

# IMA

# HEALTH

# PLAN

**Offered by Blue Cross and  
Blue Shield of Illinois**

Affordable Health coverage designed by  
manufacturers for manufacturers.



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MANUFACTURERS'  
ASSOCIATION



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of Illinois



# OVERVIEW: IMA HEALTH PLAN

## Manufacturing is the Economic Backbone of Illinois

Every day, 592,000 men and women in Illinois help solidify the importance of the manufacturing sector in both the local and U.S. economies.

Shouldn't these men and women who devote their lives to perpetuating the strength of the Illinois manufacturing community have access to health care benefits that are as strong as they are?

The Illinois Manufacturers' Association (IMA) thinks so, which is why our leadership spent multiple years working with the IMA's health care advisory team to design an industry-leading health care benefits program for its member companies.

## The IMA Health Plan is Game Changing

The IMA is proud to be working with **Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois** to bring Illinois manufacturers the **IMA Health Plan**, a statewide solution for affordable, flexible, and customizable group health coverage.

By leveraging a combined 200+ years of partnership with Illinois job creators to attract and retain the best and brightest talent, the **IMA Health Plan** allows manufacturers and their employees to choose the right health care plan to meet their needs and budget.

**Choice, Trust, and Affordability. That's the IMA Health Plan.**

### IMA Health Plan Features



#### No Medical Underwriting

Individual health statements are not required.



#### Comprehensive Provider Networks\*

Blue PPO<sup>SM</sup>, Blue Precision HMO<sup>SM</sup>, Blue Choice Preferred PPO<sup>SM</sup>, and Blue Options<sup>SM</sup>.



#### Statewide and Nationwide Access

Coverage available in all 102 Illinois counties and in all 50 states.



#### Prescription Drug Coverage

Six-tier drug card or deductible/coinsurance plans available.



#### Flexible Plan Designs

Multiple deductible and plan design features available.



#### Simplified Administration

A robust and easy-to-implement benefits administration technology solution is automatically included.

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## Simplifying Administration

In addition to the strength of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois, the IMA Health Plan also delivers to participating member companies an industry-leading benefits administration technology solution to take the headache out of managing your group health benefits.

Powered by Vimly Benefit Solutions\*, this tool allows participating member companies to automate their benefits administration process with several clicks of a button. Additionally, all invoices are consolidated into one easy to manage portal, making monthly payments and reconciliation a breeze.



## Simplifying Compliance

The regulatory landscape overseeing group health and welfare plans, particularly AHPs, is complex. Along with your current broker consultant, the IMA has assembled a team of compliance experts to provide participating member companies with comprehensive and, in some cases, automated compliance solutions that allow you to focus on what matters - your manufacturing business and the wellbeing of your employees.

## Joining the IMA Health Plan

To participate in the **IMA Health Plan**, eligible member companies must satisfy the following criteria to gain access to the program:

- Be an IMA member in good standing.
- Maintain a manufacturing industry focus (SIC code assignment of 2000 - 3999).
- Employ between two and 75 total employees (on average) in the prior calendar year across all commonly owned worksite locations.
- Be headquartered in Illinois.\*

*\*While an Illinois headquarters is required, non-Illinois worksite locations and their benefits-eligible employees are eligible to participate if the other criteria are satisfied.*

## More Questions?

The IMA has developed a '**Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)**' resource guide to anticipate and address questions that interested IMA member companies and their broker consultants may have regarding the **IMA Health Plan**. Please visit [www.imahealthplan.com/ima-ahp-faq](http://www.imahealthplan.com/ima-ahp-faq) to access this guide.

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