

Diabetic supplies

What's covered under Part B and Part D

Managing diabetes can be challenging, and we want to help ensure that you understand how the medications, supplies and programs offered to you through your UnitedHealthcare® Group Medicare Advantage (PPO) plan are covered under either Medicare Part B (your medical plan) or Part D (the pharmacy portion of your plan)*:

Please see the chart below to understand how they are covered.

Drug/medical supply	Covered under Part B	Covered under Part D
Blood sugar (glucose) monitors	✓	
Blood sugar test strips	✓	
Diabetes self-management training	✓	
Flu, COVID-19, and pneumococcal shots**	✓	
Foot care	✓	
Glaucoma testing	✓	
Glucose control solutions for checking the accuracy of testing equipment and test strips	✓	
Hemoglobin A1c tests	✓	
Insulin (used with pump)	✓	
Insulin pump (external)	✓	
Lancet devices and lancets	✓	
Medical nutrition therapy services	✓	
Special eye exam	✓	
Medicare-covered Continuous Glucose Monitors (CGMs)	✓	
Therapeutic shoes	✓	
Alcohol swabs		✓
Gauze		✓
Insulin (not used w/insulin pump)		✓
Disposable insulin delivery devices		✓
Insulin pens		✓
Insulin syringes		✓

*Your Medicare Advantage plan or Part D plan coverage of supplies can vary. Consult your Evidence of Coverage for more details. Since medications can vary in cost and coverage, it is strongly advised that you refer to your plan drug list to verify what the coverage is, or you can contact Customer Service.

**These vaccines are available to all members regardless of medical condition.



Benefits, features and/or devices vary by plan/area. Limitations, exclusions and/or network restrictions may apply.

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