



New TRICARE Select Fees for Group A Retirees



If you or your sponsor's initial enlistment or appointment occurred before Jan. 1, 2018, you're in Group A.

Congress directed the Defense Health Agency to implement TRICARE Select Group A retired enrollment fees in the 2017 National Defense Authorization Act. Effective Jan. 1, 2021, TRICARE Select Group A retired beneficiaries will be **required to pay TRICARE Select enrollment fees**.

This must be done via allotment, where feasible.



This is a change. TRICARE Select Group A retired beneficiaries have not paid enrollment fees for TRICARE Select previously.



There is no change for TRICARE Select Group B* beneficiaries. They currently pay enrollment fees. TRICARE Select enrollment fees do not apply to TFL.

*You're in Group B if you or your sponsor's initial enlistment or appointment occurred on or after Jan. 1, 2018.



The following TRICARE Select Enrollment out-of-pocket costs are effective **Jan. 1, 2021**:

Enrollment Fees:
Individual:

- Monthly enrollment fee: \$12.50

Family:

- Monthly enrollment fee: \$25

Deductibles:
\$150 Individual/\$300 Family

Catastrophic Cap:
\$3,500 (Increased from \$3,000)



What Do I Need To Know?

New Enrollment Fees: If you're a TRICARE Select Group A retiree, starting Jan. 1, 2021, you'll need to pay monthly enrollment fees for you and your family. You must take action if you want to keep your TRICARE Select coverage.

To Avoid Prepayment: Call your regional contractor NOW to set up monthly payments, which will start on Jan. 1, 2021. Due to administrative processing time, take action by Nov. 20, 2020 to avoid prepayment of initial enrollment fees.

To Avoid Disenrollment: Be sure to set up payments by Dec. 31, or you will be disenrolled from TRICARE Select due to non-payment. You'll get a letter on milConnect notifying you of your disenrollment. Set up the payments now to avoid a break in coverage. You'll have 180 days from your disenrollment date to request reinstatement. If you don't act, you'll only be able to get care from a military hospital or clinic if space is available. This means you're responsible for all civilian health care costs.



To learn more, visit: www.tricare.mil/SelectEnrollmentFees