

Healthfirst at a Glance

Leaf and Leaf Premier Plans

Our Leaf and Leaf Premier plans offer two levels of coverage for individuals and families. They are Qualified Health Plans certified by the NYSOH marketplace.

Healthfirst Leaf Plans (Standard)

Platinum Leaf | Gold Leaf | Silver Leaf Bronze Leaf | Green Leaf

- Provide coverage for the 10 essential health benefits
- Follow established limits on cost-sharing
 (e.g., deductibles, copayments, out-of-pocket maximums)
- Adult dental and vision are not included in the standard plans

Healthfirst Leaf Premier Plans (Non-Standard)

Platinum Leaf Premier | Gold Leaf Premier Plus | Gold Leaf Premier Silver Leaf Premier Plus | Silver Leaf Premier | Bronze Leaf Premier

• Provide coverage for the 10 essential health benefits plus adult dental and vision

Healthfirst Off-Exchange Plans

- HMO A, HMO B, HMO C, HMO D, HMO E (Standard plans)
- HMO A-VAD, HMO B-VAD, HMO C-VAD, HMO D-VAD (Non-standard plans)

Service Area

The service area of the Leaf and Leaf Premier Plans includes New York City's five boroughs (the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens, and Staten Island), and Nassau, Orange, Rockland, Suffolk, Sullivan, and Westchester counties.

Access and Appointment Availability

- Healthfirst members must be able to locate a Healthfirst participating provider or his/her designated covering provider.
- It is not acceptable to have an outgoing answering machine message that directs members to the emergency room in lieu of appropriate contact with the provider or covering provider. If an answering machine message refers a member to a second phone number, a live voice must answer that phone line.



Service Standards

Type of Service		Standards
-2-	Emergency Care	0–3+ hours upon initial presentation. All emergency admissions must be called in no later than one business day after admission.
655	Urgent Care	0–30 minutes upon presentation.
	Non-Urgent "Sick" Visits	Visit must be scheduled within 48 to 72 hours of request as indicated by the nature of the clinical problem.
*	Routine Care	Appointment must be scheduled within 4 weeks of request.
9	Adult Baseline and Routine Physicals	Appointment must be scheduled within 12 weeks of enrollment.
÷	Newborn Visits: Initial Visit to the PCP	Appointment must be scheduled within 2 weeks of hospital discharge.
¥	Well-Child Visits	Appointment must be scheduled within 4 weeks of request.

Ancillary Authorizations

Chiropractic services	ASH: 1-800-972-4226			
Oncology management	eviCore: eviCore.com			
Pain management/spinal surgery	OrthoNet: 1-844-504-8091			
Pharmacy prior authorization	CVS Caremark®: 1-855-582-2022			
Radiology prior authorization	eviCore: eviCore.com			
 Routine dental care Healthfirst Leaf plans: dental benefits for children up to age 19 Healthfirst Leaf Premier plans: dental benefits for all members 	DentaQuest®: 1-855-343-4267			
Specialty pharmacy	CVS Caremark®: 1-866-814-5506			
Routine vision care/eyewear and prior authorization				
 Healthfirst Leaf plans: vision benefits for children up to age 19 	EyeMed®: EyeMed.filebound.			
 Healthfirst Leaf Premier plans: vision benefits for all members 	<u> </u>			

Prior Authorization Guidelines

For services not listed above, you will need to submit a prior authorization request to Healthfirst. The most efficient way to submit and view the status of an authorization is through our Online Authorization Tool, located in Healthfirst's Provider Portal (login required).

Don't have access to the provider portal? Check out our guide to setting up an account or reach out to your network account manager. Alternatively, you can also fax your authorization requests to **1-646-313-4603**.

Prior authorization is not a guarantee of payment. Payment by Healthfirst for services provided is contingent upon the patient's active membership in Healthfirst at the time the service or treatment was rendered and whether the particular service or procedure is a covered benefit under the patient's plan contract. Policies are subject to change.

Contacts

Provider Services Center	1-888-801-1660 Monday to Friday, 8:30am-5:30pm HFproviders.org
Medical Pharmacy (pharmacy medications for provider administration)	1-888-394-4327 (TTY 1-888-542-3821) Medical Pharmacy Fax: 1-212-801-3223 Monday to Friday, 8am-5:30pm
Member Services	1-888-250-2220 Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm (English, Spanish, Mandarin, Cantonese, Korean, and Russian) (TTY 1-888-542-3821) (TTY Spanish 1-888-867-4132) MyHFNY.org
Member Enrollment	1-888-974-9901 Help is available in English, Spanish, Mandarin, Cantonese, Korean, or Russianm

Visit healthfirst.org/leaf-plans for plan details.