

HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR Out-of-Network Claim Form



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Get Your Out-of-Network Claim Processed Faster

Did you recently see a provider out of your plan's network? Start by checking your benefits book to make sure you have out-of-network coverage. If you submit an out-of-network claim form, it's important that Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona (BCBSAZ) receives key pieces of information from you to process your claim.



As you complete the form, you'll want to have your member ID card and the itemized statement from your provider handy.

REMEMBER

Out-of-network claims must be submitted within one year of the date of service to be eligible for benefit.



Your Personal Information and Insurance Policy Details

The key to getting your claim processed is providing accurate and complete information on your claim form. The top half of the claim form covers your personal information and your insurance coverage. Have your member ID card nearby.

HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM
APPROVED BY NATIONAL UNIFORM CLAIM COMMITTEE (NUCC) 02/12

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PATIENT AND INSURED INFORMATION ↓

LINE 1a → 1a. INSURED'S ID NUMBER (For Programs in Item 1)

LINE 2 → 2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

LINE 3 → 3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE

LINE 4 → 4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

LINE 6 → 6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED

LINE 11 → 11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER

LINE 11a → 11a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH

LINE 13 → 13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE

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Insured's name (LINE 4)
ID number (LINE 1a)

BlueCross BlueShield
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Member Name: **JOHN DOE**
Member ID: **XBMB12345678**

Group No.: **033104**
Dependent(s) Name: **JANE RAYMOND LUCY**
Card Print Date: **9/30/16**

In-Network Cost Share:
Network PPO
Deductible: **\$1000**
Coinsurance: **10%**
PCP/Specialist Copay: **\$35/\$65**
Urgent Care Copay: **\$75**

Rx BIN#: 603017
Rx Copay: **\$0**
Level 1/Level 2: **\$0**
Level 3: **\$0**
Chiropractic Copay: **\$65**

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Group number (LINE 11)

The key items on the form that MUST be completed are:

- LINE 1a** The insured's ID number (Member ID on your ID card)
- LINE 2** The patient's first and last name
- LINE 3** The patient's birthdate
- LINE 4** The insured's name (Member Name on your ID card)
- LINE 6** The patient's relationship to the insured
- LINE 11** The insured's policy group number (Group No. on your ID card)
- LINE 11a** The insured's birthdate
- LINE 13** The insured's signature*

By signing this box, you agree to have payment sent directly from BCBSAZ to the physician for service(s) provided. If you choose not to sign, payment will be sent to you and you'll be responsible for payment to the provider. You may need to check with your provider to confirm they will "accept assignment" (accept payment directly from BCBSAZ).

*In some circumstances, you may receive payment instead of the provider, depending on your group's health plan.

Your Provider and Diagnosis Information

The bottom half of the claim form requests information about your provider and your illness or injury. An itemized statement from your provider will be key to filling out this information, and a copy will need to be submitted to BCBSAZ with your claim form. If you have a question about your statement and how to use it to fill out this part of the form, contact your provider.

14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY OR PREGNANCY (LMP) MM DD YY QUAL				15. OTHER DATE QUAL MM DD YY				16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY				
17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE						17a. NPI		18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY				
19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC)						20. OUTSIDE LAB? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		\$ CHARGES				
21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY Relate A-L to service line below (24E) ICD Ind.						22. RESUBMISSION CODE		ORIGINAL REF. NO.				
A. _____ B. _____ C. _____ D. _____ E. _____ F. _____ G. _____ H. _____ I. _____ J. _____ K. _____ L. _____						23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER						
24. A. DATE(S) OF SERVICE		B. PLACE OF SERVICE	C. EMG	D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Explain Unusual Circumstances)			E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER	F. \$ CHARGES	G. DAYS OR UNITS	H. EPST FAMILY PLAN	I. ID. QUAL	J. RENDERING PROVIDER ID. #
FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY												
1											NPI	
2											NPI	
3											NPI	
4											NPI	
5											NPI	
6											NPI	
25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER			SSN <input type="checkbox"/> EIN <input type="checkbox"/>	26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO.			27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	28. TOTAL CHARGE	29. AMOUNT PAID	30. Rsvd for NUCC Use		
31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREES OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.)			32. SERVICE FACILITY LOCATION INFORMATION				33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PHONE # ()					
SIGNED _____ DATE _____			a. _____		b. _____		a. _____		b. _____			

The key items on the form that MUST be completed are:

- LINE 21** Your diagnosis—this will be a code (found on the statement from your provider). If there were multiple diagnoses, there are multiple codes.
- LINE 24a** Date of service—This is the date(s) you saw your provider.
- LINE 24d** CPT/HCPCS/Modifier: These codes are required to identify the services provided. Modifiers should only be listed if supplied by your provider (found on the statement).
- LINE 24f** Charges for each service line found on the statement.
- LINE 24j** Your provider’s NPI (National Provider ID) found on the statement or you may need to ask your provider’s office.
- LINE 25** Your provider’s tax ID number (found on the statement).
- LINE 28** Total charges (found on the statement).
- LINE 33** Add the name, address, and phone number for the provider that rendered the service(s).

That’s it for this part of the form!



THAT'S IT!

Before submitting your form, double check that you have filled in these key pieces of information.

To submit your claim, mail your completed form and corresponding provider statement to:

BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF ARIZONA
P.O. Box 2924
Phoenix, AZ 85062

If we have any questions about your form, we'll contact you. Once your claim has been processed, you will receive an Explanation of Benefits confirming the claim was processed and what out-of-network benefit applies.

For your protection, Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona (BCBSAZ) complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex. BCBSAZ provides appropriate free aids and services, such as qualified interpreters and written information in other formats, to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us. BCBSAZ also provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as qualified interpreters and information written in other languages. If you need these services, call (602) 864-4884 for Spanish and 1 (877) 475-4799 for all other languages and other aids and services.

If you believe that BCBSAZ has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a grievance with: BCBSAZ's Civil Rights Coordinator, Attn: Civil Rights Coordinator, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona, P.O. Box 13466, Phoenix, AZ 85002-3466, (602) 864-2288, TTY/TDD (602) 864-4823, crc@azblue.com. You can file a grievance in person or by mail or email. If you need help filing a grievance, BCBSAZ's Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1 (800) 368-1019, 1 (800) 537-7697 (TDD). Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

QUESTIONS?

If you need additional help completing this form,
please call the number on the back of your ID card.



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