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Plan Comparison

No Medical Underwriting Required Your Acceptance is Guaranteed	LINK 1		LINK 2	
Prescription Drugs				
Maximums	Year 1: \$500 Year 2: \$650 Year 3+: \$800	Plan pays 80% per person per year, subject to annual max.	Year 1: \$750 Year 2: \$900 Year 3+: \$1,100	Plan pays 80% per person per year, subject to annual max.
Dental Care				
Maximums	Not included		Year 1: \$600 Year 2: \$800 Year 3+: \$1,000	per person per year
Recall Frequency			9 months	
Basic Services			Plan pays 80%, subject to annual max.	
Comprehensive Basic Services			Plan pays 80%, subject to annual max.	
Major Services			Not included	
Orthodontic Services				
Vision Care				
Prescription eyeglasses, contact lenses, laser eye surgery	\$150 per person every 2 years		\$200 per person every 2 years	
Eye Examination	\$50 per person every 2 years			
Extended Health Care				
GreenShield Telemedicine	4 virtual visits per family every year with a licensed general healthcare practitioner, available 7 days a week, 365 days a year (24 hours a day)			
Professional Services/Registered Therapists				
Chiropractor, Physiotherapist, Chiropodist/Podiatrist, Dietitian, Naturopath, Osteopath	\$20 per visit, 15 visits per person per practitioner, per year		\$300 per person per practitioner, per year	
Massage Therapist, Acupuncturist	\$20 per visit, 15 visits per person per practitioner, per year			
Speech Therapist	\$300 per person per year			
Psychologist/Psychotherapist/Registered Social Worker	\$600 per person per year combined			
GreenShield Mental Health	4 hours of virtual counselling (2 hours for individual therapy, 2 hours for couples therapy) per person per year; additional therapy is eligible for coverage under the Psychology benefit			
Accidental Dental	\$2,500 per person per year		\$5,000 per person per year	
Ambulance Transportation	Includes land and air			
Hearing Aids	\$300 per person every 4 years		\$400 per person every 4 years	
Medical Services Diagnostic tests and x-rays, dialysis equipment, laboratory tests	\$2,000 per person per year			
Medical Items and Home Support Services (in-home nursing) Separate maximums for Medical Items and Home Support Services	\$1,500 per person per benefit category, per year		\$2,500 per person per benefit category, per year	
Hospital Accommodation – Semi-Private and/or Private				
Benefit pays the difference between standard ward charges and semi-private and/or private accommodation in a public general hospital in your province/territory of residence	\$200 per person per day 30 days maximum per year			
Travel – Out of Province/Country				
Multi-Trip Emergency Medical Travel Coverage	10 days per trip \$5,000,000 per person per year			

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Plan Comparison

No Medical Underwriting Required Your Acceptance is Guaranteed	LINK 3		LINK 4	
Prescription Drugs				
Maximums	Year 1: \$1,200 Year 2: \$1,350 Year 3+: \$1,500	Plan pays 80% per person per year, subject to annual max.	Year 1: \$2,300 Year 2: \$2,400 Year 3: \$2,500 Year 4+: \$2,700	Plan pays 80% per person per year, subject to annual max.
Dental Care				
Maximums	Year 1: \$750 Year 2: \$1,000 Year 3+: \$1,250	per person per year	Year 1: \$1,000 Year 2: \$1,250 Year 3+: \$1,750	per person per year
Recall Frequency	9 months		6 months	
Basic Services	Plan pays 80%, subject to annual max.			
Comprehensive Basic Services	Plan pays 80%, subject to annual max.			
Major Services	Available in Year 3 – Plan pays 50%, subject to annual max.		Available in Year 3 – Plan pays 60%, subject to annual max.	
Orthodontic Services	Not included		Available in Year 3 – Plan pays 60%; \$2,000 lifetime max. per person	
Vision Care				
Prescription eyeglasses, contact lenses, laser eye surgery	\$250 per person every 2 years		\$300 per person every 2 years	
Eye Examination	\$65 per person every 2 years		\$80 per person every 2 years	
Extended Health Care				
GreenShield Telemedicine	4 virtual visits per family every year with a licensed general healthcare practitioner, available 7 days a week, 365 days a year (24 hours a day)			
Professional Services/Registered Therapists				
Chiropractor, Physiotherapist, Chiropodist/Podiatrist, Dietitian, Naturopath, Osteopath	\$400 per person per practitioner, per year		\$600 per person per practitioner, per year; up to \$1,200 per person per year combined	
Massage Therapist, Acupuncturist	\$40 per visit, 20 visits per person per practitioner, per year		\$50 per visit, 20 visits per person per practitioner, per year	
Speech Therapist	\$400 per person per year		\$600 per person per year	
Psychologist/Psychotherapist/Registered Social Worker	\$600 per person per year combined			
GreenShield Mental Health	4 hours of virtual counselling (2 hours for individual therapy, 2 hours for couples therapy) per person per year; additional therapy is eligible for coverage under the Psychology benefit			
Accidental Dental	\$10,000 per person per year			
Ambulance Transportation	Includes land and air			
Hearing Aids	\$500 per person every 4 years		\$600 per person every 4 years	
Medical Services Diagnostic tests and x-rays, dialysis equipment, laboratory tests	\$2,000 per person per year			
Medical Items and Home Support Services (in-home nursing) Separate maximums for Medical Items and Home Support Services	\$5,000 per person per benefit category, per year			
Hospital Accommodation – Semi-Private and/or Private				
Benefit pays the difference between standard ward charges and semi-private and/or private accommodation in a public general hospital in your province/territory of residence	\$200 per person per day 30 days maximum per year		\$250 per person per day 30 days maximum per year	
Travel – Out of Province/Country				
Multi-Trip Emergency Medical Travel Coverage	15 days per trip \$5,000,000 per person per year			

Benefit Descriptions

Prescription drugs

- Prescription drugs approved for use in Canada that require a prescription by law and have been prescribed by an authorized medical practitioner.
- Brand name drugs covered if no generic equivalent exists.
- Smoking cessation products and drugs for the treatment of obesity, infertility and erectile dysfunction are not covered.

For Quebec residents: To be eligible for LINK prescription drug coverage, you must be covered by the RAMQ (Régie de l'assurance maladie du Québec) Public Prescription Drug Insurance Plan. Your prescription drug claims must be submitted to RAMQ first. When RAMQ reimburses a portion of the drug cost, unpaid balances (including co-payments and deductibles) will be co-ordinated so that you may be reimbursed up to 100% of the eligible expense incurred. If the drug is not covered by RAMQ, the standard co-pay applies.

Dental care

Basic services

- Preventive cleaning
- Routine examinations, x-rays
- Fillings and extractions
- Fluoride treatment for children

Comprehensive basic services

- Endodontic treatment – root canal therapy
- Periodontal treatment – scaling and root planing, occlusal adjustment, equilibration
- Denture repairs, rebasing, relining

Major services

- Crowns and onlays, dentures, bridgework

Orthodontic services

- Orthodontic treatment to straighten teeth and correct the bite

Extended health care

Greenshield mental health

Virtual counselling with qualified GreenShield Mental Health therapists who best match your needs. The GreenShield Mental Health platform provides a unique and flexible matching process that incorporates diversity, inclusivity considerations and personal preferences, as well as therapist credentials that align with your clinical needs. The final choice is yours. There are no out-of-pocket expenses for the initial 4 hours of therapy (2 for individual counselling; 2 for couples counselling). Additional virtual sessions are easy to arrange and eligible for coverage under the Psychology benefit.

Medical items

- Aids for daily living (such as hospital style beds, IV stand, trapeze, bedpan)
- Braces, casts, catheters and ostomy supplies
- Compression stockings
- Diabetic supplies
- Custom made boots or shoes, custom made foot orthotics
- Mobility aids (such as canes, crutches, walkers, wheelchairs)
- Prosthetics
- Respiratory/cardiology items (such as breathing and heart monitors for infants, compressors, oxygen)

Hospital Accommodation

Semi-private and/or private accommodation in a public general hospital in your province/territory of residence.

Emergency medical travel coverage

Multi-trip emergency medical coverage when travelling out-of-province or out-of-country.

A few helpful things to know

Guaranteed acceptance

Your acceptance for any LINK plan is guaranteed—as long as we receive your initial payment. Coverage can start as early as the first of the following month. It's that simple.

Coverage for pre-existing conditions

Additionally, LINK plans include coverage for ongoing medical conditions, giving you peace of mind when you need it most.

Additional information

This plan comparison is a summary and does not constitute a contract. Actual terms, conditions, limitations and exclusions are detailed in the contract issued by GreenShield upon application approval. Reimbursement will be made for eligible expenses incurred, paid for and received by the covered person provided such services and supplies are, in the opinion of GreenShield, medically necessary for the treatment of an illness or injury and reasonable and customary, taking all factors into account. Costs for medical services eligible for coverage under provincial health insurance plans will not be eligible for coverage under LINK plans.

Coverage amounts shown are in Canadian Dollars.

Benefits are subject to change; GreenShield will provide policy owners with thirty (30) days written notice.



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