

TRICARE PROGRAMS

TRICARE Program	Description	Handbook Reference
TRICARE Prime	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Managed care option defined by TRICARE Prime service areas Fewer out-of-pocket costs than other TRICARE options Enrollment necessary Beneficiaries have TRICARE ID card & Military ID card No copays for active duty Service members and active duty family members unless using pharmacy or Point of Service benefit Copays for retirees & their families 	Section 4, pgs. 27-29 Section 6, pgs. 59-60
TRICARE Prime Remote (TPR), TRICARE Prime Remote for Active Duty Family Members (TPRADFM)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eligibility determined by military branch Enrollment necessary Beneficiaries have TRICARE ID card & Military ID card No copays unless using pharmacy or Point of Service benefit TPR ZIP Code Look-Up Tool http://www.tricare.mil/tpr/default_zip.cfm 	Section 4, pgs. 29-30; Section 6, pgs. 59-60
TRICARE Standard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fee-for-service option No enrollment required Military ID cards used for eligibility determination Deductible, cost-shares, catastrophic cap based on fiscal year Beneficiaries may seek care from any TRICARE-certified provider 	Section 4, pg. 30; Section 6, pg. 61
TRICARE Extra	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preferred provider option No enrollment required TRICARE Standard beneficiaries choose a doctor, hospital, or other medical provider within the TriWest provider network Deductible, reduced cost-share 	Section 4, pg. 30; Section 6, pg. 61
TRICARE Reserve Select (TRS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TRICARE health plan similar to TRICARE Standard Health care coverage for National Guard/Reserve members who meet specific eligibility requirements 	Section 4, pg. 36; Section 6, pg. 61
Extended Care Health Option (ECHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides financial assistance to active duty family members with special needs Beneficiaries must qualify; based on specific mental or physical disabilities Offers integrated set of services & supplies beyond the basic TRICARE programs 	Section 4, pgs. 37-40
Transitional Assistance Management Program (TAMP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows certain uniformed services members separated from active duty service & their family members transitional health care benefits Eligibility determined by Department of Defense (DoD) TRICARE coverage is available for 180 days Sponsors separating from active duty & family members enrolled in TRICARE Prime have to re-enroll to continue their enrollment upon the sponsor's separation from active duty 	Section 4, pg. 43



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Pharmacy Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Includes Medicare-eligible beneficiaries age 65 and over who can have a written prescription filled using any of these pharmacy options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MTF pharmacies TRICARE Mail Order Pharmacy (TMOP) TRICARE Retail Pharmacy Network (TRRx) Non-network pharmacies <i>Note: Filling prescriptions in non-network pharmacies is the most expensive option</i> Administered by Express Scripts Inc. (ESI) 	Section 4, pgs. 31-34
Continued Health Care Benefit Program (CHCBP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides transitional benefits for a specified period of time (18–36 months) to former service members and their families, some unremarried former spouses, and emancipated children (living on their own) Administered by Humana Military Healthcare Services, Inc. 	Section 4, pg. 42
Dental Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voluntary dental insurance program Available to eligible active duty family members (ADFMs), Selected Reserve & Individual Ready Reserve (IRR) members, & their eligible family members Premium required for coverage 	Section 4, pgs. 34-35; Section 5, pgs. 45-46
Retiree Dental Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voluntary dental insurance program Dental coverage for uniformed services retirees & their eligible family members, certain surviving family members of deceased active duty sponsors, and Medal of Honor recipients & their immediate family members & survivors Premium required for coverage 	Section 4, pg. 35
Military OneSource (Not a TRICARE program)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides information ranging from every day concerns to deployment/reintegration issues for active duty, Reserve, & National Guard military members & their families, & deployed DoD civilians & their families 24-7, toll free information & referral telephone service available worldwide; from the U.S.: 1-800-342-9647 Online services available at www.militaryonesource.com. No cost for any Military OneSource services 	Not in West Region Handbook
Supplemental Health Care Program (SHCP) (Not a TRICARE program)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Different payment source for active duty Service members (except those enrolled in TPR) & non-active duty individuals under certain conditions when referred to civilian providers for service related to injuries or treatments Enrollment not required Administered by MTF Command; submit claims to WPS 	Section 4, pgs. 40-41

