# Hearing



Hearing coverage on UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage plans offers **expanded hearing aid options**, as well as access to one of the largest networks with more than 6,500 providers.

Over-the-counter devices starting at \$99

Access to more than 2,000 hearing aid models

## What's new for 2025?



#### Copay structure

Now, Partial D-SNPs are configured with a copay structure similar to Non-SNPs.

## Why UnitedHealthcare?

- \$0 copay for routine hearing exam.
- Large national network of hearing providers with 6,500+ locations and a variety of styles and brands of hearing aids\*.
- Non-SNP, C-SNP and Partial D-SNP members have a \$99 - \$1,249 copay per device for a broad selection of OTC and prescription hearing aids.

### How does it work?

Most members can receive 2 hearing aids, every year, plus, a 3-year manufacturer's warranty on all prescription hearing aids and one-time loss / damage replacement.

Members can access their benefit through a simple path of their choice:

- **Expert-guided path**: Members work with an in-network hearing care professional to receive a nocost hearing exam and consultation. Providers help members every step of the way, from evaluating hearing loss, to finding the right hearing aid and providing ongoing support.
- **Self-guided path**: Members with mild-to-moderate hearing loss can shop online for OTC hearing aids without an appointment or prescription. Hearing aids can be shipped directly home, providing convenience and flexibility.

<sup>\*</sup> Provider network size may vary by local market.



## How does it work? Continued...

There are two plan structures: Copay and Allowance.

Copay structured plans are for eligible Non-SNP, C-SNP and Partial D-SNP members.

Technology Level	Hearing	Member Copay per hearing aid		
Tier 1	OTC		\$99	
Tier 2	OTC	Rx	\$199	
Tier 3	OTC	Rx	\$429	
Tier 4	OTC	Rx	\$599	
Tier 5	OTC	Rx	\$829	
Tier 6	Rx		\$1,249	

Allowance structured plans are for eligible, Full D-SNP members. Allowances range from \$1,500 to \$3,200 depending on the plan.

Technology Level	Silver	Gold/ Essential	Standard	Platinum/ Advanced
Price per hearing aid (before allowance is applied)	\$750	\$1,099	\$1,249	\$1,599
Example of pricing for pair	\$0	\$0	<b>\$</b> O	\$0
(after allowance is applied)	\$1,500 allowance	\$2,200 allowance	\$2,500 allowance	\$3,200 allowance

## How can you support your members?

- Help members know what to expect for 2025 and how to get the most out of their plan.
- Help members find a provider by visiting Jarvis > Quick Access > UHC Hearing Care Providers.

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