



For organizations that already provide a self-funded health plan

Organizations that provide a self-funded health plan have already discovered numerous advantages of self-funding. Participation in the MASP elevates some of those to new levels while introducing additional advantages. The following chart is not comprehensive but reveals similarities and differences between stand-alone self-funding versus participation in the MASP.

Description	Self-funding through the MASP	Stand-Alone Self-funding
Full control of your organization’s health plan design(s)	✓	✓
Provides aggregate protection	✓	✓
Option to fund claims weekly as they are processed or pre-fund claims monthly at level amount	✓	✓
Freedom to choose 12-month benefit period when employee deductibles reset	✓	✓
Includes a pooled layer of shared self-funding that reduces stop-loss costs	✓	✗
Specific deductible lower than industry standards	✓	✗
Provides cap on annual rate increase with a guarantee of no laser	✓	✗
Includes leveraged purchasing and protection of the larger group	✓	✗
Ready access to built-in services of actuary and compliance attorney	✓	✗
Partnership with other Kingdom ministries that facilitates networking, sharing of best practices, and problem solving	✓	✗

Contact us to explore the advantages of providing a self-funded health plan through the MASP.