



HealthTalk

Your journey to better health



We provide services to help you communicate with us, at no cost.

To ask for help, call Member Services toll-free at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**.



Plan benefits

Caring for you

We want to make sure you get the care you need when you need it.

If you need help getting to your provider's office, our plans offer transportation benefits to get you to appointments.

If you need to see a provider right away, we offer care after hours in urgent care centers. Many plans also offer a Nurse Line that you can call anytime 24/7. We want you to know these services are available to you as a plan member.

To find providers, learn about transportation benefits, or look for urgent care center locations, visit **myuhc.com** or use the **UnitedHealthcare app**.



Care guidelines

Top care

We give our providers tools so they can best care for our members. These tools are called clinical practice guidelines. They inform the providers about how to manage illnesses and promote wellness. The guidelines cover care for a variety of illnesses and conditions like diabetes, high blood pressure and depression. They also give information on how to stay well with proper diet, exercise, and recommended vaccines.

Learn more. For more information, visit uhcprovider.com/cpg.



Disease management

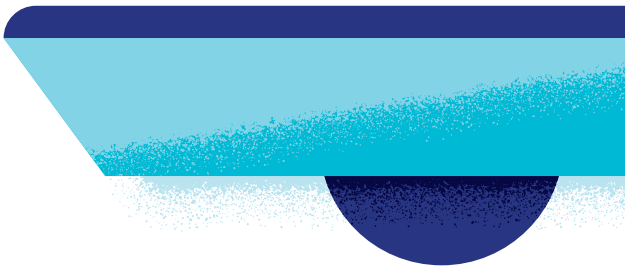
Understand your health conditions

If you have a health challenge, you may have questions like:

- What is this disease?
- How does this condition affect my overall health?
- What are the treatments?
- What might happen if I don't make lifestyle changes?

Our disease management program can help you take charge of your health. Visit myuhc.com/communityplan/healthwellness to learn about:

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| • Asthma | • Depression |
| • Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) | • Diabetes |
| • Coronary artery disease (CAD) | • Heart failure |
| • Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) | • Hepatitis C |
| | • Hypertension |
| | • Obesity |
| | • Sickle cell |





Plan benefits

We care

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan provides programs and services to help keep you well. We also have services to help better manage illnesses and other care needs. These are part of our Population Health program. They can include:

- Health education and reminders
- Maternity support and education
- Support for substance use disorders
- Programs to help you with complex health needs (Care managers work with your doctor and other outside agencies)

These programs are voluntary. They are offered at no cost to you. You can choose to stop any program at any time.

You can find more information at myuhc.com. There you can learn more about the benefits, programs, and services offered to you. If you want to make a referral to our case management program, call Member Services at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**.



Getting care

Take charge

Prepare to see your provider.

Preparing for your provider's visit can help you get the most out of it. So can making sure your provider knows about all the care you have had. Here's how you can take charge of your health care:

1. Think about what you want to get out of the visit before you go. Try to focus on the top three things that you need help with.
2. Tell your provider about any drugs or vitamins you take on a regular basis. Bring a written list. Or bring the medicine itself with you.
3. Tell your provider about other providers you may be seeing. Include behavioral health providers. Mention any medications or treatment they have prescribed for you. Also bring copies of results of any tests you have had.
4. If you were in the hospital or ER, see your provider as soon as possible after your discharge. Share your discharge instructions with them. Proper follow-up may prevent another admission or visit to the ER.

Utilization management

The right care

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan does utilization management (UM). All managed care health plans do. It's how we make sure our members are getting the right care at the right time and in the right place.

A doctor reviews requests when care may not meet guidelines. They decide if the care and services are correct. The services must be covered under your benefits. We do not reward doctors or staff for denying services. We do not pay anyone for providing less care. Members and doctors have the right to appeal denials. A denial notice will tell you how to appeal.



Questions? You can talk to our staff. They are available 8 hours a day during normal business hours. If you need to leave a message, someone will call you back. TDD/TTY services and language assistance are available if you need them. Just call **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**, toll-free.

Member handbook

Membership, benefits and plan details

Your member handbook is updated annually. Find it on myuhc.com/communityplan. It includes our Notice of Privacy Practices and Notice of Non-Discrimination. They may also be found online at uhc.com/privacy and uhc.com/legal.



Want a printed copy?

Call Member Services toll-free at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711** to ask for the member handbook to be mailed to you.

By the book

Have you read your Member Handbook? It is a great source of information. It tells you how to use your plan. It explains:

- Your member rights and responsibilities.
- The benefits and services you have.
- The benefits and services you don't have (exclusions).
- What costs you may have for health care.
- How to find out about network providers.
- How your prescription drug benefits work.
- What to do if you need care when you are out of town.
- When and how you can get care from an out-of-network provider.
- Where, when and how to get primary, after-hours, behavioral health, specialty, hospital and emergency care.
- Our privacy policy.
- What to do if you get a bill.
- How to voice a complaint or appeal a coverage decision.
- How to ask for an interpreter or get other help with language or translation.
- How the plan decides if new treatments or technologies are covered.
- How to report fraud and abuse.



Get it all. You can read the Member Handbook online at myuhc.com. Or call Member Services toll-free at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**, to request a copy of the handbook.

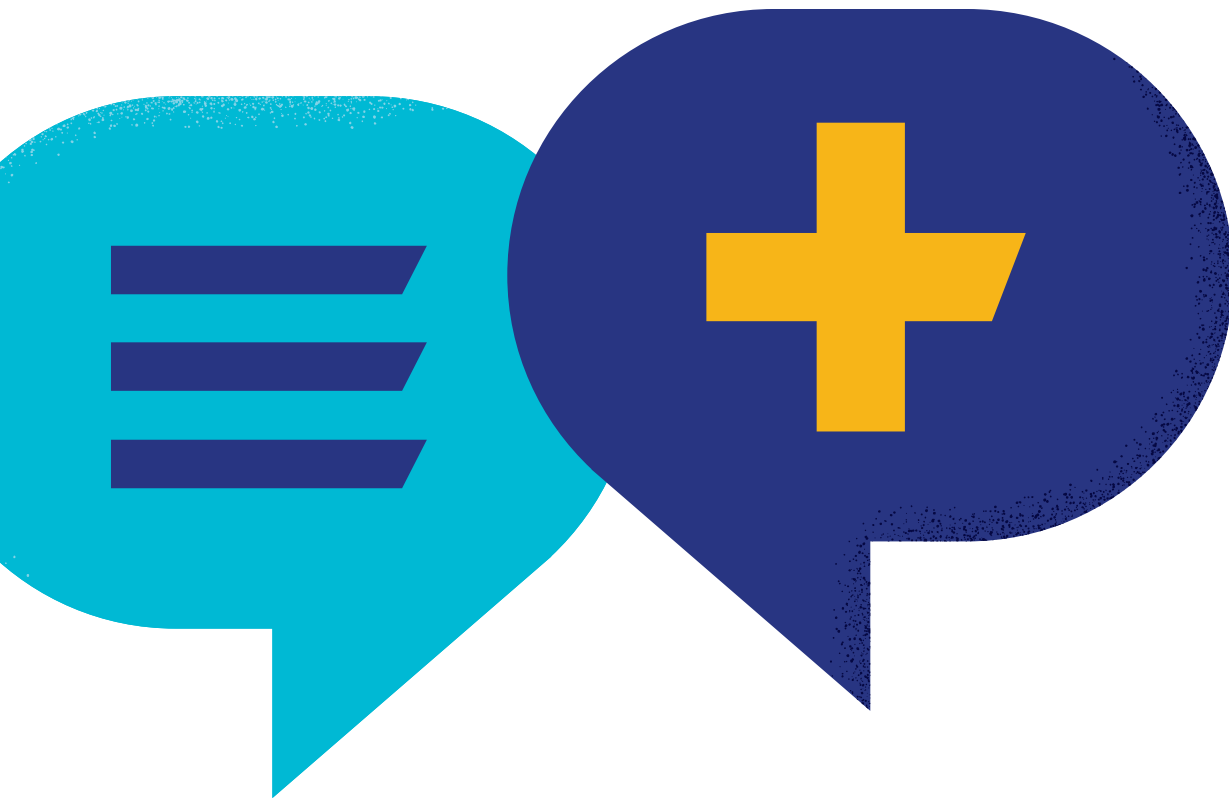




Communication needs

We provide free services to help you communicate with us. We can send you information in languages other than English or in large print. You can ask for an interpreter. To ask for help, please call Member Services at the phone number on page 9.

Ofrecemos servicios gratuitos para ayudarle a comunicarse con nosotros. Podemos enviarle información en otro idioma que no sea inglés o en letra grande. También puede solicitar un intérprete. Para pedir ayuda, llame a Servicios para Miembros al número de teléfono que aparece en la página 9.





Mental health



Calm Health

Support your mental health with the Calm Health app. This no-cost app features digital programs designed to help you care for your well-being. Click here to get started by downloading the **UnitedHealthcare® app** and finding Calm Health on the Coverage & Benefits page.



Plan benefits

Top quality

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan has a Quality Improvement program. It works to give members better health care and services. Each year we set goals and measure how we are doing.

Some of our goals focus on improving the number of services pregnant members and children receive. These include postpartum visits, well check-ups, and immunizations. Other goals focus on making sure people with certain diseases, such as diabetes, get the tests they need. Sometimes a member needs to go to the hospital or emergency room for a mental health issue. When this happens, our goal is that they see a mental health professional after they go home.

We also survey our members each year. We want to see how they feel our health plan is performing. We use this feedback to improve the services that we offer, including our provider network and customer service. This year we are working on improving members' digital experience.



Want more information on our Quality Improvement program and results?

Call Member Services toll-free at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**.



How we use and protect your personal language and cultural data

We receive information about you. This may include your race, ethnicity, language you speak, sexual orientation, social needs, and disability. This data and other personal information about you is Protected Health Information (PHI). We may share this information with your health care providers as part of treatment, payment, and operations in meeting your health care needs. Examples of how we may use it to improve the services we provide include:

- Finding gaps in care.
- Helping you in other languages.
- Creating programs that meet your needs.
- Telling your health care providers what language you speak.

We do not use this data to deny coverage or limit benefits. We protect this information in the same way we protect all other PHI. Access is restricted to those employees who need to use it. Our buildings and computers are secured. Computer passwords and other system protections keep your data safe.

To find out more about how we protect information about you: uhc.com/privacy and uhc.com/content/dam/uhcdotcom/en/npp/NPP-UHC-CS-Medical-EN.pdf.

Your privacy

We take your privacy seriously. We are very careful with your family's protected health information (PHI). We also guard your financial information (FI). We use PHI and FI to run our business. It helps us provide products, services and information to you.

We protect oral, written and electronic PHI and FI throughout our business. We have rules and technology that keep PHI and FI safe. We don't want PHI or FI to get lost or destroyed. We want to make sure no one misuses it. We check to make sure we use PHI and FI carefully.

We have policies that explain:

- How we may use PHI and FI
- When we may share PHI and FI with others
- What rights you have to your family's PHI and FI

You may read our privacy policy in your Member Handbook. It's online at myuhc.com/CommunityPlan. You may also call Member Services toll-free at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711** to ask us to mail you a copy. If we make changes to the policy, we will mail you a notice.

We're here to help

UnitedHealthcare App:

Download on the App Store® or Google Play™

Our member website:

myuhc.com/communityplan

Member Services:

Toll-free **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**

Get help with your questions and concerns. Find a health care provider or urgent care center, ask benefit questions or get help scheduling an appointment, in any language.

NurseLine:

1-800-866-6827, TTY **711**

Get health advice from a nurse 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, at no cost to you (toll-free).

UHC Doctor Chat:

Connect to Primary Care Providers (PCPs) in seconds with the UHC Doctor Chat app. PCPs are available 24/7 and can answer questions, big or small. Download the **UHC Doctor Chat app** or learn more at UHCDoctorChat.com.

Quit For Life:

1-866-784-8454, TTY **711** | quitnow.net

Get help quitting smoking at no cost to you (toll-free).

Transportation:

1-844-529-1801, TTY **711**

Benefits at no cost for eligible members to and from your doctor visits and gas mileage reimbursement.

Care Management:

1-866-292-0359, TTY **711**

Members with chronic conditions and complex needs can get phone calls, home visits, health education, referrals to community resources, appointment reminders, help with rides and more (toll-free).

Diabetes-tailored meals:

Members enrolled in diabetes disease management are eligible for diabetes tailored meals. This is a 12-week program with 4 weeks of nutritional education followed by 8 weeks of diabetic-tailored meals.

Healthy First Steps®:

1-800-599-5985, TTY **711**

Access educational articles, appointment reminders and customizable tools by downloading the Babyscripts **myJourney app**. It's that simple.

GEDWorks:

Members 18 years and older who want to earn their diploma can get access to custom study plans, a dedicated advisor, free 24/7 online tutoring, practice tests and more.





Member resources

Go Digital:

myuhc.com/communityplan/preference

Sign up for email, text messages and digital files to receive your health information more quickly.

One Pass:

rallyhealth.com/onepass-uhcmo

Members 18+ can access more than 300 fitness centers across Missouri, including YMCAs, Planet Fitness, Anytime Fitness and many small local gyms.

YMCA Membership:

ymca.net/find-your-y

Members up to 17 years old can join their local Y and participate in programs.

Member Rights and Responsibilities:

To see member rights and responsibilities, please refer to member resources at uhcommunityplan.com/mo/medicaid/mo-health-net.

Walmart+ membership

Adults ages 18 years and older who are enrolled in case management for 30 days and who live within 12 miles of a Walmart can get no-cost shipping and deliveries, gas savings, movies and more.



Notice of nondiscrimination

Our Companies comply with applicable civil rights laws and do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation, and gender identity). We do not exclude people or treat them less favorably because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

We provide free aids and services to help you communicate with us. You can ask for interpreters and/or for communications in other languages or formats such as large print. We also provide reasonable modifications for persons with disabilities.

If you need these services, call the toll free number on your member identification card (TTY **711**).

If you believe that we failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can send a complaint to the Civil Rights Coordinator:

Civil Rights Coordinator
UnitedHealthcare Civil Rights Grievance
P.O. Box 30608
Salt Lake City, UT 84130
UHC_Civil_Rights@uhc.com

Optum Civil Rights Coordinator
1 Optum Circle
Eden Prairie, MN 55344
Optum_Civil_Rights@Optum.com

If you need help filing a complaint, call Member Services at **1-866-292-0359**, TTY **711**. Hours are 8 a.m.–5 p.m. CT, Monday–Friday.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights:

Online: **<https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>**

Phone: **1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697** (TDD)

Mail: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201

Complaint forms are available at: **<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>**.

This notice is available at: **<https://www.uhc.com/nondiscrimination-med>**
<https://www.optum.com/en/language-assistance-nondiscrimination.html>

Notice of availability of language assistance services and alternate formats

ATTENTION: Free language assistance services and free communications in other formats, such as large print, are available to you. Call Member Services at 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

ATENCIÓN: Si habla **español (Spanish)**, tiene acceso a servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística y a materiales gratuitos en otros formatos, como letra grande. Llame a Servicios para Miembros al 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

참고: 귀하가 **한국어(Korean)**를 구사하시는 경우, 무료 언어 지원 서비스와 큰 활자체 인쇄와 같은 다른 형식의 무료 커뮤니케이션을 이용하실 수 있습니다. 가입자 서비스에 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711번으로 전화하십시오.

CHÚ Ý: Nếu quý vị nói tiếng **Việt (Vietnamese)**, quý vị sẽ được cung cấp dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí và các tài liệu thông tin miễn phí ở định dạng khác như bản in cỡ chữ lớn. Xin gọi cho Dịch vụ Hội viên theo số 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

ATTENTION: Si vous parlez **français (French)**, des services d'assistance linguistique gratuits et des communications gratuites dans d'autres formats, tels que du texte en gros caractères, sont à votre disposition. Appelez le Service membres au 1-866-292-0359, ATS 711.

تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية (**Arabic**)، فتتوافر لك خدمات مساعدة لغوية مجاناً ورسائل مجانية بتنسيقات أخرى، مثل الطباعة بحروف كبيرة. تواصل بقسم خدمات الأعضاء على الرقم 1-866-292-0359، الهاتف النصي 711.

PAŽNJA: Ako govorite **srpski (Serbian)**, dostupne su vam besplatne usluge jezičke pomoći i besplatna komunikacija u drugim formatima, kao što je format s krupnim slovima. Pozovite korisničku podršku na broj 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

注意: 如果您說**中文 (Chinese)**，您可以獲得免費語言協助服務和其他格式（例如大字版）的免費通訊。請致電1-866-292-0359、聽障專線 (TTY) 711與會員服務部聯絡。

HINWEIS: Wenn Sie **Deutsch (German)** sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlose Sprachdienste und kostenlose Mitteilungen in anderen Formaten, beispielsweise in Großdruck, zur Verfügung. Rufen Sie den Mitgliederservice unter: 1-800-349-1855, TTY 711 an.

توجه: اگر به فارسی (**Farsi**) صحبت نمی‌کنید، خدمات کمکی زبان رایگان و مطالب رایگان در قالب‌های دیگر، مانند پرینت درشت، برای شما فراهم است. یا با خدمات اعضاء به شماره 1-866-292-0359 (TTY 711) تماس

ATENSYON: Kung nagsasalita ka ng **Tagalog**, (**Tagalog**), may makukuha kang mga serbisyong libreng tulong sa wika at mga libreng komunikasyon sa mga ibang anyo, tulad ng malaking print. Tawagan ang mga Serbisyo sa Miyembro sa 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

WICHDICH: Wann du **Deitsch (Pennsylvania Dutch)** schwetzscht, kenne mer dich Schprooch-Hilf griege, wann du's brauchscht, un Information in differnti Wege, so wie gross Schreiwes (large print). Du zellscht nix bezaahle misse fer ennich eppes wie sell. Call Member Services an 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

ATENÇÃO: caso fale português do **Brasil (Brazilian Portuguese)**, você tem à disposição serviços gratuitos de assistência linguística e comunicações gratuitas em outros formatos, como letras grandes. Ligue para o Atendimento a Membros em 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

FIRO GAAR AH: Haddii aad ku hadasho **Somaali (Somali)**, adeegyada kaalmada luqadda oo bilaash ah iyo adeegyada wada-xiriirka oo bilaash ah oo ah qaabab kale, sida far waaweyn, ayaad heli kartaa. Ka wac Adeegyada Xubinka 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.

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ВНИМАНИЕ! Если Вы говорите по-русски (**Russian**), Вы можете бесплатно воспользоваться помощью переводчика и информационными материалами в других форматах, например, с использованием крупного шрифта. Позвоните в отдел обслуживания участников по телефону 1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.