Notice of Availability of Privacy Practices Notice

Our group health plan(s) may need to use and disclose your protected health information to facilitate medical treatment you may receive, for payment of such medical treatment and also for other purposes. Because the privacy of your medical information is important to us, we have procedures in place to ensure its protection. As part of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), our group health plan(s) have a Privacy Notice describing how medical information about you may be used and disclosed and also how you can access this information. The notice is posted on the benefits website at http://www.marquette.edu/hr/employeebenefits.shtml (on the Articles & Resources tab). You can view the privacy notice online, or you can request a paper copy by contacting the Marquette University Human Resources Department.

Notice of Special Enrollment Rights

The Annual Enrollment plan choices are available only once a year. The choices you make will remain in effect until the next Annual Enrollment, unless you experience a qualifying event or lose eligibility under another plan. If you decline enrollment for yourself or your dependents (spouse or children) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents in this plan or switch to another plan option for which you are eligible if:

- You or your dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage; or
- The employer stops contributing towards your or your dependents’ other coverage.

However, you must request enrollment within 30 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, or switch to another plan. However, you must request enrollment within 30 days after the marriage, birth, adoption, or placement for adoption. The plan will also allow a special enrollment opportunity if you or your eligible dependent(s) either:

- Lose Medicaid or Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) coverage because you are no longer eligible; or
- Become eligible for a state’s premium assistance program under Medicaid or CHIP.

For these enrollment opportunities, you will have 60 days from the date of the Medicaid/CHIP eligibility change to request enrollment in the group health plan. This new 60-day period does not apply to any other special enrollment situations. To request Special Enrollment or obtain more information, contact the Marquette University Human Resources Department.
Annual Notice of Women’s Health Rights

Your plan, as required by the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998, provides benefits for mastectomy-related services including all stages of reconstruction and surgery to achieve symmetry between the breasts, prostheses, and complications resulting from a mastectomy, including lymphedema. Call Human Resources at (414) 288-7305 for more information.

Notice of Non-Discrimination and Accessibility Requirements

Discrimination is Against the Law
Marquette University complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Marquette University does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

Marquette University:

- 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 Lynn Mellantine.

If you believe that Marquette University 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: Lynn Mellantine, Assistant VP of HR, 915 W. Wisconsin Ave., Straz Tower – HR, Milwaukee, WI 53233, (414) 288-3430 (phone), (414) 288-7425 (fax), lynn.mellantine@marquette.edu. You can file a grievance in person or by mail, fax, or email. If you need help filing a grievance, Lynn Mellantine, Assistant VP of HR, is available to help you.

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, HHB Building
Washington, D.C. 20201
1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)


ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al (1-877-696-6775).
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Marquette University Health Plan
PRIVACY PRACTICES NOTICE

Effective September 23, 2013

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY. THE PRIVACY OF YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION IS IMPORTANT TO US.

Summary of Our Privacy Practices

We may use and disclose your protected health information ("medical information"), without your permission, for treatment, payment, and health care operations activities. We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, when required or authorized by law for public health activities, law enforcement, judicial and administrative proceedings, research, and certain other public benefit functions.

We may disclose your medical information to your family members, friends, and others you involve in your care or payment for your health care. We may disclose your medical information to appropriate public and private agencies in disaster relief situations.

We may disclose to your employer whether you are enrolled or disenrolled in the health plans it sponsors. We may disclose summary health information to your employer for certain limited purposes. We may disclose your medical information to your employer to administer your group health plan if your employer explains the limitations on its use and disclosure of your medical information in the plan document for your group health plan.

Except for certain legally-approved uses and disclosures, we will not otherwise use or disclose your medical information without your written authorization.

You have the right to examine and receive a copy of your medical information. You have the right to receive an accounting of certain disclosures we may make of your medical information. You have the right to request that we amend, further restrict use and disclosure of, or communicate in confidence with you about your medical information.

You have the right to receive notice of breaches of your unsecured medical information.

Please review this entire notice for details about the uses and disclosures we may make of your medical information, about your rights and how to exercise them, and about complaints regarding or additional information about our privacy practices.

Contact Information

For more information about our privacy practices, to discuss questions or concerns, or to get additional copies of this notice, please contact our Office:

Marquette University – Human Resources Department
915 West Wisconsin Avenue
Straz Tower #185
Milwaukee, WI 53233
Telephone: (414) 288-7305
Health Plans Covered by this Notice

This notice applies to the privacy practices of the health plans listed below. They may share with each other your medical information, and the medical information of others they service, for the health care operations of their joint activities.

Medical Plan, Dental Plan, Vision Plan, Health Flexible Spending Accounts, Employee Assistance Program

Our Legal Duty

We are required by applicable federal and state law to maintain the privacy of your protected health information ("medical information"). We are also required to give you this notice about our privacy practices, our legal duties, and your rights concerning your medical information.

We must follow the privacy practices that are described in this notice while it is in effect. This notice takes effect September 23, 2013, and will remain in effect unless we replace it.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices and the terms of this notice at any time, provided such changes are permitted by applicable law. We reserve the right to make any change in our privacy practices and the new terms of our notice applicable to all medical information we maintain, including medical information we created or received before we made the change.

Uses and Disclosures of Your Medical Information

Treatment: We may disclose your medical information, without your permission, to a physician or other health care provider to treat you.

Payment: We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, to pay claims from physicians, hospitals and other health care providers for services delivered to you that are covered by your health plan, to determine your eligibility for benefits, to coordinate your benefits with other payers, to determine the medical necessity of care delivered to you, to obtain premiums for your health coverage, to issue explanations of benefits to the subscriber of the health plan in which you participate, and the like. We may disclose your medical information to a health care provider or another health plan for that provider or plan to obtain payment or engage in other payment activities.

Health Care Operations: We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, for health care operations. Health care operations include:

- health care quality assessment and improvement activities;
- reviewing and evaluating health care provider and health plan performance, qualifications and competence, health care training programs, health care provider and health plan accreditation, certification, licensing and credentialing activities;
- conducting or arranging for medical reviews, audits, and legal services, including fraud and abuse detection and prevention;
- underwriting and premium rating our risk for health coverage, and obtaining stop-loss and similar reinsurance for our health coverage obligations; and
- business planning, development, management, and general administration, including customer service, grievance resolution, claims payment and health coverage improvement activities, de-identifying medical information, and creating limited data sets for health care operations, public health activities, and research.

We may disclose your medical information to another health plan or to a health care provider subject to federal privacy protection laws, as long as the plan or provider has or had a relationship with you and the medical information is for that plan’s or provider’s health
care quality assessment and improvement activities, competence and qualification evaluation and review activities, or fraud and abuse detection and prevention.

**Your Authorization:** You may give us written authorization to use your medical information or to disclose it to anyone for any purpose. If you give us an authorization, you may revoke it in writing at any time. Your revocation will not affect any use or disclosure permitted by your authorization while it was in effect. Unless you give us a written authorization, we will not use or disclose your medical information for any purpose other than those described in this notice.

**Family, Friends, and Others Involved in Your Care or Payment for Care:** We may disclose your medical information to a family member, friend or any other person you involve in your care or payment for your health care. We will disclose only the medical information that is relevant to the person’s involvement.

We may use or disclose your name, location, and general condition to notify, or to assist an appropriate public or private agency to locate and notify, a person responsible for your care in appropriate situations, such as a medical emergency or during disaster relief efforts.

We will provide you with an opportunity to object to these disclosures, unless you are not present or are incapacitated or it is an emergency or disaster relief situation. In those situations, we will use our professional judgment to determine whether disclosing medical information related to your care or payment is in your best interest under the circumstances.

**Your Employer:** We may disclose to your employer whether you are enrolled or disenrolled in a health plan that your employer sponsors.

We may disclose summary health information to your employer to use to obtain premium bids for the health insurance coverage offered under the group health plan in which you participate or to decide whether to modify, amend or terminate that group health plan (this is sometimes called "underwriting"). Summary health information is aggregated claims history, claims expenses or types of claims experienced by the enrollees in your group health plan. Although summary health information will be stripped of all direct identifiers of these enrollees, it still may be possible to identify medical information contained in the summary health information as yours. We are expressly prohibited from using or disclosing any health information containing your genetic information for underwriting purposes.

We may disclose your medical information and the medical information of others enrolled in your group health plan to your employer to administer your group health plan. Before we may do that, your employer must amend the plan document for your group health plan to establish the limited uses and disclosures it may make of your medical information. Please see your group health plan document for a full explanation of those limitations.

**Health-Related Products and Services:** We may use your medical information to communicate with you about health-related products, benefits and services, and payment for those products, benefits and services that we provide or include in our benefits plan. We may use your medical information to communicate with you about treatment alternatives that may be of interest to you.

These communications may include information about the health care providers in our networks, about replacement or enhancements to your health plan, and about health-related products or services that are available only to our enrollees that add value to our benefits plans.

**Public Health and Benefit Activities:** We may use and disclose your medical information, without your permission, when required by law, and when authorized by law for the following kinds of public health and public benefit activities:

- for public health, including to report disease and vital statistics, child abuse, and adult abuse, neglect or domestic violence;
- to avert a serious and imminent threat to health or safety;
- for health care oversight, such as activities of state insurance commissioners, licensing and peer review authorities, and fraud prevention agencies;
- for research;
- in response to court and administrative orders and other lawful process;
• to law enforcement officials with regard to crime victims and criminal activities;
• to coroners, medical examiners, funeral directors, and organ procurement organizations;
• to the military, to federal officials for lawful intelligence, counterintelligence, and national security activities, and to correctional institutions and law enforcement regarding persons in lawful custody; and
• as authorized by state worker's compensation laws.

Your Rights

Access: You have the right to examine and receive a copy of your medical information, with limited exceptions. You should submit your request in writing to our Contact Office.

We may charge you reasonable, cost-based fees (including labor costs) for a copy of your medical information, for mailing the copy to you, and for preparing any summary or explanation of your medical information you request. Contact our Contact Office for information about our fees.

Your medical information may be maintained electronically. If so, you can request an electronic copy of your medical information. If you do, we will provide you with your medical information in the electronic form and format you requested, if it is readily producible in such form and format. If not, we will produce it in a readable electronic form and format as we mutually agree upon.

You may request that we transmit your medical information directly to another person you designate. If so, we will provide the copy to the designated person. Your request must be in writing, signed by you and must clearly identify the designated person and where we should send the copy of your medical information.

Disclosure Accounting: You have the right to a list of instances from the prior six years in which we disclose your medical information for purposes other than treatment, payment, health care operations, as authorized by you, and for certain other activities.

You should submit your request to the contact at the beginning of this notice. We will provide you with information about each accountable disclosure that we made during the period for which you request the accounting, except we are not obligated to account for a disclosure that occurred more than 6 years before the date of your request and never for a disclosure that occurred before the plan's effective date (if the plan was created less than six years ago).

Amendment. You have the right to request that we amend your medical information. You should submit your request in writing to the contact at the beginning of this notice.

We may deny your request only for certain reasons. If we deny your request, we will provide you a written explanation. If we accept your request, we will make your amendment part of your medical information and use reasonable efforts to inform others of the amendment who we know may have and rely on the unamended information to your detriment, as well as persons you want to receive the amendment.

Restriction: You have the right to request that we restrict our use or disclosure of your medical information for treatment, payment or health care operations, or with family, friends or others you identify. We are not required to agree to your request, except for certain required restrictions, described below. If we do agree, we will abide by our agreement, except in a medical emergency or as required or authorized by law. You should submit your request to the contact at the beginning of this notice. We will agree to (and not terminate) a restriction request if:

1. the disclosure is to a health plan for purposes of carrying out payment or health care operations and is not otherwise required by law; and

2. the medical information pertains solely to a health care item or service for which the individual, or person other than the health plan on behalf of the individual, has paid the covered entity in full.

Confidential Communication: You have the right to request that we communicate with you about your medical information in confidence by means or to locations that you specify. You should make your request in
writing, and your request must represent that the
information could endanger you if it is not
communicated in confidence as you request. You should submit your request in writing to the
contact at the beginning of this notice.

We will accommodate your request if it is
reasonable, specifies the means or location for
communicating with you, and continues to
permit us to collect premiums and pay claims
under your health plan. Please note that an
explanation of benefits and other information
that we issue to the subscriber about health care
that you received for which you did not request
confidential communications, or about health
care received by the subscriber or by others
covered by the health plan in which you
participate, may contain sufficient information to
reveal that you obtained health care for which
we paid, even though you requested that we
communicate with you about that health care in
confidence.

Breach Notification: You have the right to
receive notice of a breach of your unsecured
medical information. Notification may be
delayed or not provided if so required by a law
enforcement official. You may request that
notice be provided by electronic mail. If you are
deceased and there is a breach of your medical
information, the notice will be provided to your
next of kin or personal representatives if the plan
knows the identity and address of such
individual(s).

Electronic Notice: If you receive this notice
on our web site or by electronic mail (e-mail),
you are entitled to receive this notice in written
form. Please contact our Contact Office to
obtain this notice in written form.

Complaints

If you are concerned that we may have
violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with
a decision we made about access to your
medical information, about amending your
medical information, about restricting our use or
disclosure of your medical information, or about
how we communicate with you about your
medical information (including a breach notice
communication), you may complain to our
Contact Office.

You also may submit a written complaint to
the Office for Civil Rights of the United States
Department of Health and Human Services, 200
Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH
Building, Washington, D.C. 20201. You may
contact the Office for Civil Rights’ Hotline at 1-
800-368-1019.

We support your right to the privacy of your
medical information. We will not retaliate in any
way if you choose to file a complaint with us or
with the U.S. Department of Health and Human
Services.
Marquette University Notice Regarding 2021 Wellness Program

The Marquette University wellness program is a voluntary program available to all employees. The program is administered according to federal rules permitting employer-sponsored wellness programs that seek to improve employee health or prevent disease, including the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, as applicable, among others.

As part of the 2021 wellness program, you have the option to enroll in the Virgin Pulse Program. Virgin Pulse collects anonymous and Personal Information about you in order to provide you with the Virgin Pulse services. If you choose to share it, the Personal Information that Virgin Pulse may collect, process and use includes:

- Your gender, date of birth and age;
- Biometric information such as your blood pressure or weight;
- Information about your health and healthcare outcomes;
- Information about your fitness and related wellness activities offered within the Program;
- Information about your participation and performance in challenges; and
- The rewards you may be able to earn through the Program.

Virgin Pulse collects Personal Information you voluntarily provide as you submit it through the web-based platform and the mobile application, by reviewing your use of the web-based platform and mobile application (for example through the completion of a health assessment), your use of a synched tracking device such as a MAX or MAX BUZZ and when you participate in phone or on-site services and events. Virgin Pulse also collects Personal Information through your use of additional services such as the Virgin Pulse Activity Tracking Devices and the Health Stations.

Virgin Pulse offers an online health risk assessment questionnaire to assess your overall health and your lifestyle across multiple areas of wellbeing. You do not have to complete the health assessment if you do not want to share this type of information. You may also have access to Health Stations on campus. Health Stations allow you to measure your blood pressure and weight and input that information in the Program.

Virgin Pulse will use the Personal Information collected only to provide you with access to their services, including:

- To administer and manage your Virgin Pulse account and membership;
- To track your progress in the Program and the rewards you earn; and
- To provide you with information about the Program and Program features

You are under no obligation to provide any Personal Information to Virgin Pulse at any time. However, if you choose to withhold some Personal Information, Virgin Pulse may be unable to provide you with certain services.

You are not required to participate in the wellness program by enrolling in the Virgin Pulse Program, completing a biometric screening, or other medical examinations. However, employees and spouses who are enroll in a Marquette sponsored medical plan who choose to participate in the wellness program can each earn rewards for completing qualifying wellness activities which include tracking healthy habits, participating in Marquette University sponsored GROW, meditation and group exercise.
classes, tracking your activity with a fitness device, or participating in health coaching to name a few. A complete list of activities can be found on the wellness website at https://www.marquette.edu/employee-wellness/virgin-pulse.php.

- All employees and spouses, regardless of whether or not you are enrolled in a Marquette sponsored medical plan, are eligible for entries into quarterly drawings during 2021. Prizes, each valued at $50 and paid as PulseCash (which can be used in the Virgin Pulse Store, to purchase a gift card or to donate to a charity), will be given away each quarter, with drawings held in March 2021, June 2021, September 2021 and December 2021.
- Employees and spouses enrolled in a Marquette-sponsored medical plan can also earn up to $250 each or up to $500 each in the form of an FSA or HSA contribution, respectively, depending on points earned during 2021 and on the medical plan and coverage tier selected for 2022. FSA and HSA contributions will be awarded in January 2022 (payable to the employee FSA or HSA account).

We recognize that it may be difficult for some individuals to fully participate and earn points in the program due to medical conditions or disabilities. To ensure all employees have equal opportunity to earn points and benefit from the program, there is a reasonable alternative to earn points. You may request a reasonable alternative by reaching out to the Virgin Pulse Member Services team via chat or phone (888-671-9395), and they will provide you with the appropriate form(s). You will need to print and fill out the form according to the instructions. Once the form has been received, verified, and approved, an exception will be applied to your account and a confirmation email will be sent to you with further instructions.

**Protections from Disclosure of Medical Information**

We are required by law to maintain the privacy and security of your personally identifiable health information. Although the Marquette University wellness program may use aggregate information it collects to design a program based on identified health risks in the workplace, it will never disclose any of your Personal Information publicly, except as necessary to respond to a request from you for a reasonable accommodation needed to participate in the wellness program, or as expressly permitted by law. Medical information that personally identifies you that is provided in connection with the wellness program will not be provided to your supervisors or managers and may never be used to make decisions regarding your employment.

Your personally identifiable health information will only be shared with approved wellness vendor partners to provide you with services under the wellness program. As a global company, Virgin Pulse has a number of offices and subsidiaries around the world. Virgin Pulse has office locations in the United States, the United Kingdom, Canada, Bosnia, Switzerland, Singapore, Brazil and Australia. Employees at these locations may be required to access your Personal Information to allow Virgin Pulse to provide you with quality services, including Member support services through the Virgin Pulse Call Center. These employees are obligated to respect the confidentiality of your Personal Information and are only authorized to access your Personal Information as necessary to provide you with services or support. In the event that Virgin Pulse would (a) undergo reorganization, or (b) that Virgin Pulse is sold to a third party, any Personal Information they hold about you may be transferred to the re-organized entity or third party, in accordance with applicable laws. In the event that such acquisition occurs, the new entity will continue to use your Personal Information within the limits of the Virgin Pulse Privacy Policy, to ensure continuation of service.
Virgin Pulse may use or disclose your Personal Information to allow your participation in additional third-party provided wellness services and programs. Virgin Pulse will only disclose your Personal Information for the following limited purposes:

- To coordinate enrollment in such additional services;
- To enhance your program experience;
- To provide you with information about the services available to you through the program and platform, or provided to you by a program partner or a third-party provider;
- To ensure that you receive appropriate rewards for participation in our services and other similar services provided by your program sponsor or third-party providers;
- To evaluate the overall quality and effectiveness of the program(s) you may participate in; and
- To assess your eligibility for other programs that your program sponsor or third-party provider may offer.

These program partners are industry leading wellness providers selected to enhance your experience. In certain instances, the use of such program partners may require you to provide additional Personal Information and data to these program partners. If you choose to use program partner services or you provide additional Personal Information and data to these program partners, you will be subject to the program partner’s privacy policy and terms of use. The complete Virgin Pulse Privacy Notice is available for review at https://www.virginpulse.com/privacy-notice/

All medical information obtained through the wellness program will be maintained separate from your personnel records, information stored electronically will be secured, and no information you provide as part of the wellness program will be used in making any employment decision. Appropriate precautions will be taken to avoid any data breach, and in the event a data breach occurs involving information you provide in connection with the wellness program, we will notify you.

You may not be discriminated against in employment because of the medical information you provide as part of participating in the wellness program, nor may you be subjected to retaliation if you choose not to participate.

If you have questions or concerns regarding this notice, or about protections against discrimination and retaliation, please contact the Marquette University Human Resources Department at (414) 288-7305.
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 their 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 1-877-KIDS NOW or www.insurekidsnow.gov 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 www.askebsa.dol.gov or call 1-866-444-EBSA (3272).

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 31, 2020. Contact your State for more information on eligibility –

**ALABAMA – Medicaid**
Website: [http://myalhipp.com/](http://myalhipp.com/)
Phone: 1-855-692-5447

**COLORADO – Health First Colorado (Colorado’s Medicaid Program) & Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)**
Health First Colorado Website: [https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/](https://www.healthfirstcolorado.com/)
Health First Colorado Member Contact Center: 1-800-221-3943/ State Relay 711
Health Insurance Buy-In Program (HIBI): [https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/health-insurance-buy-program](https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/hcpf/health-insurance-buy-program)
HIBI Customer Service: 1-855-692-6442

**ALASKA – Medicaid**
The AK Health Insurance Premium Payment Program
Website: [http://myakhipp.com/](http://myakhipp.com/)
Phone: 1-866-251-4861
Email: CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com
Medicaid Eligibility: [http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.aspx](http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.aspx)

**FLORIDA – Medicaid**
Website: [https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html](https://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/index.html)
Phone: 1-877-357-3268

**ARKANSAS – Medicaid**
Website: [http://myarhipp.com/](http://myarhipp.com/)
Phone: 1-855-MyARHIPP (855-692-7447)

**GEORGIA – Medicaid**
Website: [https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp](https://medicaid.georgia.gov/health-insurance-premium-payment-program-hipp)
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<td>Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64 Website: <a href="http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/">http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/</a> Phone: 1-877-438-4479 All other Medicaid Website: <a href="https://www.in.gov/medicaid/">https://www.in.gov/medicaid/</a> Phone: 1-800-457-4584</td>
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<td>Website: <a href="http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP">http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP</a> Phone: 1-800-694-3084</td>
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<td>NEW YORK</td>
<td>Website: <a href="https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/">https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/</a> Phone: 1-800-541-2831</td>
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| Website: [http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm](http://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm)  
Phone: 573-751-2005 | Website: [http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/](http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/)  
Phone: 1-844-854-4825 |

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Phone: 1-888-365-3742 | Medicaid Website: [https://medicaid.utah.gov/](https://medicaid.utah.gov/)  
CHIP Website: [http://health.utah.gov/chip](http://health.utah.gov/chip)  
Phone: 1-877-543-7669 |

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Phone: 1-800-699-9075 | Website: [http://www.greenmountaincare.org/](http://www.greenmountaincare.org/)  
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Phone: 1-800-662-7462 | Website: [https://www.coverva.org/hipp/](https://www.coverva.org/hipp/)  
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Phone: 1-855-697-4347, or 401-462-0311 (Direct Rlte Share Line) | Website: [https://www.hca.wa.gov/](https://www.hca.wa.gov/)  
Phone: 1-800-562-3022 |

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Phone: 1-888-549-0820 | Website: [http://mywvhipp.com/](http://mywvhipp.com/)  
Toll-free phone: 1-855-MyWVHIPP (1-855-699-8447) |

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Phone: 1-800-440-0493 | Website: [https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/](https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/programs-and-eligibility/)  
Phone: 1-800-251-1269 |

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since July 31, 2020, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

- U.S. Department of Labor  
  Employee Benefits Security Administration  
  [www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa](http://www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa)  
  1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
  Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
  [www.cms.hhs.gov](http://www.cms.hhs.gov)  
  1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4, Ext. 61565
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 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.

OMB Control Number 1210-0137 (expires 1/31/2023)
PART A: General Information

To assist you as you evaluate options for you and your family, this notice provides some basic information about the health insurance Marketplace and employment-based health coverage offered by your employer.

What is the Health Insurance Marketplace?
The Marketplace is designed to help you find health insurance that meets your needs and fits your budget. The Marketplace offers "one-stop shopping" to find and compare private health insurance options. You may also be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium. Open enrollment for health insurance coverage through the Marketplace begins in November of each year for coverage starting in January. Individuals may also qualify for Special Enrollment.

Can I Save Money on my Health Insurance Premiums in the Marketplace?
You may qualify to save money and lower your monthly premium, but only if your employer does not offer coverage, or offers coverage that doesn't meet certain standards. The savings on your premium that you're eligible for depends on your household income.

Does Employer Health Coverage Affect Eligibility for Premium Savings through the Marketplace?
Yes. If you have an offer of health coverage from your employer that meets certain standards, you will not be eligible for a tax credit through the Marketplace and may wish to enroll in your employer's health plan. However, you may be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium, or a reduction in certain cost-sharing if your employer does not offer coverage to you at all or does not offer coverage that meets certain standards. If the cost of a plan from your employer that would cover you (and not any other members of your family) is more than 9.83% of your household income for the year, or if the coverage your employer provides does not meet the "minimum value" standard set by the Affordable Care Act, you may be eligible for a tax credit.1

Note: If you purchase a health plan through the Marketplace instead of accepting health coverage offered by your employer, then you may lose the employer contribution (if any) to the employer-offered coverage. Also, this employer contribution -as well as your employee contribution to employer-offered coverage- is often excluded from income for Federal and State income tax purposes. Your payments for coverage through the Marketplace are made on an after-tax basis.

How Can I Get More Information?
For more information about your coverage offered by your employer, please check your summary plan description or contact Marquette University, Human Resources, 915 West Wisconsin Ave, Straz Tower #185, Milwaukee, WI 53233, 414-288-7305.

The Marketplace can help you evaluate your coverage options, including your eligibility for coverage through the Marketplace and its cost. Please visit HealthCare.gov for more information, including an online application for health insurance coverage and contact information for a Health Insurance Marketplace in your area.

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1 An employer-sponsored health plan meets the "minimum value standard" if the plan's share of the total allowed benefit costs covered by the plan is no less than 60 percent of such costs.
PART B: Information About Health Coverage Offered by Your Employer

This section contains information about any health coverage offered by your employer. If you decide to complete an application for coverage in the Marketplace, you will be asked to provide this information. This information is numbered to correspond to the Marketplace application.

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10. Who Can We Contact About Employee Health Coverage at This Job?

Vice President, Human Resources

11. Phone Number (if different from above)

12. Email Address

claudia.paetsch@marquette.edu

Here is some basic information about health coverage offered by this employer:

- As your employer, we offer a health plan to:
  - [ ] All employees. Eligible employees are:

- [x] Some employees. Eligible employees are:
  - All full-time regular employees, full-time limited term employees (minimum of 1-year academic/calendar year contract), part-time regular employees (working a minimum of 20 but less than 37 ½ hours per week), and bargained employees regularly scheduled to work for at least 30 hours per week.

- With respect to dependents:
  - [x] We do offer coverage. Eligible dependents are:
    - Your legal spouse
    - Your legal child(ren), including your natural or adopted child(ren), stepchild(ren), or any child for whom you have legal custody. They are eligible until the end of the month in which they turn age 26 or, regardless of age, if they are fully disabled and unmarried, provided he/she was or became fully disabled while they met the definition of a dependent child under the plan.

  - [ ] We do not offer coverage.

If checked, this coverage meets the minimum value standard, and the cost of this coverage to you is intended to be affordable, based on employee wages.

**Even if your employer intends your coverage to be affordable, you may still be eligible for a premium discount through the Marketplace. The Marketplace will use your household income, along with other factors, to determine whether you may be eligible for a premium discount. If, for example, your wages vary from week to week (perhaps you are an hourly employee or you work on a commission basis), if you are newly employed mid-year, or if you have other income losses, you may still qualify for a premium discount.**

If you decide to shop for coverage in the Marketplace, HealthCare.gov will guide you through the process. Here's the employer information you'll enter when you visit HealthCare.gov to find out if you can get a tax credit to lower your monthly premiums.
The information below corresponds to the Marketplace Employer Coverage Tool. Completing this section is optional for employers, but will help ensure employees understand their coverage choices.

13. Is the employee currently eligible for coverage offered by this employer, or will the employee be eligible in the next 3 months?
   - Yes (Continue)
   - No (STOP and return this form to employee)

13a. If the employee is not eligible today, including as a result of a waiting or probationary period, when is the employee eligible for coverage? (mm/dd/yyyy) (Continue)

14. Does the employer offer a health plan that meets the minimum value standard*?
   - Yes (Go to question 15)
   - No (STOP and return form to employee)

15. For the lowest-cost plan that meets the minimum value standard* offered only to the employee (don't include family plans): If the employer has wellness programs, provide the premium that the employee would pay if he/she received the maximum discount for any tobacco cessation programs, and didn't receive any other discounts based on wellness programs.
   a. How much would the employee have to pay in premiums for this plan? $
   b. How often? Weekly Every 2 weeks Twice a month Monthly Quarterly Yearly

If the plan year will end soon and you know that the health plans offered will change, go to question 16. If you don't know, STOP and return form to employee.

16. What change will the employer make for the new plan year?
   - Employer won't offer health coverage
   - Employer will start offering health coverage to employees or change the premium for the lowest-cost plan available only to the employee that meets the minimum value standard.* (Premium should reflect the discount for wellness programs. See question 15.)
   a. How much would the employee have to pay in premiums for this plan? $
   b. How often? Weekly Every 2 weeks Twice a month Monthly Quarterly Yearly

* An employer-sponsored health plan meets the "minimum value standard" if the plan's share of the total allowed benefit costs covered by the plan is no less than 60 percent of such costs (Section 36B(c)(2)(C)(ii) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986)
Important Notice from Marquette University About Your Prescription Drug Coverage and Medicare for the:

- Marquette University CHPHP
- Marquette University AHDHP
- Marquette University EHDHP

Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with Marquette University 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. Marquette University has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by any above-mentioned plan 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 through 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.

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 Marquette University coverage will not be affected. You can keep your Marquette University coverage and it will coordinate with Part D coverage according to Medicare Secondary Payer Rules.

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your current Marquette University 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 Marquette University 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 Marquette University changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.

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 www.medicare.gov
- 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 whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).

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