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Vaccine Coverage Guide

for Non-Medicare PPO Members

Understanding your health plan coverage just got easier.

Be informed.

Staying up to date on your immunizations can reduce your risk of contracting serious illnesses.

Your retirement system health plan covers many vaccines at no additional cost to keep you healthy. The vaccines listed below are covered by your medical plan, administered by Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan and by your prescription drug plan, administered by Optum Rx for Non-Medicare PPO members.

Review the chart in this guide to help you understand your retirement system vaccine coverage.

Vaccine category	Vaccine brand name	Vaccine out-of-pocket costs
Chikungunya Virus	Ixchiq	\$0
Cholera	Vaxchora	
Coronavirus (COVID-19)	Janssen Covid-19 Vaccine Pfizer Biontech Covid-19 Vaccine Moderna Covid Vaccine Pfizer Covid-19 Vac 6m-4 y Moderna Covid-19 Bival Booster Pfizer Covid-19 Vac Bival 5-11 Moderna Covid-19 Vac (Booster) Pfizer Covid-19 Vac Bivalent Moderna Covid-19 Vacc 6m-5Y Pfizer Covid-19 Vac Tris 5-11 Y Novavax Covid-19 Vaccine Sanofi Covid-19 (booster) Pfizer Biontech Covid-19 Vac Tris Spikevax Covid-19 Vaccine	
Dengue	Dengvaxia	
Haemophilus B	Acthib, Hiberix, Pedvax	
Hepatitis A	Havrix, Twinrix*, Vaqta	
Hepatitis B (Hep B)	Engerix-B, Heplisav-B, Pediarix, Prehevbrio, Recombivax HB, Twinrix*	
Human Papillomavirus (HPV)	Gardasil 9	
Influenza (Flu)	Afluria Quadrivalent Flucelvax Quadrivalent Fluad Quadrivalent Flularix Quadrivalent Flumist Quadrivalent Flublok Quadrivalent Fluzone Quadrivalent	
Japanese Encephalitis	Ixiaro	
Measles, Mumps, Rubella	MMR II, Priorix	
Meningococcal	Bexsero, Menactra, Menquadfi, Menveo, Penbraya, Trumenba	
Monkeypox; Smallpox	Jynneos	
Pneumococcal (pneumonia)	Capvaxive, Pneumovax 23, Prevnar 13, Prevnar 20, Vaxneuvance	
Polio	Ipol	
Rabies	Imovax, Rabavert	
Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)	Abrysvo, Arexvy, Mresvia	
Rotavirus	Rotarix, Rotateq	
Shingles	Shingrix	
Tetanus	Adacel*, Boostrix*, Daptacel*, Diphtheria-Tetanus Toxoids DT*, Infanrix*, Kinrix*, Pentacel*, Quadracel*, Tdvax*, Tenivac*, Vaxelis*	
Tick-Borne Encephalitis	Ticovac	
Tuberculosis	BCG Vaccine	
Typhoid	Typhim	
Varicella (Chickenpox)	Proquad*, Varivax, Varizig	
Yellow Fever	Stamaril, YF-Vax	

*Combination product that contains other vaccines.

Keep in mind that the medical and prescription drug plans are administered separately. This means Blue Cross and Optum Rx can only answer questions about the coverage they provide and cannot answer questions about the other plans.

When you become eligible for Medicare, Blue Cross and Optum Rx will remain your trusted partners as you transition to your Medicare Advantage plan. We've created a *Vaccine Guide for Medicare PPO members* to help you navigate the Medicare plan vaccine coverage. You'll need to review the guide prior to enrolling in Medicare.

WHERE CAN I GET VACCINATED?

You can get the vaccines in the chart at the following locations:

- Participating, local or network pharmacies.
 - To locate a Blue Cross participating pharmacy, go to bcbsm.com/mpsers, click *Medical Plans* and select *Blue Preferred PPO*. Then, follow the instructions provided next to the Michigan immunizing pharmacies section. Present your Blue Cross ID card to receive coverage at these locations.
 - To locate an in-network Optum Rx pharmacy, log in to your online member account at optumrx.com or call the number on your Optum Rx ID card. Present your Optum Rx ID card to receive coverage at these locations.
- Doctor's office. Your doctor can administer the vaccine or you can ask them to send an electronic prescription to your network pharmacy.
- Retail health clinic or Health Department.

SHOULD I USE MY BLUE CROSS OR OPTUM RX MEMBERSHIP CARD?

Good news is that you don't have to choose. Because vaccines are covered by both Blue Cross and Optum Rx, you can present both membership cards before getting your vaccine.

HOW TO GET REIMBURSED.

If you receive a covered vaccine and have to pay the out-of-pocket cost upfront, you can submit a reimbursement request to have the costs paid by your insurance. You can request reimbursement from either the medical plan or the prescription drug plan.

- For medical plan reimbursement requests, you will need to complete the *Member Reimbursement Form* from your online Blue Cross member account at bcbsm.com/mpsers or on the Blue Cross mobile app.
- For prescription drug plan reimbursement requests, you will need to complete the online reimbursement claim form at dmrforms.optumrx.com/online-claim-form. Costs for a visit to the doctor's office are not reimbursable.

Need more information?

Pension account, health insurance enrollment and eligibility questions

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1-800-381-5111

TTY users should call **711**.

Monday through Friday

8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern time

michigan.gov/orsschools

Prescription drug plan questions

OPTUM RX

1-866-288-5209

TTY users should call **711**.

24 hours a day, seven days a week

optumrx.com/enroll/mpser

Medical plan questions

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1-800-422-9146

TTY users should call **711**.

Monday through Friday

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