

DATE: June 2022

TO: All Business Managers and International Staff FROM: Boilermakers National Health & Welfare Fund

RE: FUNDS FLASH - Updates to Telehealth Providers, Virtual Second

Opinion, and Preventive Services

The benefit information described below <u>is not</u> applicable for individuals who have coverage under the Fund's Medicare Advantage Plan administered through United HealthCare (UHC).

Participants will receive notice this week regarding changes made to the Plan under Amendments 8 and 10. Below we have provided a summary of the information and have attached a copy of the notice for your reference. Please see pages 2-6 for more details.

NEW BENEFITS - NO COST TO PARTICIPANTS

MD LIVE – Effective as of 01/01/2022 (Amendment #8)

MD Live is an exclusive in-network provider for telehealth services. Access MD Live by logging in to www.myCigna.com and clicking on "Talk to a doctor".

CLEVELAND CLINIC VIRTUAL SECOND OPINION – Effective as of 07/01/2022 (Amendment #10)

A second opinion can help individuals make informed, confident decisions about their medical care. Participants can visit https://boilermakers.virtual2ndopinionbycc.io for direct access to a Cleveland Clinic expert physician for second opinions or they can visit the Fund's website at www.bnf-kc.com.

REMOVAL OF A SERVICE PROVIDER

AMERICAN WELL – Termination as of 06/30/2022 (Amendment #10)

American Well will no longer be available to use for telehealth visits. For telehealth benefits to be payable under the Plan, individuals must use the Plan's exclusive in-network provider, MD Live.

PREVENTIVE BENEFITS UPDATE

 PREVENTIVE BENEFITS – Certain preventive benefits have been updated as required under the Affordable Care Act (Amendment #8).

PLEASE COMMUNICATE THIS IMPORTANT PLAN INFORMATION WITH YOUR MEMBERS. WE ARE ALSO POSTING INFORMATION AT <u>www.bnf-kc.com</u>.

To see a full description of the Plan's benefits and limits, please refer to the 2018 Evidence of Coverage and Summary Plan Description (SPD), as amended, or for individuals covered under the Plan's Medicare Advantage Plan, the United Healthcare Plan Guide available online at www.bnf-kc.com.



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TO: All Participants

FROM: Boilermakers National Health and Welfare Fund

RE: Updates to Telehealth Services, Virtual Second Opinion, and

Preventive Services

Doctors' appointments traditionally involve time and travel. That can lead to putting off care until problems become more serious, and potentially more expensive. That is why the Fund offers convenient virtual care options.

NEW BENEFITS - NO CHARGE TO YOU

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Visit https://boilermakers.virtual2ndopinionbycc.io for direct access to a Cleveland Clinic expert physician for second opinions. You can also visit the Fund's website at www.bnf-kc.com. From the Health & Welfare home page, click the "Cleveland Clinic" quick link, when asked for the service code, enter "boilermakers", and when asked for the group ID number, enter the participant's social security number. To create an account, you must be 18 years or older (minor children are entered under a parent's account).

Why Would I Need a Second Opinion?

A second opinion can help you make an informed, confident decision about your medical care. Sometimes, you may find out about treatment options you didn't know were available. And in some cases, the information you gain during a second opinion consultation can even change your diagnosis.

You may choose to consider a second opinion if you:

- ➤ Have a condition that isn't improving or is getting worse, despite treatment.
- > Have been diagnosed with a serious or rare health condition.
- > Have been told a health condition is not treatable.
- Are considering a treatment that involves significant risks, such as surgery.

- > Need guidance choosing from multiple treatment options.
- > Want confirmation about a diagnosis or treatment.

Please see the enclosed flyer for more information (page 5).

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PREVENTIVE BENEFITS UPDATE

- PREVENTIVE BENEFITS have been updated (Amendment #8) to include the following:
 - ➤ Intimate partner violence, elder abuse, and abuse of vulnerable adults screening Effective as of 01/01/2020
 - > Prevention of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) medication Effective as of 01/01/2021
 - ➤ Unhealthy drug use screening Effective as of 01/01/2022

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That is why the Fund offers convenient virtual care options at <u>no cost</u> to you.

MDLIVE

Exclusive Provider for Telehealth Services as of January 1, 2022

What is a virtual telehealth visit?

You can see and talk to a doctor through your smartphone, tablet or computer, meaning you don't have to go to a doctor's office or sit in a waiting room.

On-demand 24/7/365 Virtual Healthcare WHEN AND WHERE YOU NEED IT



Convenient



Cost Effective



Flexible

3 easy steps to connect to a virtual care provider:

- Access MDLIVE by logging into myCigna.com and clicking on "Talk to a doctor." You can also call MDLIVE at 888.726.3171. (No phone calls for virtual dermatology.)
- Select the type of care you need: medical care or counseling.
- Follow the prompts for an on-demand urgent care visit, or to make an appointment for primary or behavioral care, or to upload photos for dermatology care. (Virtual dermatology does not require an appointment.)





Head-to-toe virtual care options from board-certified doctors, dermatologists, psychiatrists and licensed therapists.

Visit myCigna.com or the myCigna Mobile App to make an appointment for virtual care today.

PRIMARY CARE

Preventive care, routine care, and specialist referrals.

- Preventive care checkups
- Wellness screenings
- Receive orders for biometrics, blood work, and screenings at local facilities

BEHAVIORAL CARE

Talk therapy and psychiatry from the privacy of your home. Care for conditions such as:

- Anxiety
- Stress
- Depression
- Panic disorder

URGENT CARE

On-demand care for minor medical conditions. Care for conditions such as:

- Allergies
- Asthma
- Bronchitis
- Cold and flu
- Urinary tract infections

DERMATOLOGY

Fast, customized care for skin, hair and nail conditions - no appointment required.

Care for conditions such as:

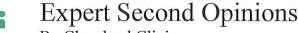
- Acne
- Eczema
- Psoriasis
- Rosacea

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No Cost to You!



We encourage you to obtain a virtual second opinion if you are:

- Diagnosed with a serious or rare health condition
- Considering a treatment or surgery that involves risk or significant consequences
- Dealing with a condition or chronic illness that isn't improving or is getting worse
- Told a health condition is not treatable
- Seeking guidance while choosing from multiple treatment options
- Pursuing confirmation about a diagnosis or treatment plan

Why Seek an Expert Second Opinion by Cleveland Clinic?

- A new premium service included in your benefits package at zero cost to you
- Diagnosis and treatment plan reviewed by one of 3,500 Cleveland Clinic expert specialists in over 550 advanced sub-specialties
- A live video consultation with a world-renowned Cleveland Clinic specialist physician who was precisely matched to you
- Streamlined and hassle-free process, that empowers you in under 2 weeks



Available Now - Get an Expert Second Opinion Today!

Scan the code to the left or follow the link to learn more, register, or download the app. Once prompted, enter the service code (for mobile app users only): **BOILERMAKERS**

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