

Somerset County Public Schools

Prescription Drug Program

CVS Caremark is CareFirst's exclusive pharmacy claim processor. The network of retail pharmacies stretches from coast to coast. The retail network includes both CVS and non-CVS pharmacies. If a pharmacy is non-participating with the CVS Caremark network, you will be required to pay the full cost of the prescription at the time of purchase. Claims for these prescriptions should be sent to CVS Caremark on the appropriate claim form. Call 1-800-241-3371 to find a location near you or to verify that a particular pharmacy is participating.

Specialty Drugs must be purchased through the Exclusive Specialty Pharmacy Network.

Members who take advantage of the mail order prescription drug service will receive their drugs through CVS Caremark mail order service.



SAVE WITH MAIL ORDER MAINTENANCE DRUGS

Our Mail Service Pharmacy gives you a convenient way to fill your prescriptions with fast, accurate home delivery. Plus, it's an easy way to save on your maintenance medications. Once you register you'll have access to:

- Convenient home or office delivery service
- Consulting pharmacists available by phone 24 hours a day, seven days a week
- Refill options online, by phone or by email
- Automated phone system to check account balances and make payments 24 hours a day, seven days a week
- Email notification of order status
- E-prescribing capabilities available to your physician
- Multiple payment options – credit or debit card, electronic check, Bill Me Later®, or money order (CASH is not accepted)
- Automatic refills with our ReadyFill at Mail® program

Members can sign up for mail order today by calling CareFirst Pharmacy Services at 800-241-3371, through [My Account](#), or by completing the [Mail Service Pharmacy Order Form](#).

Maintenance Drugs are taken for several months to treat chronic conditions such as diabetes, high blood pressure and asthma. If the drug you are taking is on the maintenance list you can receive a 90 day supply of the "Maintenance" medication.

You can receive a 90 day supply of designated Maintenance Drugs for two (2) copays at a retail pharmacy or through mail order.

Prescription Drug Website: www.carefirst.com

*Access Prescription Drug information www.carefirst.com for the most up-to-date Preferred Drug List, care management criteria, the tier your drug is in and much more information. Care management criteria are applied so that some medications can be used in limited quantities; others require that your doctor obtain prior authorization from CareFirst before they can be filled.

- ✓ **Prior to filling or refilling your prescription check the website to make sure your drug is still in the same "tier". The tier will determine your copay amount.**
- ✓ **Not all prescription drugs are listed. If you cannot find a particular drug, or if you have questions, please call our pharmacy claims processor, CVS Caremark at (800) 241-3371.**
- ✓ **The preferred drug list is subject to change as new generic and brand name drugs become available.**

Summary of Benefits

Some prescription drugs require Prior Authorization. Prior Authorization is a tool used to ensure that you will achieve the maximum clinical benefit from the use of specific targeted drugs. Your physician or pharmacist must call (800) 294-5979 to begin the prior authorization process. For the most up-to-date prior authorization list, visit the prescription drug web site at www.carefirst.com	
Deductible: Your Plan does not have a deductible	
Out-of- Pocket Maximum: \$5,400 Individual \$9,600 Family	
Preventive Drugs: Affordable Care Act. Copays below apply	
Diabetic Supplies (up to 34 day supply): \$0 Copay	
Specialty Drugs:	Only covered when purchased through the Exclusive Specialty Pharmacy Network. Copays below apply.
Retail Pharmacy	34-day supply
Tier 1: Generic Drugs	\$7 copayment
Tier 2: Preferred Brand Drugs	\$12 copayment
Tier 3: Non-Preferred Brand Drugs	\$30 copayment
Maintenance Drugs Mail Order	90-day supply
Tier 1: Generic Drugs	\$14copayment
Tier 2: Preferred Brand Drugs	\$24copayment
Tier 3: Non-Preferred Brand Drugs	\$60 copayment
Maintenance Drugs Retail Pharmacy	90-day supply
Tier 1: Generic Drugs	\$14copayment
Tier 2: Preferred Brand Drugs	\$24copayment
Tier 3: Non-Preferred Brand Drugs	\$60 copayment

CareFirst Specialty Pharmacy Coordination Program

*Personalized care for managing
your chronic medical condition*

Do you have a chronic condition that requires specialty medications? Our CareFirst Specialty Pharmacy Coordination Program can help you achieve better results from your medication therapy through personalized care, support and services designed to help manage your condition.

Through this program CareFirst addresses the unique clinical needs of members who take high-cost specialty drugs for certain conditions like multiple sclerosis, hepatitis C and hemophilia. We recognize that members taking specialty drugs require high-touch, high-quality care coordination and support to assure the best possible outcomes. With this program you have access to the following services:

- Comprehensive assessment of the patient at program initiation
- Coordination between the specialty care coordination team and the patient's primary care provider (PCP)
- Drug interaction review
- Drug and condition-specific education and counseling on medication adherence, side effects and safety
- Refill reminders and inventory coordination to reduce drug waste
- On call pharmacists 24 hours a day, seven days a week for assistance
- Specialty drug care coordination with a registered nurse specializing in select disease states (multiple sclerosis, hemophilia, hepatitis C and select intravenous immunoglobulin conditions)

In order to maximize the effectiveness of the Specialty Pharmacy Coordination Program, your specialty medications must be filled through CVS/caremark Specialty Pharmacy.

By using the CareFirst Exclusive Specialty Pharmacy network, you get specialty medications and personalized pharmacy care management services from a team of clinical experts specially trained in your health condition as well as access to:

- Drug and condition-specific education and counseling
- Confidential, professional and personal care
- On-call pharmacist 24 hours a day, seven days a week
- Insurance and financial coordination assistance
- Online support and resources

Our Specialty Customer Care Team addresses your unique clinical needs, and helps improve adherence, persistency to prescribed therapies and safety, thereby improving your overall health and costs.



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