#### VBA Benefits Corporation 2023 Minimum Premium/Tier 2 Peer Group Meeting

#### The Quirk Hotel, Charlottesville, VA

August 1-2, 2023

#### DAY 1 | Tuesday - August 1, 2023

1:00 – 1:15 p.m.	Welcome & Logistics & Introductions
1:15 – 1:45 p.m.	<b>2023 Benefits Corp Update &amp; Renewal Preview</b> <i>VBABC Team</i> Updates provided on 2023 initiatives and preview of possible 2024 renewal enhancements.
1:45 – 2:30 p.m.	Clinical Data Analytics and Population Health Management Marsh & McLennan Agency, LLC PATH Team MMA's PATH team will review VBA's aggregate data highlights and provide healthcare plan strategies based on PATH reporting related to Population Health Management and Clinical Review.
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45 – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Data Driven Solutions</b> MMA will provide an overview of solutions to consider based on clinical data discussed.
4:15 – 5:00 p.m.	<b>PATH Data Next Steps Roundtable Discussion</b> Discuss possible options to offer your employee group and plan to end the discussion with at least one action item based on group discussion.
5:00 – 5:45 p.m.	Check In
5:45 – 6:30 p.m.	Happy Hour on Rooftop
6:30 p.m.	Dinner Off-site at Maya Restaurant

#### DAY 2 | Wednesday – August 2, 2023

7:45 – 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast (included)
8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Industry Trends & Challenges
	Tom Mackay, MMA
	MMA will provide an update on trending benefit related issues and what employers
	may see in the upcoming year. Learn what the VBABC is doing to identify potential
	costly benefits and how to mitigate associated risk.

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9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Hinge Health Emily Tyus, Hinge Health Hinge Health has been an overwhelmingly popular and utilized benefit by members in 2022 and 2023. Hinge Health will share details about their program and what is coming next in the area of digital musculoskeletal treatment.
9:30 – 10:15 a.m.	<b>bswift Update</b> <i>Ashley Harvey, bswift; Gabby Bond &amp; Bobbi Weimer, VBABC</i> Learn about updates to the bswift platform and updated technology functionality within the VBA's benefit administration system.
10:15 – 10:30 a.m.	Break/Networking/Check Out
10:30 – 11:00 a.m.	Lifestyle Accounts Traci Browning-Devine, Flexible Benefit Administrators Lifestyle accounts have increased significantly since the pandemic. FBA will provide an overview of how these accounts are administered and parameters for employers to consider when offering.
11:00 – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Benefits Hot Seat</b> The following vendors will give an update on trends, enhanced programs and networks offered by their organization as well as take questions from attendees: Cancer Concierge Services – Nancy Lawrence, Anthem Benefit Scout and Securian Update – NaTosha Palmer, Securian Dental Update – Ryan O'Donnell, Delta Dental Behavioral Health Update – Elizabeth Rutledge, Anthem
12:00– 12:45 p.m.	Lunch
12:45 – 1:45 p.m.	Benefits Roundtable
1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	Five Buckets Principle – Balancing Work and Life Heather Dunning, Anthem EAP
2:45 – 3:00 p.m.	Closing VBA Staff





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# Your Virginia PATH Team



#### Dr. Monte Masten, MD, **MBA, MPH, FACOG Chief Medical Officer**

Over 25 years of leadership experience in patient care, consulting, managed care, population health management, and pharmacy management with diverse teams at national health plans, large employers, and health systems.

Serves as the Chief Medical Officer and provides oversight of clinical & data analysis teams.

#### Kate Valette, RN, BSN

#### **Clinical Consultant**

Over 30 years of experience in various healthcare settings including patient care, case management, corporate Total Rewards, and consulting. Corporate program leadership included in-house disability management, leave administration, workers compensation, and wellness platform development. Supports clients' strategic initiatives with data-driven clinical recommendations that lead to healthier outcomes and reduced costs.



#### Laura M. Moore, CWPC

Jenna Austin, MPH

#### Health Management Consultant

Over 15 years of experience in the employee health and benefits industry. Evaluates available data to identify behaviors that influence or compromise employee's health; pinpoints factors that inspire learning or those that hinder or foster the client's total member population through the process of health education. Creates comprehensive wellbeing program strategies as well as evaluation of third party vendor solutions for middle market clients.

#### Sr. Data Analyst

Healthcare analytics reporting, analytics consulting, and development of cohort analysis.

Graduate of the University of Massachusetts with a (MPH) Masters of Public Health Epidemiology and (BS) Bachelors of Science in Biology

# Agenda

- Executive summary
- Population health insights
- Clinical insights and strategies
- Population health
  - Data-driven action plan
- Recommendations

# **Reporting parameters**

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Paid during the following periods:

Previous: May 2021 – April 2022

Current: May 2022 – April 2023



#### Settings

Inpatient facility, Outpatient facility and Professional.

Stop loss reimbursements and pharmacy rebates are not included in this data.

High Cost Claimants are defined as those greater than \$100K.

Milliman MedInsight

#### Benchmarking

Annual medical databases include private-sector health data from approximately 75M member lives, 2.5B medical, pharmacy and eligibility records.

Normative database has also been categorized based on specific metrics on the proportions of your population's geography and industry; age and gender; benefit design; group size (individual, small and large groups); and other proprietary Milliman adjustment factors



#### Risk score

MARA Risk Score is the measure of risk associated with an individual's age, gender, and conditions, relative to an average person.

A relative risk score of 1.00 is average and an individual with an RRS of 1.50 is predicted to spend 50% more in resources compared to the average person.

# Executive Summary

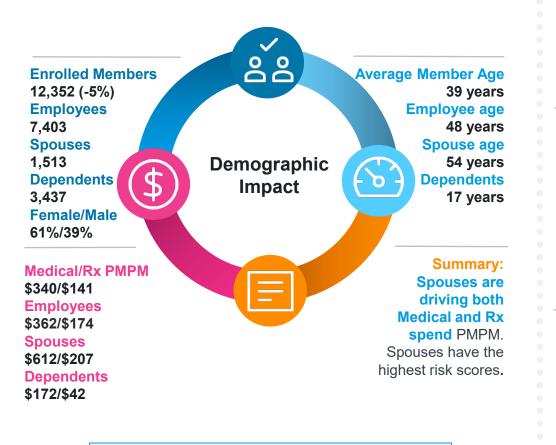
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# **Executive Summary**

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**144 members are 70 years or older:** continue to promote Anthem's Medicare training opportunities.







#### **Clinical Insights: Cost Trends**

- Total Plan Paid \$71.3M, -5%
- Medical Plan Paid \$50M, -10%
- Pharmacy Plan Paid \$21M, +9%
- Total PMPM \$481 (\$532), -0.6%
- Med PMPM \$340 *(\$419),* -6%
- Rx PMPM \$141 *(\$112),* +15%

#### **Clinical Insights: Utilization Trends**

- PCP visits 2,036 per 1k (1,651); +2%
- Specialists visits 1,342 per 1k (1,299); -3%
- Telemedicine visits 767 per 1k; -6%
- ER visits 150 per 1k (170); +5% / Avoidable ER visits per 1k +9%
- Urgent Care visits 293 per 1k (222); -20%
- Outpatient surgery 98 per 1k (102); +5%
- Admissions 40 per 1k (58); +5% / Average Length of Stay 5.5 days (4 days)
  - \$15M Total Employer Paid (Med); -10%
- 88% Members using medical benefits
- (113) High-cost claimants (>\$100k), \$24M Total Employer Paid Amt; -10%

#### **Clinical Insights: Pharmacy**

- Prescription utilization per 1k 9,796 (13,403), -1%
  - Average Employer Paid per Script \$159, +15%
- Generic script utilization 85%
- Specialty drugs are 1% of Rx with % Paid 48% (52% in Yr.1)
- **Top 5 Drug Classifications by # of scripts written:** Antidepressants, Statins, Contraceptives, Vaccines, and Penicillins.
- **Top 5 Drug Classifications by Paid Amount:** Coagulation Factors, Cystic Fibrosis Agents, Hereditary Angioedema Agents, Vasopressins, and CNS Agents.

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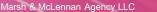
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Current: May 2022 – April 2023		Popula	tion Health	
470/	Top 3 Chronic Conditions:	Behavioral Health	Risk Bands	
<b>47%</b> of members	Hypertension (1418)	<ul> <li>2085 members with BH condition <ul> <li>Acute and Chronic</li> <li>59% employees</li> </ul> </li> <li>Top diagnoses</li> </ul>	Current Risk / Predicted Risk 1.27 / 1.27 Employees Spouses	
have a chronic condition.	Lipoprotein Disorders(1089)		1.46 / 1.501.72 / 1.78Very low6517 members (\$334)Low3423 members (744)Moderate885 members (\$1358)Mod High3591 members (\$13549)High331 members (\$38,165)Very High90 members (\$114,783)	
	Anxiety ( 920)	<ul> <li>PCP office visits and Admits increased in prevalence</li> <li>Alcohol related disorders 2<sup>nd</sup> top Inpatient Admit diagnosis</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>7012 members (2.5% decrease</li></ul>	embers; 27% of member population: 68% Employees 47% of member population: 73% employees	<ul> <li>Preventive Care</li> <li>47% had a preventive visit <ul> <li>46% in prior year</li> </ul> </li> <li>12% of members had no medical claims in current reporting period <ul> <li>Same as prior year</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Well-being Programs Comprehensive well-being & condition management programs with optimal engagement to support behavior change can help shift members to lower risk bands and reduce cost. Shifting just 5 high risk members to moderately high risk could result in potentially significant annual savings.	

\* Metabolic Syndrome may occur when members have a cluster of chronic conditions that lead to progressive vascular conditions such as Diabetes, Coronary Artery Disease, Chronic Kidney Disease, End Stage Renal Disease, and Stroke.

# Population health insights

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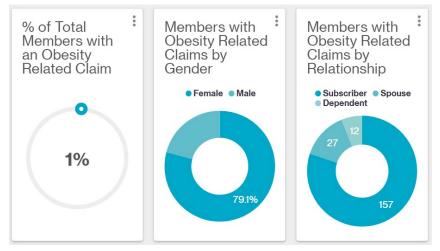
# **Top conditions & diagnosis group**

ICD-10 Diagnosis Category (CMS) (Primary Diagnosis)	Count Distinct Members with Medical Claims			PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med)			unt (Med)
Hypertensive diseases			1,452				\$2.78
Metabolic disorders			1,151				\$3.13
Anxiety, dissociative, stress-related, somatoform and ot			991				\$2.30
Episodic and paroxysmal disorders			770				\$2.96
Other dorsopathies			763				\$3.53
Diabetes mellitus			749				\$1.94
Noninflammatory disorders of female genital tract			683				\$3.50
Disorders of thyroid gland			645				\$0.86
Other diseases of upper respiratory tract			584				\$1.62
Mood [affective] disorders			483				\$2.10

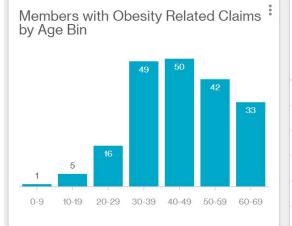
# The impact of weight-related issues

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Overview of Members with Obesity Related Claims						
Measure	Prior	Current	Trend			
Count Distinct Members with Medical Claims	156	196	25.6% 🕢			
Per 1k Members with Medical Claims	12.1	15.9	31.5% 🕢			
Avg by Member Member Age	44.1	45.7	3.6% 🟠			
Avg by Member Concurrent Risk - Unscaled (MARA)	2.36	2.13	-9.9% 🔮			



Overview of Cost for Obesity Related Claims							
Measure	Prior	Current	Trend				
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med) PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$10,174	\$17,786	74.8% <b>•</b>				
Avg by Member Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$65.22	\$90.74	39.1%				
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Members with by Risk Strata	Obesity Rela	ated Claims
Concurrent (MARA)	Medical Claims	to Company (MARA)
Very Low	32	0.16
Low	52	0.46
Moderate	21	0.77
Moderately High	78	2.05
High	9	6.99
Very High	3	18.8

# Clinical insights and strategies

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# **Employer Paid Amount**

#### Comparing HCC-only population vs. population without any HCC's

Employer Paid Amount without Hi	gh Cost Claima	ints	Employer Paid Amount High Cost Claimants Only				
Measure	Prior	Current	Trend	Measure	Prior	Current	Trend
Average Enrolled Members	12,846	12,254	-4.6% 🔮	Count Distinct Members with Medical Claims	96	113	17.7% 🕥
PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$224	\$220	-1.8% 🔮	PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$20,920	\$15,215	-27.3% 🔮
PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	\$90.22	\$102	12.8% 🕢	PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	\$5,138	\$5,083	-1.1% 🔮
PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$314	\$322	2.4% 🕥	PMPM Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$26,058	\$20,299	-22.1% 🔮
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$34,573,610	\$32,389,221	-6.3% 🔮	Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$21,317,951	\$17,938,688	-15.9% 🔮
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	\$13,907,965	\$14,959,602	7.6% 🕢	Sum Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	\$5,235,196	\$5,993,395	14.5% 🟠
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$48,481,575	\$47,348,823	-2.3% 🔮	Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$26,553,147	\$23,932,083	-9.9% 🔮

# **Top high cost medical & Rx claimants**

May 21 Apr 22 PAD May 22 Apr 23 PAD

Gender	Туре	Age	Still Enrolled	HC Med	HC Rx	HC Prior	Prior Paid	Med Paid	Rx Paid	Total Paid Med + Rx	Predicted Cost	Esophageal cancer with malignancy; has since
Male	Spouse	66	×	••	00	٠	\$201,542	\$857,388	N/A	\$857,388	No value	1 termed.
Male	Spouse	53	×	0	00	0	\$36,094	\$705,690	N/A	\$705,690	No value	Small intestine malabsorption with surgical intervention; has since termed.
Male	Subscriber	62	*	0	00	0	\$0	\$607,6 <mark>0</mark> 0	\$6,016	\$613,616	\$50k - \$75k	Lymphoma: CAR-T cell procedure – if fails may 3 need transplant but no indication thru mid-Apr.
Male	Dependent	17	×		• •	•	\$816,091	\$587,206	N/A	\$587,206	No value	<b>4</b> Leukemia and termed back in Aug 2022.
Male	Spouse	63	×		00	•	\$335,519	\$574,278	\$3,740	\$578,019	\$50k - \$75k	<b>5</b> B-cell Lymphoma; no claims after Dec2022.
Male	Subscriber	60		0	••	•	\$370,345				\$250k +	Multiple Myeloma in relapse early 2023 on chemo 6 and antineoplastics on several SpecRx.
Male	Spouse	66		••	00	•	\$259,524	\$45 <mark>3,547</mark>	\$592	\$45 <mark>4,1</mark> 39	\$50k - \$75k	Has MS; suffered a subarachnoid hemorrhage with 7 surgery done; continues care but may trend down.
Female	Subscriber	33	*	00	••	٠	\$370,083	\$1,239	\$447,431	\$448,670	\$250k +	Cystic Fibrosis on Trikafta: no ER or Inpatient 8 Admissions.
Female	Subscriber	56	*	••	00	0	\$60,709	\$401,461	\$112	\$4 <mark>01,574</mark>	\$75k - \$100k	Breast Cancer: Radiation and Mastectomy 9 completed 2022; currently on anti-neoplastics.
Male	Spouse	45	×	••	00	٠	\$163,847	\$392,151	N/A	\$392,151	No value	Leukemia on chemo and has since termed the <b>10</b> plan.

#### **Clinical Consultant Observations**

#### • Cancer is the highest Employer Paid for HCC's at \$4.9M for the most recent period.

• MMA Clinical Consultant and Anthem's RN continue to meet to review HCC several times annually to ensure minimal gaps in care exist.

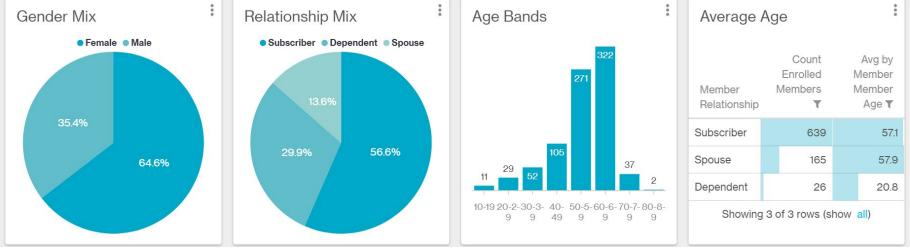
# 3-year trend by diagnostic category

ICD-10 Diagnosis Chapter (CMS) (Primary Diagnosis)	CY 2020	CY 2021	CY 2022	Total
Neoplasms (Cancer)	\$7,943,699.10	\$6,157,928.11	\$6,078,774.05	\$20,180,401.26
Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	\$4,870,176.82	\$3,512,415.47	\$2,907,911.70	\$11,290,503.99
Diseases of the circulatory system	\$3,332,706.77	\$3,573,074.74	\$3,034,630.92	\$9,940,412.43
Diseases of the nervous system	\$2,124,572.53	\$1,651,192.16	\$1,425,946.68	\$5,201,711.37
Mental, Behavioral and Neurodevelopmental disorders	\$1,268,588.56	\$1,378,237.17	\$1,644,150.37	\$4,290,976.10
Diseases of the digestive system	\$1,187,544.07	\$1,295,715.57	\$1,587,695.08	\$4,070,954.72
Diseases of the genitourinary system	\$918,143.99	\$1,156,577.51	\$1,401,616.85	\$3,476,338.35
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	\$898,001.72	\$777,009.53	\$1,005,833.36	\$2,680,844.61
Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	\$801,405.62	\$913,750.53	\$857,154.76	\$2,572,310.91
Diseases of the respiratory system	\$377,932.02	\$709,407.33	\$351,891.74	\$1,439,231.09
Diseases of the eye and adnexa	\$331,560.55	\$460,320.73	\$375,157.89	\$1,167,039.17
Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	\$365,269.99	\$182,863.15	\$263,165.34	\$811,298.48
Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes	\$43,828.50	\$248,423.01	\$189,031.55	\$481,283.06
Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	\$66,044.30	\$125,824.42	\$138,945.27	\$330,813.99
Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	\$59,735.82	\$112,838.04	\$71,538.38	\$244,112.24
Diseases of the ear and mastoid process	\$83,180.28	\$32,212.32	\$30,905.79	\$146,298.39
Certain infectious and parasitic diseases	\$6,051.00	\$11,998.11	\$7,450.74	\$25,499.85

# **Cancer Overview: VBA**

Тор 3	Most Prevalent Cancers	Gender Mix	Relationship Mix	<sup>‡</sup> Age Ban	ds * Average Age
	-3% YoY	MMA BoB=4%		MMA BoB=12%	
	831	6%	\$10,713,706	21%	8.6% 🔮
	Members with Cancer Claims	% of Population with Cancer Claims	Medical Employer Paid for Cancer Claims	% of Medical Employer Paid for Cancer Claims	Change in Medical Employer Paid for Cancer Claims

- Polycythemias and other blood-related cancer
- Melanoma and other malignancies
- Breast Cancer



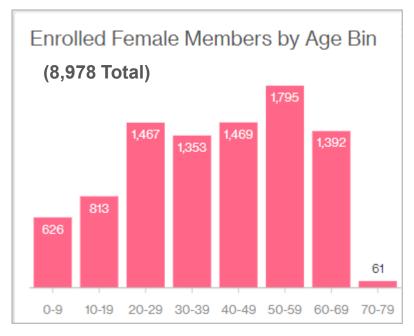
# **Women's Health Issues**

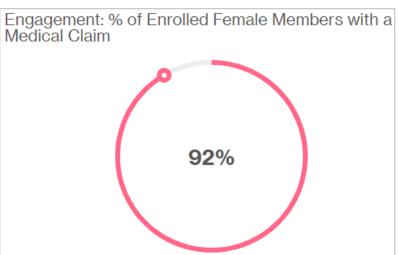
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Med + Rx Cost and Utilization Trend	for Enrolled Female Members		
Measure	Prior	Current	Trend
Members with Med or Rx Claims	8,869	8,236	-7.1% 🔮
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$47,514,565	\$44,535,053	-6.3% 🔮
Avg by Member Employer Paid Amount (Med+Rx)	\$2,188	\$2,051	-6.2% 🔮



- Inflammatory Diseases of female pelvic organ: (162) members with medical claims (23.2 per 1k)
- Pelvic Floor Wasting: (9) members with medical claims (1.60 per 1k)
- Female Urinary Incontinence: (15) members with medical claims (4.13 per 1k)
- Pelvic Pain: (153) members with medical claims (per 36.2 per 1k)





# **Fertility overview**

#### May 21 Apr 22 PAID May 22 Apr 23 PAID

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Medical - Key metrics - Male and Fema	le Infertility Diag	gnosis	:	Pharmacy - Key metrics - Fertility Agen	ts		:
Measure	Prior	Current	Trend	Measure	Prior	Current	Trend
Count Distinct Members with Medical Claims	20	13	-35.0% 🔮	Count Distinct Members with Rx Claims	0	1	No value
Per 1k Members with Medical Claims	1.55	1.05	-32.0% 🔮	Per 1k Members with Rx Claims	0	0.08	No value
Count Distinct Medical Claims	29	27	-6.9% 🔮	Count Distinct Rx Claims	0	1	No value
Per 1k Medical Claims	2.24	2.19	-2.5% 🔮	Per 1k Rx Claims	0	0.08	No value
Sum Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$5,477	\$754	-86.2% 🔮	Sum Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	No value	\$0.00	No value
Avg by Med Claim Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$189	\$27.94	-85.2% 🔮	Avg by Rx Claim Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	No value	\$0.00	No value
Avg by Member Employer Paid Amount (Med)	\$274	\$58.03	-78.8% 🔮	Avg by Member Employer Paid Amount (Rx)	No value	\$0.00	No value

# Population health strategies

# **Data-driven action plan – population health**

May '21 Apr '22 PAD May '22 Apr '23 PAD

Focus areas	Current programs	Strategic opportunities
<ul> <li>Well-being Strategy</li> <li>47% of members had a chronic condition; increase in prevalence</li> <li>46% Preventive Care utilization; increase in prevalence</li> <li>12% of members had zero medical claims in the current reporting period</li> <li>Risk of Metabolic Syndrome</li> <li>Increase in Hypertension, Hyperlipidemia, and Diabetes claimants</li> <li>Hypertension top PCP visit diagnosis</li> <li>Increase in Diabetes Rx Employer Paid Amount: \$4M</li> <li>Decrease in Diabetes Medical Employer Paid Amount: \$290k</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Anthem</li> <li>LiveHealth Online virtual medical services</li> <li>2022 utilization: 558 engaged: 442 Medical: 8 Dermatology: 4 Sleep: 105 BH</li> <li>Condition Care Management:</li> <li>Asthma, CAD, Heart Failure, COPD and Diabetes</li> <li>2022 utilization: 1,739 identified <ul> <li>Asthma – 784: CAD:173: Heart Failure: 23: COPD: 62: Diabetes: 697</li> <li>Contact Rate: 28%: Enrolled of Contacted: 85%: Engaged of Enrolled: 84%</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Well-being</li> <li>Cancer Support</li> <li>Develop communication campaign to promote available resources for those undergoing cancer treatment.</li> <li>Metabolic Syndrome Preventive Strategy</li> <li>Consider weight management point solution to help manage top chronic conditions: WW, Noom</li> <li>Hypertension Condition Management: Hello Heart, Anthem's Healthy Impact Program: Blood Pressure and Weight Management: LiveHealth Online</li> <li>Lifestyle Accounts</li> <li>Promote American Heart's Life Simple 7: the 7 risk factors that people can improve through lifestyle changes to help achieve ideal cardiovascular health: Complete Heart Assessment <a href="https://www.heart.org/en/healthy-living/healthy-lifestyle/my-life-checklifes-simple-7">https://www.heart.org/en/healthy-living/healthy-living/healthy-living/healthy-lifestyle/my-life-checklifes-simple-7</a></li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Mental and Behavioral Health</li> <li>Increase in trend</li> <li>Prevalent age bins 20-29</li> <li>Anxiety and Mood Disorders top two diagnoses</li> <li>Alcohol-related disorders 2<sup>nd</sup> top Inpatient Admit diagnosis</li> <li>Increase in PCP visits and Admits</li> <li>Increase in Medical Employer Paid Amount = \$2M</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Anthem</li> <li>Live Health Online virtual services</li> <li>2022 utilization: 105 BH</li> <li>EAP</li> <li>2022 utilization: 286 total requests: 577 total contacts: 62.5% emotional:17% marital/child: 7% Family/Child issues</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>DE&amp;I: Establish an Employee Resource Group – individual bank level</li> <li>Strengthens employee connections and builds internal support framework</li> <li>Allows forum for advocacy for internal resources www.usgs.gov/office-of-diversity-and-equal- opportunity/employee-resource-groups</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Musculoskeletal (MSK)</li> <li>27% members with MSK condition (includes acute and chronic) <ul> <li>47% of this group have chronic MSK condition</li> <li>Dorsopathies and Osteoarthritis top <i>Chronic</i> diagnoses</li> </ul> </li> <li>Employer Medical Paid Amount: \$4.7M (-1% YoY)</li> <li>Admit claims increased</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hinge Health:</li> <li>2022 utilization: 9,952 total eligible: 484 (5%) engaged:428 chronic: 56 acute</li> <li>2023 utilization: January – May: 9,940 total eligible: 105 engaged: 1 prevention: 97% chronic: 7% acute</li> <li>Anthem</li> <li>MSK Toolkit – Time Well Spent <u>https://timewellspent.anthem.com</u></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Musculoskeletal</li> <li>Continue to leverage Hinge Health's educational resources on available virtual services to help increase awareness of the program and engagement</li> </ul>

## Data-driven action plan: cancer support

Cancer	Recommended Next Steps	Measurable Outcomes
<ul> <li>Data points:</li> <li>831 members with cancer claim (6% of population and MMA BoB is 4%). <ul> <li>21% employer paid medical on cancer claims (MMA BoB is 12%); 9% decrease YoY.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Top cancers are: blood cancers, melanoma/malignancies and breast cancer.</li> <li>Total Employer Paid (Medical) for Cancer Claims is \$10.7M.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Add to communication campaign to encourage members with cancer to engage with provider and/or carrier case managers to assist in treatment through centers of excellence, navigation with healthcare support, local/national cancer resources, as well as research for possible clinical trials related to the members' type of cancer.</li> <li>Anthem's Cancer Concierge program – <i>planned to implement January 2023.</i></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reduced gaps in care; increased engagement with CM.</li> </ul>
Education and Resources • Utilize community resources when partnering with Anthem to develop robust campaigns for cancer prevention and support.	<ul> <li>"Time to Screen" is a collaboration between Cancer<i>Care</i> and Community Oncology Alliance.</li> <li>Website: <u>https://timetoscreen.org/</u></li> <li>Toll-free hotline (1-855-53-2733) - speak with a support specialist for local cancer screening options and importance of timely screening.</li> <li>The Job Accommodation Network (JAN) has an extensive 36 page document devoted specifically to cancer issues and resources, called "Accommodation and Compliance Series: Employers with Cancer", updated November 2021. <u>https://askjan.org/publications/index.cfm</u>.</li> <li>Manager resource: <u>https://www.workplacetransitions.org/</u>, - provides support to manages on how to approach employees touched by cancer, planning leave and return to work, etc.</li> <li>Promote the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) resources for cancer patients, survivors, and caregivers. <u>https://www.cdc.gov/cancer/</u></li> <li>Support tips for managing overall health during and after cancer treatment.</li> <li>Caregiver support.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Increased compliance with age- appropriate preventive exams and reduced late stage cancer diagnoses.</li> <li>Employee satisfaction surveys.</li> </ul>

# **Recommendations under consideration**

2024

METABOLIC SYNDROME	Weight and Hypertension/Blood Pressure Management	<ul> <li>Weight: LiveHealth Online vs. WW / Noom</li> <li>BP: LiveHealth Online vs. Hello Heart</li> </ul>
WOMEN'S HEALTH	Fertility and Pelvic Health	<ul> <li>Maven via Anthem</li> <li>Hinge Health Pelvic Floor program via Anthem</li> </ul>
C A N C E R	Cancer Support Services	<ul> <li>Anthem Cancer Concierge program</li> <li>Johns Hopkins' WorkStrides program</li> </ul>

VBA offers the option to add Lifestyle Spending Accounts through FBA to support wellness or other concierge services (Bank Choice).

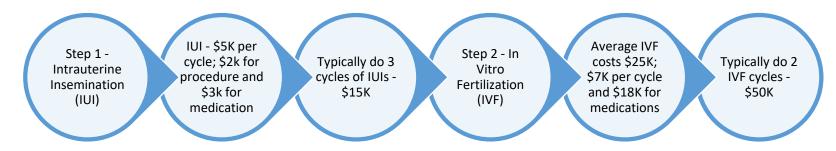


# Fertility

# **Infertility insights**



- 10 15% of heterosexual couples will be affected by infertility.<sup>1</sup>
- Must also consider single and LGBTQ members interested in fertility and family-building support.
- Average cost for infertility treatments in a lifetime is estimated at \$65,000 with some reaching \$100K.
- Typically employers will cap the benefit up to \$25,000 sending the message that they are willing to help with sharing some of the costs but not the entire cost.
- Illustration of \$65,000 average cost:



This cost does not include cost for pre-natal or post-natal care for mother and newborn(s).

<sup>1</sup> Gabriela Weigel et al., "Coverage and Use of Fertility Services in the U.S.", September 15, 2020, https://www.kff.org/womens-health-policy/issue-brief/coverage-and-use-of-fertility-services-in-the-u-s/.

# **Infertility insights**

- Standard of infertility care is to steer members to Centers of Excellence (COE) providers
  - Limiting services to providers who provide eSET (elective single embryo transfer)
  - eSET implants only one embryo to improve success rates and limit risks associated with multiple births.
- Twin rate using IVF is about 30% and 3 4% for higher multiples
  - With eSET the rate falls to 1 2% limiting exposure to large claims from multiples.



# Estimated Cost of Delivery

- Single \$21K
- Twins \$105K
- Triplets+ 400K

# Infertility – carrier support and vendor options



- Anthem covered services include: diagnostic tests to find the cause of infertility, such as diagnostic laparoscopy, endometrial biopsy, and semen analysis.
  - Benefits also include services to treat the underlying medical conditions that cause infertility (e.g., endometriosis, obstructed fallopian tubes, and hormone deficiency).
  - Fertility treatments such as artificial insemination and in-vitro fertilization assisted reproductive technologies (ART), ZIFT/GIFT procedures are not a Covered Service.
  - Anthem allows for infertility rider coverage to be added to plans (Lifetime benefit limits to \$25K or \$50K.
- Use of infertility vendors is a fairly new trend within last 5 years.
- MMA's Vendor Innovation Council reviews fertility, maternity, and parental vendors for clinical relevance.







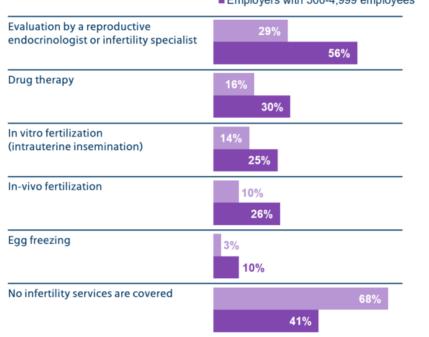




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# Infertility benchmarking

#### **Provide coverage for infertility treatment**



	50-499 employees	500-4,999 employees
Have lifetime benefit maximum on infertility treatment	21%	37%
Median lifetime maximum	\$15,000	\$15,000
Other coverage limitation in place	35%	20%

Employers with 50-499 employeesEmployers with 500-4,999 employees

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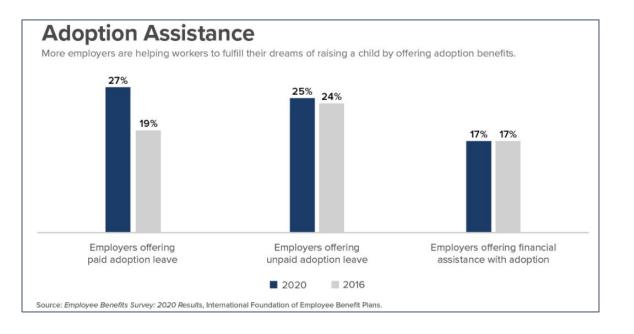
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# **Adoption assistance**



For families looking to adopt, both paid or unpaid leave and financial assistance/adoption subsidy have trended up over the past few years. More employers are implementing adoption assistance to support the growing need to help employees and their families grow, and support overall happiness and well-being initiatives.

As employees are seeking opportunities to work at companies who support diversity and equity, Adoption assistance programs support long term DEI goals.



# **Surrogacy benefits**



- Surrogacy options are slim with only 9% of employers currently providing a surrogacy reimbursement program. The
  majority of companies who have implemented a program typically cap limits at approximately \$10,000 to \$20,000 lifetime
  limit.
- The lack of adoption and surrogacy plans in a benefit program disproportionately impact LGBTQ couples. Implementing an adoption and surrogacy program takes thought, communication, and support from an organizations leaders to ensure the program structure is supported from the top.
- Consider discussions with your Diversity, Equity and Inclusions team to strategize and determine whether you want to delay adding a surrogacy benefit.

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# Virginia Bankers Association

Healthcare Landscape Update

**VBA Peer Group Meeting** 

August 2, 2023

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#### Agenda

- Healthcare Landscape
  - High Cost Claimants Risk
  - Gene Therapy/High Cost Drug Discussion/Stop loss Pressure
- 2024 RFP Update
  - Pharmacy
  - Voluntary Benefits
  - Dental

# 2023 Healthcare Trends

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#### The employee health & benefits trends of 2023

Mental and

behavioral

health needs

Shifting workforce expectations

- Employees are placing a higher premium on finding meaning and purpose at work.
- Organizations struggle with moving their diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) programs beyond building awareness to creating real action.
- Empathy is key to solving the challenges employers face with apathy and attrition among their employees.

- The workforce continues to expect more from their employee experience, as it relates to well-being benefits.
- Building flexibility into the workplace creates new opportunities for employers and employees.
- Mental and behavioral health support will dominate in employers' offerings in the coming years.

- 3 Changes in health care economics
- U.S. employers can expect health benefit costs to increase between 5.6% - 7% based on plan design.
- High-cost prescription drugs are a source of frustration, especially with cell and gene therapies that cost millions.
- High-cost claimants, utilization increases, and employment trends will keep health care costs higher overall.

#### Tomorrow's workforce is looking for more than a benefits plan.

Marsh McLennan Agency (MMA) offers a variety of solutions to support the needs of your people, your team, and your business. We specialize in helping middle-market organizations — whether self-funded or fully insured — find ways to provide their employees with benefits they can take advantage of.

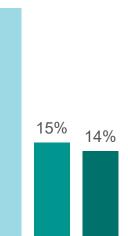
While predicting and responding to employee benefit trends and employee expectations can be difficult, MMA is here to help make it easier. We offer a number of solutions that help you stay in touch with your employees and streamline how you offer the benefits they need.

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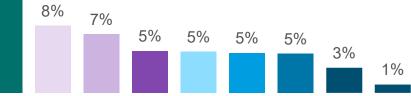
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# **Healthcare Landscape**

High Cost claimants impacting medical trend



#### 2020's highest cost claim was for Leukemia, lymphoma and/or multiple myeloma at \$6.3M

Source: 2021 Son Life Stop-loss Research Report: High-cost Claims And Injectable Drug Trends Analysis

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## **2023 Pharmacy Trends**

Biosimilars	GLP-1 Drugs	Cell & Gene Therapy
<ul> <li>Biosimilars in the market drive competition and present potential savings for employers.</li> <li>The biosimilar for Humira, the #1 drug in the world, hit the market on February 1, 2023         <ul> <li>Amjevita is currently included on formulary for many prominent PBMs and at least 7 more products are expected to follow.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The Stelara patent expires in 2023 with biosimilar target launch in 2H 2023, pending lawsuits</li> <li>Plan sponsors should monitor utilization of anti-inflammatory biologics and explore strategies to maximize the benefits that biosimilars present while ensuring rebates are protected.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>GLP-1 drugs are popular medications approved for the treatment of Type 2 diabetes and/or weight loss that have a monthly cost of approximately \$1,000.</li> <li>Mounjaro, the most recent GLP-1 drug approved for Type 2 diabetes, is expected to generate \$4.9 billion of yearly revenue by 2026.</li> <li>Off-label use of GLP-1 diabetes drugs for weight loss purposes is increasing as they are not subject to the weight loss prior authorization process under the assumption the drug is being used to treat diabetes.</li> <li>Implementing tight utilization management to ensure the right patient is taking the right GLP-1 drug at the right time will help employers avoid overspend as more products hit the market.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>There are more than 20 cell &amp; gene therapy drugs approved by the FDA today, with as many as 50 - 100 anticipated by 2025.</li> <li>In January 2023, Hemgenix, a treatment for hemophilia B, was approved with a price tag of \$3.5 million, making it the most expensive drug on the market.</li> <li>Today, most self-insured employers are protected from this risk through their stop-loss plan language</li> <li>Due to large cost and unpredictability, stop loss-market is starting to eliminate coverage for these drugs</li> <li>It may be prudent for employers to explore alternative coverage strategies and adjustments in plan coverage to protect against future claims.</li> </ul>

## **Rx: GLP-1 Agonists**

#### **GLP-1** Agonists

- Trulicity, Ozempic, etc., treats Type 2 Diabetes.
- Lowers blood sugar levels over period of time.
- · Found to have side effect of weight-loss.
- Only Wegovy and Saxsenda approved for weight loss.

Mounjaro recently passed through Phase II out of III for FDA approval.

#### **VBA** Population Utilization

- Members with Rx claims: 47% increase per 1k.
- 223/339 members on GLP-1's were coded as having Diabetes during the reporting periods.
- Total Employer Paid \$2.14M (59% increase).

MMA BoB for Employer Spend increased 54% between 2021-2022.

#### **CONSIDERATIONS\***

- Less than 22% of employers are covering prescription drugs specifically designed for weight-loss for smaller employers (<5,000 EE's) and more frequently for employers larger than 5,000 EE's.
- Average cost of drug  $\sim$ \$1,000/mo. per employee; studies support drugs are designed for long-term use  $\rightarrow$  higher costs.

## **Best Practice**

- MMA does not recommend off-label use of medications outside of FDA approved labeling language.
- Examine Carrier and PBM guidelines for utilization and Prior Authorization requirements and quantity limits.
- Ensure consistency in policy documents depending on client decisions to cover or exclude weight-loss medications.

# **Approved Therapies**

Current approved therapies include

Drug	Disease Indication	Cost	
Luxturna	Inherited retinal dystrophy	\$850,000	
Zolgensma	Spinal muscular atrophy (SAM)	\$2,125,000	
Zynteglo	Transfusion dependent β-thalassemia	\$2,800,000	
Skysona	Cerebral adrenoleukodystrophy (CALD)	\$3,000,000	
Hemgenix	Hemophilia B	\$3,500,000	
Roctavian (recently approved)	Hemophilia A	\$2,900,000	
Elevidys (recently approved)	Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD)	\$3,200,000	

VBA currently excludes Gene Therapy treatment from the medical plan.

# It is estimated that in 2023, cellular and gene therapies will total between



43

compared with just 7 per million members in 2020.9

# 50-100

gene and cell therapies are anticipated to receive FDA approval by 2025.<sup>1</sup>

# 87%

of employers are concerned about the new million-dollar treatments getting approved by the FDA.<sup>9</sup>

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# **VBA: gene therapy solution overview**

## **Program Highlights**

				# of members with	Potential # members
Gene Therapy Drug	Treatment for	Est. Cost	<u>Prevalence</u>	<u>diagnosis*</u>	<u>who may be eligible</u>
Luxturna	Vision Loss - Retinal Dystrophy	\$850,000	1:3,500	4	4
7 -	Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA) children	ća 100 000	1.10.000	2	0
Zolgensma	<2	\$2,100,000	1:10,000	2	U
Zynteglo	Blood disorder - Beta Thalassemia	\$2,800,000	1:100,000	0	0
Skysona	Active cerebral adrenoleukodystrophy	\$3,000,000	1:15,000	0	0
Hemgenix	Hemophilia B	\$3,500,000	1:40,000	1	0
Elevidys	Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (4-5 yr old)	\$ 3,200,000	1:3,500	0	0
Roctavian	Hemophilia A	Estimated \$2.5M	1:5,600	0	0

Retinal Dystrophy - Adults with genetically confirmed mutations in both copies of the RPE 65 gene may be candidates for Luxturna but may not choose to have treatment. Individuals must undergo a complete clinical evaluation and testing to determine if enough cells remain in the retina to receive the treatment.

• Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA) \*Werdnig-Hoffman | Gene therapy Zolgensma is indicated for children less than 2 years of age as candidates for this gene therapy that meet the clinical requirements such as infants under a certain weight limit. Zolgensma is a one-time-only dose to stop the progression of spinal muscular atrophy (SMA). It is not a cure for spinal muscular atrophy. Significant testing is required prior to infusion.

- Beta Thalassemia is an inherited disorder that impairs the production of hemoglobin, the blood protein responsible for transporting oxygen. Zynteglo works by adding functional copies of a modified form of the beta-globin gene into a patient's own hematopoietic stem cells. This allows them to make normal to near-normal levels of total hemoglobin without regular blood transfusions. Members with beta thalassemia require blood transfusions every 2-5 weeks with lifetime health care costs that can reach \$6.4 million in the United States.
- Cerebral Adrenoleukodystrophy (CALD) is a rare hereditary genetic condition that causes the buildup of very long chain fatty acids (VLCFAs) in the brain. When VLCFAs accumulate, they destroy the protective myelin sheath around the nerve cells, responsible for brain function. CALD is a progressive, irreversible and fatal disease primarily affecting young children. Skysona is a one-time gene therapy to treat boys with early, active cerebral adrenoleukodystrophy. Skysona is made specifically for each patient, using the patient's own blood stem cells and adds functional copies of the ABCD1 gene to the patient's cells. This may help the body to break down the VLCFAs to slow the progression of damage to the brain and slow the decline in neurologic function
- Hemophilia B Hemgenix is a one-time gene therapy infusion given as a single dose by IV infusion. Hemgenix consists of a viral vector carrying a gene for clotting Factor IX. The gene is
  expressed into the liver to produce Factor IX protein, to increase blood levels of Factor IX and thereby limit bleeding episodes.
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#### \* Not all members will be eligible for these drugs based on clinical criteria.

## Historically, most plan sponsors have excluded cellular and gene therapies from coverage because they are considered experimental and investigational in nature.

As these therapies have improved, more insurers, third-party administrators (TPAs), and self-funded plans are making the determination to cover. More solutions are anticipated in the coming years to help plan sponsors, payers, and the market in general understand their risks within their populations, how to finance the risk, as well as provide warranty solutions that help provide an avenue to ensure that value is delivered to the patient and the plan.

The following solutions vary significantly including advantages and disadvantages, target markets, costs, etc., with no solution solving for the entire risk equation for payers or plan sponsors.<sup>8</sup>

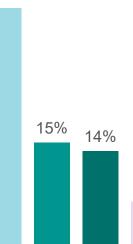
- Capitation solutions will cover specific cell and gene therapies, with many subject to pre-existing condition exclusions, and availability may be limited.
- Center of excellence (CoE) solutions ensure that drug procurement is competitive and is administered with CoE-negotiated rates.
- Stop-loss/reinsurance solutions offer step-down deductibles in coordination with TPA and PBMs, where they can cover their own risk.
- And finally, financing solutions where outcomes-based and warranty solutions benefit the payers and the stop-loss carriers, but not the plan sponsors themselves.<sup>9</sup>

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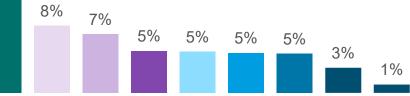
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# We anticipate frequency and severity of medical stop-loss claims to tick up as the 2022 year progresses and extends into 2023.<sup>1</sup>

This is an outcome of deferral challenges and a direct result of macroeconomic factors. One of the top influences contributing to the rise in costs are worsening availability of clinical labor staff.<sup>6</sup>

Employers are refocusing on cost management strategies to slow increases over the long term, while minimizing cost shifting to employees. The use of targeted programs aimed at specific health conditions (e.g., diabetes, musculoskeletal, COPD) has gained traction in recent years as a way to achieve better outcomes and lower costs.<sup>4,7</sup>

**49%** 

of all large employers and 58% of those with 20,000 or more employees offer these types of programs or are seriously considering it.

12%

of all employers have adopted enhanced clinical management models beyond the standard health plan model.<sup>7</sup>



# 2024 RFP Update

# **Pharmacy**

Current program with ESI/RX Benefits on a carveout arrangement since 2020.

RFP in process for 1/1/24 effective date:

- Request quotes on a carveout basis from ESI, Optum & Caremark
- Also requested a quote from Anthem on an integrated basis
- Reviewed financial contract offerings, customer service metrics, and ability to slow pharmacy trends, especially around specialty drugs.
- Asking for alternatives to RX Assurance Captive as only available for RX Benefits customers.

Recommendation to Board to move to Anthem (Carelon RX):

- Inegrated Platform with 24/7 customer service
- Sydney integration and Prior Authorization efficiencies
- Most Competitive contract of all bidders

# **Voluntary Benefits**

- Marketed Voluntary Accident, Critical Illness, and Hospital Indemnity benefits
  - Intend to replace current Group Aflac offerings; participants with individual voluntary Aflac policies will not be impacted
- Anthem and Securian are finalists presented to VBA Benefits team week of April 24
- Both offer reduced rates for employees
- Enrollment will mapped from Aflac on Bswift

#### Anthem

- Use same billing and file feed structure already in place Securian
- Discount on medical plan fees
- \$5,000 implementation credit
- Tech subsidies

- Performance guarantees
- Integration with bSwift
  - · Includes implementation credits
  - Tech subsidies

# Dental

- Request for Information (RFI) was conducted in Spring of 2023 to evaluate dental plan networks
- RFI was sent to Anthem, Ameritas, Cigna, Delta Dental, Dominion National, MetLife, SunLife and United Concordia
- Conclusion: Delta Dental has the broadest network in Commonwealth
  - Consideration of increasing the out of network allowance on the plan

#### Weighted by total number of overall claims:

23,962	
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	Delta Dental	Delta Dental	Anthem		Cigna Total	Dominion			United
	Premier	PPO	Complete	Ameritas	DPPO	National	MetLife	SunLife	Concordia
Number of									
claims	20,762	9,084	18,577	14,459	15,126	11,596	13,608	14,449	13,945
Percentage									
of Claims	86.65%	37.91%	77.53%	60.34%	63.12%	48.39%	56.79%	60.30%	58.20%

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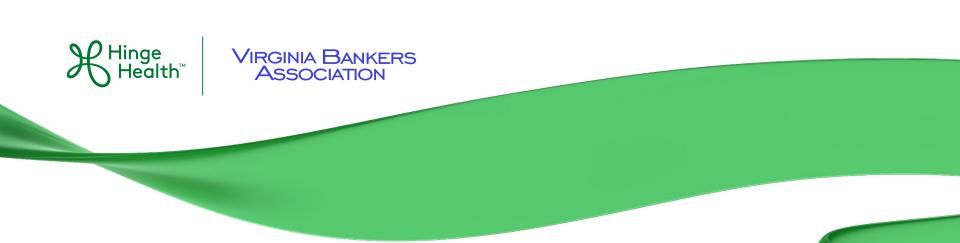
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# Simple, complete & personalized musculoskeletal care

We help members move beyond pain.

# Agenda

- 01 Goals & program performance
- 02 Our approach to MSK care
- 03 The member experience
- 04 Product Updates
- 05 Questions

# Shared goals and how we'll achieve them

## Shared goals

- Improve access to care
- Improve outcomes
- Increase ROI

## What defines success

- Engagement
- Education
- Outcomes

#### How we get there

- Simply accessible
- Clinically complete
- Intelligently personalized

## Most studied digital MSK solution

Only solution with multiple 3rd party validated medical claims analyses and large-scale studies

#### Peer-reviewed clinical studies

#### 2017

41 participants 12-Week and 6-Month outcomes

#### 2018

162 participants

Randomized control trial for knee pain participants

#### 2019

177 participants Randomized control trial for low back pain 2020 10,264 participants Large scale outcomes

#### 2021

41,241 participants Older user outcomes

36 participants Enso treatment for chronic back pain 2022

2,570 participants 1-year long term outcomes

937 participants Acute study outcomes

53 participants Surgery program feasibility

159 participants Acute to chronic prevention study

## 3rd party validated medical claims analysis

#### 2021

748 participants 3rd party validated claims analysis

#### 2022

8,414 participants 3rd party validated claims analysis

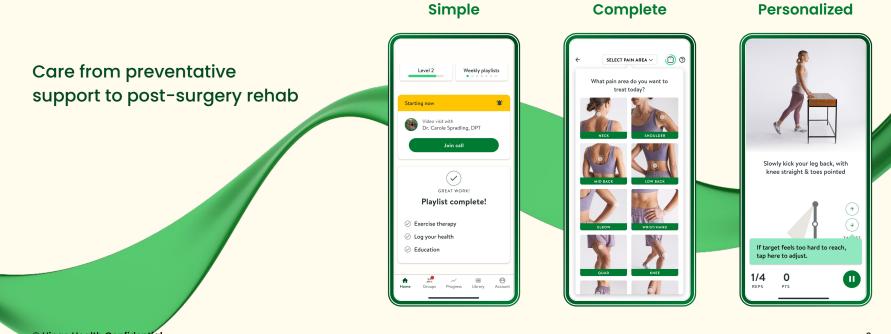
467 participants 3rd party validated claims analysis



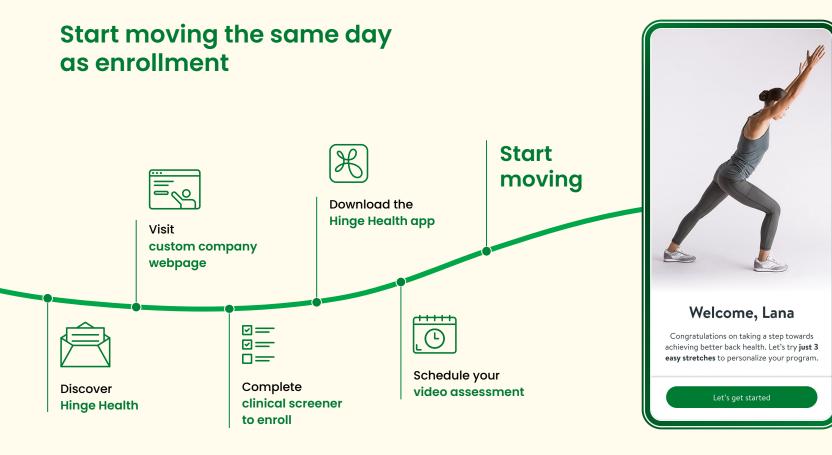
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# Our unique member experience

## Reimagined care – built around your members



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## Hinge Health all-time impact summary

Program launch date: 1/1/2022 Data as of: 7/20/2023

All-time summary metrics

## Engagement

622

Members

engaged

24,070

**Total member ET** sessions completed

# 9/10

Member program satisfaction rating

#### **Outcomes - Week 12**

52%

**Reduction in pain** 

65%

**Reduction in** surgery intent **Reduction in lost** productivity

53%

3.7x

ROI



# **Product Updates**

# **Women's Pelvic Health**

## Vision

To stop the silent suffering of women, by normalizing pelvic health and its symptoms. We are empowering women to engage in a dialogue and seek care for treatable pelvic health disorders, across all life stages.

# **FAST@MPANY**



World Changing Ideas 2023 A common MSK condition, overlooked and underserved by the current healthcare system



women have pelvic floor disorders<sup>1</sup>



years is the average to wait to seek care for urinary incontinence<sup>2</sup>

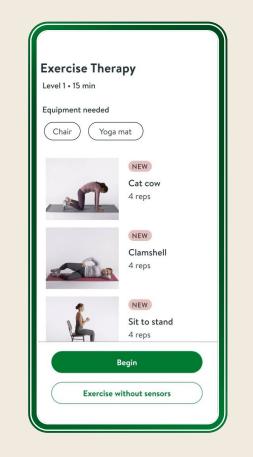


start PT after receiving a referral<sup>3</sup>

Sources: <sup>1</sup>The epidemiology of pelvic floor disorders and childbirth: an update https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/34261109/. <sup>2</sup>Continence Promotion, Education & Primary Prevention. <sup>3</sup>Comparison of Pelvic Floor Physical Therapy Attendance Based on Referring Provider Specialty. Female Pelvic Med Reconstr Surg. 2022 Jan.

# Supporting women with pelvic disorders at all stages of life

- Care for the unique MSK needs of women, including prolapse, abdominal separation, bladder and bowel problems, and chronic pelvic pain.
- Single platform for all programs enables flexibility to coordinate care for pelvic health and common co-occurring MSK conditions
- Complete care team includes Pelvic Floor PTs who customize ET during video visits, women's health coaches spur lifestyle modifications
- Pelvic health education integrated into all programs
- Proactive identification of high-risk members who would benefit from a pelvic health assessment



# Care for the full continuum of pelvic floor disorders

Supporting women at all stages of life – from early adulthood to after menopause, with care personalized around their pelvic floor needs

## Pelvic strength

Focus on pelvic muscle strengthening

Stress incontinence Pelvic organ prolapse Fecal incontinence Diastasis

## Bladder control

Focused on mind-body connection to reduce incontinence

Urge incontinence Mixed incontinence

## Pelvic pain

Focused on pelvic muscle relaxation and control

Dyspareunia (pain with intercourse) Pelvic girdle pain Bowel dysfunction

# Pregnancy & postpartum

# Supporting women through pregnancy and postpartum

Pubic symphysis pain Pregnancy specific low back, hip and pelvic girdle pain Stress incontinence Diastasis

# Breathing and meditation for holistic pelvic health care

#### **Guided breathing supports members**

- Addresses multiple symptoms of pelvic floor dysfunction
- Choose from 10 different audio meditations focused on addressing pelvic floor symptoms and pain
- Expert guidance by our PT and coaches that have backgrounds in meditation

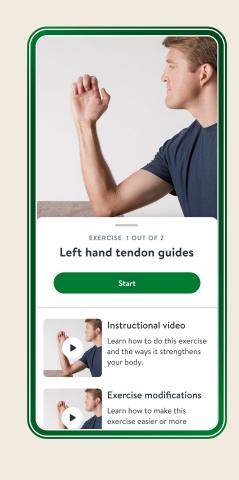


# Enhanced chronic pathways

## **Enhanced chronic pathways**

Supports members with chronic pain in the foot, ankle, elbow, wrist, forearm, hand and finger

- Clinically curated exercise therapy to rehab target body part, maintain activity levels, and build strength
- Mastery of Movement Modules build confidence and ensure exercise safety and efficacy
- Advanced computer vision motion tracking for precise form feedback and real-time care plan modifications by care team
- Robust behavioral support reinforced throughout curriculum



# MyCare Tab

# Increasing access with Spanish & French language

# Spanish and French speaking members have access to

- A translated in-app experience
- Spanish and French-speaking care team members
- Translated kit materials
- Easily toggle between languages

#### Why this matters

Over 41M people in the US are native Spanish-speakers, 81% of whom prefer to see a Spanish-speaking healthcare provider.

French language allows Hinge Health to begin to serve international populations in Canada, in the future.



# Simple and direct access to a member's care team

#### My Care tab

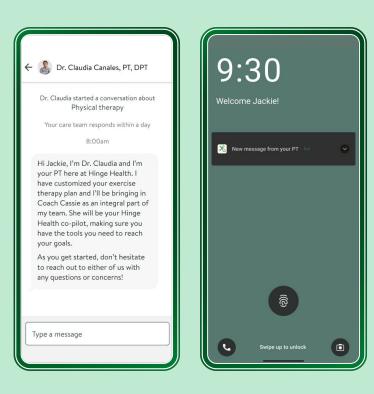
A dedicated, centralized home for all your Care Team info, bios and interactions in the app

#### **Easy PT and Coach Appointments**

Schedule calls with your health coach, video visits with your primary PT, or another PT available sooner, whenever you need

#### In-App Messaging

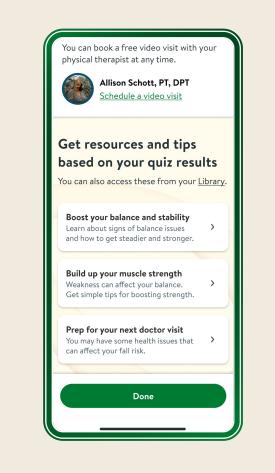
Enables convenient, PHI-secure, async messages with your PT and coach (available Q4 2023)



# Fall prevention

### Fall prevention addresses MSK drivers of strength and balance

- Enhanced screening risk assessment STEADI fall risk questionnaire for those 65+
- Complete care team for physical and behavioral support
- Specialized care focusing on strength and balance building exercises and education to reduce fall risk
- House calls provide safety/environmental assessments, addressing fall risks in real-time within the home



## Hybrid care

#### Hybrid care gives members access to in-person and digital options

- Convenient access and scheduling with visits at home or workplace
- In-person assessment enhance care while building member confidence
- Single provider for coordinated care, digital and in-person care
- Improved health equity addressing social determinants of health by removing barriers



#### **Trusted leader in MSK care**

#### 4 out of 5 employers

choose Hinge Health 1,250+ customers

#### 25+ million covered lives

have access to Hinge Health

#### 40+ health plans & PBMs

choose Hinge Health as a preferred partner

#### 3.6x ROI

for the professional services industry

### **3.7x ROI** for VBA











Hinge Health Book of Business Analysis 2022

## **Questions?**

## Thank you

## Appendix

## How VBA program is performing (All Time)

#### Improve access to care Improve employee wellbeing **Reduce unnecessary surgeries** Week 12 10% 52% 622 65% 6.9% Members Reduction Reduction 4% engaged in pain in surgery 20.0% likelihood (lyr) 🔵 Hip 💿 Shoulder 🛑 All Programs Screener Week 12 Member interaction 46% **Reduce costs Create happy** 12% employees 21 1-2 weekly exercise therapy sessions 4.0x ROL **Reduction in** depression 40 3-4 weekly care team interactions 9/10 53% 63% 11 1-2 weekly education articles read

Anxiety (GAD)

Depression (PHQ)

**Reduction in** 

anxiety

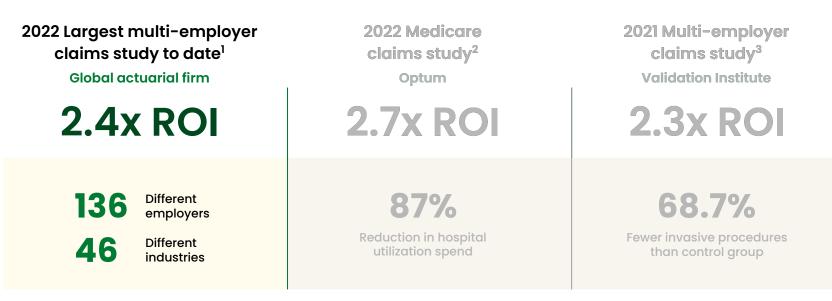
Average interaction per participant over 12 weeks

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Satisfaction

Reduced absenteeism

#### **Proven medical claims reduction**



Additional \$410 in reduced costs related to co-morbid conditions such as diabetes & cardiac

Source: <sup>1</sup>/36 Employer Medical Claims ROI Study, 2022 <sup>2</sup>Hinge Health Medicare Cost and Utilization Study, 2022 <sup>3</sup>Hinge Health Multi-Employer Control-Matched Medical Claims Analysis, 2021

#### VBA + bswift

### ACHIEVING YOUR GOALS, TOGETHER

## Today's discussion

bswift Update Roadmap Q & A



### Proven and flexible benefits administration solutions

The right blend of technology, expertise and service excellence for even the most complex benefits administration needs. 1,100

bswifters

#### 18.7M

Total Lives with 44M logins in 2022

53 Channel Partners & 238 Direct Client

Employer Groups

98%

Client Retention



bswift acquired by Francisco Partners:

- Focus on healthcare technology
- Investments in bswift's technology capabilities
- Accelerate growth
- Allows bswift to operate as a stand-alone company

Overall security scorecard score out of 100\*

93

A+

**BBB** Rating

\*As of 12/7/2022



#### bswift PRODUCT

## ROADMAP

#### Reinventing the employee benefits experience

**Mobile Priority** 

Expanded Decision Support Enrollment and user experience

Clean Modern Design & Introduction of AI Operational Improvement

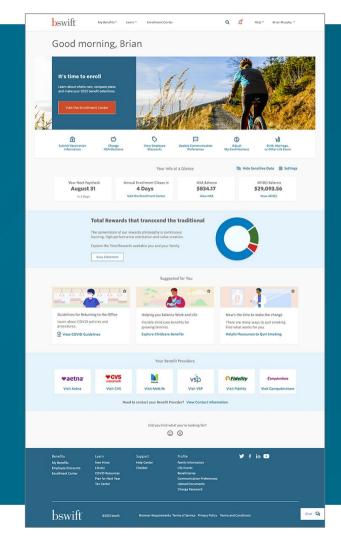


### bswift's new digital **EXPERIENCE**

Developing a new home page design focused on increased personalization, engagement, third-party integration and mobile-first design. In addition to:

bswift

- Targeted Messaging to Provide Personalization
- Streamlined Navigation
- New Document Library
- New Online Total Compensation Statement Integration Capabilities
- Interactive Emma Chatbot & Search



### Infused with AI

Chatbot and Advanced Search powered by AI using Natural Language Understanding (NLU) algorithm

#### **Emma Virtual Assistant:**

- Helps identify the intent behind the user's utterance and allows Emma to respond with the appropriate response.
- Each of the choice is driven by user eligibility and permission in bswift.
- These choices can navigate to various places in bswift core application, as well as return dynamic plan data to the user.

#### Library & Advanced Search:

- Integrated search feature backed by AI Natural Language Understanding (NLU).
- Ability to scan through library documents and FAQs to enhance the user experience in their search of key information.

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9	It looks like you haven't completed your enrollment just yet. Click below to get started.	
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## Provider Search

Availability: Early 2024

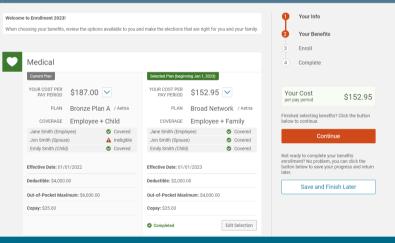
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## Current Plan Comparison

CPC is a comparison tool in enrollment that will provide users the ability to compare their current enrollment data against future/selected plans

#### Enrollment





## Dependent Verification

The DV Audit Module is a tool that will display attributes of documents required for verification. Based on the document received, and the attributes required, the auditor may approve or reject coverage.

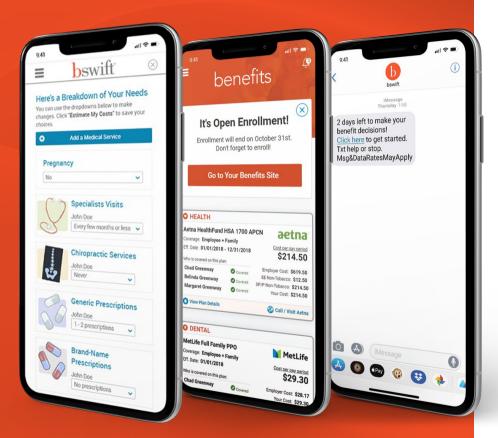
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### bswift mobile solutions

bswift is the hub for benefits. With bswift's mobile solutions, employees always have easy access to their benefits information, helping them make smart and timely health care decisions on-the-go.

- Mobile-first responsive design bswift platform
- SMS text messages from bswift reporting suite
- New bswift Benefits App August!
  - Streamlined account access
  - Biometric authentication
  - In-App alerts
  - Push notifications 2024





#### In the lab for 2023 and beyond

A few of the high impact deliverables being considered for future releases.

- In-line guided assistance to simplify more complex and error-prone processes
- Expansion of integrated employee engagement and communications capabilities across all channels
- Integration of ChatGPT-style generative AI into our employee, customer care and administrator experience
- New quality and transparency tools to help people make better choices around care decisions
- New pluggable enrollment experiences tailored to different audiences
- Expanded and redesigned Emma decision support capabilities inside and outside of the enrollment experience



Questions





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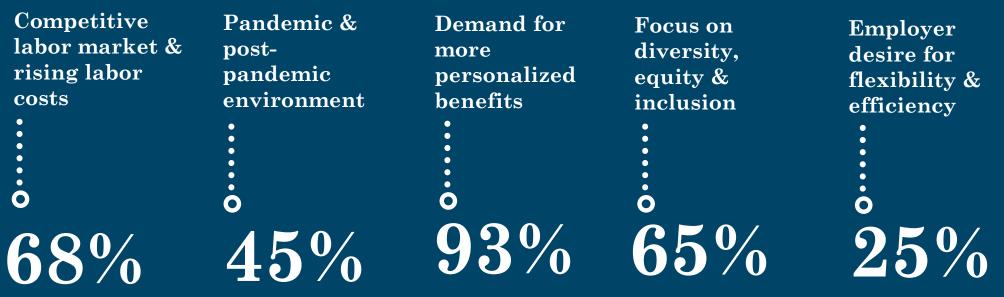
## Lifestyle Spending Accounts

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# Lifestyle Interest & Uptake

#### Employer Challenges Leading To An Increase In Lifestyle Spending Accounts



of employed workers say they plan to leave their current job within 12 months; 79% believe they can make more money elsewhere of employees now expect more flexibility for day-to-day work, better work/life balance, increased focus on employee wellbeing of employees say the ability to customize their benefits is a "must-have" or "niceto-have" of business leaders say diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) is a high strategic priority of HR teams can save an estimated 15%-25% through program & vendor consolidation, leveraged buying power, favorable contracts & automation 78% of employers offer post-tax benefit programs that can categorized as lifestyle benefits

Percent of firms offering	All ERs	>5K ERs
Health & wellness	41%	75%
Food (grocery, in-office, stipend)	TBD	TBD
Fitness center subsidy/reimbursement	22%	38%
Tuition assistance	48%	76%
Student loan repayment	7%	15%
Professional skills development	78%	75%
Work from home (home office supply/equip)	62%	66%
Cell phone	TBD	TBD
Dependent care	59%	80%
Pet insurance	14%	35%
Employee gift cards	31%	TBD

## Our FBA Lifestyle Solution

## Choosing Your Plan Design





Pre-tax or post-tax Lifestyle account

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- Employers provide to employees via a debit card or claim reimbursement
- Member Bank defines cash amount, fund availability & eligible expenses

# Discovery

## How Do Lifestyle Spending Accounts Work?

Member Bank decides to offer a lifestyle spending account as a benefit



Member Bank determines total program budget, fund duration availability, and policy for unused funds



Member Bank allocates dollars to allowed spending categories and per-category limits



Member Bank & FBA communicate LSA availability to employees via customized materials



Employees receive cards & spend funds (while employers get full insight into utilization & spending)

- My Accounts
Plan years to show: Previous 🗹 Current 📕 Future
Professional development
\$250.00
Balance \$250.00 Spent \$0.00
Work-from home
\$250.00
Balance \$221.00 Spent \$29.00
Leisure & hobbies
\$340.00
Balance \$340.00 Spent \$0.00

### Insights & Trends to Consider in Plan Design



### Key Points of Value

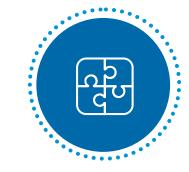












Un-used funds remain with the employer

Ability to target spending

Option for a single "stacked" card

Fund utilization reporting

Simplicity & savings through consolidation

## Designing Your Own Program



# Thank you!





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## Anthem 🗟 🕅

## Cancer support every step of the way

Anthem's Cancer Care Solutions

# Cancer can touch everyone

## 1.8 million

new cancer diagnoses in 2020<sup>1</sup>

**16 million** 

Americans living with a history of cancer<sup>2</sup>

40% of all men will receive a cancer diagnosis

during their

lifetime.<sup>3</sup>

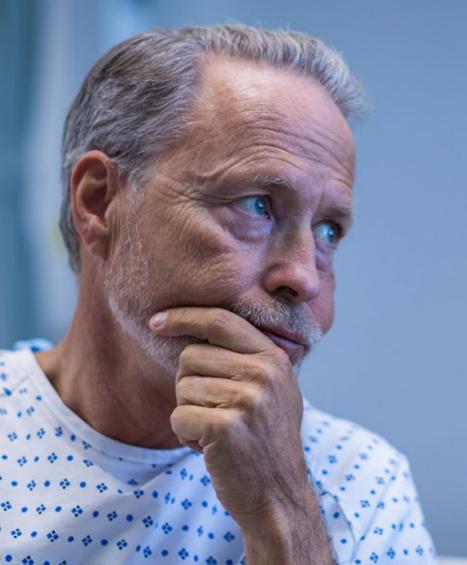
38% of all women will receive a cancer diagnosis during their lifetime.<sup>3</sup>

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# The true costs of cancer



## **\$173B**

total care-related costs by 2020<sup>1</sup>

**4x higher** average expenditures for those with cancer<sup>2</sup>

#### Higher bankruptcy rate

for individuals with a cancer diagnosis when compared to the general population<sup>3</sup>

## **Countless options and escalating prices**

- 100+ diseases, each with different treatments, specialists, and cost drivers
- > Cost fluctuations based on patient location
- > Expensive drug therapy that can often disrupt a member's overall care
- A wide array of side effects, toxicities, and options, making it difficult to choose the best treatment

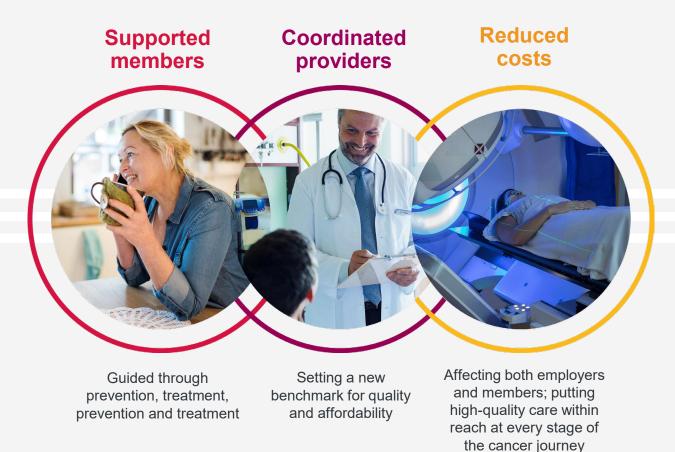
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## Support from every angle

At Anthem, we are transforming what it means to fight cancer and everything that comes with it.



# Unwavering aid through treatment and beyond

Our solutions address the complexities of cancer treatment for everyone who feels their impact.

Treatment Pathways Case Management support and Cancer Care Navigators Stronger Together web-based resources Palliative Recovery or care hospice

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## A clear path to the most effective treatments

#### The challenge

Nearly 33% of people undergoing chemotherapy do not receive a treatment plan consistent with current medical evidence and best practices.

#### The solution

Our Cancer Care Quality Program empowers doctors to enhance outcomes, value, and quality of life for patients everywhere.

decrease in emergency room (ER) visits<sup>\*</sup>

**12%-17%** 

## **13%-18%**

reduction in hospital admissions\*

## Treatment pathways meet the field's most rigorous care standards:

- > Medical evidence and best practice guidelines
- > Affordability and quality benchmarks
- Lower toxicity and other measures that promote the best quality of life for patients

**Note:** These statistics are for members on Pathways versus non-Pathways treatments, across breast, colon, lung, lymphoma, leukemia, rectal, myeloma, ovarian, pancreatic, and melanoma cancers.



## Navigating post-diagnosis with specialized support

Our multidisciplinary Oncology Case Management team can connect members to the whole-person care they need – where and when they need it most.

- **Cancer Care Navigators** act as a single point of contact for members and their care teams, and can answer questions about care and benefits.
- Oncology-focused nurse coaches strive to provide education and seamless care coordination.
- Registered dieticians help members with special or modified nutritional requirements.
- > Behavioral health experts help enhance members' emotional well-being.
- Employee Assistance Program (EAP) services provide counseling for the entire household.\*
- Anthem disability benefits give members a financial safety net.\*

## Cancer Care Navigators: supporting employees through cancer

Anthem wants to make your employees' lives less stressful during this difficult time. Our Cancer Care Navigators are ready to help manage their care, so they can focus on well-being.

Cancer Care Navigators are health educators specially trained to understand different cancer diagnoses and needs. They can:

- Coordinate care and act as a single point of contact for employees, their oncologists, and their care teams.
- > Approach the whole person, supporting both emotional and physical health.
- > Connect employees and their loved ones to community resources.
- > Answer questions about treatment, medication, side effects, and Anthem benefits.
- > Help prevent unnecessary and costly procedures, tests, and ER or hospital visits.



## Stronger Together

Community resources to enhance the care journey

**Stronger Together helps** give those affected by cancer the tools to fight it from every angle.

#### Family and caregivers **Help for Cancer Caregivers** support group

#### **Employers**

**Workplace Transitions** program to help employers navigate cancer in the workplace

You can find all these resources at communityresources.anthem.com.

### Patients and survivors

- Let's Talk Treatment Options and Take Action for Health personalized websites
- Apps for managing treatment plans and self-help strategies

# Palliative care with a human touch

Serious Illness Support solutions can deliver patient-focused, coordinated care for serious illnesses.

- Individualized Care Program: Palliative care is provided by phone, home visits, or in a clinical setting. It includes:
  - + **Care** that focuses on symptom management and quality of life, helping members feel better and more supported.
  - + **Tools** that promote earlier conversations around patient values and care options.
  - + **Enhanced reimbursement** to support existing provider-based palliative care programs.
- > Expanded hospice care: This benefit offers a full suite of hospice resources for the last 12 months of life, without the patient having to pause or stop treatment.



## 20% fewer

ER visits with an early referral for palliative care<sup>1</sup>

## **2.7** additional

months of survival when palliative care is given<sup>2</sup>

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## Supported members. Coordinated providers. Reduced costs.

We are here to give you and your employees the guidance and resources you need to fight cancer.



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## VBA Peer Group Conference

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## Industry updates



### A look to the future Eight takeaways from LIMRA/EY's workforce benefits report<sup>1</sup>

- 2/3 of brokers say a multigenerational workforce will have a significant impact on benefits offerings
- Nearly half of millennials view employerprovided benefits as more valuable now vs. pre-pandemic – 2x more likely than baby boomers
- 3
- Employee interest in non-medical and non-insurance benefits is growing – driving 20% market growth over the next 5 years
- 4
- 70% of large employers plan to offer more benefits over the next 5 years

- More than 4 in 10 employers believe employees will pay greater share of benefits premiums over next 5 years
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67% of mid/large employers expect to rely on their brokers more over the next 5 years



On average, 60% of employees feel employers don't do a great job communicating to them about their benefits



8 in 10 employers believe technology will play a larger role in carrier selection over the next 5 years

# Financial tools



### **Benefit Scout**

Effective decision support to help employees find their right fit

## Takes the guesswork out of selecting products and coverage amounts



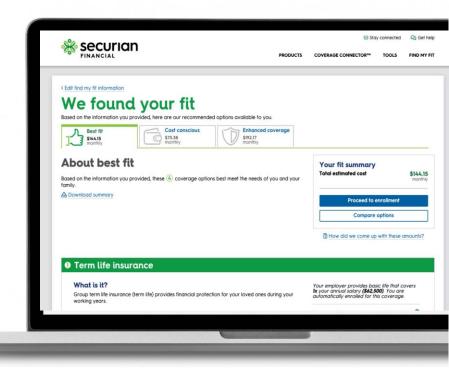
2.8M employees supported by Benefit Scout in 2022\*

Of these users:

- 83% completed the experience
- 45% received a benefit recommendation
- 75% agree or strongly agree Benefit Scout makes it easier to understand their workplace benefits



Demo video: <u>securian.com/benefit-scout</u>



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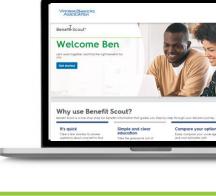
\*As of April 2022

#### **FINANCIAL TOOLS**



#### **Benefit Scout®**

- Interactive tool that helps guide employees through the benefits decision-making process
- It's guick, simple and clear communication
- Helps employees compare their benefit options and enroll with confidence







#### Map a Payout<sup>™1</sup>

- Employees can build claim scenarios following an accident or hospital stay to see their potential payout
- Customized to employer plan design and **personalized** to each employee's options
- Educates employees about how the money can be used for expenses other than medical costs
- Innovative comparison tool is a patented technology

#### Coverage Connector<sup>™</sup>

- Helps employees see how their **benefits** can **work** together to complement one another
- Connects accident, critical illness and hospital indemnity with your employer-offered disability and medical insurance coverage



Demo video: securian.com/benefit-scout

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### Integrated solutions for maximum value

#### **Customer experience**



Enhanced **digital experience** with decision support tools. Adjusted **medical underwriting** reviews of mental health in support of applicant. Preferred name leverage across all systems and platforms

#### **Product options for all**



**Family and individual focused benefits** such as Dependent Parent rider, mental health and PTSD benefits support health and financial needs and complement your existing employees' benefits

## Third-party administrator strategic partnership with bswift



Through deeply fortified relationships and collaboration with **bswift**, we've created account management and implementation processes that make an **easy and seamless transition** for you and your employees





## Dedicated to our customers, steadfast in our pursuit of excellence





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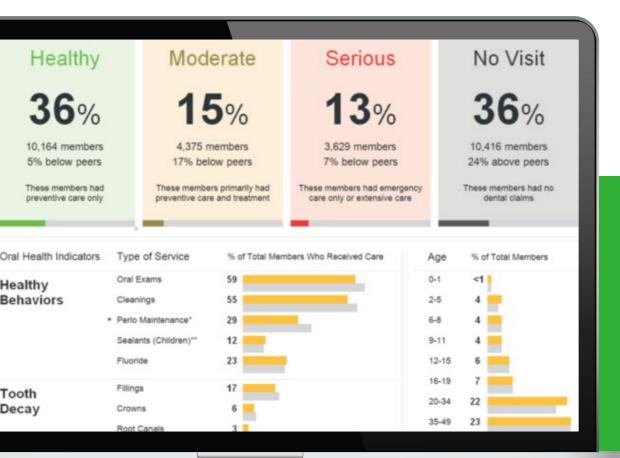
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### > Healthentic Report

### Importance of Preventive Care

- > Reminders:
  - Right Start 4 Kids<sup>®</sup>
  - Healthy Smile, Healthy You®
  - Virtual dental visits available through *TeleDentristry.com*
  - Discounts on hearing aids available through Amplifon

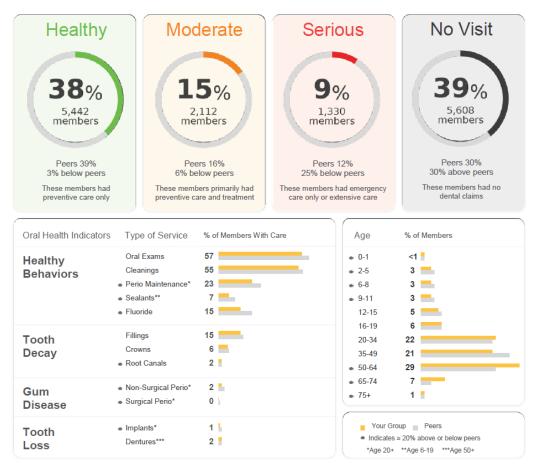


## Healthentic Dental Action Report

- Benchmarks against peers of same industry and size both nationally and locally
- Tied utilization to health categories
- See historical trends and measure results
- Provides opportunity to respond to behavior

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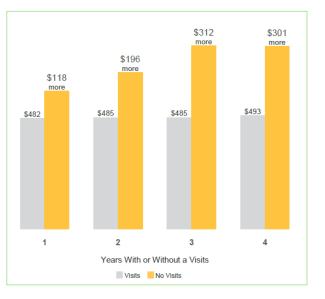
### Categories



- 38% of members are considered "Healthy"
  - DDVA Book of Business: 33%
- 39% of members didn't see at dentist in the last plan year compared to 28% in 2021
  - 17% of members have not seen a dentist in two years
  - DDVA Book of Business: 43% and 23%
- The majority of No Visit members are age 20 and older
  - 20 to 49 is typically the highest concentration

## The Cost of No Visits





2022 Benchmark: National Data \$83 Less

## **Oral Health & Overall Health**

#### BRAIN

Studies have shown a connection between bacteria associated with periodontal disease and the progression of Alzheimer's disease.<sup>5</sup>

#### HEART

People with gum disease may have a higher risk for heart disease when compared to those with healthy gums, according to the American Academy of Periodontology.<sup>5</sup>

#### LUNGS

Research has found that bacteria associated with gum disease has been linked to a higher risk of respiratory diseases such as pneumonia.<sup>4</sup>

#### INTESTINES

Inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) may cause ulcers In the mouth.<sup>6</sup>

#### KIDNEYS

If you have kidney disease, take extra care of your teeth and gums. Kidney disease may cause mouth problems such as bad breath.<sup>7</sup>

- 120+ diseases may be first detected by dental exam
- Early detection can make treatment easier, less costly, and possibly lifesaving

## **Prevention First**

- Diagnostic and Preventive services such as cleanings, exams, and x-rays do not count towards the annual maximum
- This means, even if you use your full annual maximum during the year for other services, your preventive services will still be covered at 100%
- > Included in Comprehensive, Indemnity, and Basic plans



\*The example shown is for illustrative purposes only.



## Right Start 4 Kids®

- Removes cost barriers
- Preventive and Diagnostic services are already covered at 100% with no deductible
- RS4K provides 100% coverage with no deductible for:
  - **Basic** services
  - Major services
- Available to children up to age 13
- Must see an in-network provider

\*Applicable plan limitations, exclusions, and annual maximums still apply \*Orthodontic services are not eligible for the 100% coverage level



### Healthy Smile, Healthy You®

Healthy Smile, Healthy You<sup>®</sup> provides additional dental benefits beyond your plan limit, per benefit period for the following health conditions that are connected to oral health:

- Pregnancy
- Diabetes
- High risk cardiac conditions
- Cancer treatment
- Weakened immune systems
- Kidney failure or dialysis

You must enroll before taking advantage of this benefit. You can download the enrollment form at <u>DeltaDentalVA.com</u>.

## Included Benefits

## Delta Dental – Virtual Visits

Delta Dental – Virtual Visits provides access to dentists 24/7, 365

- online DeltaDentalVA.com
- over the phone 866-256-2101

Members may use service when they:

- Have a dental emergency, but do not have a dentist,
- Need access to a dentist after hours,
- Would like to consult a dentist while traveling.

\*A teledentistry visit counts as a problem-focused exam.



#### Introducing Amplifon



Follow-up care: Ensures a smooth transition\*

Battery support: Battery supply or charging station\*



About 40 million Americans have hearing loss<sup>1</sup>. In fact, about 12% of the U.S. working population has hearing difficulty<sup>2</sup>. Because hearing loss can affect people of all ages, Delta Dental of Virginia is teaming up with Amplifon Hearing Health Care to offer you quality care and special savings on your hearing needs.

#### What causes hearing loss?

Hearing loss can be caused by obstructions in the ear or permanent damage to the inner ear. Common causes of permanent damage include exposure to noise, aging, some health conditions and certain medications.

#### When should I get my hearing checked?

You should have your hearing screened every three to five years or tested annually after age 50. You should also have your hearing screened if you are experiencing:

- Consistent exposure to loud noises,
- Difficulty understanding others in noisy environments,
- Feeling as though people are not speaking clearly or are mumbling, or
- Consistent ringing in your ears.

## How to Access Your Hearing Program

#### Call Amplifon at 877.593.0051

- Amplifon will explain the program details and help you take a virtual hearing assessment to confirm the presence of hearing loss
- If loss is detected, Amplifon will help you schedule an appointment with a provider near you
- Amplifon will send information to you and the provider, ensuring your program is activated

For more information, call 877.593.0051 or visit www.amplifonusa.com/lp/deltadentalva

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## Pre-Determination of Benefits

- Recommended but not required
- ➢ For services of \$250+

Process:

- Dentist submits to Delta Dental to include proposed treatment plan
- Delta Dental processes like a claim form (turnaround time 5-7 business days )
- Statement mailed to dentist and subscriber indicating reimbursement amount

Allows members to make an informed decision prior to having services rendered!



## Your lifetime, trusted health partner



Helping your employees find the right care at the right time with our behavioral, clinical, and digital platforms



## Our Employee Assistance Program delivers meaningful connections to you and your employees

Our enhanced solution offers support to help individuals manage life's challenges.

#### The results:

Our EAP model improves employee engagement, productivity, and satisfaction, with 86% of participants saying their work performance and productivity has improved.\*

~	24/7 phone assistance for personal and organizational crisis events
Aember Support	Counseling visits – in person, by phone, or virtually
	Work/life services to meet employees' everyday needs like legal, financial, child/elder care support
	Digital tools, including Emotional Well-being Resources
	Guidance on engaging with behavioral health services
<u>o_o</u>	Trainings for managers, Human Resources (HR) staff, and employees
	Critical incident response (CIR) services
mployer Services	Management consultations for supervisor and manager referrals

## **Comprehensive solutions to serve complex needs**

Connecting individuals to customized programs and personalized treatment to meet their unique needs before, during, and after physical and mental health events.



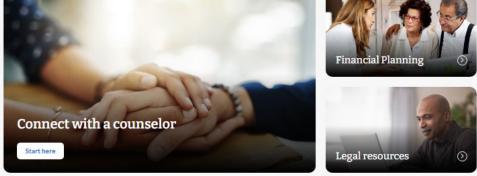
## **Digital Experience**

## Deliver truly comprehensive experiences

Access to high quality care and support

Spanish language capabilities

### COVID-19 Info Language Anthem. 🐨 Urgent Assistance Welcome to your Company Employee Assistance Program (EAP) How can we help you?





#### **Critical Event Support**

EAP is available to you and those you care about. If you or someone you are concerned about have been impacted by a critical event, call your 24/7, toll-free EAP number, **800-000-0000** 

**Deeply committed to behavioral health** We are expanding our capabilities, clinical expertise, and access to quality behavioral healthcare to help members feel confident in care.

#### Anthem 🚭 🖗

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