

# Health supplement plan

Cash benefits for life's what-ifs

## “A broken ankle didn't break the bank”

### Sean's story\*

"I wasn't ready for an auto accident — who is? But I was prepared because I had signed up for the health supplement plan — **cash benefits to help cover my out-of-pocket costs** for an accident, illness or hospital stay.

Then, wham — the accident. The ankle. The two-night hospital stay. And those bills.

My out-of-pocket medical costs: **\$3,914**. Ouch.

But with my supplemental coverage, **I got a check made out to me** to use however I wanted — put toward this accident expense, rent, even day care for my little guy. There was no paperwork, just a quick form on Aetna's website.

**\$2,350, right in my pocket.**  
Now I can breathe easier.”



#### Sean's payout **with** health supplement

Ambulance, \$300

Initial ER treatment, \$150

Hospital admission, \$1,000

Daily hospital stay, \$200

Broken ankle, \$450

X-ray, \$50

8 physical therapy visits, \$200

#### Sean's total cash payout with health supplement

**\$2,350**

\*This is an example. Member results and experiences will vary by plan.

<sup>1</sup>Based on Aetna medical claims data. Example assumes no portion of deductible met.

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# “A little help when I needed it most”

## Donna's story\*

"I'm no stranger to cancer or the physical and financial drain, having handled things when my mom was diagnosed with cancer. So, I signed up for the health supplement plan. I think of it as **a cushion for the costs, my medical plan doesn't cover.**

Fast forward a year, and I was diagnosed with cancer. Now I'm tough enough to handle the chemo, travel and fatigue. But it's hard to see the toll on my family, giving up their time and savings for me.

One bright light was the health supplement plan. There was no paperwork. Just a few minutes to fill out a short form online.

Without the plan, **I would have paid \$5,950 in medical bills.** And that didn't include my lost income, travel expenses, home modifications or caregiver costs.

**With the plan, I got a check for \$11,600.** This helped a lot with my medical bills, and everything else.

So even though cancer did a number on me, it didn't wipe out my finances. Or all the great times ahead with my family."



### Donna's payout **with** health supplement<sup>2</sup>

Initial diagnosis, \$10,000

Hospital admission, \$1,000

3-night hospital stay, \$600

### Donna's total cash payout with health supplement

**\$11,600**

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<sup>2</sup>Based on US National Library of Medicine for a single occurrence. Available at: [ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4822976/](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/PMC4822976/). Example assumes employee-only coverage and no portion of deductible met.

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