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RE: NEW PLAN OFFERING WITH UNLIMITED PCP AND SPECIALIST OFFICE VISITS

Dear UAW Trust Member,

The UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust (the “Trust”) became effective on January 1, 2010. While our mission is to serve as a source of health care coverage for our members, we also strive to provide benefits and programs that improve your health and quality of life. Through the years, you’ve told us that you need even more personalized care. Since our launch, we’ve made enhancements to increase your access to quality, affordable health benefits. We have expanded coverage to include Primary Care Physician (PCP) office visits, retail health clinics and urgent care facilities, as well as many other programs. And, it doesn’t end there, based on your feedback we have exciting news for 2019!

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2019

We are pleased to announce that our nationwide plan available to all non-Medicare members will be enhanced on January 1, 2019, to include coverage for unlimited Primary Care Physician (PCP) and Specialist Physician office visits, as well as other helpful programs. This enhancement is so significant that we are giving our plan a new name – the *Enhanced Care PPO*. This plan adds new benefits and programs while maintaining affordability.

The new *Enhanced Care PPO* plan will be offered through Blue Cross Blue Shield (BCBS). This new plan will replace the Traditional Care Network (TCN) and Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) plans while keeping the same great PPO network of doctors and hospitals. The *Enhanced Care PPO* plan will become the national plan offering available for all members without Medicare.

In addition to the unlimited PCP office visit and specialist coverage, this new health plan will feature personalized, convenient resources to assist you in navigating the health care system. You will have access to a personal health guide who can help you find hospitals and doctors, assist in prior authorizations for tests or procedures, answer questions about what's covered under the plan, as well as connect you to a supporting team of clinical staff, care managers and specialized programs. These programs are designed to assist if you have chronic conditions, help you understand your options, and guide you through health decisions so you can reach your personal health goals and manage your conditions.

MORE DETAILS TO COME

Over the next few weeks, you will get additional details through the mail from the Trust and BCBS. All mailings will be marked with the Trust logo. In addition to educational material and information about this new plan, you will receive an invitation from BCBS to attend face-to-face meetings (where available) or join informational conference calls and webinars. These sessions will allow you to learn about your options and ask questions. We encourage you to read thoroughly all of the information that you receive from the Trust and BCBS, attend an informational meeting or conference call, and learn more about your new plan option.

No action is required at this time. If you have any questions about your current plan options or you need to update your contact information, you can call **Retiree Health Care Connect at 866-637-7555**, Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Wishing you the best health,

The Committee of the UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust