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February 23, 2021

To: ILWU Longshore, Ship Clerk, Walking Boss/Foreman, and Watchmen Locals
From: Mario Perez, Director of Benefit Plans
Subject: COVID-19 Claims Submissions

The attached notice is being mailed to all members with Welfare coverage, to advise them how to submit claims for out of pocket costs related to COVID-19 screening and treatment.

Attachment

cc: Area Welfare Directors

A copy of this memo can be downloaded at www.benefitplans.org

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To: All Participants and Beneficiaries Enrolled in the ILWU-PMA Welfare Plan

Re: COVID-19 Claims Submissions

Participants and Beneficiaries enrolled and eligible in the Coastwise Indemnity Plan (CIP) have coverage related to the screening and treatment of COVID-19. Providers can and should bill for these services as they do all other medical claims. In cases where a Participant or Beneficiary has paid out of pocket for services, they can file a medical claim to the Coastwise Claims Office. To do so, they can obtain a claim form via the Plan's website at www.benefitplans.org. Participants and Beneficiaries can also call either the Coastwise Claims Office, Benefit Plans Office, or their Area Welfare Director to obtain forms and/or ask questions. For those attaching an itemized receipt, the only requirement is to fill out the employee statement. The Physician's Statement (page 2) is not required if itemized receipts are being attached.

Participants and Beneficiaries enrolled in Kaiser can go online to www.kp.org/coverageandcosts to download a form to submit a claim to Kaiser. The link requires registration. Kaiser members can also contact Kaiser directly for assistance with submitting a claim.