

Meriter Choice Reward Plan “How To” Guide

So you have a Meriter Choice Reward Plan from Physicians Plus. Now what? These plans have a deductible for Outpatient/Ambulatory & Inpatient Surgery & Services and work just like any other Physicians Plus plan. However — and here’s where you should really pay attention — when you choose to receive covered services at a Meriter Choice facility, the deductible does not apply.

That’s the beauty of your Meriter Choice Reward Plan. You can eliminate an out-of-pocket expense (the deductible) by making sure you receive Outpatient/Ambulatory & Inpatient Surgery & Services at a Meriter Choice facility.

What is a Meriter Choice facility?

The following are all Meriter Choice facilities:

- ◆ Meriter Hospital, Madison
- ◆ Madison Surgery Center, Madison
- ◆ Upland Hills Health, Dodgeville
- ◆ Divine Savior Healthcare, Portage
- ◆ Sauk Prairie Memorial Hospital, Prairie Du Sac

How do I find providers who will send me to Meriter Choice facilities?

Our online and printed provider directories have blue check marks next to the names of providers who refer patients to Meriter Choice facilities. For instance, all providers at Meriter Medical Clinics (McKee, Middleton, West Washington and Middleton–Pediatrics) will refer you to Meriter Choice facilities. Just look for the blue check mark! And just to make sure, ask any providers you visit — especially specialists — if they refer their patients to Meriter Choice facilities. While many providers in our network may refer patients to Meriter Choice facilities, we are certain that those marked with blue checks will do so.

What happens if I receive Outpatient/Ambulatory & Inpatient Surgery & Services at a non-Meriter Choice facility?

In all cases, even if the services in question are not available at a Meriter Choice facility, your policy deductible will apply. After the deductible, services will be covered according to the terms of your policy.

Be Proactive!

Ask ahead of time; don’t wait until you need Outpatient/Ambulatory & Inpatient Surgery & Services. Whenever you see a new doctor, especially a specialist, make sure that they will refer you to a Meriter Choice facility, if needed.

Remember, the choices you make will determine whether or not your deductible applies when you need outpatient or inpatient surgery! If you have any questions about your Meriter Choice Reward Plan, please feel free to visit www.pplusic.com or contact Member Service at ppinfo@pplusic.com, (608) 282-8900 or (800) 545-5015.