

Medicare 2018 costs at a glance

Listed below are basic costs for people with Medicare. If you want to see and compare costs for specific health care plans, visit the [Medicare Plan Finder](#).

For specific cost information (like whether you've met your deductible, how much you'll pay for an item or service you got, or the status of a claim), visit [MyMedicare.gov](#).

Find out if Medicare covers a specific test, item or service that's not listed under the detailed Medicare cost information section at www.medicare.gov/your-medicare-costs/costs-at-a-glance/costs-at-a-glance.html#collapse-4808

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Part A premium	Most people don't pay a monthly premium for Part A (sometimes called " premium-free Part A "). If you buy Part A, you'll pay up to \$422 each month. If you paid Medicare taxes for less than 30 quarters, the standard Part A premium is \$422. If you paid Medicare taxes for 30-39 quarters, the standard Part A premium is \$232.
Part A hospital inpatient deductible and coinsurance	<p>You pay:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1,340 deductible for each benefit period • Days 1-60: \$0 coinsurance for each benefit period • Days 61-90: \$335 coinsurance per day of each benefit period • Days 91 and beyond: \$670 coinsurance per each "lifetime reserve day" after day 90 for each benefit period (up to 60 days over your lifetime) • Beyond lifetime reserve days: all costs
Part B premium	The standard Part B premium amount is \$134 (or higher depending on your income). However, some people who get Social Security benefits will pay less than this amount (\$130 on average).
Part B deductible and coinsurance	\$183 per year. After your deductible is met, you typically pay 20% of the <u>Medicare-approved amount</u> for most doctor services (including most doctor services while you're a hospital inpatient), outpatient therapy, and <u>durable medical equipment</u> .
Part C premium	The Part C monthly <u>premium</u> varies by plan. Compare costs for specific Part C plans .
Part D premium	The Part D monthly <u>premium</u> varies by plan (higher-income consumers may pay more). Compare costs for specific Part D plans .

**Data from the Medicare.gov website