Tribal/Federal Technical Workgroup

Teleconference January 9, 2012 3:30-5:00PM EST

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Agenda

- •Welcome and Introductions
- •Updates and Announcements
- Presentation: Communication
- Discussion: Current communication



Updates and Announcements

- Consultation process questions
- Meeting minutes
- Claims data
- ERISA and IRS form 5500
- Employee deductibles
- Upcoming conferences
- Eligibility review panels

Updates and Announcements continued

- Dear Tribal Leader letter
- Updated SF 2809
- Changes to Power Point (first teleconference)
- Billing units
- Frequency of reporting

Communication

The following slides will describe what types of information involved parties will communicate to one another and how it will be communicated.

Parties: Tribal Employees, Tribal Employers, OPM, NFC, and Carriers

Tribal Employees

To Tribal Employer	To Carrier
 Questions about enrollment and eligibility FEHB enrollment changes (Self Only to Self and Family) Adding eligible family members Premium payments 	 -Questions about coverage and claims -Questions about out-of-pocket costs -Adding eligible family members (only for Self and Family FEHB enrollments)

Tribal Employers

To Tribal Employees	To OPM	To NFC	To Carriers
-Information about how to enroll, plan types, and eligibility -FEHB materials (provided by OPM) -Premium rates	 Notification of intent to purchase FEHB Signed agreement Questions about enrollment and eligibility 	 -Enrollment data and changes -Premium payments and administrative fees -Questions about billing Questions about TIPS -Reconciliation of FEHB enrollment data - TCC MOU 	- Requests for health fairs -Requests for brochures



OPM

To Tribal Employees	To Tribal Employers	To Carriers
Website content	 -Information about Open Season -Website content -Fact sheets, other FEHB materials (to be distributed to employees) -FEHB training -Notification of insufficient payments 	- Tribal program training

NFC

To Tribal Employers	To OPM	To Carriers
-TIPS training -Enrollment data reports -TIPS security information (password resets, etc)	-Enrollment data reports -Notification of insufficient payments	-Enrollment changes and data

Carriers

To Tribal Employees	To Tribal Employers	To OPM	To NFC
-Benefits and coverage - ID cards -Information about plan changes	- FEHB training	- Information about plan changes	-Reconciliation process

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Current Communication

- How do you gather information about your health plan?
- How do you disseminate information to your employees?
- How do you communicate with your carrier?
- Have you had any disputes with your carrier?
 - How have they been resolved?

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