



Medicare **DualChoice** (HMO SNP)



To: IEHP Providers
From: IEHP Provider Relations
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Subject: 2012 Medicare DualChoice Benefit Changes

Your IEHP Medicare DualChoice (HMO SNP) Members will receive several NEW benefits for 2012!

Benefit	2011	2012
Vision (every two years)	1 exam, 1 pair of glasses, and 1 pair of contacts. (\$100 limit for eye glasses including frames and lens and \$150 limit for contact lens)	1 exam, 1 pair of glasses, and 1 pair of contacts. [\$150 limit for eye glasses (frames) & 100% coverage for lenses, \$150 limit for contact lenses.]
Dental	2 exams, 2 cleanings, 1 x-ray (\$1,500 cap)	2 exams, 2 cleanings, 1 x-ray (no cap)
Prescription	Generic: \$0 Brand: \$3.30/\$6.30	Generic: \$1.10 Brand: \$3.30/\$6.50
Transportation (per year)	50 one-way trips	60 one-way trips
Podiatry	Not a benefit	Up to 6 routine visits per year
Fitness	Not a benefit	Health club membership

Important changes about Podiatry benefit

IEHP Medicare DualChoice Members are allowed six routine podiatry visits per benefit year. However, some may be covered for additional visits whenever it's medically indicated based on the patients' ICD-9 code.

How do IEHP patients qualify for more than six routine podiatry visits?

To see if your IEHP patients qualify, log on to the secure provider website and follow the five steps below:

1. Click on **Eligibility & Rosters**
2. Select by **SSN/CIN** or by **IEHP ID** or by **Last Name**
3. Enter the **SSN/CIN** or **IEHP ID** or **Last Name** then click "submit"
4. Click on **View Medical History** on the eligibility screen
5. Under **Reminder/Alerts**, a flag if "Eligible for Medically Indicated Podiatry"

If you have any questions, please call Provider Relations Team at (909) 890-2054.