Know your eligible & ineligible expenses

If you have a health savings account (HSA) or flexible spending account (FSA), you can use pre-tax dollars to cover eligible expenses. To help better understand what is and isn't eligible, we've developed a list of both. For a more detailed list of eligible and ineligible expenses, check your UMR plan document.

Eligible expenses

Radial keratotomy/LASIK

Well baby care

Expenses that could be considered dual purpose (having both medical and personal benefits) may need a medical practitioner's note explaining the diagnosis and treatment action that is needed for this specific medical condition. This list is not meant to be all inclusive.

Dental services	Medical treatments/procedures	Medical equipment supplies	Weight loss drugs
Dental services	Acupuncture	and services	(to treat specific disease)
Dental x-rays	Alcoholism	Abdominal/back supports	Wheelchair
Dentures	(inpatient treatment)	Ambulance services	Wigs (hair loss due to disease)
Exams/teeth cleaning	Drug addiction	Arches/orthopedic shoes	Medication
Extractions	Hearing exams	Contraceptive, prescribed	Insulin
Fillings	Hospital services	Counseling	Prescribed birth control & vitamins
Gum treatment	Infertility	Crutches	Prescription drugs
Oral surgery	In vitro fertilization	Guide dog (for visually/hearing impaired)	Obstetric services
Orthodontia/braces	Norplant insertion or removal	Hearing devices and batteries	Lamaze class
Lab exams/tests	Physical exam (not employment related)	Hospital bed	Midwife expenses
Blood tests			OB/GYN exams
X-rays	Physical therapy	Lead paint removal (if not capital expense and	OB/GYN prepaid maternity fees (reimbursable after date of birth)
Cardiographs	Reconstructive surgery (if medically necessary due to congenital defect or accident)	incurred for a child poisoned)	Prenatal and postnatal Treatments
Laboratory fees		Learning disability (special school/teacher)	
Metabolism tests			Practitioners
Spinal fluid tests	Rolfing	Medic alert bracelet or necklace	- Allergist
Urine/stool analyses	Speech therapy	Oxygen equipment	- Chiropractor
Vision services	Sterilization	Prescribed medical and exercise equipment	Christian Science
Eye examinations	Transplants (including organ donor)		Dermatologist
Eyeglasses		Prosthesis	
Contact lenses	Vaccinations/immunizations	Splints/casts or support hose (if medically necessary)	Homeopath
Laser eye surgeries	Vasectomy and vasectomy reversal		Naturopath
		Syringes	Osteopath
Artificial eyes	Weight loss programs (as prescribed by your doctor)	Transportation expenses (mileage and parking)	Physician
Prescription sunglasses			Psychiatrist

Tuition fee at special school for disabled child



Ineligible expenses

Expenses to promote general health are not eligible expenses unless prescribed by a physician for a specific medical ailment. This list is not meant to be all-inclusive.

Contact lens or eyeglass Insurance

Cosmetic surgery/ procedures

Dancing/exercise/fitness programs

Diaper service

Electrolysis

Personal trainers or exercise equipment

Hair loss medication

Hair transplant

Health club dues

Insurance premiums and interest

Long-term care premiums

Marriage counseling

Maternity clothes

Vitamins or nutritional supplements

Swimming lessons

Teeth whitening/ bleaching

Personal care items

Over-the-counter items

Over-the-counter medicines/ drugs are not allowed without a prescription.

Eligible

Medicines/drugs with a prescription

Over-the-counter supplies (including contact solution, Band-Aids, crutches, etc.)

Ineligible

OTC items purchased for personal use

Medicines/drugs without a prescription



Please note ...

Health care FSA contribution amounts are limited due to Health Care Reform Law. Please refer to your plan document for the specific contribution limits allowed by your plan.

