

MESSA Saver Rx

OVERVIEW

- A prescription is required for each covered drug, including covered over-the-counter medications.
- You are responsible for prescription copayments until your Rx out-of-pocket maximum is reached.
- Save money by using the Express Scripts Pharmacy, our home delivery service.
- In most cases, if your doctor writes “Dispense as written” or “DAW,” your cost will be higher.
- If you take a brand name medication and a generic is available, you pay \$40 plus the difference between the approved amount and the retail cost. Your doctor may request an exception in certain instances; call MESSA for details.
- If the approved amount is less than the copayment, you pay only the approved amount for the drug.
- We reserve the right to limit the initial quantity of select specialty drugs. Your copay will be reduced by one-half for this reduced initial fill.



If you have MESSA Saver Rx with the mandatory mail rider: You must obtain all 90-day prescriptions through Express Scripts home delivery.

Prescription copayment for one-month supply	Prescription drug
No cost to you	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Specific preventive medications mandated by federal law are covered 100 percent with no deductible required. Age and gender limits apply.
\$2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Specific generic drugs used to treat asthma, diabetes, high blood pressure, high cholesterol and coronary artery disease.
\$10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All other generic drugs• Specific over-the-counter medications with a written prescription for the treatment of seasonal allergies and heartburn. Cannot combine with a coupon or other manufacturer offer.
\$20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Specific brand-name maintenance drugs used to treat asthma and diabetes for which there is no generic or therapeutic equivalent.
\$40	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All other brand-name drugs, including single-source drugs where no generic is available• You will be responsible for the cost difference between the BCBSM-approved amount and the actual retail cost of the drug when you insist on a brand name but a generic is available and medically appropriate

For specific drugs under each category, go to messa.org or call the MESSA Member Service Center at 800.336.0013 or TTY 888.445.5614.

To order medications through the Express Scripts Pharmacy, go to messa.org to register or log in to your member account. You may also call MESSA at 800.336.0013 or TTY 888.445.5614 for assistance.



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