PROVIDER Bulletin

This Provider Bulletin applies to the lines of business and provider types checked below:

☒ **PHP (Medicare)**	☒ **Primary Care Physicians**	☒ **Specialists**
☐ **PHC (Medicaid)**	☒ **Ancillary**	☒ **Hospitals**

Effective Jan. 1, 2017, PHP (Medicare) Plan has a new benefit design that features a **$0 copay Doctor Office Visits** and most outpatient services, and limited costing share for the services listed below. Additionally, PHP has a maximum out-of-pocket amount of $5,000 for the year.

PHP/PHC dual members are not subject to copay. Copay and cost share are limited to PHP (Medicare) members only.

The copay and cost share are both due at the time services are rendered and are limited to the below services. This cost-sharing applies to PHP enrollees who are *not* dual eligible.

PHP 2017 - Member Co-payments	
Service/Benefit	**Co-payment Amount**
Ambulance	$150 copay
Emergency Room	$65 copay
Inpatient Hospital Coverage	$100 copay per day for days 1 though 6
	$0 copay per day for days 7 - 90
	$0 copy per day for: lifetime reserve days 91 - 150
Mental Health Services	$100 copay per day for days 1 though 6
	$0 copay per day for days 7 - 90
	$0 copy per day for: lifetime reserve days 91 - 150
Skilled Nursing Facility	$0 copay per day for days 1 - 20
	$100 copay per day for days 21 - 100

Tips for Verifying Member Eligibility and Benefits

Remember to ask members for a copy of their identification (ID) card at each visit and verify eligibility and benefits by calling 855.318.4387 to determine copayment and cost share.

Helpful Tips:
- If a member does not have an ID card and does not know their member ID number, use the member's name and date of birth to check eligibility when calling 855.318.4387.
- Be sure to confirm the current effective date of the member's policy and ID number.
- You may also ask the member to call the number on the back of their ID card.
- Visit www.positivehealthcare.org to obtain a copy of the PHC or PHP Summary of Benefits