Important Notice from GlobalHealth About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare

Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with GlobalHealth and about your options under Medicare's prescription drug coverage. This information can help you decide whether or not you want to join a Medicare drug plan. If you are considering joining, you should compare your current coverage, including which drugs are covered at what cost, with the coverage and costs of the plans offering Medicare prescription drug coverage in your area. Information about where you can get help to make decisions about your prescription drug coverage is at the end of this notice.

There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare's prescription drug coverage:

- 1. Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.
- 2. GlobalHealth has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by GlobalHealth State of Oklahoma is, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.

When Can You Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from October 15th to December 7th.

However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

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What Happens To Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your current GlobalHealth coverage will not be affected. You can keep this coverage if you elect part D and this plan will coordinate with the Part D coverage.

If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your current GlobalHealth coverage, be aware that you and your dependents will not be able to get this coverage back.

When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join A Medicare Drug Plan?

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with GlobalHealth and don't join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following October to join.

For More Information About This Notice Or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage...

Contact the person listed below for further information. NOTE: You'll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through GlobalHealth changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

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For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage...

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the "Medicare & You" handbook. You'll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans.

For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit <u>www.medicare.gov</u>
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the "Medicare & You" handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at www.socialsecurity.gov, or call them at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778).

Remember: Keep this Creditable Coverage notice. If you decide to join one of the Medicare drug plans, you may be required to provide a copy of this notice when you join to show whether or not you have maintained creditable coverage and, therefore, whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).

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Monday through Friday from 9am to 5pm

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Notice of availability of language assistance services

and auxiliary aids and services

English: If you speak English, free language assistance services are available to you. Appropriate auxiliary aids and services to provide information in accessible formats are also available free of charge. Call 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

Español: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. También se encuentran disponibles de forma gratuita ayudas y servicios auxiliares adecuados para proporcionar información en formatos accesibles. Llame al 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

Chinese: 如果您會說中文,我們可以為您提供免費語言幫助服務。也免費提供適當的輔助工具和服務,以無障礙格式提供資訊。請撥打 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711)。

Tagalog: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, magagamit mo ang mga libreng serbisyo sa tulong sa wika. Ang naaangkop na mga pantulong na tulong at serbisyo upang magbigay ng impormasyon sa mga naa-access na format ay makukuha rin nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

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Vietnamese: Nếu bạn nói tiếng Việt, có sẵn các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Các hỗ trợ và dịch vụ phụ trợ phù hợp để cung cấp thông tin ở định dạng dễ tiếp cận cũng được cung cấp miễn phí. Goi 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

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Russian: Если вы говорите по-русски, вам доступны бесплатные услуги языковой помощи. Соответствующие вспомогательные средства и услуги по предоставлению информации в доступных форматах также предоставляются бесплатно. Позвоните по номеру 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

Italian: Se parli italiano, sono a tua disposizione servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Sono inoltre disponibili gratuitamente ausili e servizi adeguati per fornire informazioni in formati accessibili. Chiama il numero 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

Portuguese: Se você fala português, serviços gratuitos de assistência linguística estão disponíveis para você. Também estão disponíveis gratuitamente ajudas e serviços auxiliares adequados para fornecer informações em formatos acessíveis. Ligue para 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

French Creole: Si w pale kreyòl franse, sèvis asistans lang gratis disponib pou ou. Èd ak sèvis oksilyè apwopriye pou bay enfòmasyon nan fòma aksesib yo disponib tou gratis. Rele 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

Polish: Jeśli mówisz po polsku, możesz skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Odpowiednie pomoce pomocnicze i usługi umożliwiające dostarczanie informacji w przystępnych formatach są również dostępne bezpłatnie. Zadzwoń pod numer 1-877-280-5600 (TTY 711).

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