

What is the criteria to ensure that my health insurance is comparable?

Below is a list of questions for you to ask to ensure your coverage is comparable.

- 1. Is the plan is active?
- 2. Does the plan provide access to healthcare providers for urgent and non-emergent services in the greater Portland area?
- 3. Is the plan ACA compliant? This includes:
 - a. no pre-existing wait periods,
 - b. covers 100% of preventive care,
 - c. most ACA compliant plans will cover all essential health benefits (basic list):
 - i. ambulatory patient services,
 - ii. emergency services,
 - iii. hospitalization,
 - iv. maternity and newborn care,
 - v. mental health and substance use disorder services, including behavioral health treatment,
 - vi. prescription drugs,
 - vii. rehabilitative and habilitative services and devices,
 - viii. laboratory services,
 - ix. preventive and wellness services, and chronic disease management, and
 - x. pediatric services, including dental and vision care.