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IMPORTANT NEWS ABOUT YOUR MEDICAID, DR. DYNASAUR, OR VERMONT HEALTH ACCESS PLAN (VHAP) COVERAGE

Naturopathic Physicians

Naturopathic physicians have been added to the types of health care providers you may see. If your naturopathic physician meets the state's conditions and enrolls as a primary care provider (PCP), he or she may be your PCP. If not, you will need a referral from your PCP to go to a naturopathic physician. The services they provide must be included in the covered services for your program in order for the state to pay for them.

If you have questions about the new naturopathic coverage, call Health Access Member Services at 1-800-250-8427.

IF YOU CURRENTLY ARE ON VHAP-ESIA (EMPLOYER-SPONSORED INSURANCE ASSISTANCE)

Because services of a naturopathic physician are now included in the VHAP benefit, VHAP may pay cost-sharing for services that are covered in the VHAP program.

You may call Health Access Member Services at
1-800-250-8427 (TTY 1-888-834-7898)
if you have questions about this letter.

UPDATES TO YOUR HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS HANDBOOK

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Please insert this page in your handbook. If you would like another copy of the handbook, please call 1-800-250-8427.

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