

# NBA BENEFIT PLANS

## **\$500 Deductible Plan**

Schedule of Benefits Summary

Effective January 1, 2023

**NBA** Benefit Plans

 **BlueCross  
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Nebraska

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# NBA BENEFIT PLANS CONTACTS

**Please note:** This Schedule of Benefits Summary is not a contract and should not be regarded as one. In the event there are discrepancies between this document and the contract, the terms and the conditions of the contract will govern.

For more information about the NBA Benefit Plans and to access additional copies of the Benefits Summaries and the Benefit Coordinator login, visit [nebankers.org/benefit-plans](http://nebankers.org/benefit-plans).

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For questions in their respective areas of expertise, please contact:

## **Karen (KC) Coufal | Vice President**

- Assists members in the claim adjudication process whenever necessary and works closely with the insurance carrier personnel on enrollment changes and/or claims issues
- Emails pertinent information to members relating to carrier coverage updates
- Coordinates preparations for NBA VEBA Board meetings
- Oversees and manages activities related to the NBA Benefit Plans program
- Supervises Assistant Vice President (Jennifer) and Billing/Accounting Coordinator (James)

## **Jennifer Muehlhausen Assistant Vice President-Active Enrollment**

- Administrative assistance: New enrollment and enrollment changes; carrier liaison
- Enrollment and eligibility: Health, Dental, Vision, Life and Disability
- Online Portal: Assistance, training and navigation
- Life and Disability claims
- Bank Coordinator training

## **James Strickland | Billing/Accounting Coordinator**

- Annual and monthly bank billing statements
- Accounts receivable and payable processes: Deposits, issuing checks, balancing bank statements and all month-end and year-end procedures
- Terminations and liaison with Navia on COBRA administration
- Active enrollment for the AD&D and Supplemental Benefits programs
- Back-up for active enrollment activities: Health, Dental, Life and Disability coverages

## **Kathy Reiss | Member Bank Education Coordinator**

- NBA-member bank liaison: visits member banks across Nebraska to explain current benefits and promote additional benefits to Bank Coordinators and CEO/President
- Educate member banks about methods to maximize cost savings from NBA Benefit Plans
- Obtain feedback from Bank Coordinators and upper management on how they can be better served by the NBA Benefit Plans program

## **Scott Yank | Executive Vice President & CFO, NBISCO**

- Oversees all operations of Nebraska Bankers Insurance & Services Corporation (NBISCO), including NBA Benefit Plans
- Oversees the financial operations of NBA and related organizations
- Ensures the compliance of NBA Benefit Plans
- Coordinates discussions between NBA Benefit Plans and NBA VEBA Board

Covered Services are reimbursed based on the allowable charge. Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Nebraska In-Network Providers have agreed to accept the benefit payment as payment in full, not including deductible, coinsurance and/or copayment amounts and any charges for non-covered services, which are the covered person's responsibility. That means that In-Network Providers, under the terms of their contract with Blue Cross and Blue Shield, can't bill for amounts over the contracted amount. In some situations, Out-of-Network Providers can bill for amounts over the out-of-network allowance.

**In-Network Provider:** The provider network is shown on your I.D. card. For help in locating In-Network Providers, visit [NebraskaBlue.com](http://NebraskaBlue.com).

Payment for Services	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Deductible</b> (the amount the covered person pays each calendar year for covered services before the coinsurance is payable) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individual</li> <li>Family (Embedded*)</li> </ul>	\$500 \$1,000	\$1,000 \$2,000
<b>Coinsurance</b> (the percentage amount the covered person must pay for most covered services after the deductible has been met) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Covered person pays</li> </ul>	25%	50%
<b>Out-of-Pocket Limit</b> (does not include premium, penalty and amounts not covered by the plan) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Individual</li> <li>Family</li> </ul>	\$2,500 \$5,000	\$5,000 \$10,000

Once the annual out-of-pocket limit is reached, most covered services are payable by the plan at 100% for the rest of the calendar year.

In-network and out-of-network deductible and out-of-pocket limits cross accumulate. All other limits (days, visits, sessions, dollar amounts, etc.) do cross accumulate between in-network and out-of-network, unless noted differently.

Day, session or visit limits for certain services shown on this summary are not applicable to mental illness and/or substance dependence and abuse.

**\*Embedded** – If you have single coverage, you only need to satisfy the individual deductible and out-of-pocket limit amounts. If you have family coverage, no one family member contributes more than the individual amount. Family members may combine their covered expenses to satisfy the required family deductible and out-of-pocket amounts.

**Copayment(s) [copay(s)] apply to:**

- Prescription drugs

The copay amount varies by the type of covered service. Refer to the appropriate category for benefit information.

**Out-of-Pocket Limit includes:**

- Deductible
- Coinsurance
- Prescription drug copays

Covered Services – Illness or Injury	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Physician Office</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Primary care physician office visit</li> <li>Specialist physician office visit</li> <li>Other covered services and supplies provided in the physician's office (with or without an office visit billed)</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allergy injections and serum</li> <li>Other injections</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Convenient Care/Retail Clinics (Quick Care)</b>	Same as primary care physician	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Urgent Care Facility Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Telehealth Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Not covered
<b>Emergency Care Services</b> (services received in a hospital emergency room setting) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Facility</li> <li>Professional Services</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	In-network level of benefits In-network level of benefits
<b>Outpatient Hospital or Facility Services</b> Services such as surgery, laboratory and radiology, cardiac and pulmonary rehabilitation, observation stays, and other services provided on an outpatient basis	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Inpatient Hospital or Facility Services</b> Charges for room and board, diagnostic testing, rehabilitation and other ancillary services provided on an inpatient basis	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Orthopedic Specialty Hospital or Facility Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>NOTE:</b> Deductibles and coinsurance may be waived if covered services are provided at a designated preferred Center. See NebraskaBlue.com for a list of covered services and designated hospitals.		

**Primary care physician** is a physician who has a majority of his or her practice in internal or general medicine, obstetrics/gynecology, general pediatrics or family practice. A physician assistant is covered in the same manner as a primary care physician.

**Specialist physician** is a physician who is not a primary care physician.

**Office visit benefits** for primary care and specialist physician office visit include office visits (including the initial visit to diagnose pregnancy) and consultations.

**Other covered services not part of the physician office benefit (refer to the appropriate category for benefit information) include:** Allergy injections & serum; other injections; advanced diagnostic imaging (CT, MRI, MRA, MRS, PET & SPECT scans and other nuclear medicine); pregnancy services; preventative services; radiation therapy & chemotherapy; surgery & anesthesia; therapy & manipulations; durable medical equipment; sleep studies; biofeedback; psychological evaluations, assessments and testing.

Preventative Services	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Preventative Services</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Affordable Care Act (ACA) required preventative services may be subject to limits that include, but are not limited to, age, gender and frequency)</li> <li>ACA required covered preventative services (outside of limits)</li> <li>Other covered preventative services not required by ACA, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Laboratory tests as specified by Us, including urinalysis and complete blood count; general health panel; metabolic panel; prostate cancer screening (PSA and hearing exams</li> <li>All other laboratory tests; radiology, cardiac stress tests; EKG; pulmonary function and other screenings and services</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%	Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%  Plan pays 100%
<b>Immunizations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pediatric (up to age 7)</li> <li>Age 7 and older</li> <li>Related to an illness</li> </ul>	Plan pays 100% Plan pays 100% Same as any other illness	Plan pays 100% Plan pays 100% Same as any other illness
<b>Colorectal Cancer Screenings</b> (starting at age 45) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Colonoscopy screening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnostic or preventative screening (one every five years)</li> <li>Screenings outside the age or frequency limit</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sigmoidoscopy/Proctoscopy screening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preventative Screening (one every five years)</li> <li>Screenings outside the age or frequency limit</li> </ul> </li> <li>Barium enema, fecal occult blood tests, FIT DNA, CT of the colon and other tests as determined under ACA Preventative Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preventative services</li> <li>Diagnostic screenings</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Plan pays 100%  Same as any other illness  Plan pays 100%  Same as any other illness  Plan pays 100%  Same as any other illness	Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>NOTE:</b> Related services will pay in the same manner as the colorectal cancer screening when performed on the same date of service.		

Mental Illness and/or Substance Dependence and Abuse Covered Services	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Inpatient Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Outpatient Services</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Office services</li> <li>Telehealth services</li> <li>All other outpatient items &amp; services</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Emergency Care Services</b> (services received in a hospital emergency room setting) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Facility</li> <li>Professional services</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	In-network level of benefits In-network level of benefits

Other Covered Services – Illness or Injury	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Acupuncture</b>	Not covered	Not covered
<b>Advanced Diagnostic Imaging</b> (CT, MRI, MRA, MRS, PET & SPECT scans and other nuclear medicine)	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Ambulance</b> (to the nearest facility for appropriate care) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ground ambulance</li> <li>• Air ambulance</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	In-network level of benefits In-network level of benefits
<b>Autism Spectrum Disorder</b>	Same as mental illness	Same as mental illness
<b>Biofeedback</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Bone Anchored Hearing Aids and Cochlear Implants</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Dermatological Services</b>	Same as any other illness	Same as any other illness
<b>Diabetic Services</b> Services include education, self-management training, podiatric appliances and equipment	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Durable Medical Equipment and Supplies (including Prosthetics)</b> (rental or purchase, whichever is least costly; rental shall not exceed the cost of purchasing)	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Eye Glasses or Contact Lenses</b> Only covered if required because of a change in prescription as a result of intraocular surgery or ocular injury (must be within 12 months of surgery or injury)	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Hearing Aids</b> (up to age 19, limited to \$3,000 every 48 months)	Same as any other illness	Same as any other illness
<b>Home Health Aide, Skilled Nursing and Respiratory Care</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home health aide (limited to 60 days per calendar year)</li> <li>• Skilled nursing care (limited to 8 hours per day)</li> <li>• Respiratory care (limited to 60 days per calendar year)</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Home Infusion Therapy</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Hospice Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Independent Laboratory</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diagnostic</li> <li>• Preventative</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance  Same as preventative services in-network level of benefits	In-network level of benefits  Same as preventative services in-network level of benefits
<b>Infertility</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Services to diagnose</li> <li>• Treatment to promote fertility</li> </ul>	Same as any other illness Not covered	Same as any other illness Not covered

Other Covered Services – Illness or Injury	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<p><b>Nicotine Addiction</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical services and therapy</li> <li>Nicotine addiction classes &amp; alternative therapy, such as acupuncture</li> </ul>	<p>Same as substance dependence and abuse</p> <p>Not covered</p>	<p>Same as substance dependence and abuse</p> <p>Not covered</p>
<p><b>Obesity</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-surgical treatment</li> <li>Surgical treatment</li> </ul>	<p>Not covered</p> <p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Not covered</p> <p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Oral Surgery and Dentistry</b></p> <p>Services such as: impacted wisdom teeth; incision and drainage of abscesses; excision of tumors and cysts; and bone grafts to the jaw</p> <p>IV sedation for oral surgery and to remove impacted teeth.</p> <p>Dental treatment when due to an accidental injury to naturally healthy teeth (treatment related to accidents must be provided within 12 months of the date of injury)</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Organ and Tissue Transplantation</b></p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Ostomy Supplies</b></p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Physician Professional Services</b></p> <p>Inpatient and outpatient services, such as: surgery, surgical assistant, anesthesia, inpatient hospital visits and other non-surgical services</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Pregnancy, Maternity and Newborn Care</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pregnancy and maternity (payment for prenatal and postnatal care is included in the payment for the delivery)</li> <li>Newborn care</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Newborns are covered at birth, subject to the plan's enrollment provisions.</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p> <p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p> <p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Radiation Therapy and Chemotherapy</b></p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Radiology (X-ray) Services and other Diagnostic Test</b></p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>
<p><b>Rehabilitation Services – Inpatient Facility</b></p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>	<p>Deductible and Coinsurance</p>

Other Covered Services – Illness or Injury	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Rehabilitation Services</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cardiac rehabilitation (limited to 18 sessions per diagnosis)</li> <li>Pulmonary rehabilitation (Chronic lung disease is limited to 18 sessions per diagnosis, not to exceed 18 sessions per calendar year. Lung, heart-lung transplants and lung volume are limited to 18 sessions following renewal and prior to surgery plus 18 sessions within six months of discharge from hospital following surgery.)</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Renal Dialysis</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Skilled Nursing Facility</b> (limited to 60 days per calendar year)	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Sleep Studies</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Temporomandibular and Craniomandibular Joint Disorder</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Therapy &amp; Manipulations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physical, occupational or speech therapy services, chiropractic or osteopathic physiotherapy (combined limit to 60 sessions per calendar year)</li> <li>Chiropractic or osteopathic manipulative treatments or adjustments (combined limit to 30 sessions per calendar year)</li> </ul>	Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance  Deductible and Coinsurance
<b>Vision Exams</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diagnostic (to diagnose an illness)</li> <li>Preventative (routine exam including refraction)</li> </ul>	See physician office services  Not covered	See physician office services  Not covered
<b>Voluntary Abortions</b>	Not covered (Unless necessary to safeguard the life of the woman, or that the unborn child's viability was threatened by continuation of the pregnancy)	
<b>Wigs</b>	Not covered	Not covered
<b>All Other Covered Services</b>	Deductible and Coinsurance	Deductible and Coinsurance



Prescription Drugs	In-Network Provider	Out-of-Network Provider
<b>Retail – per 30-day supply</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preferred generic drugs (including non-formulary contraceptives)</li> <li>Non-preferred generic drugs</li> <li>Preferred brand name drugs</li> <li>Non-preferred brand name drugs</li> </ul>	<p>\$10 copay</p> <p>50% Coinsurance, \$25 min Copay, \$50 max Copay</p> <p>25% Coinsurance, \$25 min Copay, \$50 max Copay</p> <p>50% Coinsurance, \$50 min Copay, \$75 max Copay</p>	<p>50% Coinsurance</p> <p>50% Coinsurance</p> <p>50% Coinsurance</p> <p>50% Coinsurance</p>
<b>Home Delivery – per 30-day supply</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preferred generic drugs (including non-preferred contraceptives)</li> <li>Non-preferred generic drugs</li> <li>Preferred brand name drugs</li> <li>Non-preferred brand name drugs</li> </ul>	<p>\$10 Copay</p> <p>50% Coinsurance, \$25 min Copay, \$50 max Copay</p> <p>25% Coinsurance, \$25 min Copay, \$50 max Copay</p> <p>50% Coinsurance, \$50 min Copay, \$75 max Copay</p>	<p>Not covered</p> <p>Not covered</p> <p>Not covered</p> <p>Not covered</p>
<b>Specialty Drugs</b> (specialty drugs must be purchased through a designated pharmacy after one fill)	25% Coinsurance, \$100 min Copay, \$150 max Copay	Not covered
<b>Contraceptives</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preferred generic</li> <li>Preferred brand name</li> <li>Non-preferred generic</li> <li>Non-preferred brand name</li> </ul>	Plan pays 100% Plan pays 100% Same as any other non-preferred generic drug Same as any other non-preferred brand name	50% Coinsurance 50% Coinsurance
<b>Diabetic Insulin</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Preferred generic</li> <li>Preferred brand name</li> <li>Non-preferred generic</li> <li>Non-preferred brand name</li> </ul>	Plan pays 100% Plan pays 100% Same as any other generic drug Same as any other non-preferred brand name	50% Coinsurance 50% Coinsurance
<b>Infant Formulas*</b>	50% Coinsurance, \$50 min Copay, \$75 max Copay	50% Coinsurance
<b>Infertility</b> (FDA approved prescription drugs to promote fertility)	Not covered	Not covered
<b>Nicotine Addiction</b> (FDA approved prescription drugs and over-the-counter nicotine addiction drugs and deterrents)	Plan Pays 100%	50% Coinsurance
<b>Obesity</b> (FDA approved prescription drugs)	Not covered	Not covered
<p><b>This plan uses a prescription drug list (PDL). The PDL for this plan is PDL 10, and the pharmacy network is Network C. You can find this prescription drug list and network listing on <a href="http://NebraskaBlue.com">NebraskaBlue.com</a>. Or you may contact Member Services at the phone number on the back of your I.D. card.</b></p>		

**\*Infant Formulas:** Infant Formulas are a category of drugs that are limited to: Neocate, Elecare, Cyclinex-1, Cyclinex2, Pro Phree and Vivonex. Benefits are payable for these drugs. See the summary above.