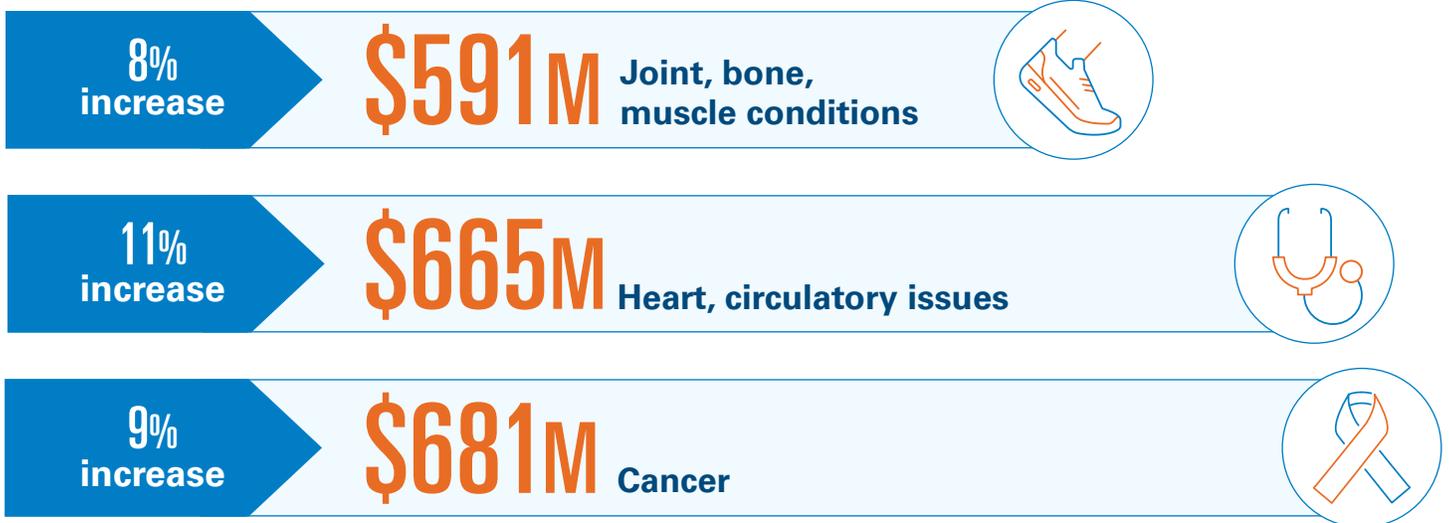


Health care costs continue to rise

In 2025, our health plan spent nearly \$7 billion on medical and drug benefits for our members.*

Top medical costs by condition**



More care, higher costs: Examples of what's driving health care spending



In 2025, spending on prescription drugs increased by 35% to **\$1.16B*****

Spending on GLP-1s and medication for autoimmune inflammatory conditions are among the treatments contributing to this increase.

Discover more: 9 ways we're supporting your health while tackling rising costs

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*The \$7 billion in spending includes medical and prescription drug claims in 2025 for all fully insured health plans.

**"Top medical costs by condition" and "Examples of what's driving health care spending" include medical claims for fully insured health plans, excluding prescription drug claims. The cost data in this section reflects claims incurred for a 12-month period ending October 2025 (paid through December 2025). Medical costs are also compared to the same period from the previous year.

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