

## Medex 2 Benefit for Hearing Aid Coverage

## Here's what you need to know:

- Effective <u>January 1, 2021</u>, the Blue Cross Blue Shield Medex 2 plan has added a new benefit for hearing aid coverage.
- ➤ Benefit includes \$2,000 for one hearing aid for each hearing-impaired ear per member every 36 months, including related services. (any copay, deductible and/or coinsurance not applicable)
- ➤ <u>Important</u>: In order for the hearing aid benefit to be covered, and to pay appropriately, the PROVIDER or the MEMBER must submit the claim directly to BCBSMA. If the claim is submitted to Medicare first, it will deny by both Medicare and Medex.
- The member can use Medicare covered providers or non Medicare Covered providers for their Hearing Aid Coverage. Ask your provider if they can file a claim directly with BCBSMA. If not, you may need to pay up front, and file a claim for reimbursement. The provider may ask the member to pay the entire charge at the time of the visit or at a later time. It is up to the member to pay the provider.
- ➤ To file a claim for reimbursement you must fill out a claim form, and attach original itemized bills that show the date you received the services, and mail the claim to Blue Cross Blue Shield (follow directions on the attached claim form).

If you any have questions about your reimbursement claim please contact Blue Cross Blue Shield member services at 1-800-782-3675.



### Medex<sup>®</sup> Subscriber Claim Form

Please read the instructions and print clearly in the required boxes.

Note: This should not be used to submit a drug claim if you are a direct-pay member. Instead, fill out a separate Medex Drug Claim Form.

For services rendered OUTSIDE OF THE U.S, visit **bcbsglobalcore.com**.

# Medex Identification Number (including alpha prefix)

Important: This can be found on your Medex ID card.

### **Instructions**

- Submit a claim only when you are billed for services from a provider that does not directly submit a claim to the local Blue Cross Blue Shield plan.
- Use reverse side or another sheet of paper to include any additional information, if necessary.
- Please include proof of payment and itemized bill from provider.
- Please submit all receipts on an 8 x 11 sheet of paper.
- Keep a copy of all bills and claim forms submitted (originals will not be returned).
- Be sure to sign and date the completed form.

#### Please send claim form and all attachments to:

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts P.O. Box 986030

Boston, MA 02298 Fax: 617-246-8953

Part I				
First Name	Last Name	Middle Initial Suffix		
Street Address				
City		State	ZIP	
Your gender  ☐ Male ☐ Female	Your complete date of birth: (MM/DD/YY)	Medicare Number		

See Reverse: Please Date and Sign Your Name in the Space Provided

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Part II	
Total Number of Bills Attached:	Total Charges: \$
Claim Checklist	
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Please review this checklist before sending you be returned to you.	ur claim to us. Incomplete forms may
☐ Have you listed your Medex Identification Number in the space provided?	☐ Have you signed and dated the completed claim(s) form?
□ Have you attached all related Explanation of Benefits (EOB) or Health Plan Summary of Benefits forms you may have received previously for these services?	□ Have you kept a copy of all receipts and EOB's?
<b>Certification and Authorization</b>	
I authorize the release of any information to Blu and treatment. I certify that the information pro and correct and that I have not been previously	
Member's Signature	Date

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ATTENTION: If you don't speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you.

Call Member Service at the number on your ID card (TTY: 711).

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia con el idioma. Llame al número de Servicio al Cliente que figura en su tarjeta de identificación (TTY: 711).

ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, são-lhe disponibilizados gratuitamente serviços de assistência de idiomas. Telefone para os Serviços aos Membros, através do número no seu cartão ID (TTY: 711).



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