

Medicare Advantage Plans Introduce Condition Specific Benefits

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has expanded the opportunity for health plans to provide supplemental benefits that offer additional services or reduced cost sharing for services and/or items that are tied to a specific health status or chronic disease state. For 2019, MVP Medicare Advantage plans include targeted benefits for members with the following diagnoses:

- **Diabetes:** Members diagnosed with diabetes will pay a \$0 co-pay for routine podiatry visits.
- **Stroke:** Members who have suffered a stroke are allowed up to \$250 per year for approved bathroom safety and assistance devices purchased from Lincare. Eligible devices must be on MVP's approved list.
- **Hypertension:** Members diagnosed with hypertension have a \$0 co-pay for one approved blood pressure cuff per year purchased from Lincare. Eligible devices must be on MVP's approved list.

MVP Medicare Advantage plan members must have a confirmed diagnosis to qualify for these benefits. Members may visit **dmesupplyusa.com/mvp** to order the supplies covered under this benefit.

To learn more about these condition-specific benefits, visit **mvphealthcare.com/MedicareConditionBenefits**.

