

Manitoba Provincial Health Plan

Fact Sheet

Your Manitoba Health Services Plan Provides:

Prescription Drugs

- 100 percent coverage for eligible drug expenses listed on the Manitoba drug formulary after a deductible has been satisfied.

The deductible rates are based on your adjusted total family income and can be obtained from the Pharmacare website at <http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/pharmacare/estimator.html>.

Ambulance

- No coverage for ground ambulance services with the exception of medically necessary hospital-to-hospital transfers for those that meet the criteria.
 - Coverage for air ambulance transfers may be available for those that meet the criteria.
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Dental benefits

- No coverage for routine or major services (i.e. cleanings, fillings, extractions, endodontics, periodontics, crowns, bridges, dentures, etc.).
 - No coverage for treatment of accidental injury to teeth.
 - Coverage for services provided by a dental surgeon, for specific procedures performed in a hospital.
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Visioncare

- No coverage for eye exams, glasses or contact lenses (limited coverage for seniors).
 - Coverage for one complete routine eye exam every 24 months for residents age 18 and under or age 65 or older.
 - Coverage for residents 65 years of age and over for 80 percent of a fixed amount for eyeglasses once every three years. A \$50 family deductible on eyeglass reimbursements applies.
 - Coverage for exams for all ages if deemed medically necessary by your physician or optometrist.
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Hospital

- Coverage for standard ward rooms only, normal in-patient services and certain hospital out-patient services.
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Paramedicals

- No coverage for psychologist, massage therapy, naturopath, osteopath or podiatrist services.
 - Coverage for chiropractic manipulations and adjustments of \$10.50 per visit (\$11.30 north of the 53rd parallel), to a maximum of 12 visits. No coverage for X-rays.
 - Coverage for physiotherapy, speech therapy or dietetic counselling when performed in a hospital.
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Hearing Aids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coverage for children ages 18 and under, every 4 years, after a \$75 deductible has been met: • 80% of a fixed amount for an Analog device, up to a maximum of \$500 per ear • 80% of a fixed amount for a Digital or Analog Programmable device, up to a maximum of \$1800 • 80% of a fixed amount for additional services, such as dispensing fees, ear molds, and ear impressions.
Nursing Benefits and Home Care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coverage for basic nursing care in a personal care home for those that meet the criteria.
Medical Supplies	<p>100 per cent coverage for the cost of the following when provided by a certified individual.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limb prosthetic devices and services. • Spinal orthotic devices and services
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No coverage
Out of Country	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coverage for emergencies only. Emergency services are reimbursed at a rate equal to what a Manitoba doctor would receive for a similar service. • Coverage for Emergency hospital care is paid on an average daily rate established by Manitoba Health

These highlights from the Manitoba Health Services Plan are for general reference only and are subject to change, corrections and updates. Other government programs may also be available. For more information on the latest coverage details, contact:

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Website: www.gov.mb.ca/health/index.html*

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