

GREAT NEWS- WE NOW OFFER **NEW** and **IMPROVED** COVERAGE OF DIABETES TESTING SUPPLIES AT NO COST TO YOU AT NETWORK PHARMACIES.

Essence Healthcare offers members several options of home glucose meters and test strips. Effective January 2025, Essence will cover Abbott and LifeScan brand home glucose meters at our network pharmacies at no cost to you. These are the only covered self-monitoring blood glucose meters and test strips, at your Essence Healthcare network pharmacies.

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Abbott and LifeScan brand products	Abbott Glucose Meters and Test Strips	LifeScan Glucose Meters and Test Strips	
	 ✓ FreeStyle Lite meter ✓ FreeStyle Freedom Lite meter ✓ Precision Xtra meter 	 ✓ OneTouch Verio Reflect meter® ✓ OneTouch Verio Flex meter® ✓ OneTouch Ultra 2 meter® 	
	 ✓ FreeStyle test strips ✓ FreeStyle Lite test strips ✓ Precision Xtra test strips 	 ✓ OneTouch Verio test strips® ✓ OneTouch Ultra test strips® 	

If you are currently using a different brand meter, you will need to switch to either an Abbott or LifeScan brand meter and test strips to receive a covered benefit at a network pharmacy. Please contact your pharmacist to see if you need an updated prescription for the new meter and test strips. Your pharmacist can contact your doctor for a new prescription, if necessary.

Three ways to get your FREE ABBOTT glucose meter

(Note: Abbot Test strips can be obtained at any network pharmacy)

- Go to ChooseFreeStyle.com to have your FREE Abbott brand meter shipped directly to you: Select your meter, enter your health plan offer code: RAFITLWP and enter your shipping information.
- Call Abbott Diabetes Care Division toll-free: 1-866-224-8892 to have your FREE Abbott brand meter shipped directly to you: Provide your health plan code: RAFITLWP, select your meter and provide your shipping information.
- 3) Go to an Essence Healthcare network pharmacy of your choice to get your FREE Abbott brand meter.



To get your <u>FREE LifeScan</u> glucose meter

(Note: LifeScanTest strips can be obtained at any network pharmacy)

1) Go to an Essence Healthcare network pharmacy of your choice to get your FREE LifeScan brand meter:

Bring the below enclosed coupon to the Essence Healthcare network pharmacy of your choice and get your FREE LifeScan meter there. All the meters are available through pharmacies.

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If you have any questions or need additional assistance, including free language translation services, please call customer service toll-free at 1-866-597- 9560, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week. TTY users may call 711. You may reach a messaging service on weekends from April 1 through September 30 and holidays. Please leave a message, and your call will be returned the next business day. You may also visit our website at <u>www.everythingessence.com</u>.

Please see the attached Frequently Asked Questions for additional information.



Frequently Asked Questions: Diabetes Testing Supplies

Q: What happens if I cannot use a plan covered meter, I want a different meter, or my doctor advises that I stay with the meter that I am currently using?

A: If for some reason you are unable to use a covered meter, please call our customer service toll-free at 1-866-597-9560, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week. TTY users should call 711. You may reach a messaging service on weekends from April 1 through September 30 and holidays. Please leave a message, and your call will be returned the next business day. You may also visit our website any time at www.everythingessence.com.

Q: Does this affect my other diabetic testing supplies?

A: No. All other diabetic testing supplies, such as lancets and control solution, are not affected. You can continue to use your current products. They will process according to your Part B benefit. You can find this information by referring to your *Evidence of Coverage* (EOC) or by contacting our customer service at the number shown above.

Q: Should I use up my old test strips before I switch to the new meter?

A: Yes. You should use your current supply of test strips. Please contact your pharmacy and/or doctor before your next refill to update your prescription, if necessary.