Section 2. How we change for 2005

Do not rely on these change descriptions; this page is not an official statement of benefits. For that, go to Section 5 Benefits. Also, we edited and clarified language throughout the brochure; any language change not shown here is a clarification that does not change benefits.

Program-wide changes

- In Section 9, we revised the **Medicare Primary Payer Chart** and updated the language regarding Medicare Advantage plans (formerly called Medicare Advantage plans).
- In Section 12, we revised the language regarding the Flexible Spending Account Program - *FSAFEDS* and the Federal Long Term Care Insurance Program.

Changes to this Plan

- Your share of the non-Postal premium will increase by 4.8% for Self Only or 5.7% for Self and Family.
- The counties of Knox and Stark have been added to the Peoria Service Area.
- The counties of Boone and Winnebago have been added to the DeKalb Service Area.
- We have added the South Central Service Area, which includes the Illinois counties of Clay, Crawford, Edwards, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lawrence, Marion, Richland, Wabash, Wayne, and White.
- We have added the Southern Tip Service Area, which includes the Illinois counties of Alexander, Massac, Pope, and Pulaski .
- The specialty drug benefit has changed to 80 percent coverage with a member coinsurance of 20 percent.
- The hospital inpatient copayment is increased from $100 to $250 per hospital admission.
- The outpatient surgical procedure copayment is increased from $0 to $100 per outpatient surgical admission.