

HDHP

EPO

PPO

Copays
Deductible
Coinsurance
Out-of-pocket
(OOP) max

NO
\$2,500
15%
\$4,500

Some health services
\$500
15%
\$4,500

Some health services
\$1,000
20%
\$4,500

Example:
\$150 office visit

\$250 lab tests

What you pay:

- \$150 for office visit
- \$250 for lab tests

Total = \$400

**Remaining deductible:
\$2,100
& OOP: \$4,100**

What you pay:

- \$10 office visit copay
- \$250 for lab test

Total = \$260

**Remaining Deductible:
\$250
& OOP: \$4,240**

What you pay:

- \$30 office visit copay
- \$250 for lab tests

Total = \$280

**Remaining deductible:
\$750
& OOP: \$4,220**

Example:
\$2,000 outpatient surgery

What you pay:

- \$2,000 to meet your deductible

Total = \$2,000

**Remaining deductible:
\$100
& OOP: \$2,100**

What you pay:

- \$250 to meet your deductible
- $\$2000 - \$250 = \$1,750$
 $*15\% = \$262.50$

Total = \$512.50

**Remaining deductible:
\$0
& OOP: \$3,727.50**

What you pay:

- \$750 to meet your deductible
- $\$2000 - \$750 = \$1,250$
 $*20\% = \$250$

Total = \$1,000

**Remaining deductible:
\$0
& OOP: \$3,220**

Example:
\$250 physical therapy

\$175 generic Rx

What you pay:

- \$100 remaining for deductible
- $\$250 - \$100 = \$150$
 $*15\% = \$22.50$
- \$25 Rx copay

Total = \$147.50

**Remaining deductible:
\$0
& OOP: \$1,952.50**

What you pay:

- $\$250 *15\% = \37.50
- \$25 Rx copay

Total = \$62.50

**Remaining deductible:
\$0
& OOP: \$3,665.00**

What you pay:

- $\$250 \times 20\% = \50 for PT
- \$25 Rx copay

Total = \$75

**Remaining deductible:
\$0
& OOP: \$3,145**

Total cost:

\$2,547.50

\$835.00

\$1,355.00

HDHP

Your out-of-pocket cost is \$2,547.50. Ascension contributes \$500 to HSA, reducing cost to \$2,047.50.

When you add biweekly premiums for associate-only coverage for the year, your **total cost is \$1,352.00.**

Important Considerations:

- To receive Ascension contributions, you must contribute at least \$26 per year.
- Contributions from Ascension are typically deposited in equal installments throughout the year.
- You'll pay an Rx copay or coinsurance after your deductible is met. All other health services are subject to coinsurance until you reach your out-of-pocket maximum.
- HDHP typically has **lower biweekly premiums**. Your savings can be contributed to your HSA to cover your out-of-pocket costs.

EPO

Your out-of-pocket cost is \$835.00.

When you add biweekly premiums for associate-only coverage for the year, your **total cost is \$1,443.00.**

Important Considerations:

- You can only seek care in the Ascension Network.
- Copays only count toward your out-of-pocket maximum and don't count toward your deductible.
- If you seek care outside of the Ascension Network, you will pay the full cost of care.
- Ascension does not contribute to your FSA.
- EPO typically has **lower biweekly premiums than the PPO** and you benefit from lower, more predictable expenses when you seek care for office visits, ER visits, and urgent care.

PPO

Your out-of-pocket cost is \$1,355.

When you add biweekly premiums for associate-only coverage for the year, your **total cost is \$1,716.00**

Important Considerations:

- Ascension does not contribute to your FSA.
- Copays only count toward your out-of-pocket maximum and don't count toward your deductible.
- PPO typically has **higher biweekly premiums**, but you benefit from lower, more predictable expenses when you seek care for office visits, ER visits, and urgent care.

This example pertains to associate only coverage and services within the Ascension Network (Tier 1), and assumes you will fill your prescription at an Ascension Rx pharmacy.

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