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Dear Medicare Primary Retiree:

We have important news to share with you about your prescription drug plan coverage through the EEHP. As part of the Federal Health Care Reform Act, a new prescription drug benefit option for **Medicare eligible retirees and their dependents** became available. This program provides cost containment opportunities for the Plan, essentially the same prescription drug benefits for our **Medicare primary members** and in some cases provide lower costs to them. While there may be slight differences in the coverage, the program will continue to provide quality prescription drug benefits for our Medicare primary members.

On January 1, 2013 the EEHP prescription drug benefits for **Medicare primary members** only will be provided through UnitedHealthcare Medicare RX. **This Plan only applies to Medicare Primary members**. It is not available to active members or retiree's under the age of 65.

Some of the plan highlights include:

- All of the drugs covered by Medicare Part D will be included
- More than 65,000 in-network pharmacies including national and regional chain and mom and pop stores participate in the Plan.
- Mail order delivery is available through OptumRx Pharmacy

In addition to the mailings you will be receiving from UnitedHealthcare, we will be scheduling meetings at different locations within the region during the month November to provide more information and answer any questions you may have regarding this program. Please watch your mail for this schedule as well as additional information from UnitedHealthcare.

In the meantime, feel free to call UnitedHealthcare with your questions at **1-888-556-6648**, for the hearing impaired TTY **711** 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. local time, 7 days a week. If you prefer you can contact Mr. Frank Perry, Operations Administrator, at 631-687-3140.

Sincerely,

Any From

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