2023-2024 Annual Care Checklist

Nothing is more important than your health. That's why you can count on UnitedHealthcare® to help you get the care you need, when you need it. Take this checklist to your next appointment.

Good preventive care helps catch health issues early when they may be easier to treat. Have this checklist handy at your next appointment. Together, you and your primary care provider (PCP) can decide which tests and health care services are right for you. Recommended preventive care services may include the following¹:

Once a year		As needed	Date done
Flu shot (every flu season)		Colon cancer screening (for adults age 50 or older)	
Vaccine review (see what shots you may be due for)		Hepatitis C virus infection screening (for people at high risk	
Annual wellness visit/ routine physical	Date done	and a one-time test for adults born between 1945–1965)	
Blood pressure check		Mammogram screening (every year starting at age 45;	
Head-to-toe examination		starting at age 55, it can change to every other year ²)	
Height, weight and body mass index (BMI)		For people with diabetes	Date done
Lifestyle screening check such as alcohol use, help quitting tobacco and healthy eating, if applicable		Exam to detect diabetes-related eye issues	
As recommended by your PCP	Date done	Exam to detect	
Cervical cancer screening (Pap smear) for women ages 21–65		Hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) diabetes-related	foot issues
Cholesterol screening		LDL cholesterol	
Dental exam		Statin medication, if clinically appropriate	
Bone mineral density test to screen for osteoporosis		Tests to monitor for kidney disease	
Eye exam			
Fasting blood sugar screening		See back for important topics to prepare for your next appointment.	
Hearing exam			



Important topics to discuss with your PCP

Prepare for your appointment by filling in the information below. Then, write down recommendations your PCP has about these topics and treatment options during your visit.

Medications		Tests and treat	tments		
 Write down your prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, supplements and vitamins you're taking, or having difficulty taking. Ask: Am I taking them correctly? Are there any side effects? Is there a lower-cost option? 		Discuss tests ordered during your appointment. Ask: • When can I expect results? • Will I receive a follow-up call? • Do I need a follow-up appointment?			
Care team		Mental health			
List any specialists or other providers you see. This will help your PCP coordinate your overall care.		Discuss your mental health with your PCP. Let them know if you're feeling sad or blue, or are having difficulty sleeping.			
		Or, discuss challenges you're experiencing in planning, or memory loss that disrupts daily life.			
		Physical health	Physical health		
Health evaluations		including if y	r physical health with your PCP, rou're experiencing pain that interferes gular activities, work or social life.		
Risk of falls	Bladder contro	I	Physical activity		
I have had a fall I have problems with balancing or walking	☐ I have proble bladder cont ☐ I have proble	rol	Start exercising Increase exercise Maintain current exercise		
I don't have problems with balancing or falling		ne Jadder control age problems	level		
Other health concerns					

If you have questions, please call the Customer Service number on your member ID card.

From scheduling your next checkup appointment to finding a provider, you can count on us to help you get the care you need, when you need it.

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¹ This is a list of suggested screenings. Coverage for these screenings (including how often they are covered) may vary by plan. If you have questions about your specific benefits or coverage details, please call Customer Service at the number on your member ID card or check your Evidence of Coverage.

² American Cancer Society, 2021.