

Transparency in Coverage: Cost Estimator Tool overview

Available for you now as an Aetna® member

What is the Cost Estimator Tool?*

The Cost Estimator tool gives members access to cost-sharing liability for covered items or services. The Transparency in Coverage final rule requires group health plans and health insurance carriers to disclose this information. It can either be on a website or in paper form, if requested.



A member self-service tool that gives you:

- Cost-sharing liability (deductible, co-insurance, etc.)
- Accumulated amounts
- Out-of-network allowed amounts for covered items or services
- Negotiated rates for in-network services
- Any prerequisite for covered items or services

How will the Cost Estimator Tool work?



Member logs into Aetna member website



Search for a provider or select 'Find Care and Pricing'



Select the "Estimate Costs" link



Arrive on the Cost Estimator Tool landing page



Select "Doctors by name" or "Get Cost Estimates" tile



Search for a provider or service in the Cost Tool Estimator

Aetna Member Website

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Paper-based cost estimate

- Your plan must give you at least 20 provider estimates for an item or service in a paper-based form if you request it.
- You can call Member Services to help get a paper-based estimate.

*Estimated costs are not available in all markets or for all services. We provide an estimate for the amount you would owe for a particular service based on your plan at that very point in time. It is not a guarantee. Actual costs may differ from an estimate for various reasons including claims processing times for other services, providers joining or leaving our network or changes to your plan. Health maintenance organization (HMO) members can only get estimated costs for doctor and outpatient facility services.



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