

FDA Approved Methods of Contraception

Method

Contraceptive implant
Progestin IUD
Copper IUD
Injectable contraception
Progestin-only oral contraceptive
Combined hormonal oral contraceptive
Extended use oral contraceptive
Contraceptive patch
Contraceptive ring
Emergency contraception (levonorgestrel)
Emergency contraception (ulipristal acetate)
Diaphragm
Cervical cap
Contraceptive sponge
Female condom
Spermicide

At least one from each approved method of contraception must be offered with no copayment.

BCBSVT Information

- 94.2% of contraceptive prescriptions are generic.
- The adherence rate to contraceptives is 81.3%. The rule of thumb is that anything over 80% is good and a point of diminishing returns.
- Percentage of total days supply for contraceptives not currently covered in full: 0.8%

Category	Generic AWP per day Supply	Brand AWP per day Supply	Annualized Difference in Price
Drospirenone and ethinyl estradiol combination	\$2.76	\$6.24	\$1,266.72
Levonorgestrel and ethinyl estradiol combination	\$3.07	\$5.07	\$728.00
Norethindrone and ethinyl estradiol combination	\$1.44	\$6.23	\$1,743.56