

VA HEALTH CARE ELIGIBILITY & ENROLLMENT

Medical Benefits Package (Standard Benefits) VA's medical benefits package provides the following health care services at the VA Medical Facilities and authorized primary care providers. Most veterans request enrollment at the VA Yale Clinic.

Preventive Care Services

- Immunizations
- Physical Examinations
- Health Care Assessments
- Screening Tests
- Health Education Programs

Ambulatory (Outpatient) Diagnostic and Treatment Services

- Emergency outpatient care in VA facilities
- Medical
- Surgical (including reconstructive/plastic surgery as a result of disease or trauma)
- Chiropractic Care
- Mental Health
- Bereavement Counseling
- Substance Abuse

Hospital (Inpatient) Diagnostic and Treatment

- Emergency inpatient care in VA facilities
- Medical
- Surgical (including reconstructive/plastic surgery as a result of disease or trauma)
- Mental Health
- Substance Abuse

Medications and Supplies

- Prescription medications
- Over-the counter medications
- Medical and surgical supplies

Generally, they must be prescribed by a VA provider and be available under [VA's national formulary system](#)

REASONS TO ENROLL IN THE VA HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

***ALL** enrolled veterans now qualify for eyewear and 1 replacement pair every 2 years

*VA will bill your Healthcare Insurance for treatment received for conditions not related to service, but never hold you accountable for deductibles (**essentially reducing your family out-of-pocket deductible costs**)

*Significantly **decrease** out-of-pocket prescription Co-pays in most cases. In many instances, veterans are **exempt from CO-PAYMENTS!**

*Some instances, healthcare can occur outside of the VA System.

*Many veterans may be eligible for monetary benefits due to their service (hearing loss/ringing in ears (tinnitus) due to noise exposure, Diabetes or heart condition and served in Vietnam, etc.). **Qualifies for enrollment into the health care system if otherwise not eligible.**

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