2025 Medical Plan Comparison - Most City of Seattle Employees

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Kaiser Permanente*		City of Seattle	City of Seattle Traditional Plan*		City of Seattle Preventive Plan*	
Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Deductible (per calenda	ar year)	•			•	
No Deductible	\$200 per person	\$450 per person	\$1,000 per person	\$100 per person	\$450 per person	
	\$600 per family	\$1,350 per family	\$3,000 per family	\$300 per family	\$1,350 per family	
	Deductible applies as note	d				
	except for prescriptions,	Deductible applies to mo	st services, except as noted.	Deductible applies to mo	ost services, except as noted.	
	preventive visits,	Deductible does not app	ly for prescriptions or when	Deductible does not app	ly for prescriptions or when the	
	ambulance, and durable	the Inpatient co-pay or e	mergency room co-pay	Inpatient co-pay or eme	rgency room co-pay applies.	
	medical equipment.	applies.				
Annual Out of Pocket N	Maximum (OOP Max) includes	medical coinsurance. The	OOP Max includes the deduc	tible and excludes prescr	iption drug	
copays/coinsurance.						
Includes	medical copays	Excludes copays		Excludes copays		
\$2,000 per person	\$2,000 per person	\$1,450 per person	\$2,000 per person**	\$2,000 per person	\$3,000 per person*	
\$4,000 per family	\$6,000 per family	\$4,350 per family	\$6,000 per family*	\$4,000 per family	\$6,000 per family*	
Hospital Copay						
\$200 per admission	Deductible applies	\$200 copay	\$200 copay	\$200 copay	\$200 copay	
		per admission	per admission	per admission	per admission	
Hospital Pre-admission	Authorization	•		_		
Except for maternity	y or emergency admissions,	Except for maternity or	emergency admissions, your	Except for maternity o	r emergency admissions, your	
must be authorize	ed by Kaiser Permanente	physician must contact Aetna before your admission.				
		The member is res	sponsible for obtaining	The member is responsible for obtaining		
		precertification of out-of-network care.		precertification	of out-of-network care.	

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Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network
Choice of Providers	<u>.</u>				
Facilities or network p	rovided at Kaiser Permanente providers Members may self- r Permanente specialists.	Aetna contracted providers No primary care physician selection or referrals required.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Aetna contracted providers. No primary care physician selection or referrals required.	Any licensed, qualified provider of your choice. Expenses paid based on recognized charges*. You pay the difference between recognized and billed charges.
COVERED EXPENSES		•			
Abortion					
Paid at 100%	Paid at 100%	Paid at 100%. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles of your residence.	Paid at 100%. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles of your residence.		Paid at 100%. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles of your residence.
Acupuncture		,			
\$15 copay for up to 8 visits per medical diagnosis per calendar year. Additional visits	\$15 copay for up to 8 visits per medical diagnosis per calendar year. Additional	Paid at 80% after deductible.	deductible.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay.	Paid at 60% after deductible.
when approved.	visits when approved. Deductible applies.	Up to 12 visits per ca out-of-netwo	•	l '	ar year in- and out-of-network nbined
Alcohol/Drug Abuse Tre	<u> </u>	out of fletwo	ik combined	L CON	Ibilica
Paid at 100% after \$200 copay per admission	Paid at 100% after deductible	Paid at 80% after \$200 copay; no deductible.	copay; no deductible.	Paid at 90% after \$200 copay; no deductible.	Paid at 60% after \$200 copay; no deductible.
			Review and coordination of care in complex situations, including residential treatment centers and partial hospitalization		of care in complex situations, eatment centers and partial talization

Kaiser I	Permanente*	City of Seattle	Traditional Plan*	City of Seattle Preventive Plan*		
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Alcohol/Drug Abuse Trea	atment (outpatient)					
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay	Paid at 100% after \$15 co- pay Deductible applies	in complex situations testing, neurologica	Paid at 60% after deductible. ew and coordination of care including psychological al testing, and intensive patient.	complex situations, incl	Paid at 60% after deducible. w and coordination of care in uding psychological testing, and intensive outpatient.	
Contraceptives		σαι	Jacient.			
For contraceptive	ve drugs and devices, tion Drug benefit	medical benefits. No cl	Provera covered as narge for preferred generic contraceptives in-network.	medical benefits. No char	Provera covered as generic FDA- ontraceptives in-network.	
		See Prescript	ion Drug benefit.	See Prescription Drug benefit.		
Durable Medical Equipm	ent	_				
Paid at 80%	Paid at 80%	Paid at 80% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	Paid at 90% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	
			Breast pumps covered as preventive care at 100% no deductible through DME provider.		Breast pumps covered as preventive care at 100% no deductible through DME provider.	
		Includes 1 electric bre	east pump per 12 months	Includes 1 electric breast pump per 12 months		
Emergency Medical Care	!					
Urgent Care Clinic						
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay	\$15 copay Deductible applies	Paid at 80% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay; no deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	
Emergency Room (copay	rs waived if admitted)					
Kaiser Permanente facility: \$100 copay Non-Kaiser Permanente facility: \$150 copay	Kaiser Permanente facility: \$100 copay Non-Kaiser Permanente facility: \$150 copay Deductible applies	Paid at 80% after \$150 copay; no deductible. If non-emergency, paid at 60% after copay.	Paid at 80% after \$150 copay; no deductible. If non-emergency, paid at 60% after copay.	Paid at 90% after \$150 copay; no deductible. If non-emergency, paid at 60% after copay.	Paid at 90% after \$150 copay; no deductible. If non-emergency, paid at 60% after copay.	

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Ambulance					1
Paid at 80%.	Paid at 80%.	• •		Paid at 90% when medically necessary. Non-emergency transportation only covered if approved in advance by Aetna. Deductible does not	
Gender Reassignment Se	rvices	appl	ly.	aç	oply.
Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depending on type and location of service provided.	Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided.		copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if	to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles	Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles of your residence.
Fertility Services			residence		
Procedures covered include artificial insemination, ovulation induction and Advanced Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetim maximum benefit.	artificial insemination, ovulation induction, and Advanced Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit.	Procedures covered include artificial insemination, ovulation induction and Advanced Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service is not available within 100 miles of your residence.	include artificial insemination, ovulation induction and Advanced Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging	Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit. Plan	Procedures covered include artificial insemination, ovulation induction and Advanced Reproductive Technologies. Copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$20,000 lifetime maximum benefit. Plan will pay up to \$10k travel and lodging allowance if service not available within 100 miles of your residence.

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Hearing Aids (per ear, ev	ery 36 months)				
Up to \$3,000			to \$3,000 per ear max. up to \$3,000 per ear max. to		Paid 90% no deductible up to \$3,000 per ear max. pplies whether purchased inf- f-network. does not apply.
Home Health Care					
Paid at 100% when authorized. No visit limit	Paid at 100% when authorized. No visit limit	Paid at 80% after deductible. Maximum benefit of 130 for in- and out-of-r	•		Paid at 60% after deductible. 30 visits per calendar year -network combined
Hospital Inpatient					
Paid at 100% after \$200 copay per admission	Paid at 100% after deductible	Facility: Paid at 80% after \$200 copay; no deductible.	•	Facility: Paid at 90% after \$200 copay; no deductible.	Facility: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay; no deductible.
Hospital Outpatient					
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay	\$15 copay Deductible applies	Facility: Paid at 80% after deductible.	Facility: Paid at 60% after deductible.	Facility: Paid at 90% after deductible.	Facility: Paid at 60% after deductible.
Hospice Paid at 100% when authorized Maternity Care (delivery	Paid at 100% when authorized	Paid at 80% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	Paid at 90% after deductible.	Not covered
Paid at 100% after \$200 copay per admission	Deductible applies.	Facility: Paid at 80% after \$200 copay; copay waived for newborn hospital services. No deductible.	Facility: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay; copay waived for newborn hosp. services. No deductible.	Facility: Paid at 90% after \$200 copay; copay waived for newborn hospital services. No deductible.	Facility: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay; copay waived for newborn hosp. services. No deductible.
Maternity Care (prenatal	and postpartum)				
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay Routine care not subject	\$15 copay Deductible applies. Routine care not subject to	Other: Paid at 80% after deductible.	Other: Paid at 60% after deductible.	Other: Deductible and coinsurance may apply.	Other: Paid at 60% after deductible.
to outpatient services copay.		Pre-Natal (such as office visits):100% no copay, no deductible.	Pre-Natal (such as office visits): 60% after deductible.	Pre-Natal (such as office visits):100% no copay, no deductible.	Pre-Natal (such as office visits): 60% after deductible.

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Kaiser	Permanente*	City of Seattle T	raditional Plan*	City of Seattle Preventive Plan*	
Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network
Mental Health Care (inp	patient)	•			
Paid at 100% after \$200	Paid at 100% after	Paid at 80% after \$200	Paid at 60% after \$200	Paid at 90% after \$200	Paid at 60% after \$200
copay	deductible	copay; no deductible.	copay; no deductible.	copay; no deductible.	copay; no deductible.
		situations, including resid	Review and coordination of care in complex situations, including residential treatment centers and partial hospitalization.		of care in complex situations, atment centers and partial alization.
Mental Health Care (ou				<u> </u>	
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay per session.	\$15 copay per session. Deductible applies.	Paid at 80% after deductible.		Paid at 100% after \$15 copay; no deductible.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay; no deductible. Balance billing may still
		Ongoing consultation with a behavioral health provider by web, phone, or mobile device through Teladoc also available.		Ongoing consultation with a behavioral health provider by web, phone, or mobile device through Teladoc also available.	
		Additional focus on review and coordination of care in complex situations, including psychological testing, neurological testing, and intensive outpatient.			
Physician Office Visit				L	
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay. Deductible applies	Paid at 80% after deductible (waived for preventive care).	Paid at 60% after deductible.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay per visit (waived for preventive care).	Paid at 60% after deductible.
		Additional access to medical consultation with a physician by web, phone, o mobile device for selected short-term services through	r	Additional access to medical consultation with a physician by web, phone, o mobile device for selected short-term services through	r
		Teladoc also available.		Teladoc also available.	

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Prescription Drugs (retain	l)				
For a 30-day supply: Generic: \$15 copay. Generic contraceptive drugs paid at 100%. Brand: \$30 copay Brand contraceptive drugs and devices subject to copay	Generic: \$15 copay. Generic contraceptive drugs paid at 100%. Brand: \$30 copay Brand contraceptive drugs t and devices subject to copay	Retail: 31-day supply; 90-day supply for maintenance RX at participating retail pharmacies same as mail order: Health Care Reform (HCR): certain preventive drugs covered at 100%. Generic: 30% coinsurance Brand: 40% coinsurance The per script minimum coinsurance is \$10, or actual cost of the drug if less. Maximum is \$100 per drug.		Retail: 31-day supply; 90-day supply for maintenance RX at participating retail pharmacies same as mail order: Health Care Reform (HCR): certain preventive drugs covered at 100%. Generic: 30% coinsurance Brand: 40% coinsurance The per script minimum coinsurance is \$10, or actual cost of the drug if less. Maximum is \$100 per drug.	Not covered.
Smoking cessation prescription drugs not subject to pharmacy copay.	Smoking cessation prescription drugs not subject to pharmacy copay.	Coinsurance applies to the prescription drug \$1,200 out-of-pocket annual maximum per person, \$3,600 per			
Prescription Drugs (mail	order)				
For a 90-day supply: Generic: \$45 copay. Generic contraceptive drugs paid at 100%. Brand: \$90 copay Contraceptive drugs and subject to the pharmacy	Generic: \$30 copay. Generic contraceptive drugs paid at 100%. Brand: \$60 copay devices are covered copay.	Mail Order: up to 90-day supply (32-90 day supply) Health Care Reform (HCR): certain preventive drugs covered at 100%. Generic: 30% coinsurance Brand: 40% coinsurance The per script minimum is \$20; the maximum is \$200 per drug.	Not Covered.	Mail Order: up to 90-day supply (32-90 day supply) Health Care Reform (HCR): certain preventive drugs covered at 100%. Generic: 30% coinsurance Brand: 40% coinsurance The per script minimum is \$20; the maximum is \$200 per drug.	Not Covered.

Kaiser P	ermanente*	City of Seattle Tra	ditional Plan*	City of Seattle Preventive Plan*		
Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Preventive and Wellnes	s Services	•	-1	_	-	
Paid at 100% after	Paid at 100% after	Paid at 100% Services	Deductible and	Paid at 100% Services	Deductible and coinsurance	
\$15 copay	\$15 copay	recommended by the <u>U.S.</u>	coinsurance may	recommended by the <u>U.S.</u>	may apply.	
		Preventive Services Task	apply.	Preventive Services Task Force		
		Force (USPSTF). Includes		(USPSTF).		
		routine adult physical and		Includes routine adult physical		
		well-child exams,		and well-child exams,		
		immunizations, digital recta	I	immunizations, digital rectal		
		exams/prostate-specific		exams/prostate-specific antiger	า	
		antigen test, lactation		test, lactation consultation, and		
		consultation, and breast and	d	breast and colorectal cancer		
		colorectal cancer		screenings.		
		screenings.				
Rehabilitation Services	(inpatient)					
Paid at 100% after \$200	Paid at 100% after	Paid at 80% after	Paid at 60% after	Paid at 90% after	Paid at 60% after	
copay per admission	deductible.	\$200 copay; no deductible.	\$200 copay; no ded.	\$200 copay; no deductible.	\$200 copay; no deductible.	
Maximum of 60 d	ays per calendar year			Maximum of 120 days per cale	endar year for skilled nursing	
(combined with o	ther therapy benefits)			and rehab services in- and out-of-network combined		
Rehabilitation Services	(outpatient)	•		-		
Paid at 100% after	\$15 copay	Paid at 80% after deductible	e. Paid at 60% after	Paid at 100% after	Paid at 60% after	
\$15 copay	Deductible applies.		deductible.	\$15 copay; no deductible.	deductible.	
Maximum of 60 v	isits per calendar year	Twenty-five visits per cale	ndar year for physical,	Twenty-five visits per calendar year for physical, massage		
(combined with o	ther therapy benefits)	massage and occupation	nal therapy includes	and occupational therapy includes outpatient hospital		
		outpatient hospital service	s. Additional visits may	services. Additional visits m	nay be covered if deemed	
		be covered if deemed n	nedically necessary.	medically n	ecessary.	
Skilled Nursing Facility						
Paid at 100%. 60-day	Paid at 100% after	Paid at 80% after	Paid at 60% after	Paid at 90% after	Paid at 60% after	
maximum per	deductible. 60-day	\$200 copay; no deductible.	\$200 copay; no	\$200 copay; no deductible.	\$200 copay; no deductible.	
calendar year.	maximum per calendar		deductible.			
	year.	Maximum of 90 days pe	er calendar year for	Maximum of 120 days per cale	endar year for rehab services	
		in- and out-of-netw	vork combined	and skilled nursing in- and o	out-of-network combined	

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Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Smoking Cessation						
Paid at 100% for individual or group sessions	or group sessions	Lifetime maximum of one 90-day supply of aids or drugs.	Not covered	Smoking cessation prescription drugs covered subject to 10% generic, 20%	Not covered	
Nicotine replacement the Prescription Drug benefit	• •	Coinsurance 10% generic, 20% brand. See Prescription Drugs.		brand drug coinsurance.		
Spinal Manipulations (ch	iropractic)					
Paid at 100% after \$15 copay		Paid at 80% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	Paid at 100% after \$15 copay; no deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	
Self-referral to Kaiser Permanente designated providers. Must meet Kaiser Permanente protocol. Maximum of 10 visits per calendar year.		Maximum of 10 visits per calendar year for in-network and out-of-network combined.		Maximum of 20 visits per calendar year for in-network and out-of-network combined.		
Sterilization Procedures						
Inpatient: Paid at 100% after \$200 copay	Inpatient: Paid at 100%	Inpatient: Paid at 80% after \$200 copay.	Inpatient: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay.	Inpatient: Paid at 90% after \$200 copay; no ded.	Inpatient: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay; no deductible.	
Outpatient: Paid at 100% after \$15 copay	Outpatient: \$15 copay Deductible applies	Outpatient: Paid at 80% after deductible. Tubal ligation: 100% no copay; no deductible.	Outpatient: Paid at 60% after deductible.	Outpatient: Paid at 90% after deductible. Tubal ligation: 100% no copay; no deductible.	at 60% after deductible.	
Temporomandibular Join	t Services					
Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided.		Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depend on type and location of service provided. \$5,000 lifetime maximum for	depend on type and location of service provided.	Covered as any other service; copays/coinsurance depend or type and location of service provided. \$5,000 lifetime maximum for	on type and location of service provided.	
		in- and out-of-netw	•	55,000 lifetime maximum for out-of-netwo	_	

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Standard Plan	Deductible Plan	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	Aetna In-Network	Out-of-Network	
Tooth Injury/Oral Surge	ry (due to accident)		•		·	
Not covered	Not covered	Inpatient: Paid at 80% after \$200 copay	Inpatient: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay	Inpatient: Paid at 90% after \$200 copay	Inpatient: Paid at 60% after \$200 copay	
		Outpatient: Paid at 80% after deductible.	Outpatient: Paid at 60% after deductible.	Outpatient: Paid at 100% after \$15 copay for offic visit.	Outpatient: Paid at 60% e	
				Other charges paid at 90%		
Vision Exam/Hardware		•		•		
Exam: Paid at	Exam: Paid at 100% after	Covered und	der VSP.	Covered u	under VSP.	
100% after \$15 copay.	\$15 copay.					
One exam every	One exam every					
12 months.	12 months.					
Hardware:	Hardware is not covered.					
Not covered.						
X-ray and Lab Tests		•				
Paid at 100%	Paid at 100%	Paid at 80% after	Paid at 60% after	Paid at 90% after deductible.	Paid at 60% after deductible.	
	Deductible applies	deductible.	deductible.			
				Provider responsible for		
		Provider responsible for		obtaining precertification of		
		obtaining precertification of	f	high-tech radiology		
		high-tech radiology		<u> </u>		

^{*} a. Coverage for any service is subject to the carrier's determination of medical necessity and adherence to their clinical policy guidelines.

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b. Accolade advocacy services will be available to assist you and your covered family members find providers; dealing with billing, claim and appeals problems; understanding diagnoses and treatment options, and managing chronic diseases.