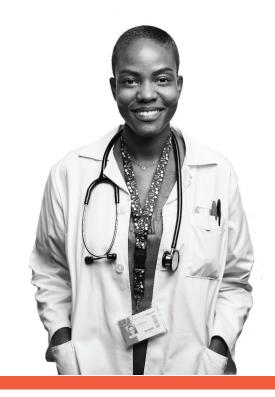


# THREE REASONS YOU COULD GET A BILL AFTER YOUR CHECKUP

When you go to your routine health checkup, your doctor does a specific list of things to check your overall health. These preventive services are usually at no cost to you.



### WHEN YOU COULD GET BILLED

Your doctor may also do more during the visit, like:

- Notice or respond to new symptoms or health concerns (diagnostic care)
- 2 Order tests, labs, or imaging (diagnostic care)
- **3** Monitor your ongoing conditions (chronic care)

## Talking to your doctor

It's a good idea to talk about your overall health and any concerns you have with your doctor even though you may get a bill. It could help detect a medical problem early. Keeping your chronic conditions under control with regular monitoring will also help keep you as healthy as possible.

## Health checkup



#### **Preventive services**

a specific list of things your doctor routinely does to check your overall health.



## **Diagnostic and chronic care**

care you get when you have symptoms of an illness or injury, or are being monitored for an ongoing condition.



## COMMON TESTS THAT CAN BE PREVENTIVE OR DIAGNOSTIC

- Blood common blood tests
- A1C
- CBC

- Lipid panel
- Thyroid stimulating hormone
- Vitamin D

Talk with your doctor to better understand if your labs will be ordered for diagnostic reasons.

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