### Frequently Asked Questions about BCCTP Medicaid Coverage

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<td>Transportation to physician’s visits</td>
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<td>Interpreter services</td>
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<td>Reconstructive surgery</td>
<td>✔</td>
<td>Not covered. Not considered a “medically necessary” procedure.</td>
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<td>Dental care</td>
<td>✔ Dentist must accept Medicaid</td>
<td>✔ Must be medically necessary for cancer treatment</td>
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<td>Physical therapy (PT) or Occupational Therapy (OT)</td>
<td>✔ Requires a prescription by the physician</td>
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<td>Home health</td>
<td>✔ Home meals and housekeeping need to be requested through another Medicaid program</td>
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<td>Support services, psychiatric services and visits to community mental health services</td>
<td>✔</td>
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<td>Breast prosthetics</td>
<td>✔ ordered by a physician, accepts Medicaid, 1 every 6 months</td>
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<td>Mastectomy bras, lymphedema sleeves, and camisoles</td>
<td>✔ through service providers that accept Medicaid</td>
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<td>Wigs or other head coverings</td>
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<td>Genetic testing</td>
<td>✔ Prior authorization needed</td>
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<td>✔ Limited naturopathic and alternative care. Refusing standard medical care may disqualify from receiving Medicaid.</td>
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**Questions? Contact the BCCHP, Heather Fluegel 206-263-8174 or Cristina Del Alma at 206-263-8309.**

✔ = covered services

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**Please note:**

- Income guidelines are set by the BCCHP and must remain at or below 250-300% of FPL. The client must not have any other viable medical insurance coverage. Eligibility is evaluated annually by the BCCHP screening coordinator.
- All BCCHP clients who are U.S. citizens or Permanent Residents in the U.S. for 5 years or more and are diagnosed with breast cancer, cervical cancer or a pre-cancerous related condition are placed onto CN (Categorically Needy) Medicaid coverage (CNP). Most clients receive full CN Medicaid services for the duration of their treatment.
- Clients who are undocumented or are Permanent Residents in the U.S. for less than 5 years are eligible to receive treatment coverage, for their cancer diagnosis only, under a program that covers “Emergency and Related Services Only” (ERSO).