



<Date>

<Case number>

<Member Name>

Your Monthly Medical Cost Sharing Limit Has Been Reached

What is a Monthly Medical Cost Sharing Limit?

As a Medicaid member you are asked to share the costs of some services, this is like what private insurers often refer to as a “co-pay”. However, with Medicaid there is a limit to what you can be asked to pay each month. Your monthly medical cost sharing limit is determined by your income and eligibility.

Currently, your monthly medical cost sharing limit is set at \$<Member’s Monthly Medical Cost Sharing Limit>.

When Did I Reach My Monthly Medical Cost Sharing Limit?

For the month of <Month letter is for> you reached your Monthly Medical Cost Sharing Limit on <Date limit was reached>. This means you may be entitled to reimbursement for any cost sharing expenses you paid with service providers after <date limit was reached> during the month of <Month letter is for>.

Why Am I Being Notified About This Just Now?

Iowa Medicaid tracks your monthly medical cost sharing limit based on claims data submitted by your providers. Claims data doesn’t always get submitted or processed immediately, so there will often be some time lag before it can be determined you reached your monthly medical cost sharing limit.

What do I do if my income or eligibility changes?

Your monthly medical cost sharing limit is determined by your income and eligibility. If you need to report changes in circumstance such as income or household composition, please call the Income Maintenance Customer Service Center at 877-347-5678.