

# Understanding your Explanation of Benefits (EOB)

## Personal information

- Your name and address
- Member ID as shown on your ID card
- Group # identifies your plan
- Group name is your plan sponsor
- Customer-specific contact information

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 Group name: TEST INC

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 1-800-331-1168  
 Or write to the address shown above.

## Track your spending, savings and deductibles

- The first box is a summary of what you owe and the payments already made for the claims listed on your EOB.\*
- The second box shows the amount you save by using an in-network provider.\*
- The third box shows the amount you have remaining to meet your yearly in-network family or individual deductible.\*

**THIS IS NOT A BILL**  
 Keep this for your records

**Explanation of benefits:**  
**Track your health care costs**

<p><b>\$25.24</b>                  Amount you owe or already paid</p> <p>Amount billed \$237.06                  Plan payments and discounts - \$211.82                  You owe \$25.24</p> <p>\$211.82      \$25.24</p> <p>\$0      \$237.06</p>	<p><b>\$107.53</b>                  Amount you saved</p> <p>Going to a doctor or hospital in our network saves you money.</p> <p>That's because we have arranged discounted rates with these providers.</p> <p>Our online provider directory can help you find a doctor or other health care professional. Just go to <a href="http://www.aetna.com">www.aetna.com</a>.</p>	<p><b>\$0.00 (In-network)</b>                  Amount you have left to meet deductible</p> <p>Annual deductible \$1,000.00                  Deductible used - \$1,000.00                  Deductible remaining \$0.00</p> <p>\$1,000.00</p> <p>\$0      \$1,000.00</p>
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## Definitions of commonly used terms

A glossary of some common terms shown on your EOB. Following the definitions, totals related to the charges are displayed.

**A guide to key terms**

Term	This means	Your totals
Amount billed:	The amount your doctor or health care provider billed for services.	\$237.06
Member rate:	The agreed upon amount your doctor or health care provider in our network accepts as their fee.	\$107.03
Amount you saved:	The difference between the amount billed and the in-network arranged pricing.	\$107.53
Pending or not payable:	A claim that needs more review by us or an amount we did not pay. You may or may not have to pay this. Read "Your Claim Remarks" to learn more.	\$0.00
Deductible:	The amount you pay before your health plan will pay benefits.	\$0.00
Coinsurance:	When you pay part of the bill and we pay part of the bill. This is your out-of-pocket amount.	\$5.24
Copay:	A fixed dollar amount you pay when you visit a doctor or other health care provider.	\$20.00

## Messaging

There are helpful messages from Aetna or your employer located in this section.

**A message from Aetna**  
 Introducing your new Explanation of Benefits. It has a simpler look and feel, designed with you in mind.

## Your payment summary

Includes detailed information of any payments made for the claims on the EOB.

## Your payment summary

Patient	Provider	Your plan paid		You owe or already paid	
		Amount	Sent to	Date	Amount
Roger (spouse)	George M Markus	\$60.84	George M Markus	12/12/11	\$20.00
Roger (spouse)	Quest Diagnostics Incorpora	\$20.95	Quest Diagnostics Incorporat	12/6/11	\$5.24
Amy (self)	Safeway Inc.	\$22.50	Safeway Inc.	12/13/11	\$0.00
<b>Total:</b>		\$104.29			\$25.24

## Your claims up close

Shows detailed information for each claim processed on your EOB.

Columns A through I, from left to right, break down each charge and how your benefits were applied.

Column I reflects the amount you may owe or have already paid.

## Your claims up close

### Claim for Amy (self)

Claim ID: EQ00006R00 Received on 12/12/11	Amount billed	Member rate	Pending or not payable (Remarks)	Applied to deductible	Your copy	Amount remaining	Plan pays	Your coinsurance	You owe C+D+E+H-I
FLU VIRUS VACC-SPLIT 3 YR & on 9/17/11 96558	12.50					12.50	12.50 (100%)		
ADMIN INFLUENZA VIRUS VAC on 9/17/11 G0008	10.00					10.00	10.00 (100%)		
Safeway Inc.									
Refer to Remarks Section			(1)						
<b>Totals:</b>	22.50					22.50	22.50		
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I

**I** You can find all numbered claim remarks in 'Your Claim Remarks' section.

## Your benefit balances

Provides a summary of financial limits for the benefit year listed.

## Your benefit balances to date for 1/1/11 to 12/31/11

Description	Annual limit	Amount remaining
<b>Individual</b>		
<b>Amy (self)</b>		
Medical In Network Deductible	\$500.00	\$0.00
Medical In Network Coinsurance	\$1,500.00	\$961.38
Medical Out of Network Deductible	\$1,000.00	\$500.00
Medical Out of Network Coinsurance	\$3,000.00	\$2,461.38
<b>Roger (spouse)</b>		
Medical In Network Deductible	\$500.00	\$0.00
Medical In Network Coinsurance	\$1,500.00	\$384.30
Medical Out of Network Deductible	\$1,000.00	\$500.00
Medical Out of Network Coinsurance	\$3,000.00	\$1,884.30
<b>Family</b>		
Medical In Network Deductible	\$1,000.00	\$0.00
Medical In Network Coinsurance	\$3,000.00	\$1,345.68
Medical Out of Network Deductible	\$2,000.00	\$1,000.00
Medical Out of Network Coinsurance	\$6,000.00	\$4,345.68

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