor can change your current prescription, either you or your pharmacist need to speak with your doctor to request a first-line medicine that's covered by your plan. If you need your prescription right away, you may ask your pharmacist to fill a small supply until you can consult your doctor. NOTE: You might have to pay full price for this small supply.

How to start step therapy

The next time your doctor writes you a prescription, or if your current medicine qualifies, ask if a first-line generic medicine is right for you. Often, generic medicines have the same chemical makeup as their brand-name counterparts, and the same effect on the body, so the only real difference is cost.

Plans often cover second-line (more expensive) medicines if:

- You've tried the first-line medicine covered by your step therapy program, and you and your doctor feel that the medicine doesn't treat your condition effectively, OR
- You can't take a first-line medicine (for example, because of an allergy), OR
- Your doctor decides that you need a second-line medicine for medical reasons

If you have questions about step therapy, or anything else regarding your prescription plan, RxBenefits is available to assist. Just call the Member Service phone number on the back of your member ID card. You can also log in to **express-scripts** or download the Express Scripts mobile app to learn more about your pharmacy plan. With the Express Scripts mobile app, managing your medication is a snap! You can view orders, access your ID card, check drug interactions or even find the closest retail pharmacy in seconds.

Value Plan & Network Access Plan



Dental Plan

VALUE PLAN Your dental coverage is provided through Guardian. With the Value Plan DPPO, you must see an In-Network dentist. You have lower out-of-pocket costs for Basic and Major dental services than you would with the NAP Plan option. If you already see an In-Network dentist or if you are willing to change to an In-Network dentist, the Value Plan may be a good option to save money on dental expenses. If you go to an out of network dentist on the value plan, the dentist payments are based on the discounted fee schedules agreed upon by network dentist and you will pay more for the visit than on the NAP Plan.

NETWORK ACCESS PLAN With the Network Access Plan (NAP) DPPO, you may see any dentist that you choose. However, In-Network dentists have agreed to accept reduced fees for the services they provide. They have also agreed not to charge you any amount that exceeds the allowable amount, aside from deductibles, coinsurance and services that are limited or not covered under the plan. This will reduce your out-of-pocket expenses. If your dentist is an out-of-network provider, dental benefits will be based on reasonable and customary charges.

Locate In-Network Providers

www.guardiananytime.com

click *Find a Provider*
then *Find a Dentist...*

under *Select a Plan*, choose *PPO*

**Or CALL CUSTOMER SERVICE
at 1-800-541-7846**

| In-Network Benefit | Value Plan | Network Access Plan |
|---|---|---|
| Calendar Year Maximum Per Person | \$2,000 | \$2,000 |
| Annual Deductible Individual / Family | \$50 / \$150 | \$50 / \$150 |
| Frequency Cleanings (Preventive Only) | Twice per calendar year (Jan. 1 – Dec. 31) | Twice per calendar year (Jan. 1 – Dec. 31) |
| Class A - Preventive and Diagnostic Care Prophylaxis, Oral exam, Sealants, Diagnostic Casts, Radiographs | 0% no deductible applies | 0% no deductible applies |
| Class B - Basic Services Endodontic, Periodontal, Space Maintainers, Surgical Extractions | 0% | 20% |
| Class C - Major Services Crown, Inlay, Dentures, Bridge | 40% | 50% |
| Class D – Orthodontia* Child (Under 19 Years Old) | 50% | 50% |

Rates by Plan**

24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS

19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|---------|
| Employee Only | \$20.65 | \$26.08 |
| Employee + 1 | \$41.29 | \$52.16 |
| Employee + Family | \$61.93 | \$78.23 |

*Lifetime Payment Limit of \$2,000 for orthodontic treatment.

Pre-treatment review is available on a voluntary basis when dental work in excess of \$300 is proposed.



DENTAL HMO

Dental Plan

Your dental coverage is provided through Guardian. With your DHMO plan, you enjoy negotiated discounts from In-Network dentists. Out-of-network visits are not covered. You must designate and use a participating provider. You pay a fixed copay for each covered service. There are no deductibles or plan maximums. Under the DHMO Dental Plan, should your treatment plan require the services of a specialist, you will be referred to one. **Please note that there is no coverage available outside of Texas.**

Locate In-Network Providers

www.guardiananytime.com

click *Find a Provider*

then *Find a Dentist...*

under *Select a Plan, choose Managed Dental Care*

**Or CALL CUSTOMER SERVICE
at 1-888-618-2016**

DHMO Benefits

When using a participating dentist, the amount you will be responsible for paying is the applicable copay associated with the type of service you receive. See the certificate of coverage for a list of copay amounts located on the benefits webpage (<http://www.fortbendisd.com/Page/78016>).

Cleaning Frequency: Twice per calendar year (Jan. 1 – Dec. 31)

Orthodontia: Available for both children and adults

Rates by Plan*

24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS

19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|---------|
| Employee Only | \$4.90 | \$6.19 |
| Employee + 1 | \$8.15 | \$10.29 |
| Employee + Family | \$15.17 | \$19.16 |

See Guardian DHMO Plan Copay Schedule
<http://www.fortbendisd.com/Page/78016>



Vision Plan

Your Vision coverage is provided through Guardian using Vision Service Plan's (VSP) network of providers. Guardian offers benefits through a national network of eye specialists and national and regional optical chains. You may receive care and services from providers outside of the VSP Choice network, but at a reduced level of benefit.

Locate In-Network Providers

www.guardiananytime.com

click *Find a Provider*

then *Find a Vision Provider...*

under *Select Your Vision Plan, choose VSP*

**Or CALL CUSTOMER SERVICE
at 1-800-541-7846**

| Benefit | In-Network | Out-of-Network |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Exam | \$20 copay | reimbursed up to \$39 |
| Materials | \$20 copay | <i>varies (see below)</i> |
| Exam Frequency | 1 / calendar year | 1 / calendar year |
| Frame Frequency | 1 / calendar year | 1 / calendar year |
| Contact Lens Exam Frequency (in lieu of lenses & frames) | 1 / calendar year | 1 / calendar year |
| Lenses | | Member Reimbursed: |
| Single Vision | 100% after copay* | Up to \$23 |
| Bifocal | 100% after copay* | Up to \$37 |
| Trifocal | 100% after copay* | Up to \$49 |
| Frames | | |
| Frame Allowance | \$150 allowance + 20% off | Up to \$46 |
| Contact Lenses | | |
| Medically Necessary | 100%* | Up to \$210 |
| Elective | \$150 allowance* | Up to \$100 |

*These benefits are subject to copay, if any.

| Vision Rates** | 24 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS | 19 PAY PERIOD CONTRIBUTIONS |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Employee Only | \$4.99 | \$6.30 |
| Employee + 1 | \$7.99 | \$10.09 |
| Employee + Children | \$8.64 | \$10.91 |
| Employee + Family | \$13.14 | \$16.60 |

If you enroll in the vision plan, you will receive an ID card from Guardian for vision.

Health Flexible Spending Account



submit receipts at
www.myuhc.com

Fort Bend ISD's Flexible Spending Account is administered by UHC. Your FSA contributions, deducted on a pre-tax basis, may be used to pay for qualified health care expenses.

For the 2019 plan year, you may elect up to \$2,650 for your Health FSA.

For more information, please visit the IRS website at:

<https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p503.pdf>

A **Health FSA** allows you to set aside tax-free dollars into an account that will reimburse you for out-of-pocket qualified medical expenses "incurred" during the plan year (1/1/19 – 12/31/19). The term "incurred" means that the service must be performed during the plan year. **Eligible expenses may be incurred by you, your spouse, or your eligible dependent child(ren).** Reimbursements received from your Health FSA are tax-free. In addition, you can use your debit card to pay for qualified expenses directly from your reimbursement account.

Examples of eligible expenses include deductibles, copays, Lasik eye surgery, prescription drugs, and orthodontia. Over-the-counter medications, with the exception of insulin, will require a prescription to be considered a qualified medical expense for reimbursement from your FSA.

See IRS Code Section 213(d) or 502 for a list of eligible expenses. The expenses must be for "medical care" and be for the diagnosis, care, mitigation, treatment or prevention of a disease, or for the purpose of affecting any structure or function of the body.

Use-it-or-lose-it and Filing Deadline If you have unused contributions in your Health FSA at the end of the current plan year you can continue to incur expenses during the first 2.5 months immediately following the end of the plan year, and receive reimbursement for these expenses until such unused funds are depleted. All requests for reimbursement will be accepted and processed through March 31. After March 31, funds remaining in your account for current plan year will be forfeited.

Health FSA - Claims must be received by UHC's FSA department within 90 days of the end of the plan year. If your employment terminates during the year your claims must be incurred prior to the end of the month in which your termination occurs, your request for reimbursement must be received by UHC's FSA department within 90 days of the end of the plan year.

Debit Card Your FSA debit card allows you to quickly and conveniently access funds in your FSA for health care expenses. You may use it to pay for eligible expenses at the time of service and at locations that accept it.

IMPORTANT NOTE If you are enrolled in the Choice HRA plan, you must exhaust the funds in your Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) before you can use your FSA funds for medical expenses. You will not be able to use your FSA debit card for medical expenses if you are enrolled in the Choice HRA plan. You must pay out-of-pocket for medical expenses and seek reimbursement from the FSA by submitting a claim form and your receipts. However, you will be able use the FSA debit card for filling prescriptions.

You are NOT eligible for the Health FSA if you or your spouse currently contribute to an HSA.

KEEP COPIES of ALL of your receipts and explanation of benefits worksheets for eligible transactions. UHC will most likely ask you for this documentation. The only reason UHC will not ask for documentation is if the amount swiped on your debit card is equal to a copay or deductible in Fort Bend ISD's medical plans. You are required to provide receipts during an IRS audit.

Dependent Care Flexible Spending Account



Fort Bend ISD's Flexible Spending Account is administered by UHC. Your FSA contributions, deducted on a pre-tax basis, may be used to pay for qualified dependent care expenses.

For the 2019 plan year, you may elect up to \$5,000 for your Dependent FSA.

The **Dependent Care FSA** allows you to save taxes on up to \$5,000 in "qualified" day care expenses every year. **Dependent Care FSAs reimburse only up to the account balance on the date your claim is received.** Claims exceeding the balance are reimbursed when there is enough in the account to cover them.

Under Code Section 21(b)(1) "qualifying individual" means a dependent of the taxpayer as defined in Code Section 152(a)(1) (i.e., a qualifying child) who has not attained age 13; a dependent of the taxpayer who is physically or mentally incapable of caring for himself or herself and has the same principal abode as the taxpayer for more than half of the year.

Qualified day care expenses include:

- Care provided while both parents are working or looking for work
- Care that has been provided during the plan year (1/1/19 – 12/31/19)
- Actual day care expenses (separate fees for services such as transportation, meals, classes, lessons, trips or supplies are not reimbursable unless the charges are included as part of your base fee – not itemized)
- Day camps, including those that focus on specific activities, such as sports and arts (overnight camps are excluded even if the camp apportions the day camp and overnight charges)
- Day care providers tax ID or individual's social security number must be provided

Sample of ineligible expenses include:

- Child care provided by your tax dependent or your child under age 19
- Overnight camps and tuition for kindergarten
- Childcare when one parent is not working or looking for work

Use-it-or-lose-it and Filing Deadline If you have unused contributions in your Dependent Care FSA at the end of the current plan year you can continue to incur expenses during the first 2.5 months immediately following the end of the plan year, and receive reimbursement for these expenses until such unused funds are depleted. All requests for reimbursement will be accepted and processed through March 31. After March 31, funds remaining in your account for current plan year will be forfeited.

Dependent Care FSA - Claims must be **received** by UHC's FSA department within 90 days of the end of the plan year.

Debit Card Your FSA debit card allows you to quickly and conveniently access funds in your FSA for dependent care expenses. You may use it to pay for eligible dependent care expenses at the time of service and at locations that accept it.

Keep copies of ALL of your receipts and explanation of benefits worksheets for eligible transactions. UHC may ask you for this documentation. You are required to provide receipts during an IRS audit.

If your childcare provider does not accept payment by debit card, you can pay the provider directly and then request reimbursement from UHC directly to your checking or savings account.

Important Difference between FSA accounts

There is a difference in when you can use the funds in your FSA accounts:

- Health FSA – the full amount you elect is available the first day your benefits are effective
- Dependent Care FSA – only the amount which has been taken from your paycheck is available for use

FSA Example

HOW AN FSA CAN SAVE YOU MONEY

Bob and Jane's combined gross income is \$30,000. They have two children and file their income taxes jointly. Since Bob and Jane expect to spend \$2,000 in adult orthodontia and \$3,300 for day care next plan year, they decide to elect a total of \$5,300 into their FSAs.

| | Without FSAs | With FSAs |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Gross income: | \$30,000 | \$30,000 |
| FSA contributions: | 0 | -5,300 |
| Gross income: | 30,000 | 24,700 |
| Federal Taxes* | 4,500* | 3,705* |
| FICA Taxes* | -2,295 | -1,890 |
| After-tax earnings: | 23,205 | 19,105 |
| Medical & dependent care expenses: | -5,300 | 0 |
| Remaining spendable income: | \$17,905 | \$19,105 |
| Spendable income increase: | | \$1,200 |

*Assumes 15% Federal Income Tax and 7.65% FICA. The example above is for illustrative purposes only. Every situation varies and we recommend that you consult a tax advisor for all tax advice.

DISBURS



Basic Life & AD&D

Voluntary Life & AD&D

Fort Bend ISD provides each eligible employee with Basic Life and Accidental Death & Dismemberment (AD&D) insurance through Guardian. Basic Life & AD&D is paid 100% by Fort Bend ISD and so there is no cost to you.

Basic Life Insurance / AD&D

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Benefit Amount | \$25,000 |
| Age Reduction | 50% at age 70 |
| Accelerated Death Benefit | 75% of benefit amount |

Voluntary Life Insurance and AD&D

You have the option to purchase Voluntary Life and AD&D coverage for yourself and your dependents through Guardian. You must elect this for yourself in order to purchase Life Insurance on your eligible dependents. **Voluntary Life and AD&D is combined and is not offered separately.** As a new hire, any amount selected over the guarantee issue amount will require a completed Evidence of Insurability Form. When you retire or leave FBISD, you have 31 days to continue your coverage; call Guardian for additional information. You pay the full cost of this benefit.

| | | |
|---|-------------------|---|
| Benefit Amount Maximum (could be subject to medical questions; see Guarantee issue below for new hires and certificate of coverage for plan provisions) | Employee | \$10,000 increments, up to \$500,000 |
| | Spouse | \$10,000 increments to 100% of Employee Amount, not exceeding \$250,000 |
| | Child(ren) | Dependent child age 1 - 14 days \$100; 14 days - 26 years \$10,000 |
| Guarantee Issue | Employee* | \$250,000 |
| | Spouse | \$30,000 |
| | Child(ren) | \$10,000 |
| Age Reduction | | 50% at age 70 |
| Accelerated Death Benefit | | 75% of benefit amount up to \$250,000 |
| Late Entrant Penalty | | All amounts will require an Evident of Insurability (EOI) form to be completed. Coverage will become effective once approved by Guardian. |

* If you are currently enrolled in Voluntary Life, you can increase your amount by \$50,000 each Open Enrollment without EOI, up to the *Guarantee Issue* amount (for Employee Coverage only).

Monthly Voluntary Life Insurance and AD&D Rates (per \$1,000)

| Age | Employee Rate | Spouse Rate** |
|-------|---------------|---------------|
| 25 | \$0.063 | \$0.120 |
| 25-29 | \$0.066 | \$0.107 |
| 30-34 | \$0.071 | \$0.109 |
| 35-39 | \$0.092 | \$0.129 |
| 40-44 | \$0.121 | \$0.173 |
| 45-49 | \$0.178 | \$0.257 |
| 50-54 | \$0.258 | \$0.387 |
| 55-59 | \$0.378 | \$0.581 |
| 60-64 | \$0.524 | \$1.003 |
| 65-69 | \$0.867 | \$1.681 |
| 70-74 | \$1.518 | \$3.069 |
| 75+ | \$3.058 | \$5.928 |

**spouse rate based on employee age
child rate: \$0.305 per \$1,000

CALCULATION EXAMPLE FOR A FAMILY

Employee: 38 years old electing \$250,000 in Life and AD&D insurance:

Life and AD&D: $250,000 \div 1,000 \times \$0.092 = \$23.00$

Spouse: 45 years old electing \$30,000 in Life and AD&D insurance:

Life and AD&D: $30,000 \div 1,000 \times \$0.257 = \$7.71$

Child(ren): electing \$10,000 in Life and AD&D Insurance (the rate covers all children under 26 in a family):

Life and AD&D: $10,000 \div 1,000 \times \$0.305 = \$3.05$

Total Monthly Rate: \$33.76



Voluntary Disability

Fort Bend ISD provides each eligible employee the option to select a voluntary disability plan through Guardian. Disability insurance is designed to help supplement your income when you are unable to work because of maternity, an accident, or illness that is not work related. You are responsible for the cost of this coverage. When you leave FBISD, you have 31 days to continue your coverage; call Guardian for additional information.

Voluntary Disability Benefit

Definition of Disability

Prevented from performing one or more of the Main Duties of:

- 1) Your Occupation during the Elimination Period
- 2) Any Gainful Occupation, following the Elimination Period.

Elimination Period

Option 1: 14 days injury or sickness
Option 2: 90 days injury or sickness

Base Benefit

66.67% of covered earnings* per \$100 of salary
 Your salary will be determined as of January 1.

This means that after 14 or 90 days of disability, Guardian will pay you 66.67% of covered earnings (per \$100 of salary) up to the maximum shown below.

Maximum Weekly Benefit (before week 26)

\$1,730 per week (weekly benefit: annual salary divided by 52 weeks)

Maximum Monthly Benefit (after week 26)

\$7,500 per month (monthly benefit: annual salary divided by 12 months)

Limitations

Pre-Existing Conditions

3/12 (any condition that was diagnosed or treated within the last 3 months prior to eligibility under the policy will not be covered for 12 months under this disability plan)

Mental Illness, Substance Abuse & Self-Reported

Up to 24 months of coverage, combined

Voluntary Disability Monthly Rates (per \$100)

| Option 1-14 day Elimination Period | \$1.034 |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Option 2-90 day Elimination Period | \$0.960 |
| Age at Disability | Maximum Benefit Duration |
| <60 | to age 65, but not less than 60 months |
| 60 | 60 months |
| 61 | 48 months |
| 62 | 42 months |
| 63 | 36 months |
| 64 | 30 months |
| 65 | 24 months |
| 66 | 21 months |
| 67 | 18 months |
| 68 | 15 months |
| 69 and over | 12 months |

Your disability benefit may be reduced by other income benefits. See Certificate of Coverage for details.
<https://www.fortbendisid.com/Page/75851>



Supplemental Plans

TO ENROLL

www.aflac.com/fortbendis

lisa_bates@us.aflac.com

713-444-2208

Think you are completely covered by your major medical plan?

You don't have all the Aflacs.

Aflac is different from health insurance: it's insurance for daily living. Major medical pays for doctors, hospitals, and prescriptions. Aflac is insurance for daily living. It pays cash benefits directly to you, unless otherwise assigned, to help with daily expenses due to an illness or accident.

Aflac is an extra measure of financial protection. When you're sick or hurt, Aflac pays cash benefits directly to you to help you and your family with unexpected expenses. The benefits are predetermined and paid regardless of any other insurance you have.

Aflac pays you cash benefits to use as you see fit. You can use your Aflac benefits check to help pay for groceries, child care, rent... It's totally up to you.

Aflac benefits help with unexpected expenses. Your Aflac benefits check helps you pay for the many out-of-pocket expenses you incur when you are sick or hurt - such as the cost of transportation to and from medical facilities, parking, and additional child care expenses.

Aflac belongs to you, not your company. When you have an Aflac policy - it's yours. You own it. Even if you change jobs or retire, you can take your Aflac policy with you, no increase in premiums.

Aflac is affordable. We have a range of products that can fit most budgets. Aflac can help provide you and your family with coverage and security to help maintain your everyday life in case of illness or injury. And, Aflac rates don't go up, even when you file a claim.

Aflac processes claims quickly - usually within four days.* Aflac provides prompt service and fast payment of approved claims to help you pay your bills. While you're focusing on your health we focus on getting you cash as quickly as possible.

Aflac claims are easy to file. When you're sick or hurt, the last thing you need is a complicated form to fill out. Aflac benefits are easy to understand, and our forms are easy to complete.

Aflac pays you benefits even when you're healthy. We want you to be healthy - that's why we promote preventative care. Get a routine physical, a mammogram, or an eye exam, and we'll pay you. ** It's that Simple.

* For Continental American Insurance Company, the average is five days.

** Benefits may not be available in all states.

Aflac

• ACCIDENT

While Aflac cannot prevent accidents from happening, we can help prepare for those unexpected expenses associated with an accident. Our promise is that when the unexpected happens, Aflac is there. And in today's world, it's comforting to know Aflac will be there to help provide peace of mind that's backed by a brand that people know and trust.

• SICKNESS AND HOSPITAL INDEMNITY

Whether a person is hospitalized for a few days or a few weeks, major medical health insurance typically has a deductible that must be met before benefits begin. Aflac provides cash benefits that can help policyholders recoup their deductibles faster, therefore reducing out-of-pocket expenses.

• CANCER

Aflac is a pioneer in the cancer insurance industry - we sold our first cancer policy back in 1958. Since then, we've paid billions in cancer claims. And when you pay billions in cancer claims, you learn a thing or two about the disease, such as about how patients are treated and the cost of care. More than 50 years of experience gives Aflac an advantage over many of our competitors. In addition, we stay informed about advances in cancer treatment so that our policy holders continue to have the most up-to-date policy benefits.

• CRITICAL ILLNESS

There has never been a better time to offer critical illness coverage. People are living longer and the likelihood of experiencing a critical illness, such as heart attacks, strokes, comas, paralysis, end-stage renal failure, coronary artery bypass surgery, major human organ transplants, and more, has increased. Helping employees protect themselves against income loss is vital to helping them recover from the medical and non-medical impact of a critical illness.

For illustrative purposes only: Aflac policies have limitations and exclusions that may affect eligibility for coverage and benefits payable. See the policy and outline of coverage for complete details, definitions, limitations, and exclusions.

Legal Advice & ID Protection



Legal Shield

With a LegalShield legal plan you will have access to law firms on a variety of personal or family legal needs with no out of pocket expense other than your monthly premium! Below is a brief sampling of the areas that are covered. For detailed plan description please see your member contract. This plan covers you, your spouse or domestic partner, and dependents.*

In some legal situations, you may be referred outside of LegalShield; you will receive a 25% discount on these services.

- Home: Residential Loan Document Assistance, Refinance, Foreclosure
- Unlimited: Consultations on any personal or family questions
- Financial: Collections, Warranties, Guarantees, Contract review, IRS audit
- Family Matters: Adoption, Name Change Representation, Uncontested Divorce, Separation
- Estate Issues: Wills, Living Wills, Health Care Power of Attorney
- Auto: Moving Violations, Accidents, 24/7 Emergency hotline

IDSHIELD

LegalShield identity theft plan provides identity monitoring as well as top-of-the-line identity theft restoration from Kroll Advisory Solutions. The identity theft plan covers you and your spouse or domestic partner and up to 8 dependents.

- Credit Report: Secure web access to your up-to-date credit report and detailed score analysis.
- Privacy Monitoring / Activity Alerts: Monitoring of Name, DOB, Driver's License, Passports, Email, Medical ID, Credit Cards, Bank Accounts etc.
- Identity Restoration Services: Kroll, the experts in identity theft restoration, will step in and take over the restoration process for you, should you face an identity theft issue.**
- 5 Million Dollar Service Guarantee: Restores ID back to pre-theft status.

*Covers never married dependent children that live at home or full-time college students up to age 18 for ongoing monitoring and up to age 26 for IDshield and Legal plans.

**Restoration assistance requires the member sign a limited power of attorney to allow Kroll to do the necessary work.

| Pay Periods | Legal Services Only | | Identity Theft Services Only | | Both Services Combined | |
|-------------------|---------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|
| | 24 PP | 19 PP | 24 PP | 19 PP | 24 PP | 19 PP |
| Employee Only | \$7.48 | \$9.45 | \$4.23 | \$5.34 | \$11.70 | \$14.78 |
| Employee + Family | \$7.98 | \$10.08 | \$7.98 | \$10.08 | \$14.45 | \$18.25 |

FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CONTACT YOUR
INDEPENDENT ASSOCIATE:

Jason Lavender
512.740.3322
jlavender@legalshieldassociate.com



A wap Program

HERE TO HELP

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE

Fort Bend ISD provides ALL employees and their family household access to an employee assistance program through Alliance Work Partners. This program is paid for by Fort Bend ISD and many of the services such as the face to face counseling sessions and phone consultations for legal and financial will not cost you anything.

Teen line 800-334-8336

email EAP@alliancewp.com

online services www.awpnow.com.com

registration code [AWP-FBISD-3769](#)

24-HR

HELP & CRISIS

HOTLINE

800-343-3822

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Counseling Sessions

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Additional Services

WHAT is an EAP?

An EAP offers confidential services to **YOU AND YOUR FAMILY** at **NO COST TO YOU**. Everyone in your household is covered under this plan.

Counseling Sessions Offered At No Cost To You

Up to 6 face to face counseling sessions per problem per year. This service can successfully help you manage life's challenges. Some of the issues that can be addressed through an EAP are stress management, depression, family issues, workplace issues, alcohol & drug abuse.

Additional Services

Legal Services • Financial Services • Work life Services

Program Materials

See the Alliance Work Partners brochure or obtain additional materials at www.awpnow.com

Doctors Online, Anytime



Virtual Visits

Available to FBISD Employees

DOCTOR ON DEMAND Fort Bend ISD is providing you and your eligible dependents with an affordable, convenient option for treating many medical conditions. Virtual Visits allows you to talk to a doctor anytime, anywhere by phone. You are responsible for the Primary Care Copay on your medical plan per consultation (HRA and High deductible members will pay \$40* which will be applied toward your deductible). The average cost for non-UHC enrollees is up to \$79.

If you are not on a Fort Bend ISD medical plan, you can still utilize this service!

VISIT: www.doctorondemand.com

COST: \$79 per visit*

* subject to change



LEARN MORE!

Log in to myuhc.com

FBISD LiveWell App

> Health > Talk to a Doctor

Top Treatable Conditions

- Cold & Flu • Sore Throat • Skin Rashes
- Bladder Infections • Allergies • Pink Eye
- Bronchitis • Fevers

| | |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Kelsey UHC Charter | \$25/visit |
| Nexus | \$25/visit |
| Choice Premium Tier | \$25/visit |
| Choice HRA | 30% after deductible |
| Choice High Deductible | 0% after deductible |

UHC Program



Healthy Pregnancy

Available to Employees Enrolled in All Medical Plans

Fort Bend ISD has partnered with UHC to help ensure you or your spouse have a smooth pregnancy, delivery, and a healthy baby. When you regularly see your doctor during your pregnancy and enroll in the UHC Healthy Pregnancy Program, you will receive built-in support through every stage of your pregnancy.

The Healthy Pregnancy Program is FREE!

Enroll in your FIRST TRIMESTER and receive \$150 upon completion of the program! Enroll AFTER your first trimester and receive \$75 upon completion of the program!

ENROLL

call 888-246-7389

M-F 8 A.M. to 8 P.M. (CST)

for more info, visit

www.healthy-pregnancy.com

When you enroll you will receive these benefits:

01



Identify Individual
Risks & Needs

02



24-7 Access to
Experienced
Nurses
(888) 246-7389

03



Online Access to
Healthy Pregnancy
Owner's Manual

04



Pregnancy & Child-
birth education
materials &
resources



Planned Surgery

Surgery Plus+

Available to Employees Enrolled in All Medical Plans

SurgeryPlus can save you thousands of dollars and provides access to top surgeons! FBISD is proud to offer SurgeryPlus to help you plan and pay for non-emergency surgeries. Surgery plus is 100% covered (100% after deductible for HDHP Plan) and automatically available to ALL participants enrolled in FBISD medical plans.

COVERED SURGERIES

FBISD offers SurgeryPlus as a way to help you PLAN and PAY for a number of different types of surgical procedures, including but not limited to:

- Knee, Hip or Shoulder
- Spine
- Bladder Repair
- Hysterectomy
- Hernia Repair
- Rotator Cuff Repair
- ACL, MCL or PCL Repair
- Pacemaker Implant or Replacement
- Bunionectomy

PLAN and SAVE
Call BEFORE Surgery
(855) 200-9513



HOW IT WORKS

- If your doctor recommends surgery, you **call SurgeryPlus at 855.200.9513.**
- Your SurgeryPlus Care Coordinator helps you find a top-quality, board certified surgeon in **their network** and sets up your initial consultation. Your Care Coordinator will walk you through each step of the planning process.
- SurgeryPlus negotiates all costs BEFORE surgery, and **FBISD picks up 100% of the cost. You pay nothing!**

NOTE: For the HDHP Plan, 100% of costs are covered *after you've met the deductible.*

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

You already have access!

SurgeryPlus is automatically available to you through your FBISD medical plan.

Injury - Muscle & Joints



Available to Employees Enrolled in All Medical Plans

Fort Bend ISD is continuing our partnership with Airrosti to provide highly effective and efficient care for back pain and other musculoskeletal conditions.

When you visit an Airrosti provider, you receive a full hour assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and education designed to restore the function and eliminate the pain associated with many common conditions.

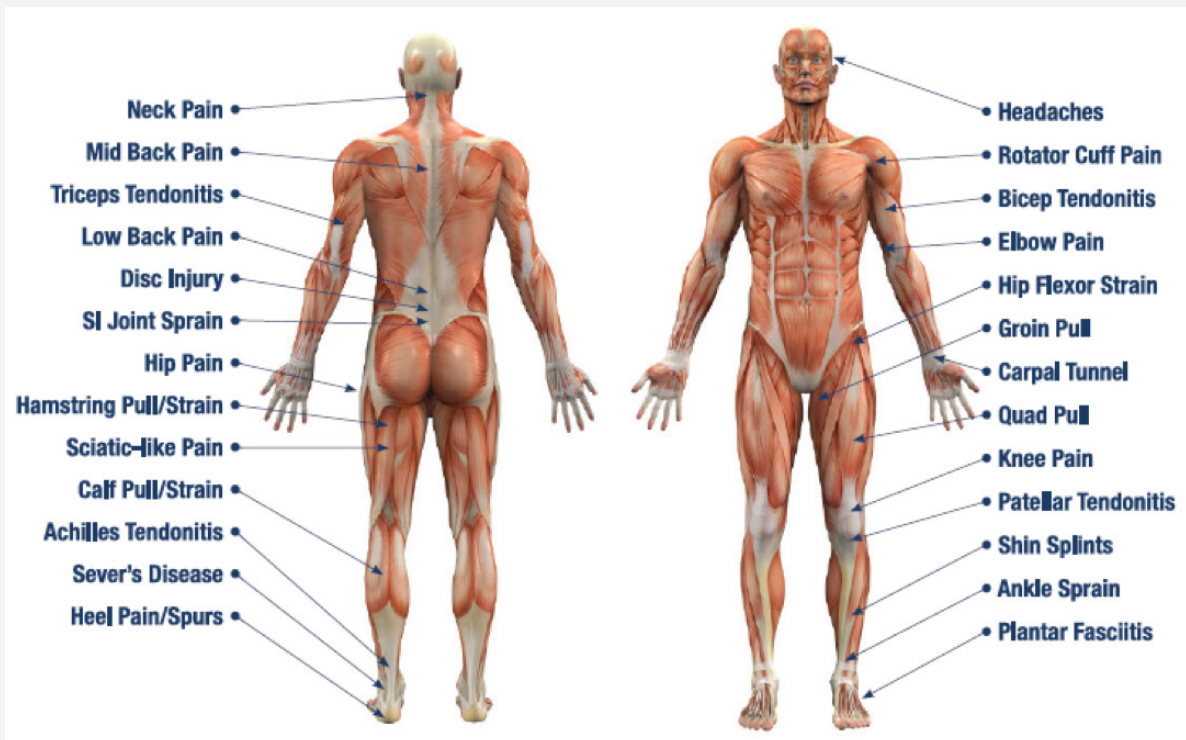
Most patients see resolution of their issue within 3 visits!

**Treat BACK PAIN &
MUSCULOSKELETAL
Conditions**

FULL HOUR

- + Assessment
- + Diagnosis
- + Treatment

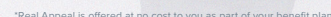
If you have PAIN in ANY of these locations, call Airrosti today:



Schedule via phone, online
(800) 404-6050 | Airrosti.com

Real Appeal

Also, your **Transformation Coach** personalizes the program to your schedule, your needs and your goals. You get live, face-to-face coaching through the website or mobile app for an entire year – so you always have the support and motivation you need to be successful.



Enroll using a smartphone, tablet
or personal computer at
fortbendis.realappeal.com

Plus, your
very own
transformation
coach!

Available at **no cost** to eligible employees and spouses with our UnitedHealthcare insurance and a body mass index (BMI) of 23 or higher.

Retirement

www.trs.state.tx.us (800) 223-8778

The TRS retirement plan serves a vital role to nearly 1.2 million active and retired state educators and their families by providing service and disability retirement benefits, and death benefits. TRS is one of the largest retirement systems in the nation. The system's core mission is to deliver retirement and related member benefits authorized by the Texas Legislature and to manage the trust fund that finances those benefits. As an employee of FBISD you are automatically enrolled into this Retirement Plan. As a member you will contribute 7.7% of eligible wages to your account each pay period and the State will contribute 6% for retirement benefits. The member's contribution is made on a pre-tax basis.

www.TCGservices.com (800) 943-9179

TCG Administrators (formally JEM Resources)

403(b) Tax-Deferred Annuities (TDA) is a deferred tax arrangement, which is specifically allowed by Section 403(b) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contribution amounts are not taxable income to the employees until the amounts are withdrawn by or distributed to them.

EMPLOYEE SAVINGS PLAN 457 As an employee of Fort Bend ISD you are immediately eligible to participate in this plan. The Fort Bend ISD Employee Savings Plan is an effective and flexible method of saving, and is available to help you meet your personal retirement planning objectives.

To set up or make changes to these accounts, you can contact TCG Administrators directly.

403(b) AND 457 PLAN ADVANTAGES

- Contributions through salary reduction agreements are made on a tax-deferred basis. These amounts are not subject to federal income taxation until distributed.
- Any interest earnings and/or gains are also tax-deferred.
- Saving for future needs is easier when your contribution is made directly from your paycheck.
- This is income in addition to your TRS retirement plan income.

2019

Employee Contributions

| | | | 2019 Employee Premiums | | | |
|--|---------------------|----------------|------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Medical Kelsey UHC Charter | | | 24 PAY-PERIODS | | 19 PAY-PERIODS | |
| Employee Only | | | \$80.23 | | \$101.34 | |
| Employee + Spouse | | | \$248.39 | | \$313.76 | |
| Employee + Child(ren) | | | \$221.67 | | \$280.00 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$328.59 | | \$415.06 | |
| Medical Nexus (NEW for 2019) | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$88.67 | | \$112.00 | |
| Employee + Spouse | | | \$287.61 | | \$363.30 | |
| Employee + Child(ren) | | | \$245.00 | | \$309.47 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$380.47 | | \$480.59 | |
| Medical Choice Premium Tier | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$88.67 | | \$112.00 | |
| Employee + Spouse | | | \$287.61 | | \$363.30 | |
| Employee + Child(ren) | | | \$245.00 | | \$309.47 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$380.47 | | \$480.59 | |
| Medical Choice HRA | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$52.92 | | \$66.85 | |
| Employee + Spouse | | | \$194.16 | | \$245.25 | |
| Employee + Child(ren) | | | \$136.08 | | \$171.89 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$247.78 | | \$312.99 | |
| Medical Choice High Deductible Plan | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$31.05 | | \$39.22 | |
| Employee + Spouse | | | N/A | | N/A | |
| Employee + Child(ren) | | | \$122.73 | | \$155.03 | |
| Employee + Family | | | N/A | | N/A | |
| Dental PPO Network Access Plan & Value Plan | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$20.65 | | \$26.08 | |
| Employee + 1 | | | \$41.29 | | \$52.16 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$61.93 | | \$78.23 | |
| Dental HMO | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$4.90 | | \$6.19 | |
| Employee + 1 | | | \$8.15 | | \$10.29 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$15.17 | | \$19.16 | |
| Vision | | | | | | |
| Employee Only | | | \$4.99 | | \$6.30 | |
| Employee + 1 | | | \$7.99 | | \$10.09 | |
| Employee + Children | | | \$8.64 | | \$10.91 | |
| Employee + Family | | | \$13.14 | | \$16.60 | |
| | | | | | | |
| | Legal Services Only | | Identity Theft Services Only | | Both Services Combined | |
| | 24 Pay Periods | 19 Pay Periods | 24 Pay Periods | 19 Pay Periods | 24 Pay Periods | 19 Pay Periods |
| Employee Only | \$7.48 | \$9.45 | \$4.23 | \$5.23 | \$11.70 | \$14.78 |
| Employee + Family | \$7.98 | \$10.08 | \$7.98 | \$10.08 | \$14.45 | \$18.25 |

*Actual cost may vary due to rounding. Medical premium amounts assume timely completion of employee and spouse biometric screenings, health risk assessments, and participate with a nurse coach, should you be called. All premium amounts are subject to change.

Benefits

Terms to Know



Coinsurance

The money that an individual is required to pay for services, after a deductible has been paid. It is often a specified percentage of the charges. For example, the employee pays 20 percent of the contracted rate while the health plan pays 80 percent.



Copayments

An arrangement where an individual pays a specified amount for various health care services and the health plan pays the remainder. The individual must usually pay his or her share when services are rendered. The concept is similar to coinsurance, except that copayments are usually a set dollar amount (such as \$20 per office visit), rather than a percentage of the charges.



Deductible

The annual amount of medical expenses that an individual is responsible to pay for certain services. Deductibles are reset on an annual basis.



Out-of-Pocket Maximum

The maximum amount a member can pay each year for the deductible and coinsurance, and medical copays. After reaching the out-of-pocket maximum, the plan pays 100% of the allowable charges for covered services during the remainder of the calendar year.



Elimination Period

The period of time you must be disabled, due to a covered disability, before this plan's benefits are payable.



Flexible Spending Account

This is an account in an employee's name that can reimburse the employee for qualified health care or dependent care expenses. It essentially allows an employee to pre-fund those qualified expenses with pre-tax dollars deducted from the employee's paychecks. The employee can receive cash reimbursement for covered expenses, up to the total value of the account, but majority of funds are only usable during the benefit plan year.



In-Network

Refers to physicians, hospitals, or other health care providers who contract with the insurance plan to provide services to its members. Except in the case of an emergency, your medical plans provide for In-Network coverage only, no out-of-network coverage, including labs and x-ray facilities.



Out-of-Network

Refers to physicians, hospitals, or other health care providers who **do not** contract with the insurance plan to provide services to its members. Services provided by out-of-network providers through the medical plan may not be covered.



1095-C Form

As a reporting requirement of the Affordable Care Act, Fort Bend ISD provides this form to any member who was offered and/or enrolled in medical coverage through FBISD during 2017. Keep the form for your records. As allowed by the IRS rules, the distribution of this form may occur after the filing of your personal federal income tax return. Since the information may impact tax filings for you, your spouse and your dependents, you should retain a copy of the Form. For information about how your medical coverage may impact your personal taxes, we recommend that you speak with your personal tax advisor.



The information in this Benefits Guide is intended for illustrative and informational purposes only. The information contained herein was taken from various summary plan descriptions, certificates of coverage and benefit information. While every effort was taken to accurately report your benefits, discrepancies and errors are always possible. It is not intended to alter or expand rights or liabilities set forth in the official plan documents or contracts. It is not an offer to contract, nor are there any expressed or implied guarantees. In the case of a discrepancy between this information and the actual plan documents, the actual plan documents will prevail. If you have questions about this summary, please contact our Benefits Department.