

Authorization for my health plan to share my protected health information

HealthPartners provides medical and dental insurance and services to its members. As a member, you may want to tell us to share some of your information with others. To do so, fill out the form on page two and send it back to us.

What's protected health information?

Because you're a HealthPartners member, we have information that identifies you. This is called protected health information (PHI). It includes health plan information, such as:

- Demographics like your name, address, phone number and date of birth
- Health information like diagnosis and care you received
- Claims and health insurance coverage information

What do I need to do?

Fill out and sign the form on page two if you want HealthPartners to share your PHI with another organization or person(s). Then mail it back to us at:

HealthPartners
Mail Stop 21104G
PO Box 1309
Minneapolis, MN 55440-1309

You can also fax it to us at **952-883-5666**.

Want to fill out this form online? Log on to your *myHealthPartners* account. You can find the form under the "My Plan" tab.

Questions?

Call HealthPartners Member Services at the number listed on your member ID card.

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Instructions

Fill out and sign this form to authorize HealthPartners to share your PHI with the following organization or person(s).

Then mail it back to us at the address on page one.

Name _____ Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Member ID _____

I give HealthPartners permission to share my PHI with the following organization or person(s). I'm asking HealthPartners to share my information with them to help answer questions and resolve concerns related to my health plan.

Name _____ Name _____

Street _____ Street _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Relationship _____ Phone _____ Relationship _____

What PHI can HealthPartners share with them? Check all that apply. *Note: Some information may require additional permission.*

- Membership information, such as your member ID
- Claims/authorization information, such as claim status and payments
- Medical management information, such as authorizations and case management information
- Complaint/appeal information, such as outcome, rationale and medical records
- FSA/HRA information, such as claim status and payments, and remaining balances
- Other – please describe: _____

I understand that:

- This permission is good for one year.
- If I want this permission to end **sooner than one year**, that date is: _____. Or at any time I want, I can cancel this permission by writing to HealthPartners at the address on page one.
- If I cancel this permission, that doesn't affect information that's already been shared.
- Once shared, my PHI may not be protected by state or federal law. The organization or person(s) who receives it could share it with others.
- HealthPartners can't decide whether or not to provide treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits based on whether I sign this form.
- I can have a copy of this authorization.
- An electronic copy or photocopy of this signed form is the same as the original.

Signature – yours or your representative's

If signed by your representative, include a copy of documents showing the legal authority of the representative (such as a power of attorney, or court documents appointing guardian or foster parent).

Date

Print representative's name

Relationship to member



Statement of Nondiscrimination for Health Plan Members

Our Responsibilities:

We follow Federal civil rights laws. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex. We do not exclude people or treat them differently because of their race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, including gender identity.

- We help people with disabilities to communicate with us. This help is free. It includes:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats, such as large print, audio and accessible electronic formats
- We provide services for people who do not speak English or who are not comfortable speaking English. These services are free. They include:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

For Language or Communication Help:

Call 1-800-883-2177 if you need language or other communication help. (TTY: 711)

If you have questions about our non-discrimination policy:

Contact the Civil Rights Coordinator at 1-844-363-8732 or integrityandcompliance@healthpartners.com.

To File a Grievance:

If you believe that we have not provided these services or have discriminated against you because of your race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a grievance by contacting the Civil Rights Coordinator at 1-844-363-8732, integrityandcompliance@healthpartners.com or Civil Rights Coordinator, Office of Integrity and Compliance, MS 21103K, 8170 33rd Ave. S., Bloomington, MN 55425.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Room 509F, HHH Building
200 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20201
1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

<p>Español (<i>Spanish</i>) ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>	<p>ພາສາລາວ (<i>Laotian</i>) ໂປດຊາບ: ຖ້າວ່າ ທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາ ລາວ, ການບໍລິການລູ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ, ໂດຍບໍ່ເສັຽຄ່າ, ແມ່ນມີພ້ອມໃຫ້ທ່ານ. ໂທ 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>
<p>Hmoob (<i>Hmong</i>) LUS CEEV: Yog tias koj hais lus Hmoob, cov kev pab txog lus, muaj kev pab dawb rau koj. Hu rau 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>	<p>Deutsch (<i>German</i>) ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>
<p>Tiếng Việt (<i>Vietnamese</i>) CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>	<p>العربية (<i>Arabic</i>) ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث اذكر اللغة، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم 1-800-883-2177 (رقم هاتف الصم والبكم: 711)</p>
<p>繁體中文 (<i>Chinese</i>) 注意: 如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>	<p>Français (<i>French</i>) ATTENTION: Si vous parlez français, des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Appelez le 1-800-883-2177. (ATS: 711)</p>
<p>Русский (<i>Russian</i>) ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните 1-800-883-2177. (телетайп: 711)</p>	<p>한국어 (<i>Korean</i>) 주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>
<p>Af Soomaali (<i>Somali</i>) OGAYSIIS: Haddii aad ku hadasho afka soomaaliga, Waxaa kuu diyaar ah caawimaad xagga luqadda ah oo bilaash ah. Fadlan soo wac 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>	<p>Tagalog (<i>Tagalog</i>) PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa 1-800-883-2177. (TTY: 711)</p>

