

COLORADO Department of Health Care Policy & Financing

Department of Health Care Policy & Financing 1570 Grant Street Denver, CO 80203

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OAP MEMBER 555 ADDRESS ST. APT. 55 DENVER, CO 80555

RE: Information About Your Old Age Pension Health Care Program Co-Pays

Dear [Insert Name]:

As a member of the Old Age Pension Health Care Program (OAP), there is a limit on the co-pays you can be charged each year. A co-pay is a fixed amount of money that you pay to your service provider when you get a covered care, service or item.

For CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR, the limit on co-pays you can be charged is \$300.00. Our records show that you have reached this limit.

Therefore, starting **DATE LETTER GENERATED**, you will not have to pay co-pays for the remainder of **CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR**.

Next year you will be charged co-pays until you reach your co-pay limit for that year.

This letter is for informational purposes only. No action is required. You may present your medical ID card to your provider at the time that you receive service(s) covered under your OAP benefits to show that you have reached your co-pay limit.

For more information about this letter, or for general information about co-pays, please visit <u>HealthFirstColorado.com/copay</u> or contact us:

Health First Colorado Member Contact Center 1-800-221-3943 / State Relay 711 for callers with speech or hearing disabilities Monday – Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.

The Health First Colorado Member Contact Center can answer questions about pharmacy co-pays you have already paid. For questions about non-pharmacy co-pays you have already paid to your provider, please contact your provider directly.



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Sincerely,

The Department of Health Care Policy and Financing

Frequently Asked Questions

My provider told me I must pay a co-pay after DATE LETTER GENERATED, what should I do?

If your provider asks for a co-pay during the CURRENT CALENDAR YEAR, for a date after DATE LETTER GENERATED, you do not need to pay it. Please inform your provider you are not required to pay a co-pay for the remainder of CALENDAR YEAR and present your medical ID card.

I paid a co-pay to my provider after DATE LETTER GENERATED, how do I get a refund?

You should work directly with the provider who charged you the co-pay for a refund of any co-pay you paid after DATE LETTER GENERATED for CALENDAR YEAR.

How is my yearly co-payment limit amount determined?

The \$300.00 annual co-pay limit is set by the Old Age Pension Health Care Program Rule 8.941.10.

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Formoreinformation,pleasevisitourwebsiteathttps://www.colorado.gov/hcpf/nondiscrimination-policyorhttps://www.colorado.gov/hcpf/americans-disabilities-act.or

ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-800-221-3943 (State Relay: 711).

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-800-221-3943 (State Relay: 711).

