# **BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD FEP VISION** 2025 COVERAGE AT A GLANCE



**BCBS FEP Vision** is a Federal Employees Dental and Vision Insurance Program (FEDVIP) plan available to active and retired federal and USPS employees, retired uniformed service members and their families as well as the families of active duty service members. With our comprehensive vision coverage, we can help you focus on what matters most. **That's the Benefit of Blue**.<sup>®</sup>

### Here's why more people choose Blue:



An expansive network with **over 175,000** providers nationwide



Fully-covered, comprehensive vision care exams for all members

bcbsfepvision.com



Pay nothing out-of-pocket for our Exclusive Collection of 220 designer frames, each valued up to **\$195** 



A frame allowance you can use toward any pair of frames not in the Exclusive Collection. Our High Option frame allowance covers **over 80%** of national retailers' frames in full.

**Use your BCBS FEP Vision benefits at independent providers and national retailers,** including MyEyeDr., Walmart, America's Best, Warby Parker, LensCrafters, Visionworks, Costco, Target Optical, befitting.com, glasses.com, 1800contacts.com and more. **And, new in 2025, contactsdirect.com**.

Find a provider at **<u>bcbsfepvision.com/providers</u>**.



# **2025 Plan Information**

In 2025, the new Postal Service Health Benefits (PSHB) Program will affect USPS employees' BCBS FEP medical coverage, but not BCBS FEP Vision. If you have questions, visit fepblue.org/USPS.



#### New benefits for 2025 NEW



- The copay for retinal imaging is now \$29 for all members, aiding in the detection of eye conditions. These images can assist in the early detection and management of certain eye diseases, including glaucoma, macular degeneration, diabetes and hypertension.
- Standard Option members now have coverage for a non-specialty contact lens evaluation, fitting and follow-up with a **\$55** copay.

find the right plan. Try it at **askblue.bcbsfepvision.com**.

• We've added contactsdirect.com to our online network.

## **Getting frames**

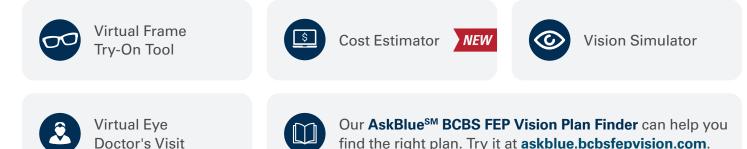
Members pay nothing out-of-pocket for frames from our Exclusive Collection. This collection includes over 220 designer frames, featuring the new RECIRCUL8 sustainable frames made of bio-acetate and recycled stainless steel. These frames are available at over 7,800 independent and privately owned provider offices nationwide. Find a provider that offers the collection at **bcbsfepvision.com/providers**.

If you prefer frames that are not in our Exclusive Collection, you can use your frame allowance toward any pair of frames. The frame allowance is **\$200** with High Option and **\$140** with Standard Option.

Get an additional **\$50** frame allowance at all MyEyeDr. locations. This means High Option members have a \$250 frame allowance and Standard Option members have a \$190 frame allowance.

### Helpful tools and resources

Visit **bcbsfepvision.com** to access many helpful tools, such as:



# What you pay for our most popular services

Benefit	High Option	Standard Option	
Vision Care Exam	You pay <b>nothing</b> for one exam per year. <sup>1</sup>	You pay <b>nothing</b> for one exam per year. <sup>1</sup>	
Retinal Imaging	<b>NEW</b> You pay a <b>\$29 copay</b> .	NEW You pay a \$29 copay.	
Eyeglass Lenses	You pay <b>nothing</b> for one pair per year.	You pay a <b>\$10 copay</b> for one pair per year.	
BCBS Exclusive Collection Frames	You pay <b>nothing</b> for one pair per year.	You pay <b>nothing</b> for one pair per year.	
<b>Frame</b> <b>Allowance</b> (in lieu of Exclusive Collection Frames)	You receive a <b>\$200</b> frame allowance toward any other provider-supplied frames, <b>plus 20% off</b> charges over \$200. <sup>2</sup>	You receive a <b>\$140</b> frame allowance toward any other provider-supplied frames, <b>plus 20% off</b> charges over \$140. <sup>2</sup>	
	or You receive a <b>\$250</b> frame allowance at MyEyeDr.	or You receive a <b>\$190</b> frame allowance at MyEyeDr.	
<b>Contact Lenses</b> (in lieu of eyeglasses)	You receive <b>\$150</b> per calendar year toward contact lenses, <b>plus 15% off</b> charges over \$150. <sup>2</sup>	You receive <b>\$140</b> per calendar year toward contact lenses, <b>plus 15% off</b> charges over \$140. <sup>2</sup>	
Contact Lens Evaluation	You pay <b>nothing</b> for evaluation, fitting and follow-up for non-specialty lenses, <b>plus 15%</b> <b>off</b> charges over <b>\$60</b> for specialty contacts.	<b>NEW</b> You pay a <b>\$55 copay</b> for evaluation, fitting and follow-up for non-specialty lenses.	

<sup>1</sup>Two vision care exams per year for children 13 and under.

<sup>2</sup>Retail locations and online providers are not required to provide this discount.

We offer additional benefits for members with specific conditions (e.g., diabetes, hypertension). Download the 2025 brochure at bebsfepvision.com/brochure for details.

# 2025 BCBS FEP Vision premiums

	<b>Bi-weekly Premiums</b>		Monthly Premiums	
	High Option	Standard Option	High Option	Standard Option
Self Only	\$5.66	\$3.56	\$12.26	\$7.71
Self + 1	\$11.31	\$7.12	\$24.51	\$15.43
Self & Family	\$16.97	\$10.68	\$36.77	\$23.14



### Transform your health and lifestyle with Blue365!

As a Blue Cross Blue Shield member, enjoy incredible savings on vision correction, bluelight glasses, sunglasses and more. Plus, you'll receive exclusive deals on gym memberships, hearing aids, travel and healthy eating. Don't miss out—sign up today at <u>blue365deals.com/fep</u> to start saving!

### Here's what you might pay for eyewear: the savings are clear<sup>3</sup>

	Average cost without BCBS FEP Vision	What you pay with <b>High Option</b>	What you pay with <b>Standard Option</b>
Vision care exam	\$160	\$0	\$0
Retinal imaging	\$65	\$29	\$29
Frames	\$200	\$0	\$48
1-year breakage warranty <sup>4</sup>	\$30	\$0	\$0
Polycarbonate lenses	\$50	\$0	<b>\$10</b> ⁵
Transitions <sup>®</sup> lenses	\$120	\$0	\$65
Ultimate anti- reflective lenses	\$175	\$70	\$85
Premium progressive lenses	\$295	\$40	\$90
What you pay out-of-pocket	\$1,095	\$139	\$327



At no cost, we cover tinted lenses, ultraviolet protective coating, scratch-resistant coating and a scratch protection plan.

#### Learn more about BCBS FEP Vision at:

#### bcbsfepvision.com

**1-888-550-BLUE (2583)** (TTY: 1-800-523-2847) *8 a.m. to 9 p.m. ET, Mon.-Fri.; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. ET, Sat.; Closed Sun.*  Ready to enroll? Go to: <u>BENEFEDS.gov</u> 1-877-888-FEDS (3337)

(TTY: 1-877-889-5680)

Open Season is November 11 through midnight ET on December 9, 2024.





<sup>5</sup>\$10 charge is the lens copay. There is no charge for polycarbonate lenses.

This is a summary of the many features and benefits of BCBS FEP Vision®. For a complete description, please view the benefit brochure.

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