

Estimated Cost of Medical Services: With and Without Insurance



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Summary Chart:

Test/Vaccine	Without Insurance	With Insurance
MMR Titer	\$50 - \$150	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
MMR Booster Vaccine	\$75 - \$150	Typically covered
Varicella Titer	\$50 - \$100	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
Varicella Booster Vaccine	\$100 - \$200	Typically covered
Hepatitis B Titer	\$50 - \$100	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
Hepatitis B Vaccine (3 doses)	\$120 - \$250	Typically covered
Tdap Vaccine	\$30 - \$75	Typically covered
Two-Step PPD (TB Skin Test)	\$20 - \$60 per step	\$10 - \$50 per step
IGRA (TB Blood Test)	\$100 - \$200	\$10 - \$50
Chest X-Ray	\$100 - \$500	\$10 - \$100 (co-pay)
Flu Vaccine	\$25 - \$60	Typically covered
COVID-19 Vaccine	\$0	Typically covered
Rabies Vaccine	\$1,500 - \$2,500 (full series)	Typically covered (depending on reason)
AHA CPR Certification	\$40 - \$150	Not covered
Physical Exam	\$100 - \$250	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
Color Blindness Test	\$10 - \$50	Covered under vision exam
Vision Exam	\$50 - \$200	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
Dental Exam	\$50 - \$150	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)
Dental X-rays	\$25 - \$150	\$10 - \$50 (co-pay)

Additional Notes:

- **Insurance Co-pays:** The co-pay amounts vary based on your plan. If you have a high-deductible plan, you might pay the full cost until your deductible is met.

Students should refer to the School of Nursing and Health Professions Immunization and Health Requirements Guide, as well as the specific program requirements provided by program staff, to confirm which tests, vaccinations, and certifications need to be completed. Additionally, students can double-check their requirements through their American Databank account, which can be accessed after completing the Clinical Compliance Onboarding Training (required before account setup).

Here's a breakdown of projected medical costs for the tests and vaccines, both with and without insurance:

1. MMR Titers and Boosters

MMR Titer (Blood Test for Immunity)

- **What it is:** A blood test that checks for immunity against measles, mumps, and rubella, often needed for healthcare workers, international travel, or school entry.
- **Without Insurance:** The average cost is between **\$50 to \$150**, depending on the lab and location.
- **With Insurance:** Typically covered for individuals needing proof of immunity. Expect a **co-pay** of around **\$10 - \$50** based on your plan. If the test is not covered fully by your insurance, the full cost may apply until you reach your deductible.

MMR Booster Vaccine

- **What it is:** A booster dose to maintain immunity against measles, mumps, and rubella. Often recommended for adults without documented immunity.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs **\$75 - \$150** at most providers.
- **With Insurance:** Fully covered in most plans, especially if it's recommended by a healthcare provider for a specific need (e.g., health workers, students, travelers). You may pay a **co-pay** if not fully covered.

2. Varicella Titers and Boosters

Varicella Titer (Blood Test for Immunity)

- **What it is:** A test to check if you're immune to chickenpox, useful for healthcare workers or certain educational institutions.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs typically range from **\$50 to \$100**.
- **With Insurance:** Likely covered if your doctor deems it medically necessary (e.g., for healthcare workers or pregnant women). Expect to pay **\$10 - \$50** co-pay.

Varicella Booster Vaccine

- **What it is:** A booster for the chickenpox vaccine, needed for certain adults who haven't had the disease or vaccination.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs range from **\$100 to \$200**.
- **With Insurance:** Typically covered if deemed medically necessary, with **co-pays** of **\$10 - \$50**.

3. Hepatitis B Titers and Boosters

Hepatitis B Titer (Blood Test for Immunity)

- **What it is:** A blood test to check immunity to hepatitis B. Often required for healthcare workers, certain job roles, or international travel.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs **\$50 - \$100**.
- **With Insurance:** Often covered, with a co-pay ranging from **\$10 to \$50**.

Hepatitis B Vaccine (3-Dose Series)

- **What it is:** A 3-dose vaccine for protection against hepatitis B.
- **Without Insurance:** The full series can cost between **\$120 and \$250**.
- **With Insurance:** Typically covered, with **co-pays** of **\$10 - \$50** per dose, depending on your insurance plan.

4. Tdap Vaccine (Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis)

- **What it is:** A vaccine that provides protection against tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (whooping cough). Required for certain jobs (healthcare workers, teachers), and recommended every 10 years.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs **\$30 to \$75**.
- **With Insurance:** Typically covered fully under most insurance plans. If not, expect a **co-pay** around **\$10 - \$50**.

5. TB Testing (Two-Step PPD or IGRA)

Two-Step PPD (Tuberculosis Skin Test)

- **What it is:** A skin test used to detect whether someone has been exposed to tuberculosis (TB). The two-step process is often required for people working in healthcare or group settings.
- **Without Insurance:** Each step costs around **\$20 to \$60**, totaling **\$40 - \$120** for the full test.
- **With Insurance:** Covered for those who need it (e.g., healthcare workers). Expect a **co-pay** around **\$10 - \$50** per step.

IGRA (Interferon-Gamma Release Assay) Test for TB

- **What it is:** A blood test that checks for tuberculosis infection. It's an alternative to the PPD skin test.
 - **Without Insurance:** Costs **\$100 to \$200**.
 - **With Insurance:** Typically covered for high-risk individuals (e.g., healthcare workers). Co-pays can range from **\$10 to \$50**.
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6. Chest X-Ray

- **What it is:** Often ordered for TB screening or when a doctor suspects a lung issue (e.g., pneumonia, tuberculosis).
 - **Without Insurance:** Costs can range from **\$100 to \$500** depending on the provider and location.
 - **With Insurance:** Often covered under preventive care or diagnostic services. Co-pays may range from **\$10 to \$100** depending on your plan.
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7. Flu Vaccine

- **What it is:** An annual vaccination to protect against seasonal flu.
 - **Without Insurance:** Costs between **\$25 to \$60**.
 - **With Insurance:** Typically fully covered under most insurance plans, especially for high-risk individuals (e.g., elderly, pregnant women, children).
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8. COVID-19 Vaccine

- **What it is:** The vaccine for protection against COVID-19, including boosters as recommended.
 - **Without Insurance:** Generally **free** for most individuals, especially through government programs and mass vaccination sites.
 - **With Insurance:** Covered in full under most plans. Some private providers may charge a small co-pay for administrative fees.
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9. Rabies Vaccine

Pre-Exposure Rabies Vaccine

- **What it is:** A vaccine to protect individuals who are at risk of rabies exposure (e.g., veterinarians, animal handlers).
- **Without Insurance:** Costs **\$250 - \$400** per dose, with 3 doses required, totaling **\$750 - \$1,200**.
- **With Insurance:** Often covered for high-risk individuals, with co-pays ranging from **\$10 to \$50** per dose.

Post-Exposure Rabies Vaccine

- **What it is:** Given after potential rabies exposure (e.g., bites from rabid animals).
 - **Without Insurance:** A full series costs between **\$1,500 and \$2,500**.
 - **With Insurance:** Often fully covered after an exposure, but **co-pays** may apply, especially if the exposure was deemed to be from an uninsured situation.
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10. AHA CPR Certification

- **What it is:** A certification course to learn CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) and basic first aid. This is often required for jobs in healthcare, teaching, or daycare.
 - **Without Insurance:** Typically costs between **\$40 and \$150** for the course, depending on location and provider.
 - **With Insurance:** Not usually covered by insurance but may be reimbursed by certain employers if required for your job.
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11. Physical Exam

- **What it is:** A general health check-up that may include measurements, vitals, a physical exam, and blood work. Required for school, sports, certain job positions, or insurance purposes.
 - **Without Insurance:** Typically costs between **\$100 and \$250**.
 - **With Insurance:** Often covered under preventive care benefits, with co-pays ranging from **\$10 to \$50**, depending on the provider.
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12. Color Blindness Test

- **What it is:** A quick screening test to determine if someone has color vision deficiencies.
 - **Without Insurance:** Can cost **\$10 to \$50**, often part of a larger vision exam.
 - **With Insurance:** Typically covered as part of a standard vision exam co-pay.
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13. Vision Exam

- **What it is:** A comprehensive eye exam to check for vision problems, such as nearsightedness, farsightedness, or astigmatism.
 - **Without Insurance:** Can range from **\$50 to \$200**.
 - **With Insurance:** Co-pay typically **\$10 to \$50**, though many insurance plans fully cover vision exams for children, elderly, or those with certain conditions.
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14. Dental Exam with Radiographic Images (X-Rays)

Dental Exam

- **What it is:** A routine exam to check for cavities, gum disease, and other oral health issues.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs between **\$50 and \$150**.
- **With Insurance:** Typically covered at **100%** for preventative care under most dental plans, with a small **co-pay**.

Dental X-rays

- **What it is:** Radiographic images taken during a dental exam to identify cavities, infections, or bone loss.
- **Without Insurance:** Costs between **\$25 and \$150**, depending on the number and type of X-rays.
- **With Insurance:** Covered under most plans as part of a preventive dental exam, with co-pays ranging from **\$10 to \$50**.