



**Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby (HMO SNP)
offered by Gateway Health Plan, Inc. (Highmark Wholecare)**

Annual Notice of Changes for 2024

You are currently enrolled as a member of Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby. Next year, there will be changes to the plan's costs and benefits. *Please see page 4 for a Summary of Important Costs, including Premium.*

This document tells about the changes to your plan. To get more information about costs, benefits, or rules please review the *Evidence of Coverage*, which is located on our website at highmarkwholecare.com. You may also call Member Services to ask us to mail you an *Evidence of Coverage*.

What to do now

1. ASK: Which changes apply to you

- Check the changes to our benefits and costs to see if they affect you.
 - Review the changes to Medical care costs (doctor, hospital).
 - Review the changes to our drug coverage, including authorization requirements and costs.
 - Think about how much you will spend on premiums, deductibles, and cost sharing.
- Check the changes in the 2024 "Drug List" to make sure the drugs you currently take are still covered.
- Check to see if your primary care doctors, specialists, hospitals and other providers, including pharmacies will be in our network next year.
- Think about whether you are happy with our plan.

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2. **COMPARE:** Learn about other plan choices

- Check coverage and costs of plans in your area. Use the Medicare Plan Finder at www.medicare.gov/plan-compare website or review the list in the back of your *Medicare & You 2024* handbook.
- Once you narrow your choice to a preferred plan, confirm your costs and coverage on the plan's website.

3. **CHOOSE:** Decide whether you want to change your plan

- If you don't join another plan by December 7, 2023, you will stay in Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby.
- To **change to a different plan**, you can switch plans between October 15 and December 7. Your new coverage will start on **January 1, 2024**. This will end your enrollment with Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby.
- Look in section 3.2, page 12 to learn more about your choices.
- If you recently moved into, currently live in, or just moved out of an institution (like a skilled nursing facility or long-term care hospital), you can switch plans or switch to Original Medicare (either with or without a separate Medicare prescription drug plan) at any time.

Additional Resources

- Please contact our Member Services number at 1-800-685-5209 for additional information. (TTY users should call 711 or 1-800-654-5984.) Hours are 8 am to 8 pm, seven days a week, October 1 through March 31. April 1 through September 30, our hours are 8 am to 8 pm, Monday through Friday. You may leave a voice mail message after hours, weekends and holidays. This call is free.
- This document is available in alternate formats (e.g., braille, large print, audio).
- **Coverage under this Plan qualifies as Qualifying Health Coverage (QHC)** and satisfies the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act's (ACA) individual shared responsibility requirement. Please visit the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) website at www.irs.gov/Affordable-Care-Act/Individuals-and-Families for more information.

About Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby

- Highmark Wholecare offers HMO plans with a Medicare contract. Enrollment in these plans depends on contract renewal.
- When this document says “we,” “us,” or “our,” it means Gateway Health Plan, Inc. (Highmark Wholecare). When it says “plan” or “our plan,” it means Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby.

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Summary of Important Costs for 2024

The table below compares the 2023 costs and 2024 costs for Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby in several important areas. **Please note this is only a summary of costs.**

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
Monthly plan premium* * Your premium may be higher than this amount. See Section 1.1 for details.	\$0 Depending on your level of Medicaid eligibility and/or level of Extra Help.	\$0
Maximum out-of-pocket amount This is the <u>most</u> you will pay out-of-pocket for your covered services. (See Section 1.2 for details.)	\$6,700 If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you are not responsible for paying any out-of-pocket costs toward the maximum out-of-pocket amount for covered Part A and Part B services.	\$6,700 If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you are not responsible for paying any out-of-pocket costs toward the maximum out-of-pocket amount for covered Part A and Part B services.
Doctor office visits	Primary care visits: \$0 copay per visit Specialist visits: \$25 copay per visit If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay \$0 per visit.	Primary care visits: \$0 copay per visit Specialist visits: \$25 copay per visit If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay \$0 per visit.

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
Inpatient hospital stays	<p>You pay per benefit period a:</p> <p>\$250 copay each day for days 1-6.</p> <p>\$0 copay each day for days 7-90.</p> <p>\$0 copay each day for lifetime reserve days 91-150.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay \$0.</p>	<p>You pay per benefit period a:</p> <p>\$250 copay each day for days 1-6.</p> <p>\$0 copay each day for days 7-90.</p> <p>\$0 copay each day for lifetime reserve days 91-150.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay \$0.</p>
<p>Part D prescription drug coverage (See Section 1.5 for details.)</p>	<p>Deductible: \$0</p> <p>Copayment/Coinsurance during the Initial Coverage Stage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drug Tier 1: Preferred Generic Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 2: Generic Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 3: Preferred Brand Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 4: Non-Preferred Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. 	<p>Deductible: \$0</p> <p>Copayment during the Initial Coverage Stage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drug Tier 1: Preferred Generic Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 2: Generic Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 3: Preferred Brand Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 4: Non-Preferred Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. • Drug Tier 5: Specialty Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription.

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drug Tier 5: Specialty Drugs You pay \$0 per prescription. <p>Catastrophic Coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> During this payment stage, the plan pays most of the cost for your covered drugs. 	<p>Catastrophic Coverage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> During this payment stage, the plan pays the full cost for your covered Part D drugs. You pay nothing.

SECTION 1 Changes to Benefits and Costs for Next Year

Section 1.1 – Changes to the Monthly Premium

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
Monthly premium	\$0	\$0
(You must also continue to pay your Medicare Part B premium unless it is paid for you by Medicaid.)		

Section 1.2 – Changes to Your Maximum Out-of-Pocket Amount

Medicare requires all health plans to limit how much you pay out-of-pocket for the year. This limit is called the maximum out-of-pocket amount. Once you reach this amount, you generally pay nothing for covered services for the rest of the year.

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
Maximum out-of-pocket amount	\$6,700	\$6,700
Because our members also get assistance from Medicaid, very few members ever reach this out-of-pocket maximum.		Once you have paid \$6,700 out-of-pocket for covered services, you will pay nothing for your

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
<p>If you are eligible for Medicaid assistance with Part A and Part B copays, you are not responsible for paying any out-of-pocket costs toward the maximum out-of-pocket amount for covered Part A and Part B services.</p> <p>Your costs for covered medical services (such as copays) count toward your maximum out-of-pocket amount. Your plan premium and your costs for prescription drugs do not count toward your maximum out-of-pocket amount.</p>		covered services for the rest of the calendar year.

Section 1.3 – Changes to the Provider and Pharmacy Networks

Updated directories are located on our website at highmarkwholecare.com. You may also call Member Services for updated provider and/or pharmacy information or to ask us to mail you a directory, which we will mail within three business days.

There are changes to our network of providers for next year. **Please review the 2024 Provider Directory to see if your providers (primary care provider, specialists, hospitals, etc.) are in our network.**

There are changes to our network of pharmacies for next year. **Please review the 2024 Pharmacy Directory to see which pharmacies are in our network.**

It is important that you know that we may make changes to the hospitals, doctors and specialists (providers), and pharmacies that are a part of your plan during the year. If a mid-year change in our providers affects you, please contact Member Services so we may assist.

Section 1.4 – Changes to Benefits and Costs for Medical Services

Please note that the *Annual Notice of Changes* tells you about changes to your Medicare benefits and costs.

We are making changes to costs and benefits for certain medical services next year. The information below describes these changes.

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
Chiropractic Services	<p>You pay a \$20 copay for each Medicare-covered chiropractic service.</p> <p>You pay a \$20 copay for each routine chiropractic service. 12 routine visits per year.</p>	<p>You pay a \$15 copay for each Medicare-covered chiropractic service.</p> <p>You pay a \$15 copay for each routine chiropractic service. 12 routine visits per year.</p>
Dental Services	<p>You pay a \$0 copay. Periodontal maintenance limit 2 per year.</p>	<p>You pay a \$0 copay. Any combination of routine prophylaxis and periodontal maintenance totaling 4 per year, including perioprophly.</p>
General Supports for Living	<p>Not covered</p>	<p>You pay a \$0 copay for a \$35 combined allowance per month to pay plan approved utility expenses or to purchase healthy foods at select retail locations, online, or via catalog. Card allowances will expire at the end of each month and at the end of the calendar year. Fees and plan restrictions apply.</p>
Nutrition Counseling	<p>You pay a \$0 copay for up to 4 nutrition counseling sessions per year.</p>	<p>This benefit is not covered</p>
Rehabilitation Therapies Supervised Exercise Therapy	<p>You pay a \$25 copay for each Medicare-covered SET treatment session.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay a \$0 copayment amount.</p>	<p>You pay a \$0 copay for each Medicare-covered SET treatment session.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under Medicaid, you pay a \$0 copayment amount.</p>
Skilled Nursing Facility	<p>You pay a \$0 copay per day for days 1-20. \$196 copay per day for days 21-100.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under</p>	<p>You pay a \$0 copay per day for days 1-20. \$203 copay per day for days 21-100.</p> <p>If you are eligible for Medicare cost-sharing assistance under</p>

Cost	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
	Medicaid, you pay a \$0 copayment amount.	Medicaid, you pay a \$0 copayment amount.
Medicare Covered X-Rays	You pay a \$35 copay for each Medicare-covered x-ray service.	You pay a \$20 copay for each Medicare-covered x-ray service.
Transportation	You pay a \$0 copay for routine transportation services. Routine transportation to plan approved health-related locations is covered for up to 30 one-way trips per calendar year.	You pay a \$0 copay for routine transportation services. Routine transportation to plan approved health-related locations is covered for up to 30 one-way trips per calendar year. Trips up to 60 mile radius one way, with prior approval for extra mileage, based on plan limits. Scheduling rules and plan restrictions apply.

Section 1.5 – Changes to Part D Prescription Drug Coverage

Changes to Our "Drug List"

Our list of covered drugs is called a Formulary or “Drug List.” A copy of our "Drug List" is provided electronically.

We made changes to our "Drug List", which could include removing or adding drugs, changing the restrictions that apply to our coverage for certain drugs or moving them to a different cost-sharing tier. **Review the "Drug List" to make sure your drugs will be covered next year and to see if there will be any restrictions, or if your drug has been moved to a different cost-sharing tier.**

Most of the changes in the "Drug List" are new for the beginning of each year. However, during the year, we might make other changes that are allowed by Medicare rules. For instance, we can immediately remove drugs considered unsafe by the FDA or withdrawn from the market by a product manufacturer. We update our online "Drug List" to provide the most up to date list of drugs.

If you are affected by a change in drug coverage at the beginning of the year or during the year, please review Chapter 9 of your *Evidence of Coverage* and talk to your doctor to find out your options, such as asking for a temporary supply, applying for an exception and/or working to find a new drug. You can also contact Member Services for more information.

Changes to Prescription Drug Costs

There are four **drug payment stages**. The information below shows the changes to the first two stages – the Yearly Deductible Stage and the Initial Coverage Stage. (Most members do not reach the other two stages – the Coverage Gap Stage or the Catastrophic Coverage Stage.)

Changes to the Deductible Stage

Stage	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
<p>Stage 1: Yearly Deductible Stage</p> <p>During this stage, you pay the full cost of your Tier 2, 3, 4, and 5 drugs until you have reached the yearly deductible.</p>	<p>The deductible is either \$0, depending on the level of “Extra Help” you receive. (Look at the separate insert, the “LIS Rider,” for your deductible amount.)</p>	<p>Because we have no deductible, this payment stage does not apply to you.</p>

Changes to Your Cost Sharing in the Initial Coverage Stage

Stage	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
<p>Stage 2: Initial Coverage Stage</p> <p>During this stage, the plan pays its share of the cost of your drugs, and you pay your share of the cost.</p> <p>Most adult Part D vaccines are covered at no cost to you.</p>	<p>Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:</p> <p>Tier 1: Preferred Generic Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 2: Generic Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 3: Preferred Brand Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 4: Non-Preferred Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 5: Specialty Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p>	<p>Your cost for a one-month supply filled at a network pharmacy with standard cost sharing:</p> <p>Tier 1: Preferred Generic Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 2: Generic Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 3: Preferred Brand Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 4: Non-Preferred Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p> <p>Tier 5: Specialty Drugs:</p> <p>You pay \$0 per prescription.</p>

Stage	2023 (this year)	2024 (next year)
<p>Stage 2: Initial Coverage Stage (continued)</p> <p>The costs in this row are for a one-month (30-day) supply when you fill your prescription at a network pharmacy that provides standard cost sharing. For information about the costs for a long-term supply or for mail-order prescriptions, look in Chapter 6 of your <i>Evidence of Coverage</i>.</p> <p>We changed the tier for some of the drugs on our "Drug List". To see if your drugs will be in a different tier, look them up on the "Drug List".</p>	<p>Once your total drug costs have reached \$4,660, you will move to the next stage (the Coverage Gap Stage).</p>	<p>Once your total drug costs have reached \$5,030, you will move to the next stage (the Coverage Gap Stage).</p>

Changes to the Coverage Gap and Catastrophic Coverage Stages

The other two drug coverage stages – the Coverage Gap Stage and the Catastrophic Coverage Stage – are for people with high drug costs. **Most members do not reach the Coverage Gap Stage or the Catastrophic Coverage Stage.**

Beginning in 2024, if you reach the Catastrophic Coverage Stage, you pay nothing for covered Part D drugs.

SECTION 2 Administrative Changes

There is an administrative change to your benefits for 2024.

Description	2023	2024
<p>Part D mail order and retail long term supply</p>	<p>Tiers 1 to 4: you may get up to a 90-day supply</p>	<p>Tiers 1 and 2: You may get up to a 100-day supply</p> <p>Tiers 3 and 4: You may get up to a 90-day supply</p>

SECTION 3 Deciding Which Plan to Choose

Section 3.1 – If you want to stay in Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby

To stay in our plan, you don't need to do anything. If you do not sign up for a different plan or change to Original Medicare by December 7, you will automatically be enrolled in our Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby plan.

Section 3.2 – If you want to change plans

We hope to keep you as a member next year but if you want to change plans for 2024 follow these steps:

Step 1: Learn about and compare your choices

- You can join a different Medicare health plan,
- -- *OR*-- You can change to Original Medicare. If you change to Original Medicare, you will need to decide whether to join a Medicare drug plan.

To learn more about Original Medicare and the different types of Medicare plans, use the Medicare Plan Finder (www.medicare.gov/plan-compare), read the *Medicare & You 2024* handbook, call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see Section 5), or call Medicare (see Section 7.2).

Step 2: Change your coverage

- To **change to a different Medicare health plan**, enroll in the new plan. You will automatically be disenrolled from Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby.
- To **change to Original Medicare with a prescription drug plan**, enroll in the new drug plan. You will automatically be disenrolled from Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby.
- To **change to Original Medicare without a prescription drug plan**, you must either:
 - Send us a written request to disenroll. Contact Member Services if you need more information on how to do so.
 - – *or* – Contact **Medicare**, at 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227), 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and ask to be disenrolled. TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

If you switch to Original Medicare and do **not** enroll in a separate Medicare prescription drug plan, Medicare may enroll you in a drug plan unless you have opted out of automatic enrollment.

SECTION 4 Changing Plans

If you want to change to a different plan or to Original Medicare for next year, you can do it from **October 15 until December 7**. The change will take effect on January 1, 2024.

Are there other times of the year to make a change?

In certain situations, changes are also allowed at other times of the year. Examples include people with Medicaid, those who get “Extra Help” paying for their drugs, those who have or are leaving employer coverage, and those who move out of the service area.

Because you have Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby, you may be able to end your membership in our plan or switch to a different plan one time during each of the following **Special Enrollment Periods**:

- January to March
- April to June
- July to September

If you enrolled in a Medicare Advantage plan for January 1, 2024, and don't like your plan choice, you can switch to another Medicare health plan (either with or without Medicare prescription drug coverage) or switch to Original Medicare (either with or without Medicare prescription drug coverage) between January 1 and March 31, 2024.

If you recently moved into, currently live in, or just moved out of an institution (like a skilled nursing facility or long-term care hospital), you can change your Medicare coverage **at any time**. You can change to any other Medicare health plan (either with or without Medicare prescription drug coverage) or switch to Original Medicare (either with or without a separate Medicare prescription drug plan) at any time.

SECTION 5 Programs That Offer Free Counseling about Medicare and Medicaid

The State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP) is an independent government program with trained counselors in every state. In Pennsylvania, the SHIP is called PA MEDI.

It is a state program that gets money from the Federal government to give **free** local health insurance counseling to people with Medicare. PA MEDI counselors can help you with your Medicare questions or problems. They can help you understand your Medicare plan choices and answer questions about switching plans. You can call PA MEDI at 1-800-783-7067. You can learn more about PA MEDI by visiting their website

(<https://www.aging.pa.gov/aging-services/medicare-counseling/Pages/default.aspx>).

For questions about your Pennsylvania Medical Assistance benefits, contact 1-800-692-7462, TTY users call 711 or 1-800-451-5886, Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 5 pm. Ask how joining another plan

or returning to Original Medicare affects how you get your Pennsylvania Medical Assistance coverage.

SECTION 6 Programs That Help Pay for Prescription Drugs

You may qualify for help paying for prescription drugs. Below we list different kinds of help:

- **“Extra Help” from Medicare.** Because you have Medicaid, you are already enrolled in "Extra Help," also called the Low Income Subsidy. "Extra Help" pays some of your prescription drug premiums, annual deductibles and coinsurance. Because you qualify, you do not have a coverage gap or late enrollment penalty. If you have questions about "Extra Help", call:
 - 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048, 24 hours a day/7 days a week;
 - The Social Security Office at 1-800-772-1213 between 8 am and 7 pm, Monday through Friday for a representative. Automated messages are available 24 hours a day. TTY users should call, 1-800-325-0778; or
 - Your State Medicaid Office (applications).
- **Help from your state’s pharmaceutical assistance program.** Pennsylvania has a program called PACE (Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly) that helps people pay for prescription drugs based on their financial need, age, or medical condition. To learn more about the program, check with your State Health Insurance Assistance Program.

SECTION 7 Questions?

Section 7.1 – Getting Help from Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby

Questions? We’re here to help. Please call Member Services at 1-800-685-5209. (TTY only, call 711 or 1-800-654-5984.) We are available for phone calls 8 am to 8 pm, seven days a week, October 1 through March 31. April 1 through September 30, our hours are 8 am to 8 pm, Monday through Friday. You may leave a voice mail message after hours, weekends and holidays. Calls to this number are free.

Read your 2024 Evidence of Coverage (it has details about next year's benefits and costs)

This *Annual Notice of Changes* gives you a summary of changes in your benefits and costs for 2024. For details, look in the *2024 Evidence of Coverage* for Highmark Wholecare Medicare Assured Ruby. The *Evidence of Coverage* is the legal, detailed description of your plan benefits. It explains your rights and the rules you need to follow to get covered services and prescription

drugs. A copy of the *Evidence of Coverage* is located on our website at highmarkwholecare.com. You may also call Member Services to ask us to mail you an *Evidence of Coverage*.

Visit our Website

You can also visit our website at highmarkwholecare.com. As a reminder, our website has the most up-to-date information about our provider network (*Provider Directory*) and our *List of Covered Drugs (Formulary/"Drug List")*.

Section 7.2 – Getting Help from Medicare

To get information directly from Medicare:

Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)

You can call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227), 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

Visit the Medicare Website

Visit the Medicare website (www.medicare.gov). It has information about cost, coverage, and quality Star Ratings to help you compare Medicare health plans in your area. To view the information about plans, go to www.medicare.gov/plan-compare.

Read Medicare & You 2024

Read the *Medicare & You 2024* handbook. Every fall, this document is mailed to people with Medicare. It has a summary of Medicare benefits, rights and protections, and answers to the most frequently asked questions about Medicare. If you don't have a copy of this document, you can get it at the Medicare website (<https://www.medicare.gov/Pubs/pdf/10050-medicare-and-you.pdf>) or by calling 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227), 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

Section 7.3 – Getting Help from Medicaid

To get information from Medicaid you can call Pennsylvania Department of Human Services at 1-800-692-7462. TTY users should call 711 or 1-800-451-5886.

Health benefits or health benefit administration may be provided by or through Highmark Wholecare, coverage by Gateway Health Plan, an independent licensee of the Blue Cross Blue Shield Association ("Highmark Wholecare").

Discrimination is Against the Law

Highmark Wholecare complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Highmark Wholecare does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Highmark Wholecare:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Member Services at 1-800-685-5209, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., 7 days a week from October 1 through March 31. From April 1 through September 30 our business hours are 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Monday through Friday. TTY users should call 711.

If you believe that Highmark Wholecare has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with: Appeals and Grievances, Attn: 1557 Coordinator P.O. Box 22278, Pittsburgh, PA 15222, Phone: 1-844-207-0336, TTY: 711, Fax: 1-412-255-4503. You can file a grievance in person or by mail or fax. If you need help filing a grievance, Appeals and Grievances is available to help you. Additional information can be found at <https://highmarkwholecare.com/legislative-resources/nondiscrimination-notice>.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201
1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

Multi-Language Insert

Multi-language Interpreter Services

English: We have free interpreter services to answer any questions you may have about our health or drug plan. To get an interpreter, just call us at (TTY: 711). Someone who speaks English/Language can help you. This is a free service.

Spanish: Tenemos servicios de intérprete sin costo alguno para responder cualquier pregunta que pueda tener sobre nuestro plan de salud o medicamentos. Para hablar con un intérprete, por favor llame al (TTY: 711). Alguien que hable español le podrá ayudar. Este es un servicio gratuito.

Chinese Mandarin: 我们提供免费的翻译服务，帮助您解答关于健康或药物保险的任何疑问。如果您需要此翻译服务，请致电 (TTY: 711)。我们的中文工作人员很乐意帮助您。这是一项免费服务。

Chinese Cantonese: 您對我們的健康或藥物保險可能存有疑問，為此我們提供免費的翻譯服務。如需翻譯服務，請致電 (TTY: 711)。我們講中文的人員將樂意為您提供幫助。這是一項免費服務。

Tagalog: Mayroon kaming libreng serbisyo sa pagsasaling-wika upang masagot ang anumang mga katanungan ninyo hinggil sa aming planong pangkalusugan o panggagamot. Upang makakuha ng tagasaling-wika, tawagan lamang kami sa (TTY: 711). Maaari kayong tulungan ng isang nakakapagsalita ng Tagalog. Ito ay libreng serbisyo.

French: Nous proposons des services gratuits d'interprétation pour répondre à toutes vos questions relatives à notre régime de santé ou d'assurance-médicaments. Pour accéder au service d'interprétation, il vous suffit de nous appeler au (TTY: 711). Un interlocuteur parlant Français pourra vous aider. Ce service est gratuit.

Vietnamese: Chúng tôi có dịch vụ thông dịch miễn phí để trả lời các câu hỏi về chương sức khỏe và chương trình thuốc men. Nếu quý vị cần thông dịch viên xin gọi (TTY: 711) sẽ có nhân viên nói tiếng Việt giúp đỡ quý vị. Đây là dịch vụ miễn phí.

German: Unser kostenloser Dolmetscherservice beantwortet Ihren Fragen zu unserem Gesundheits- und Arzneimittelplan. Unsere Dolmetscher erreichen Sie unter (TTY: 711). Man wird Ihnen dort auf Deutsch weiterhelfen. Dieser Service ist kostenlos.

Korean: 당사는 의료 보험 또는 약품 보험에 관한 질문에 대해 드리고자 무료 통역 서비스를 제공하고 있습니다. 통역 서비스를 이용하려면 전화 (TTY: 711)번으로 문의해 주십시오. 한국어 하는 담당자가 도와 드릴 것입니다. 이 서비스는 무료로 운영됩니다.

Russian: Если у вас возникнут вопросы относительно страхового или медикаментного плана, вы можете воспользоваться нашими бесплатными услугами переводчиков. Чтобы воспользоваться услугами переводчика, позвоните нам по телефону (TTY: 711). Вам окажет помощь сотрудник, который говорит по-русски. Данная услуга бесплатная.

Arabic: إننا نقدم خدمات المترجم الفوري المجانية للإجابة عن أي أسئلة تتعلق بالصحة أو جدول الأدوية لدينا. للحصول على مترجم فوري، ليس عليك سوى الاتصال بنا على (TTY: 711). سيقوم شخص ما يتحدث العربية بمساعدتك. هذه خدمة مجانية.

Hindi: हमारे स्वास्थ्य या दवा की योजना के बारे में आपके किसी भी प्रश्न के जवाब देने के लिए हमारे पास मुफ्त दुभाषिया सेवाएँ उपलब्ध हैं. एक दुभाषिया प्राप्त करने के लिए, बस हमें (TTY: 711) पर फोन करें. कोई व्यक्ति जो हिन्दी बोलता है आपकी मदद कर सकता है. यह एक मुफ्त सेवा है.

Italian: È disponibile un servizio di interpretariato gratuito per rispondere a eventuali domande sul nostro piano sanitario e farmaceutico. Per un interprete, contattare il numero (TTY: 711). Un nostro incaricato che parla Italianovi fornirà l'assistenza necessaria. È un servizio gratuito.

Portuguese: Dispomos de serviços de interpretação gratuitos para responder a qualquer questão que tenha acerca do nosso plano de saúde ou de medicação. Para obter um intérprete, contacte-nos através do número (TTY: 711). Irá encontrar alguém que fale o idioma Português para o ajudar. Este serviço é gratuito.

French Creole: Nou genyen sèvis entèprèt gratis pou reponn tout kesyon ou ta genyen konsènan plan medikal oswa dwòg nou an. Pou jwenn yon entèprèt, jis rele nou nan (TTY: 711). Yon moun ki pale Kreyòl kapab ede w. Sa a se yon sèvis ki gratis.

Polish: Umożliwiamy bezpłatne skorzystanie z usług tłumacza ustnego, który pomoże w uzyskaniu odpowiedzi na temat planu zdrowotnego lub dawkowania leków. Aby skorzystać z pomocy tłumacza znającego język polski, należy zadzwonić pod numer (TTY: 711). Ta usługa jest bezpłatna.

Japanese: 当社の健康 健康保険と薬品 処方薬プランに関するご質問にお答えするために、無料の通訳サービスがあります。通訳をご用命になるには、(TTY: 711)にお電話ください。日本語を話す人 者が支援いたします。これは無料のサービスです。

Notification of Availability of Electronic Materials

If you requested that the *Evidence of Coverage* or *Formulary* be mailed annually, you will receive them by the end of October.

Other plan documents you may find useful include:

- Provider/Pharmacy directory
- Formulary

Beginning October 15, 2023, you can visit www.highmarkwholecare.com to view and download these documents.

Evidence of Coverage: Visit <https://www.highmark.com/wholecare/medicare/plans>.

Formulary: Visit highmark.com/wholecaredruglist.

Provider/Pharmacy Directory: Click *Find a Provider* or *Find a Pharmacy* at the top of the website.

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