Important Medical Coverage Update from HealthTrust

During these challenging times, HealthTrust remains deeply committed to supporting our Members and their employees and retirees as we join together as a community to weather this health crisis. This is why we’re focused on addressing critical issues that need attention now, including affordability and access. We’re taking unprecedented action to temporarily eliminate cost shares related to COVID-19 treatment.

On April 7, 2020, the HealthTrust Board of Directors decided to join Anthem in expanding the waiver of cost-sharing (copayments, deductibles and/or coinsurance) under HealthTrust medical plans to all medically necessary COVID-19 treatment received between April 1 and May 31, 2020.

HealthTrust had previously waived cost-sharing as required by federal and state law with respect to the initial diagnostic visit and testing as well all in-network medically necessary treatment of COVID-19 delivered via telehealth. This new voluntary action extends the waiver of cost-sharing to all medically necessary treatment of COVID-19 in any setting (including inpatient, urgent care, emergency room and outpatient office visits).

This temporary waiver eliminates all cost shares for individuals covered by a HealthTrust medical plan if they receive treatment for COVID-19 from doctors, hospitals, and other healthcare professionals between April 1 and May 31, 2020.

HealthTrust is committed to providing our Members with the support and resources to help keep their employees and retirees safe and healthy. We have created a COVID-19 section on our Secure Member Portal to keep our Members fully updated on this evolving situation as developments occur.