

BENEFIT ENHANCEMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF LiUNA LOCAL 506

The Executive Board of Local 506 and the Board of Trustees of the Local 506 Benefit Funds are pleased to announce enhancements to the benefit programs.



Vision Care Benefit

The Vision Care Benefit has been increased to reimburse up to a combined maximum of \$300 per calendar year for lenses, frames and contact lenses for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Eye Examination

The Vision Care Benefit will provide reimbursement for one (1) eye examination every calendar year up to a maximum benefit of \$100 for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Dental Fee Guide Increase

The ODA Dental Fee Guide will increase from 2017 to 2018 for all dental claims incurred on or after January 1st, 2020.



Hospital Care Benefit

The Hospital Care Benefit will provide reimbursement for semi-private hospitalization in addition to the Hospital Cash Benefit to a maximum benefit period of 120 days for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Speech Therapy

Speech Therapy has been increased to a maximum reimbursement of \$200 per visit with an individual lifetime maximum of \$10,000 for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Clinical Psychologist and Psychotherapist Benefit

Clinical Psychologist and Psychotherapist has been increased to a maximum reimbursement of \$100 per visit with a combined calendar year maximum of \$1,000 for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Paramedical Benefit

(Occupational Therapist, Podiatrist/Chiroprapist, Massage Therapist, Naturopath, Osteopath, Chiropractor, Acupunctrist)

Paramedical services per visit maximum reimbursement will increase to \$60 per visit with a combined maximum reimbursement of \$1,000 per calendar year for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



Breast Prosthesis

Breast Prosthesis coverage has increased to once (1) every two (2) calendar years per breast, up to a maximum of \$500 per breast for all claims incurred on or after March 1st, 2020.



eClaim App

Members can submit claims electronically, check the status of the claim and access Explanation of Benefits (EOB) via the new mobile eClaims app effective March 1st, 2020.



vCare Virtual Medicine App

vCare app provides you and your eligible dependents with 24/7, personalized medical support. Connect instantly with a healthcare provider for your primary health questions and concerns, fill and refill prescriptions, specialist referrals, and lab requisitions.



mHealth Virtual Mental Health App

mHealth app that provides members and their eligible dependents access to information on mental health, in addition to a self assessment tool which is integrated into the virtual cognitive therapy coverage effective January 1st, 2020.



Healthcare Navigation Benefit

Healthcare Navigation has been added to the plan to provide personalized service that walks the member and their eligible dependents through the healthcare system, ensuring integration between OHIP and the benefit program, by assisting the completion of paperwork, scheduling of appointments, preparing for medical appointments, review medical results with ongoing healthcare coaching effective January 1, 2020.



Cancer Assistance Benefit

Cancer Assistance has been added to the plan to provide highly trained oncologists to work with members and their families to ensure the correct treatment and care is provided. Provides expert assessment and recommend approaches to treatments effective January 1st, 2020.



Home Delivery Pharmacy

Members can have their prescription medicine delivered to them the next business day. Medication can be delivered in convenient Medpacks, which organizes the daily doses into packets which includes the medication information printed on the front effective January 1st, 2020.



Prescription Drug Savings Program

Members will receive lower dispensing fees, and lower ingredients cost on prescription medication along with exclusive perks from several participating pharmacy chains effective January 1st, 2020.



National Home Doctor

Members can access doctors in their own homes after hours or on weekends to treat common illnesses effective January 1st, 2020.

We trust that you will value the benefit program and we remain committed to keeping benefits relevant to the current healthcare environment.



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