

# 2023-2024 BENEFITS

### HIGLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 60





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#### HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

The plan runs from July 1 to June 30 of each year. This guide provides a summary of benefit options to help you make the right decisions for you and your family.

Keep a copy of this guide handy throughout the year. It can be useful when specific care scenarios come up.



TIP: When you see a QR code like this one, scan it with your cell phone to find more information.

#### **ENROLLMENT CHECKLIST**

#### **CHOOSE YOUR PLAN**

Select a medical program option and decide who you're going to cover.



## MAKE A CONTRIBUTION TO YOURSELF

If you have the option to enroll in a high deductible health plan (HDHP), don't miss out on making health savings account (HSA) contributions.



## TAKE CARE OF YOUR LOVED ONES

Review and update beneficiary designations for life insurance benefits as needed.



## ARE YOUR DEPENDENTS STILL ELIGIBLE?

Confirm that any dependents up to age 26 are still eligible to be enrolled.



## CHOOSE YOUR OTHER COVERAGES

If applicable, review and decide whether to elect any additional employee-paid benefits.

#### **GOT QUESTIONS?**

#### **KAIROS**

General plan questions, claims questions, and ID cards

888.331.0222

svc.kairoshealthaz.org

#### **COMPSYCH**

EAP counseling services 833.955.3386

quidanceresources.com

#### **UMR**

Medical benefits, eligibility, and ID cards 844.212.6811

umr.com

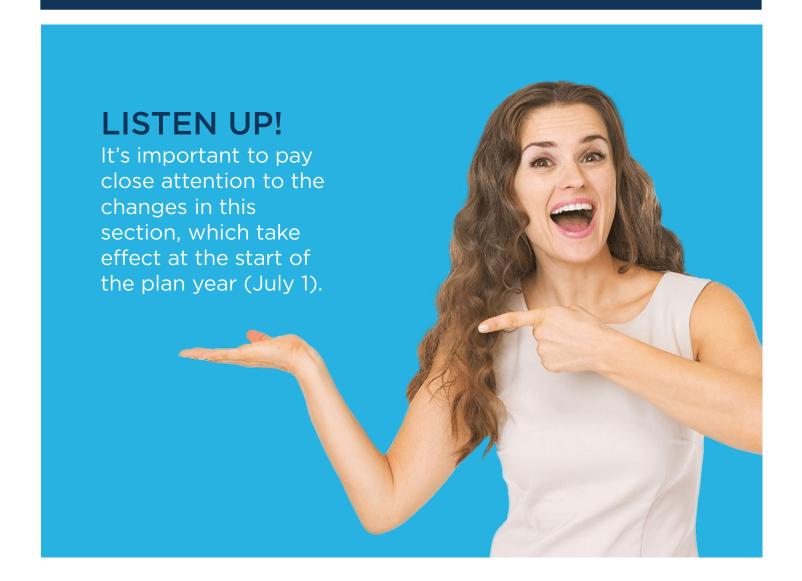
#### **MAXORPLUS**

Prescription benefits 800.687.0707

maxorplus.com

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## WHAT'S NEW?



#### NEW FOR 2023-2024

- 1. The \$1,400 HDHP will become a \$1,500 HDHP, or \$3,000 family deductible.
- 2. Teladoc coverage is available with no cost-share on all medical plans, including HDHPs, until new federal regulations tell us otherwise.
- 3. We continue to expand our one-of-a-kind clinical advocacy program! We now have a dedicated mental health nurse to assist you with your mental health and wellbeing needs.
- 4. Fees for Active&Fit gym memberships will increase from \$25 to \$28/month beginning April 1, 2023.
- 5. There are some great enhancements to supplemental life and worksite products. -Please refer to the appropriate benefit pages.

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## PLAN RULES

#### WHO'S ELIGIBLE?

Eligibility varies, but here are some general eligibility categories:

- ✓ Full-time employees working at least 30 hours per week
- ✓ Part-time employees working at least 20 hours per week (ancillary coverage only)
- Dependents of enrolled employees, including:
  - lawfully married spouses
  - domestic partners (domestic partner's children are not eligible)
  - dependent children up to age 26
  - unmarried children who are mentally or physically handicapped and fully dependent on the enrolled employee for support and maintenance

#### WHEN CAN I MAKE A CHANGE?

You can make changes or elect benefits once a year during open enrollment. Outside of open enrollment, the IRS says a "qualified life event" must occur in order to make changes.



If you experience a qualified life event and need to make a change to your benefits, you must notify your employer within **31 days** of the event. Otherwise, you will have to wait until the next open enrollment.

#### Below are examples of qualified life events that may make a mid-year change possible:

- ✓ Marriage, divorce, legal separation, or annulment
- ✓ Birth, adoption, placement for adoption, or legal guardianship of a child
- ✓ Death of a dependent

- Change in your spouse's employment or involuntary loss of health coverage under another employer's plan
- ✓ Change in your dependent's eligibility status



Newborns are not automatically added to your medical coverage. You must notify your employer within 31 days of the date of birth and pay the full premium amount for the month the child is added.

If you lose medical coverage through the Marketplace mid-year, you may not then join the Kairos plan. You may, however, drop your Kairos medical coverage to join a Marketplace plan mid-year.

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## WHAT DOES IT ALL MEAN?

# Let's talk through some health insurance terms and make this easy.



#### **DEDUCTIBLE**

This is the amount of money you have to pay each plan year (July to June) for covered services before your health insurance benefits kick in.

#### COINSURANCE

This is a percentage of covered medical costs you pay once you meet your deductible. The plan pays the rest.

#### OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM (OOP)

This is the most you'll pay for covered services during the plan year. The out-of-pocket maximum puts a cap on health care costs if you ever have a major illness or injury.

#### EMBEDDED DEDUCTIBLE

Individual family members have their own deductibles AND there's a deductible for the family as a whole. After an individual meets his or her deductible, the plan begins to pay benefits for that person. Once the family deductible is met, the plan pays benefits for all.

#### NON-EMBEDDED DEDUCTIBLE

The entire family shares a single deductible. The family deductible must be met before the plan begins to pay benefits.

## HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLAN (HDHP) VS. PPO PLAN

An HDHP is a type of medical plan that has a lower monthly premium but a higher annual deductible. It's usually paired with a health savings account (HSA) to help pay medical expenses.

A PPO is a plan that has a higher monthly premium but a lower annual deductible. PPO plans sometimes have copays for services, unlike HDHPs.

#### IN-NETWORK VS. OUT-OF-NETWORK

In-network providers are contracted to provide services at a discounted rate. Out-of-network providers are not. Staying in-network is usually the best way to save money on your health care.

#### INPATIENT VS. OUTPATIENT

Inpatient services are those received when you're admitted to a hospital or facility and spend at least one night. Outpatient services can vary, but they're services received in a facility that you're not admitted to.

#### PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

This is pre-approval that is required for certain services, prescriptions, and medical equipment to be covered by the plan. It's sometimes called "preauthorization" or "precertification."

#### How does my medical plan work?

**YOU PAY** 

YOU PAY, PLAN PAYS

**PLAN PAYS** 

#### **DEDUCTIBLE**

The costs you cover on your own

#### COINSURANCE

The costs you share with the plan



## COSTS OVER THE OOP MAX

Once you reach your out-of-pocket limit, the plan covers costs until the end of the plan year PAGE 6 2023-2024 BENEFITS

## MEDICAL BENEFITS

#### UMR/UNITEDHEALTHCARE

UMR is the medical claims processor which uses the UnitedHealthcare (UHC) Choice Plus network. This is a PPO network, which is a group of health care providers who discount what they charge you for services. By staying innetwork, services will cost you less.



#### Where does Kairos fit in?



## KAIROS The Plan

Kairos manages and funds all of the health care plans and voluntary coverages. We also work closely with your employer to administer your benefits.



#### UnitedHealthcare Medical Network

Kairos medical plans use the UnitedHealthcare network. If your doctor asks what network you have, you'll say, "United."



## **UMR**Claims Handling

UMR processes your medical claims. When you see your doctor, he or she submits the claim to UMR. For questions about your medical coverage, call Kairos or UMR (not United).

#### MANAGE YOUR BENEFITS

Create your mobile-friendly account at <a href="https://www.umr.com">umr.com</a> to take full advantage of your medical benefits. You'll need to have your ID card handy in order to register.

Once you're in, you can:

- √ View/print/order ID card(s)
- ✓ View medical claims
- ✓ Monitor deductible and out-of-pocket limits
- ✓ Shop for the best and most cost-efficient care

#### FIND A DOCTOR

If you want to find a doctor, there's no need to log in! Instead, follow these simple steps:

- ✓ Go to umr.com
- ✓ Select "Find a Provider"
- ✓ In the Provider Network search bar, type the network name: UnitedHealthcare Choice Plus
- ✓ Click search, then view providers
- √ Type in your address or ZIP code

Now you'll be able to search by provider name, locations, services, and more.

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## PRESCRIPTION BENEFITS

#### **MAXORPLUS**



When you enroll in Kairos medical coverage, you automatically receive prescription drug coverage through MaxorPlus. This benefit allows you to fill prescriptions through any participating pharmacy listed in the MaxorPlus pharmacy network.

#### Sign up for the MaxorPlus member portal to:



Locate the closest and most costefficient network pharmacy



View the plan formulary
(a list of prescription medications that may be covered under the plan)



Look up your prescription history and plan costs

#### TIPS FOR SAVING ON PRESCRIPTIONS

Depending on your medication type, dosage, and frequency, the dollars can add up quickly. But you have options for lowering your out-of-pocket costs. Try these simple steps to help you save a buck or two!

#### ✓ TAKE THE GENERIC

Generics have the same strength and active ingredients as the name brand version of your medications. The only difference is, they're significantly cheaper. Talk to your prescriber to see if generics are right for you.

#### SHOP AROUND

Just like you might hunt for those great Black Friday deals, you can do comparison shopping for medications. Log in to the MaxorPlus member portal and use the copay calculator to find the most cost-effective pharmacy near you. (Believe it or not, not all pharmacies charge the same amount for the same medication.)

#### **/** US

#### **USE MAIL ORDER**

Mail order delivers medications to your doorstep for less than it costs to go to your local pharmacy. For example, if a prescription costs \$180 for a three-month supply at retail, it could cost \$150 through mail order. It's like getting half a month for free!



#### SIGN UP FOR MYMAXORLINK

The myMaxorLink discount program does the work for you. Once enrolled, you'll automatically receive information on lowercost prescriptions, reminders specific to your coverage, and other important health updates. Call 888.596.0723 to enroll or go to mymaxorlink.com/maxorplus.

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# CLINICAL ADVOCACY: EXPERTS ON YOUR SIDE

#### CLINICAL ADVOCACY PROGRAM

Navigating health care and insurance can be complicated and leave you feeling overwhelmed. That's where we come in. Through the Kairos Clinical Advocacy Program, our dedicated inhouse nurses help guide you through the health care system, choose the best treatment, and keep your costs to a minimum.

With this program, you have:

- a champion in your corner who not only has a clinical background but understands your insurance coverage and genuinely wants to help
- a concierge to compare costs for you and help you get the best value

#### **Examples of how our clinical advocacy nurses help:**

- ✓ Acting as the liaison between you, your doctor, and your insurance
- Saving you money with manufacturer's medication programs or community assistance programs
- ✓ Coordinating with your health care providers when you need an alternative site of care
- ✓ Guiding you through the prior authorization (PA) process

#### Real Story from a Real Kairos Member

A Kairos participant (let's call her Sidney) was told by her doctor that she was going to need brain surgery. Sidney was understandably anxious, but her doctor said it would be six weeks before the surgery could be scheduled.

Sidney was lost and needed help, so she turned to the Kairos Clinical Advocacy Team, which did what they do: sprang into action.

The team went back and forth with Sidney's doctor, trying to get her surgery scheduled sooner. Nothing came of their efforts. With Sidney's permission, the team connected her to a different surgeon.

Sidney met with the new doctor who, naturally, took a second look at her condition. The doctor determined that Sidney didn't need brain surgery after all! Instead, he prescribed medication for her condition.

#### The Positive Outcome for Sidney

- Avoided a scary, life-altering surgery
- Returned to work in under 3 months
- Improved her quality of care
- Saved herself thousands of dollars in medical bills (and saved the Kairos plan 100s of thousands of dollars)

No matter what your situation may be, you have a team of health care experts on your side with Kairos.

Give us a call to learn more.

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# WELLBEING

#### WHAT'S "WELLNESS" ALL ABOUT?

Wellness is more than skipping out on a donut for breakfast one day or trying to remember to destress after a tough meeting. It's a measure of both your mental and physical health, involving nearly every aspect of your life. It's about promoting a healthier and happier whole person.

We offer different wellness programs and activities for you to choose from. Participation is optional unless stated otherwise.

#### Active&Fit fitness program

\$28/month for access to 11,000+ fitness centers. Plus, online workout videos and life coaching.

#### Online health center

Online activities to promote healthy eating, weight management, and more.

#### Onsite events and workshops

Mammograms, flu shots, biometric screenings, and financial workshops.

#### Lifestyle management program

Online weight loss program to help employees make positive lifestyle changes.

#### Maternity care program

For pregnant moms or those who are planning to be. Includes a \$25 reward for completion!

#### Ongoing condition care program

For those who need help when managing chronic conditions like diabetes, COPD, and asthma.

#### Complex condition care program

For assistance with complex cases such as transplants, oncology, and neonatal care.

#### PREVENTION IS PRICELESS

We want to help you stay healthy. So, the Kairos plan covers preventive care services for free, with no age restrictions when you visit an in-network provider.

#### **Examples of preventive benefits include:**

- ✓ Prostate screenings
- ✓ Immunizations and flu shots
- Hearing exams
- ✓ Mammogram screenings

- ✓ Colonoscopy screenings
- ✓ Cancer screenings
- ✓ Generic contraceptives
- ✓ Blood pressure tests



Your doctor must use wellness codes when billing these services, or your service will not be covered at 100%. To make sure wellness codes are billed correctly, inform your provider when scheduling your appointment that you need a wellness visit.

You should also know that if, at the time of your appointment, any issues other than your preventive screening are addressed, it's likely that the billing codes will be changed from wellness to diagnostic, and the fees will not be covered at 100%. If you're having issues with a wellness claim, contact the Kairos team.

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# MORE BENEFITS

#### **TELADOC**

With Teladoc, you can use your phone or computer to conduct a live virtual visit with a board-certified medical professional—any day, anytime, anywhere.

You'll get fast and 24/7 help for nonemergency matters like:

- ✓ Cold and flu symptoms
- ✓ Skin irritations
- ✓ Stomach bugs
- ✓ Headaches
- ✓ Pink eye
- ✓ Sinus infection
- ✓ Sore throat

#### **BONUS!**

Mental health benefits: Talk to a therapist or psychiatrist by appointment via phone or video for things like anxiety, depression, stress, and more.

**Dermatology benefits:** Diagnose and treat skin conditions via the mobile app for things like eczema, rashes, and more.

For questions, contact Teladoc at 800.835.2362 or visit <u>teladoc.com</u>.

#### **COMPSYCH EAP**

With ComPsych, you have 6 one-on-one counseling sessions per family member, per issue, per year at no cost to you.

Professional advisors are available 24/7 to help you and your family with:

- ✓ Stress and anxiety
- ✓ Relationship matters
- ✓ Substance abuse
- Minor depression management

#### **BONUS!**

Online resources: Visit the website below to access family resources, legal and financial consultations, on-demand trainings, discounts, and more!

For questions, contact ComPsych at 833.955.3386 or visit <u>guidanceresources.com</u>. Web ID: KairosEAP



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# AND NOW... THE MEDICAL PLANS!



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CHOICE \$0 PPO BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK <sup>4</sup>	OUT-OF-NETWORK⁴
DEDUCTIBLE <sup>1</sup>	\$0/employee \$0/family	\$900/employee \$2,700/family
OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM <sup>2</sup>	\$6,350/employee \$12,700/family	\$30,000/employee \$60,000/family
OFFICE VISITS	\$30 copay primary care physician \$40 copay specialist	Deductible, then 50%
URGENT CARE	\$50 copay	Deductible, then 50%
EMERGENCY ROOM	\$150 copay	\$150 copay
WELLNESS SERVICES (ADULT/CHILD)	No deductible, \$0	Deductible, then 50%
TELEHEALTH (TELADOC) <sup>3</sup>	No deductible, \$0	Not available
OUTPATIENT SURGERY	\$75 per service	Deductible, then 50%
INPATIENT SERVICES	\$250 copay per admission	Deductible, then 50%
IMAGING (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$30 copay	Deductible, then 50%
HOME HEALTH CARE	No deductible, \$0	Deductible, then 50%
SKILLED NURSING CARE	\$250 copay per admission	Deductible, then 50%
REHABILITATION SERVICES	\$30 copay	Deductible, then 50%

#### **PRESCRIPTIONS**

RETAIL (Up to 31-day supply)	<ul> <li>Generic: \$15</li> <li>Preferred: \$30</li> <li>Non-preferred: \$50</li> <li>Specialty: Not applicable</li> </ul>
MAIL ORDER	• Generic: \$37.50

MAIL ORDER (Up to 90-day supply) Generic: \$37.50Preferred: \$75Non-preferred: \$125

<sup>1</sup>This plan has an embedded individual deductible and out-of-pocket maximum. This means that although a deductible and out-of-pocket maximum apply to the family as a whole, no individual will be responsible for more than his/her individual deductible before the plan pays benefits for that person, and no individual will be responsible for more than his/her individual out-of-pocket maximum. All benefits are subject to the deductible, unless otherwise noted. The medical plan deductible does not apply to retail and mail order prescription drug copays.

<sup>2</sup>The out-of-pocket maximum includes deductibles, copayments, and coinsurance for all medical and prescription plan benefits.

<sup>3</sup>Teladoc services are covered at 100%, subject to the expiration of the CARES Act. Once the CARES Act expires, services will revert to the pre-CARES cost structure, with applicable copays/deductibles.

<sup>4</sup>The in-network and out-of-network deductibles and out-of-pocket maximums are separate. This means that amounts applied toward the in-network deductible and out-of-pocket maximum do not also apply toward the out-of-network deductible and out-of-pocket maximum. Similarly, amounts applied toward the out-of-network deductible and out-of-pocket maximum do not also apply toward the in-network deductible and out-of-pocket maximum.

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CHOICE \$500 PPO BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK <sup>4</sup>	OUT-OF-NETWORK <sup>4</sup>
DEDUCTIBLE <sup>1</sup>	\$500/employee \$1,000/family	\$1,200/employee \$2,400/family
OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM <sup>2</sup>	\$4,500/employee \$9,000/family	\$30,000/employee \$60,000/family
OFFICE VISITS	\$30 copay primary care physician \$40 copay specialist	Deductible, then 50%
URGENT CARE	\$50 copay	Deductible, then 50%
EMERGENCY ROOM	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 20%
WELLNESS SERVICES (ADULT/CHILD)	No deductible, \$0	Deductible, then 50%
TELEHEALTH (TELADOC) <sup>3</sup>	No deductible, \$0	Not available
OUTPATIENT SURGERY	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
INPATIENT SERVICES	\$250 copay per admission	Deductible, then 50%
IMAGING (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	No deductible, 20%	Deductible, then 50%
HOME HEALTH CARE	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
SKILLED NURSING CARE	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
REHABILITATION SERVICES	\$30 copay	Deductible, then 50%
PRESCRIPTIONS		

RETAIL (Up to 31-day supply)	<ul><li>Generic: \$15</li><li>Preferred: \$30</li><li>Non-preferred: \$50</li><li>Specialty: Not applicable</li></ul>	
MAIL ORDER	• Gaparia: \$77.50	

MAIL ORDER (Up to 90-day supply) Generic: \$37.50Preferred: \$75

• Non-preferred: \$125

This plan has an embedded individual deductible and out-of-pocket maximum. This means that although a deductible and out-of-pocket maximum apply to the family as a whole, no individual will be responsible for more than his/her individual deductible before the plan pays benefits for that person, and no individual will be responsible for more than his/her individual out-of-pocket maximum. All benefits are subject to the deductible, unless otherwise noted. The medical plan deductible does not apply to retail and mail order prescription drug copays.

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CHOICE HDHP \$1500 BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK <sup>4</sup>	OUT-OF-NETWORK⁴
DEDUCTIBLE <sup>1</sup>	\$1,500/employee \$3,000/family	\$2,500/employee \$5,000/family
OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM <sup>2</sup>	\$6,000/employee \$6,850/family	\$18,000/employee \$28,000/family
OFFICE VISITS	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
URGENT CARE	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
EMERGENCY ROOM	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 20%
WELLNESS SERVICES (ADULT/CHILD)	No deductible, \$0	Deductible, then 50%
TELEHEALTH (TELADOC) <sup>3</sup>	No deductible, \$0	Not available
OUTPATIENT SURGERY	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
INPATIENT SERVICES	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
IMAGING (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
HOME HEALTH CARE	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
SKILLED NURSING CARE	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%
REHABILITATION SERVICES	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 50%

#### **PRESCRIPTIONS**

RETAIL (Up to 31-day supply)	<ul> <li>Generic: \$10</li> <li>Preferred: \$35</li> <li>Non-preferred: \$60</li> <li>Specialty: Not applicable</li> </ul>
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MAIL ORDER (Up to 90-day supply)

Generic: \$25Preferred: \$87.50Non-preferred: \$150

<sup>1</sup>This plan has a non-embedded deductible and out-of-pocket maximum. This means that families enrolling in the plan will need to meet the entire family deductible before the plan pays benefits for any member of the family (other than preventive/wellness care). It also means that the out-of-pocket maximum applies to the family as a whole rather than to individual covered family members. All benefits are subject to the deductible, unless noted otherwise. The medical plan deductible does not apply to retail and mail order prescription drug copays.

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CHOICE \$5,000 PPO BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK⁴	OUT-OF-NETWORK⁴
DEDUCTIBLE <sup>1</sup>	\$5,000/employee \$10,000/family	\$15,000/employee \$30,000/family
OUT-OF-POCKET MAXIMUM <sup>2</sup>	\$6,250/employee \$12,500/family	\$45,000/employee \$90,000/family
OFFICE VISITS	\$30 copay primary care physician \$60 copay specialist	Deductible, then 50%
URGENT CARE	\$100 copay	Deductible, then 50%
EMERGENCY ROOM	\$300 copay	\$300 copay
WELLNESS SERVICES (ADULT/CHILD)	No deductible, \$0	Deductible, then 50%
TELEHEALTH (TELADOC) <sup>3</sup>	No deductible, \$0	Not available
OUTPATIENT SURGERY	Deductible, then 30%	Deductible, then 50%
INPATIENT SERVICES	Deductible, then 30%	Deductible, then 50%
IMAGING (CT/PET scans, MRIs)	\$300 copay	Deductible, then 50%
HOME HEALTH CARE	Deductible, then 30%	Deductible, then 50%
SKILLED NURSING CARE	Deductible, then 30%	Deductible, then 50%
REHABILITATION SERVICES	\$30 copay	Deductible, then 50%
PRESCRIPTIONS		

RETAIL (Up to 31-day supply)	<ul> <li>Generic: \$15</li> <li>Preferred: \$30</li> <li>Non-preferred: \$50</li> <li>Specialty: Not applicable</li> </ul>
MAIL ORDER (Up to 90-day supply)	<ul><li>Generic: \$37.50</li><li>Preferred: \$75</li></ul>

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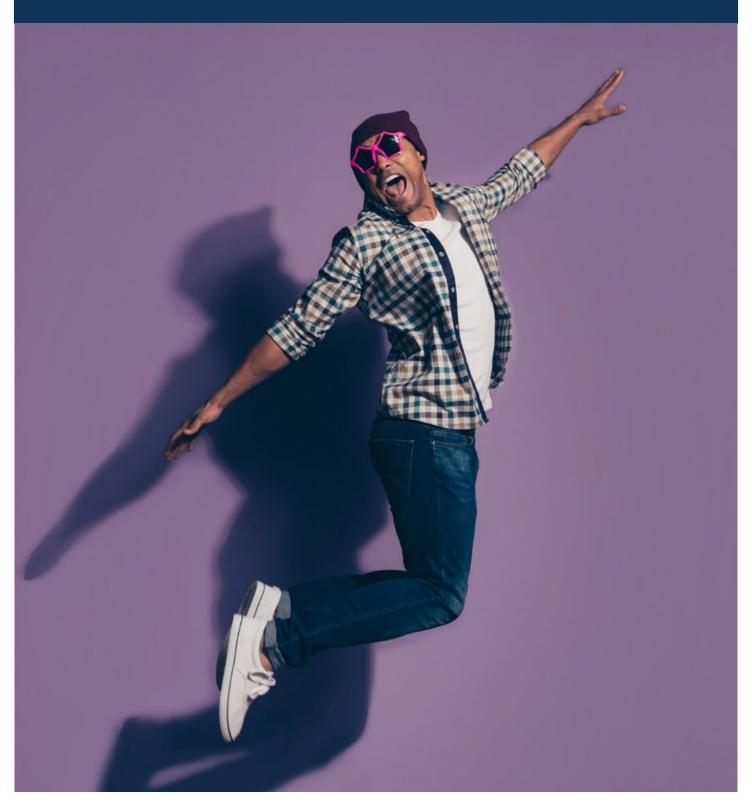
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# MORE BENEFITS WITH YOUR BENEFITS



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#### **HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA)**

If you enroll in a high deductible health plan (HDHP), you are eligible to open a health savings account with HealthEquity. An HSA is a personal savings account that lets you set aside pre-tax money from your paycheck to use on qualified medical expenses. Some examples of qualified expenses include deductibles and copays, doctor's office visits, prescription drugs, vaccines and screenings, and more! For a complete list, visit <a href="learn2.healthequity.com/kairos/gme">learn2.healthequity.com/kairos/gme</a>.

Once you receive your debit card from HealthEquity, you'll be able to use your account. New cards are issued only to first-time enrollees (or if an existing card expires). Since it's your personal account, please contact HealthEquity if you need a replacement debit card.

#### **HSA Advantages**



#### **Triple Tax Benefit**

Contributions are tax deductible; the funds grow with no tax liability; and money used for health expenses is not taxed upon withdrawal.



#### It's Yours Forever

The money in your HSA rolls over every year and is yours to keep, even if you leave your employer.
Banking fees may apply if you leave your employer.



#### **Grow and Save**

You can invest the funds, and your earnings grow taxfree. After age 65, you can use the HSA like a traditional retirement account.

#### YOU'RE ELIGIBLE FOR AN HSA IF:

- You're enrolled in a qualified high deductible health plan.
- You're not also covered by a spouse's non-HDHP employer plan.



You aren't enrolled in Medicare or another non-qualified health care plan.



You can't be claimed as a dependent on someone else's tax return.

#### HOW MUCH CAN YOU CONTRIBUTE?

TIER	MAXIMUM AMOUNT
INDIVIDUAL	\$3,850
FAMILY	\$7,750
AGE 55+	Additional \$1,000



Learn how to maximize your HSA



You may contribute the maximum amount stated on a calendar year basis, or January 1 to December 31. This is a little different from the Kairos plan year, which runs from July to June. You are responsible for calculating and verifying that your contributions, including any employer contributions, don't exceed the maximum annual amount.

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#### FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA)

Set aside pre-tax dollars for eligible health care and dependent care expenses in a flexible spending account (FSA) administered by HealthEquity. These accounts are also referred to as consumer-driven accounts, or CDAs. You elect how much you want to contribute in equal installments throughout the year.

	MEDICAL REIMBURSEMENT FSA*	DEPENDENT CARE FSA*
WHAT ARE THE ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION LIMITS?	Up to \$3,050 (depending on your employer's plan option)	Up to \$5,000 or \$2,500 if married filing separately (tax filing status and participation in other plans may affect contribution limits)
WHAT CAN AN FSABE USED FOR?	Eligible medical, dental, and vision expenses that are not already covered or deducted on your income taxes	Eligible childcare expenses
HOW ARE REIMBURSEMENTS MADE?	Claim form submitted via employee portal, fax, or mail	Claim form submitted via employee portal, fax, or mail

#### ANYTHING ELSE I NEED TO KNOW ABOUT FSAs?

**Use it or Lose it**—Any money set aside in the FSA must be used for eligible expenses during the plan year. Claims for reimbursement can be submitted up to 90 days after the plan year ends on June 30. After that, funds are forfeited.

Plan Carefully—Your election stays in effect for the entire plan year (July 1 through June 30). Once you make your election, you can only change your contribution amount if you experience a qualified status change (see page 4 for information about status changes).

**Keep it Compliant**—The IRS clearly defines eligible expenses, and only those that comply with the Internal Revenue Code are eligible for reimbursement. In all cases, itemized documentation for transactions should be retained.

#### **How your FSA works**



#### **VISIT PROVIDER**

Visit your medical/dental/vision/Rx provider and give them your insurance information.



#### **PROVIDER BILLS**

Your provider will send the claim to your insurance or may bill you directly.



#### **PAY YOUR PROVIDER**

Use your HealthEquity Visa Healthcare Card to pay your provider, or pay online through the HealthEquity member portal. PAGE 19 2023-2024 BENEFITS

#### **DELTA DENTAL INSURANCE**

Kairos's dental plan through Delta Dental allows you and your eligible dependents to visit any dentist or specialist without a referral. The plan also travels with you anywhere in the country. Delta Dental issues ID cards to new enrollees. If you ever need a replacement, please contact Kairos or Delta Dental.

While both PPO and Premier dentists are in-network, you will save more money when using a PPO dentist. Out-of-pocket costs increase by going out-of-network.

SELECT PLAN BENEFIT OVERVIEW	PPO AND PREMIER DENTIST	OUT-OF-NETWORK DENTIST
ANNUAL MAXIMUM BENEFIT <sup>1</sup>	\$1,500	\$1,500
ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE (EMPLOYEE/FAMILY) <sup>1</sup>	\$50/\$150	\$50/\$150
LIFETIME ORTHODONTIA MAXIMUM <sup>1</sup>	Child \$1,500	Child \$1,500
PREVENTIVE SERVICES (TWICE A YEAR) <sup>2</sup> Exams Routine cleanings Fluoride: For children up to age 18 Sealants: For children up to age 19 X-rays Space maintainers	\$O	\$O
BASIC SERVICES Fillings Stainless steel crowns Emergency treatment Endodontics: Root canal treatment Periodontics: Gum disease treatment Oral surgery: Simple and surgical extractions	Deductible, then 20%	Deductible, then 20%
MAJOR SERVICES <sup>3</sup> Prosthodontics: Bridges, partial dentures, complete dentures Bridge and denture repair Implants Restorative: Crowns and onlays	Deductible, then 50%	Deductible, then 50%
ORTHODONTIC SERVICES <sup>4</sup> Benefit for children ages 8–19. Children must be banded prior to age 17.	50%	50%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Combination of in-network and out-of-network.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Preventive services are deducted from the annual maximum benefit.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Major services may be subject to a 5 waiting period from the date services were last performed. Refer to the plan certificate for more information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Orthodontia has a separate annual maximum.

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#### TDA DENTAL INSURANCE

Total Dental Administrators (TDA) provides comprehensive dental care on a predetermined fee schedule. There are no deductibles, no claim forms, and no annual or lifetime benefit maximums. Services are covered in the state of Arizona only.

**NO ID CARD NECESSARY.** TDA will issue an ID card to new enrollees. You don't need your card, though, to receive dental care—your dentist will have your name on file once covered.

DHMO PLAN BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK COPAY
PREVENTIVE/DIAGNOSTIC Initial exam Adult cleaning Office visits	\$0 \$0 \$0
RESTORATIVE Amalgam (one surface) Amalgam (two surfaces) Resin (one surface) Resin (two surfaces)	\$13 \$24 \$29 \$40
CROWN & BRIDGE Crown porcelain Crown buildup	\$495* \$80
ENDODONTICS Root canal therapy (anterior) Root canal therapy (molar)	\$195 \$399
ORAL SURGERY Simple extraction Soft tissue impaction	\$40 \$90
PROSTHETICS Complete denture Partial denture	\$615* \$550*
PERIODONTICS Osseous surgery/quad	\$390

<sup>\*</sup>Copay includes lab fee. Lab fees may vary; check with your provider for more details. Refer to plan summary for a complete list of covered services.

#### HOW TO USE YOUR PLAN

**STEP 1:** Access the TDA website prior to making an appointment. Select the general dental office for yourself and your dependents.

STEP 2: Select the DHMO dental plan network and enter your search criteria.

**STEP 3:** Make note of the provider code number listed to the right of the dental office. You'll use this code number to identify your selection when enrolling for benefits or calling customer service.

Contact TDA customer service at the number below if you need to change your provider mid-year.

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#### **VSP VISION INSURANCE**

Using your VSP Choice benefit is easy. Simply create an account at <u>VSP.com</u>. Once your account is activated, you can review your benefit information and find an eye doctor who's right for you.

**NO ID CARD NECESSARY.** At your appointment, tell the office staff that you have VSP. They may ask for additional personal information to verify your coverage. From there, you're good to go. You can also print out an ID card for reference through your online VSP account.

CHOICE PLAN BENEFIT OVERVIEW	IN-NETWORK COPAY	FREQUENCY
VISION EXAM	\$10	Every 12 months
PRESCRIPTION GLASSES	\$25	See Frames & Lenses
\$200 featured frame brands allowance \$180 frame allowance 20% savings on your allowance \$100 Walmart/Sam's Club/Costco frame allowance	Included in prescription glasses copay	Every 12 months
LENSES Single vision, lined bifocal, and lined trifocal lenses Impact-resistant lenses for children	Included in prescription glasses copay	Every 12 months
LENS ENHANCEMENTS Standard progressive lenses UV protection Premium progressive lenses Custom progressive lenses Average savings of 30% on other lens enhancements	\$0 \$0 \$95-\$105 \$150-\$175	Every 12 months
CONTACTS (INSTEAD OF GLASSES) \$150 allowance; no copay Contact lens exam (fitting and evaluation)	Up to \$60	Every 12 months
ESSENTIAL EYECARE PROGRAM Retinal screening for members with diabetes  Additional exams and services for members with diabetic eye disease, glaucoma, or age-related macular degeneration. Limitations and coordination with your medical coverage may apply. Ask your VSP doctor for details.	\$0 \$20 per exam	As needed
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#### **ENJOY SHOPPING ONLINE?**

Go to <u>eyeconic.com</u> and use your vision benefits to shop over 50 brands of contacts, eyeglasses, and sunglasses. Brands include Bebe, Calvin Klein, Gucci, Ray-Ban, Nike, Nine West, and more!

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#### BASIC LIFE AND AD&D INSURANCE

Your employer provides eligible employees with basic life and AD&D in the amount of \$50,000. This benefit is at no cost to you and enrollment is automatic.

The original amount reduces to \$22,500 at age 70, \$15,000 at age 75 and \$10,000 at age 80.

When enrolling, you must designate a beneficiary. You may select more than one beneficiary and can make changes anytime by contacting your employer.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL LIFE AND AD&D INSURANCE

You have the opportunity to purchase additional life insurance coverage for yourself, your eligible spouse, and your dependent children. You are responsible for paying the cost of this benefit, as stated in the plan summary. Unlike basic life insurance, your supplemental life insurance amount will not reduce with age. However, the amount you pay out of pocket will increase as you age.

**NEW FOR 2023-2024:** Existing employees may now elect or increase their supplemental life up to the guaranteed issue amount without completing EOI (see definitions below). This only applies to employee coverage, a new election or increase for spouse coverage would still require EOI. Employees can elect coverage for their dependents without having to elect coverage for themselves.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL COVERAGE AMOUNTS

	YOU	YOUR SPOUSE	YOUR CHILDREN
AVAILABLE AMOUNTS	\$10,000-\$500,000 in increments of \$10,000  Cannot exceed 5 times your annual salary	\$5,000-\$250,000 in increments of \$5,000  Cannot exceed 100% of your supplemental life benefit	Up to 15 days old: \$1,000 15 days to 26 years: choice of \$10,000, \$15,000 or \$20,000
GUARANTEED ISSUE AMOUNT	\$250,000	\$50,000	\$10,000



#### **GUARANTEED ISSUE AMOUNT**

The guaranteed issue amount, sometimes referred to as "non-medical maximum," is a set amount of voluntary life insurance guaranteed to first-time enrollees that does not require evidence of insurability (EOI).

EOI is an application process that requires you to complete a statement of health (SOH) form on your medical history in order to be approved for the life insurance amount requested. EOI is required for new enrollees enrolling above the guaranteed issue amount and for existing enrollees increasing their life insurance.

Pay close attention during enrollment to determine if an SOH is needed.

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#### SHORT-TERM DISABILITY

You can elect to purchase short-term disability coverage through MetLife. This benefit replaces a portion of your pre-disability earnings, less any income that was actually paid to you from other sources for the same disability. Disability insurance helps provide income protection for those with unexpected health events, associated expenses, and possible time away from work due to a non-occupational injury or sickness.

The monthly disability benefit may not exceed 66 2/3% of your salary, up to a \$1,500 weekly maximum.

Benefits begin following the plan's 7-day elimination period and are paid for up to 26 weeks of continuous disability. This plan includes maternity as part of the coverage, and typically pays six weeks of benefits for a normal pregnancy.

#### PRE-EXISTING CONDITION LIMITATIONS

The policy does not cover an illness or accidental injury that arose in the three months prior to your plan effective date. In addition, to be eligible for coverage during pregnancy, your pregnancy must occur on or after the benefit effective date (e.g., July 1, 2023 if you are enrolling during open enrollment).



### **IMPORTANT!**

If you receive a salary increase, your short-term disability does not increase automatically. You may sign up for this coverage only during open enrollment, or as a new hire.

You may not drop coverage until the next open enrollment period.

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#### **WORKSITE BENEFITS**

Worksite benefits offered through MetLife are intended to offset out-of-pocket medical expenses. This is another layer to your medical insurance that pays you a lump sum cash benefit. You and your eligible spouse/dependents can enroll in these benefits but must enroll in the same plans—for example, you may not enroll in accident coverage for yourself and critical illness coverage for your dependents.

#### There are 3 plans to choose from. Pick one or pick them all.

BENEFIT OVERVIEW	HOSPITAL INDEMNITY	CRITICAL ILLNESS	ACCIDENT
OVERVIEW	Cash benefit for hospitalization services	Cash benefit for covered critical illnesses  NOTE: Pre-existing condition limitations apply	Cash benefit for injuries in a covered accident  NOTE: Benefits reduce by 25% at age 65, and by 50% at age 70
BENEFITS	Admission: \$500 ICU admission: \$500 Confinement: \$200/day, up to 15 days ICU confinement: \$200/day, up to 15 days Inpatient rehab: \$200/day, up to 15 days	3 critical illness amounts to choose from: \$10,000 \$20,000 \$30,000  Your spouse and dependent children receive 50% of your initial benefit	Injury: \$50-\$10,000  Medical services/treatment: \$25-\$2,000  Hospital (accident): \$200- \$2,000  Accidental death: \$50,000  Dismemberment: \$500- \$50,000  Lodging: \$200/night, up to 30 nights

New for 2023-2024: Hospital indemnity no longer has benefit reductions with increased age; Critical illness now covers hospitalization for COVID-19 for 5 consecutive days; Accident insurance added a 25% benefit for organized sports activity.

Refer to the plan summaries for more information about these changes and detailed benefit information.

#### **HEALTH SCREENING BENEFITS AVAILABLE**

For each enrolled worksite benefit, MetLife will pay you and your enrolled dependents \$50 per calendar year for completing a covered screening/test and submitting the information to MetLife.

Examples of covered screenings include: a blood test to determine total cholesterol, an endoscopy, or colonoscopy. (Refer to the plan document for more services.)

When you're ready to claim your \$50:

- 1. Call 877.638.7868.
- 2. Provide a few details, including: your doctor's contact information; the screening/test and date it was completed; and address of where the screening/test was performed.
- 3. Receive your free \$50.

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## THIS GUIDE IS INTENDED ONLY AS A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PLAN BENEFITS

The guide attempts to describe important details and changes to the health plans in a clear, simple, and concise manner. If there is a conflict between this guide and the wording of plan documents, the plan documents will govern. Kairos and Higley retain the right to change, modify, suspend, interpret, or cancel some or all of the benefits or services at any time.

#### MEDICARE NOTICE OF CREDITABLE COVERAGE REMINDER

If you or your eligible dependents are currently Medicare-eligible, or will become Medicare-eligible during the next 12 months, be sure you understand whether the prescription drug coverage that you elect through the pool is or is not creditable with (as valuable as) Medicare's prescription drug coverage.

#### PRIVACY NOTICE REMINDER

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996 requires health plans to comply with privacy rules. These rules are intended to protect your personal health information from being inappropriately used and disclosed. The rules also give you additional rights concerning control of your own health care information.

Kairos has determined that prescription drug coverage under the following prescription drug plan options is "creditable": Choice \$0; Choice \$500; \$1,500 HDHP; and Navigate Plus.

If you have questions about what this means for you, review the plan's Medicare Part D Notice of Creditable Coverage, which is available from Kairos at 888.331.0222.

This plan's HIPAA privacy notice explains how the group health plan uses and discloses your personal health information. You are provided a copy of this notice when you enroll in the plan. You can also request another copy of the notice from Kairos.

#### WOMEN'S HEALTH AND CANCER RIGHTS ACT OF 1998 (WHCRA)

You or your dependents may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998 (WHCRA). For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided in a manner determined in consultation with the attending physician and the patient for:

- all stages of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed;
- surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance;
- prostheses; and
- treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedema.

Plan limits, deductibles, copayments, and coinsurance apply to these benefits. For more information on WHCRA benefits, contact Kairos at 888.331.0222.

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#### MID-YEAR CHANGES TO YOUR HEALTH CARE BENEFIT ELECTIONS

IMPORTANT: After this open enrollment period is completed, generally you will not be permitted to change your benefit elections or add/delete dependents until next year's open enrollment, unless you have a special enrollment event or a mid-year change-in-status event as outlined below:

Special enrollment event: If you are declining enrollment for yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents in this plan if you or your dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage (or if your employer stops contributing toward your or your dependents' other coverage). However, you must request enrollment within 31 days after your or your dependents' other coverage ends (or after the employer stops contributing toward the other coverage).

In addition, if you have a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents. However, you must request enrollment within 31 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption.

You and your dependents may also enroll in this plan if you (or your dependents):

- change in number or status of dependents (e.g., birth, adoption, death);
- change in employee's/spouse's/dependent's employment status, work schedule, or residence that affects eligibility for benefits:
- have a Qualified Medical Child Support Order (QMCSO);
- have a change in entitlement to or loss of eligibility for Medicare or Medicaid:
- experience certain changes in the cost of coverage, composition of coverage, or curtailment of coverage of the employee's or spouse's plan; and
- have coverage through Medicaid or a State Children's Health Insurance Program (S-CHIP) and you (or your

dependents) lose eligibility for that coverage. However, you must request enrollment within 60 days after the Medicaid or S-CHIP coverage ends.

 become eligible for a premium assistance program through Medicaid or S-CHIP. However, you must request enrollment within 60 days after you (or your dependents) are determined to be eligible for such assistance.

To request special enrollment or obtain more information, contact the Higley Benefits Department at 480.279.7013.

Mid-year change-in-status event: Because Higley pretaxes benefits, we are required to follow Internal Revenue Service (IRS) regulations regarding whether and when benefits can be changed in the middle of a plan year. The following events may allow certain changes in benefits midyear, if permitted by the IRS and your employer's respective Section 125 plan, which provides final authority:

- change in legal marital status (e.g., marriage, divorce/ legal separation, death);
- change in coverage of the employee's or spouse's plan; and
- changes consistent with special enrollment rights and FMLA leaves.

You must notify the Benefits Department within 31 days of the mid-year change-in-status event by contacting the Higley Benefits Department at 480.279.7013. The Benefits Department will determine if your change request is permitted, and if so, changes will become effective prospectively on the first day of the month following the approved change-in-status event (except for the case of newborn and adopted children, who are covered retroactively to the date of birth, adoption, or placement for adoption).

Losing medical coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace is not considered a qualified life event with Kairos, and you will not be allowed to join the plan midyear. However, you can drop your Kairos medical coverage to join the Marketplace plan midyear. You will be required to provide proof of coverage within 31 days of your enrollment.

#### PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT STATEMENT

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13) (PRA), no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless such collection displays a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The Department of Labor notes that a federal agency cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it is approved by OMB under the PRA and displays a currently valid OMB control number, and the public is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. See 44 U.S.C. 3507. Also, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information if the collection of information does not display a currently valid OMB control number. See 44 U.S.C. 3512.

The public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average approximately seven minutes per respondent. Interested parties are encouraged to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employee Benefits Security Administration, Office of Policy and Research, Attention: PRA Clearance Officer, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room N-5718, Washington, DC 20210, or email ebsa.opr@dol.gov and reference the OMB Control Number 1210-0137.

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#### DIRECT ACCESS TO PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER (PCP) AND OB/GYN PROVIDER

The medical plans offered by Kairos do not require the selection or designation of a primary care provider (PCP). You have the ability to visit any network or non-network health care provider; however, payment by the plan may be less for the use of a non-network provider.

You also do not need prior authorization from the plan or from any other person (including a primary care provider) in order to obtain access to obstetrical or gynecological care from a health care professional who specializes in obstetrics or gynecology. The health care professional, however, may be required to comply with certain procedures, including, obtaining prior authorization for certain services; following a preapproved treatment plan; or procedures for making referrals. For a list of participating health care professionals who specialize in obstetrics or gynecology, contact Kairos at 888.331.0222.

#### COBRA COVERAGE REMINDER

In compliance with a provision of federal law referred to as COBRA continuation coverage, this plan offers its eligible employees and their covered dependents (known as qualified beneficiaries) the opportunity to elect temporary continuation of their group health coverage when that coverage would otherwise end because of certain events (called qualifying events).

A COBRA general notice will be mailed to all eligible employees within 90 days of their effective date. Qualified beneficiaries are entitled to elect COBRA coverage when qualifying events occur, and, as a result of the qualifying event, coverage for that qualified beneficiary ends. Qualified beneficiaries who elect COBRA continuation coverage must pay for it at their own expense.

Qualifying event examples include termination of employment for any reasons other than gross misconduct, reduction in hours of work making the employee ineligible for coverage, death of the employee, divorce/legal separation, or a child ceasing to be an eligible dependent child.

In addition to considering COBRA as a way to continue coverage, there may be other coverage options for you and your family. You may wish to seek coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. (See <a href="https://www.healthcare.gov">www.healthcare.gov</a>.) In the Marketplace, you could be

eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premiums for Marketplace coverage, and you can see what your premium, deductibles, and out-of-pocket costs will be before you make a decision to enroll. Being eligible for COBRA does not limit your eligibility for coverage or a tax credit through the Marketplace. Additionally, you may qualify for a special enrollment opportunity for another group health plan for which you are eligible—such as a spouse's plan—if you request enrollment within 30 days, even if the plan generally does not accept late enrollees.

The maximum period of COBRA coverage is generally either 18 months or 36 months, depending on which qualifying event occurred.

In order to have the opportunity to elect COBRA coverage following a divorce/legal separation or a child ceasing to be a dependent child under the plan, you and/or a family member must inform the plan in writing of that event no later than 60 days after the event occurs. The notice should be sent to Kairos via first class mail, and should include the employee's name, the qualifying event, the date of the event, and the appropriate documentation in support of the qualifying event (such as divorce documents).

If you have questions about COBRA, contact Kairos at 888.331.0222.

## PREMIUM ASSISTANCE UNDER MEDICAID AND THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (CHIP)

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, and you're eligible for health coverage from your employer, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage using funds from the Medicaid or CHIP programs. If you or your children aren't eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you won't be eligible for these premium assistance programs, but you may be able to buy individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information, visit www.healthcare.gov.

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you live in a state listed below, contact your state Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your

dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, contact your state Medicaid or CHIP office or dial 877.KIDSNOW or <a href="www.insurekidsnow.gov">www.insurekidsnow.gov</a> to find out how to apply. If you qualify, ask your state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

If you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must allow you to enroll in your employer plan if you aren't already enrolled. This is called a "special enrollment" opportunity, and you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance.

If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, contact the Department of Labor at <a href="www.askebsa.dol.gov">www.askebsa.dol.gov</a> or call 866.444.EBSA (3272).

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# PREMIUM ASSISTANCE UNDER MEDICAID AND THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (CHIP)

If you live in one of the following states, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. The following list of states is current as of July 1, 2022. Contact your state for more information on eligibility.

ALABAMA - Medicaid	CALIFORNIA – Medicaid
Website: http://myalhipp.com/ Phone: 1-855-692-5447	Website: Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program http://dhcs.ca.gov/hipp Phone: 916-445-8322 Fax: 916-440-5676 Email: hipp@dhcs.ca.gov
ALASKA - Medicaid	COLORADO - Health First Colorado (Colorado's Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)
The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program Website: <a href="http://myakhipp.com/">http://myakhipp.com/</a> Phone: 1-866-251-4861 Email: <a href="mailto:CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com">CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com</a> Medicaid Eligibility: <a href="https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx">https://health.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/default.aspx</a>	Health First Colorado Website: https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/ Health First Colorado Member Contact Center: 1-800-221-3943/ State Relay 711 CHP+: https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/child-health-plan-plus CHP+ Customer Service: 1-800-359-1991/ State Relay 711 Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI): https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/health-insurance-buy-program HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442
ARKANSAS - Medicaid	FLORIDA - Medicaid
Website: http://myarhipp.com/ Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447)	Website: https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/ hipp/index.html Phone: 1-877-357-3268
GEORGIA - Medicaid	MASSACHUSETTS - Medicaid and CHIP
GA HIPP Website: <a href="https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp">https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp</a> Phone: 678-564-1162, Press 1 GA CHIPRA Website: <a href="https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra">https://medicaid.georgia.gov/programs/third-party-liability/childrens-health-insurance-program-reauthorization-act-2009-chipra</a> Phone: (678) 564-1162, Press 2	Website: https://www.mass.gov/masshealth/pa Phone: 1-800-862-4840 TTY: (617) 886-8102
INDIANA - Medicaid	MINNESOTA - Medicaid
Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64 Website: http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/ Phone: 1-877-438-4479 All other Medicaid	Website: https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/children-and-families/health- care/health-care-programs/programs-and-services/other- insurance.jsp
Website: https://www.in.gov/medicaid/ Phone 1-800-457-4584	Phone: 1-800-657-3739
	Phone: 1-800-657-3739  MISSOURI - Medicaid
Phone 1-800-457-4584	
Phone 1-800-457-4584  IOWA - Medicaid and CHIP (Hawki)  Medicaid Website: https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members Medicaid Phone: 1-800-338-8366 Hawki Website: http://dhs.iowa.gov/Hawki Hawki Phone: 1-800-257-8563 HIPP Website: https://dhs.iowa.gov/ime/members/medicaid-a-to-z/hipp HIPP Phone: 1-888-346-9562  KANSAS - Medicaid	MISSOURI - Medicaid  Website: http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm Phone: 573-751-2005  MONTANA - Medicaid
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Website: www.medicaid.la.gov or www.ldh.la.gov/lahipp Phone: 1-888-342-6207 (Medicaid hotline) or 1-855-618-5488 (LaHIPP)	Medicaid Website: http://dhcfp.nv.gov Medicaid Phone: 1-800-992-0900
MAINE - Medicaid	NEW HAMPSHIRE - Medicaid
Enrollment Website: <a href="https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms">https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms</a> Phone: 1-800-442-6003 TTY: Maine relay 711	Website: https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/programs-services/medicaid/health-insurance-premium-program Phone: 603-271-5218 Toll free number for the HIPP program: 1-800-852-3345, ext 5218
Private Health Insurance Premium Webpage: https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/applications-forms Phone: -800-977-6740. TTY: Maine relay 71.	COUTH DAVOTA Mediesid
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Medicaid Website: http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/ dmahs/clients/medicaid/ Medicaid Phone: 609-631-2392 CHIP Website: http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html CHIP Phone: 1-800-701-0710	Website: http://dss.sd.gov Phone: 1-888-828-0059
NEW YORK - Medicaid	TEXAS - Medicaid
Website: https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/ Phone: 1-800-541-2831	Website: http://gethipptexas.com/ Phone: 1-800-440-0493
NORTH CAROLINA - Medicaid	UTAH – Medicaid and CHIP
Website: https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/ Phone: 919-855-4100	Medicaid Website: <a href="https://medicaid.utah.gov/">https://medicaid.utah.gov/</a> CHIP Website: <a href="http://health.utah.gov/chip">http://health.utah.gov/chip</a> Phone: 1-877-543-7669
NORTH DAKOTA - Medicaid	VERMONT- Medicaid
Website: http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/ Phone: 1-844-854-4825	Website: http://www.greenmountaincare.org/ Phone: 1-800-250-8427
OKLAHOMA - Medicaid and CHIP	VIRGINIA - Medicaid and CHIP
Website: http://www.insureoklahoma.org Phone: 1-888-365-3742	Website: https://www.coverva.org/en/famis-select https://www.coverva.org/en/hipp Medicaid Phone: 1-800-432-5924 CHIP Phone: 1-800-432-5924
OREGON - Medicaid	WASHINGTON - Medicaid
Website: http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html Phone: 1-800-699-9075	Website: https://www.hca.wa.gov/ Phone: 1-800-562-3022
PENNSYLVANIA - Medicaid	WEST VIRGINIA - Medicaid and CHIP
Website: https://www.dhs.pa.gov/Services/Assistance/Pages/HIPP-Program.aspx Phone: 1-800-692-7462	Website: https://dhhr.wv.gov/bms/ http://mywvhipp.com/ Medicaid Phone: 304-558-1700 CHIP Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447)
RHODE ISLAND - Medicaid and CHIP	WISCONSIN - Medicaid and CHIP
Website: http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/ Phone: 1-855-697-4347, or 401-462-0311 (Direct RIte Share Line)	Website: https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus/p-10095.htm Phone: 1-800-362-3002
SOUTH CAROLINA - Medicaid	WYOMING - Medicaid
Website: https://www.scdhhs.gov Phone: 1-888-549-0820	Website: https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs- and-eligibility/ Phone: 1-800-251-1269

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