

Important COVID-19 Coverage Changes

President Biden recently signed a bill ending the public health emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic. This means that certain rules put in place during the pandemic will soon come to an end for our commercial (or fully insured) plan members. This includes the regulation waiving cost-share for COVID-19 tests. Therefore, beginning May 12, 2023, health care providers will begin collecting cost-share for COVID-19 tests performed in a provider practice or pharmacy.

Please note that beginning May 12, 2023, members will pay the retail price for at-home COVID-19 tests as these are considered an over-the-counter product. However, members with flexible spending accounts (FSAs) and health savings accounts (HSAs) may use these funds to cover the cost of test kits.

CDPHP will continue to cover COVID-19 vaccines when administered by an innetwork provider or pharmacy at no out-of-pocket cost. Please note that cost-share will apply for vaccines administered by an out-of-network provider.

Questions? Contact your CDPHP account representative.

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