## **OSCPA GROUP HEALTH PLAN**



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## SUMMARY MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS TO 2023 SUMMARY PLAN DESCRIPTION

July 1, 2023

## **Dear Participant or Beneficiary:**

**For Immediate Distribution:** Summary Material Modification which is supplement to 2023 Summary Plan Description due to new changes to the COVID-19 provisions.

Since issuance of the January 1, 2023, summary plan description (SPD) for the OSCPA Group Health Plan, there have been some legal changes that impact the information provided in the SPD. The changes are summarized below with a reference to the corresponding SPD section. Please keep this summary with your SPD, insurance booklets, and the summaries of benefits provided by the insurer. More information is available at <u>www.orcpa.org/Group-Health-Plan</u>. You may obtain a hard copy by contacting the Plan Administrator.

<u>SECTION 4—ADDITIONAL LEGAL REQUIREMENTS—(e) COVID-19 (SPD pages 16–18)</u>. The end of the COVID-19 public health emergency, the COVID-19 national emergency, and the outbreak period associated with the COVID-19 national emergency impact the information provided in subsection (e).

**<u>COVID Tests</u>**. The medical program is no longer required to cover diagnostic COVID-19 tests (including over-the-counter (OTC) COVID tests) that are furnished after May 11, 2023. If the medical program provides such coverage, it may impose cost-sharing or prior authorization requirements. An OTC COVID test is considered furnished on the date it was purchased. For testing that involves multiple services, the test is considered furnished on the earliest date on which a service was rendered. See the medical program Insurance Booklet for information about coverage for COVID-19 testing.

<u>COVID Vaccines</u>. The medical program will continue to cover in-network COVID-19 vaccines and preventive services without cost sharing, as described in subsection (ii). But the medical program is no longer required to provide coverage for COVID-19 vaccines and preventive

services furnished by an out-of-network provider after May 11, 2023. If the medical program provides such coverage, it may impose cost sharing. See the medical program Insurance Booklet for information about coverage for COVID-19 vaccines and preventive services.

**Extension of Due Dates.** The disregarded period that extends the due dates described in subsection (iii) will end the earlier of July 10, 2023, or one year from the date you first became eligible for the relief. If you have a question regarding how this applies to a due date under a special enrollment period, COBRA, or the claims procedure, please contact the Plan Administrator.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact the Plan Administrator at the above address or telephone number.

Sincerely,

Trustees of OSCPA Group Health Trust