

Your employees have chosen their new health plans. Now what?

Now's the time to help them understand how their new plan works and how it's different from their old plan. Improved understanding of health benefits may reduce delays in care, out-of-pocket costs and other preventable issues for your employees.

To help new members better understand their new plan, we've put together the Getting Started Toolkit, organized into 3 sections:

- Before the plan begins
- 2 When the plan begins
- 3 One to three months into the plan

Each section offers different materials you can use to help your employees make the most of their benefits this plan year.

of employed individuals report not fully understanding any of the employee benefits they enrolled in during their most recent open enrollment period¹



A guide to your Getting Started Toolkit

Find the phase your employees are in with their health plan. Then, find the tools you want to use. You have the option to release information on a weekly basis or use the single email in each section that compiles multiple communications, and send monthly.

	Topic		Available format(s)
	How a health plan works		Video
Before the plan begins Up to 3 weeks before the plan's effective date	What to Do Before Health Plan ID Cards Arrive		Flier Email
	What to Do When ID Cards Arrive		With Optum Rx® Pharmacy: • Flier • Email Without Optum Rx Pharmacy: • Flier • Email
	Tips to Finding a Doctor		Video
	Before the Plan Begins: A Selection of Resources		Email
	Digital tools to manage your plan		Video
	myuhc.com®		Flier
2	Download the UnitedHealthcare® app		Flier
When the plan begins The week employees can begin using their coverage	Welcome Brochure* *If you'd like to order printed copies or add program information to the Welcome Brochure, please contact your account representative.		Fully insured: Downloadable PDF Email Self-funded (ASO): Downloadable PDF Email
	When the Plan Begins: A Selection of Resources		Email
	Using the Plan	HSA, HRA and FSA	Flier Video
3	Avoiding Cost Surprises	Choose a Network Provider	Flier
One to three	Finding Care Options	Quick Care	Flier
months into		24/7 Virtual Visits	Flier
the plan		Preventive Care	BrochureOnline guidelines
Materials can be used to address certain issues or questions employees may have about their plan	Understanding Pharmacy Benefits (Use if your employees have Optum Rx benefits)	A selection of resources	Email



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¹ Voya Consumer Survey Finds One-Third of American Workers Don't Understand Benefits. Executive Summary 2019. Jan. 29, 2021.

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