

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Date: April 2021

To: Former Plan Participants

From: Plan Administrative Office

Re: American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 – COBRA Premium Assistance

Dear Former Plan Participant:

As you may be aware, President Biden signed the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) on March 11, 2021. This law provides 100% COBRA premium assistance to “Assistance Eligible Individuals” for periods of coverage from April 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021.

In reviewing our records, you and your dependents (if applicable) may be eligible for up to six (6) months of free COBRA coverage if you qualify as an Assistance Eligible Individual (AEI).

Enclosed for your review are the following documents:

- **COBRA Extended Election Period Notice**
- **COBRA Continuation Coverage Election Form**
- **Summary of COBRA Premium Assistance Provisions with the “Request for Treatment as an Assistance Eligible Individual” Form**

To receive the COBRA premium assistance, please complete the “**COBRA Election Form**” along with the “**Request for Treatment as an Assistance Eligible Individual Form**” and promptly return them to the Plan Administrative Office. A return envelope is enclosed for your convenience. Upon receipt, the Plan Administrative Office will review and advise if you are eligible for the COBRA premium assistance.

If you have any questions pertaining to the above-referenced, please call the Plan Administrative Office at (925) 426-3555.

Plan Administrative Office