

Specialty Pharmacy Coverage

At Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Rhode Island (BCBSRI), we want to provide you with access to high-quality, affordable healthcare. For members with complex conditions, sometimes the best treatment available is a specialty drug. That's why BCBSRI now offers the Specialty Pharmacy benefit to ensure that members receive medically appropriate specialty drugs at the lowest possible cost.

Network Specialty Pharmacies

To help members who take specialty drugs get them from a trusted source at the most reasonable cost, we have designated two pharmacies within our network to provide specialty drugs:

- **Caremark Specialty Pharmacy Services**
1-866-278-6634
- **Village Fertility Pharmacy (fertility drugs only)**
1-877-334-1610

How to Use Specialty Pharmacy Benefits

When you purchase specialty drugs from one of our participating specialty pharmacies, Caremark or Village, you pay your health plan's in-network prescription drug copayment or coinsurance. Please refer to your benefit summary for specific copayment, coinsurance, and/or deductible information.

Prior Authorization Requirements:

- Your physician may be asked to supply additional clinical information to Caremark prior to dispensing of medications. At this time, no medications dispensed by Village have prior authorization requirements.
- If your specialty drug is administered at a physician's office, your physician must obtain prior authorization before your scheduled appointment or you may be asked to reschedule. Specialty drugs must be purchased from a network pharmacy. Specialty drugs requiring prior authorization cannot be shipped without prior authorization.
- If you decide to receive medication that has not been approved through the prior authorization process, you may be responsible for up to the full cost of the medication.

For More Information

If you have any questions about your Specialty Pharmacy benefit, please contact Customer Service at (401) 459-5000 or 1-800-639-2227 (outside of Rhode Island).



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