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**HEALTH AND WELFARE/PENSION GUARDIAN NEWSLETTER** 



# \*IMPORTANT NOTICE\*

PLEASE BE SURE TO REVIEW THE UPDATED PREFERRED BRAND NAME DRUGS LIST FOUND ON PAGES 9-12 WHICH ARE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2021 AND APRIL 1, 2021.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK <u>WWW.CENTRALPATEAMSTERS.COM</u> FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION UPDATES ON OFFICE HOURS AND OTHER IMPORTANT ANNOUCEMENTS DURING THIS TIME.

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Health & Welfare and
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# THE FUND OFFICE WILL REMAINED CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

Due to the spike in COVID-19 cases and changes to guidelines we will continue to be closed to members. You may contact the Fund office by phone between 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday by calling 610-320-5500 and selecting the department that you are trying to reach when prompted.

- For the Health & Welfare department, Press 1
- For the Pension department, Press 2
- For the Cash Receipts department, Press 3
- For the Precertification department, Press 4
- For Prescriptions, Press 5
- For Coordination of Benefits, Press 6

You can also reach us by email through our contact section located on our website. Please continue to check out the website for any important changes throughout this time.



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- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)

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If you need these services, contact Joseph J. Samolewicz, Administrator.

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注意:如果您使用繁體中文,您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-610-320-5500

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ATTENZIONE: In caso la lingua parlata sia l'italiano, sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Chiamare il numero 1-610-320-5500.

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Wann du [Deitsch (Pennsylvania German / Dutch)] schwetzscht, kannscht du mitaus Koschte ebber gricke, ass dihr helft mit die englisch Schprooch. Ruf selli Nummer uff: Call 1-610-320-5500.

UWAGA: Jeżeli mówisz po polsku, możesz skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Zadzwoń pod numer 1-610-320-5500.

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# COVID and winter safety: Tips for staying safe this winter

s we close the year still in the midst of a pandemic, it's important to approach the winter months with safety in mind. If you've let some of your COVID safety habits slip, now's the time to brush up on how to keep you and your loved ones safe and well.

# Stay vigilant with hand hygiene

Excellent hand hygiene continues to be one of the most effective ways to prevent the spread of infection, whether that's COVID-19, the flu or the common cold. The germs that cause these infections can live on surfaces for hours or even days. If someone has a cold or the coronavirus infection and touches a doorknob or a grocery cart, it's possible for germs to transfer to that surface. If you touch that surface and then touch your eyes, nose or mouth without washing your hands, the probability of catching the virus increases. Wash your hands with soap and water or hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol multiple times a day. In particular, wash hands before and after visiting public spaces, before eating, after using the restroom and before touching your face.

Besides washing your hands regularly, it's also important to clean high-touch surfaces frequently. This includes doorknobs, counters, tables, light switches, cell phones, keyboards and any other shared spaces. Use soap and water to clean dirt, then follow with a household disinfect to kill germs on surfaces.

# Wear your mask

The most common way that COVID-19 spreads is through respiratory droplets. When people cough, sneeze or even talk, these droplets travel through the air and onto others. This is why, if your coworker has a cold, you can catch their cold even if they don't cough or sneeze on you.

When you wear a cloth covering over your nose and mouth, it reduces the amount of respiratory droplets that can land on other people. That's why it's important to wear a mask whenever you are around people who don't live in your household, especially when social distancing is not possible. If you are unable to wear a mask, consider a face shield that wraps around the sides of your face and below the chin. It's also crucial to practice other COVID-19 precautions, including handwashing and social distancing, even if you're wearing a mask.

# **Distance yourself**

Whenever you are with people who don't live in your household—whether that's strangers, friends or extended family—stay at least six feet apart at all times, even if you're wearing a mask. Experts recommend this social distancing because COVID-19 spreads most easily between people who are in close contact for a prolonged period. Additionally, people can have the infection and experience no symptoms. This means that, even if both you and your friend feel healthy, socializing in close proximity still carries the risk of catching or spreading the virus.

When necessary, don't feel bad about saying no to unsafe social events. If the gathering doesn't adhere to the proper safety protocols, including social distancing and mask-wearing, it's better to stay home.

# What makes this year different?

We deal with cold and flu season every winter. In years past, you may have still gone into the office, visited family or boarded a plane with a head cold. What makes this year different?

If you have cold or flu symptoms, there's no way to be 100% sure that it's not COVID-19 unless you get tested. While doctors and researchers are learning more about the virus every day, there is still no proven treatment or available vaccine. Unlike the flu, if you or a loved one does experience coronavirus complications, doctors may not be able to offer an effective treatment.

Additionally, getting the flu and COVID-19 in succession can lead to severe symptoms. In other words, when you're already sick with the flu, it's harder for your body to effectively fight COVID-19 if you become exposed to it. For all these reasons, if you develop cold or flu symptoms this winter, stay home. It's not worth risking your long-term health or the health of your loved ones.

Source: www.adventisthealth.org

# Central Pennsylvania Teamsters Health and Welfare Fund Prescription Benefit Plans

12/	Health and	d Welfare Fund Preso	cription	Benefi	t Plans
Plans 13, 14P, R7 and R7/65	RETAIL*	Generic for up to a 34 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 34 day supply Brand Non-Preferred for up to a 34 day supply	\$5 \$15 \$30		
	MAIL ORDER	Generic for up to a 90 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 90 day supply Brand Non-Preferred for up to a 90 day supply	\$15 \$30 \$60		
	SPECIALTY	Generic for up to a 30 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 90 day supply	\$150 \$300		
Plan 13Y	RETAIL*	Generic for up to a 34 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 34 day supply Brand Non-Preferred for up to a 34 day supply	\$5 \$15 \$30		
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	SPECIALTY	Generic for up to a 30 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 90 day supply	\$150 \$300		
Plans 14 and 16	RETAIL*	Generic for up to a 34 day supply Brand Preferred for up to a 34 day supply Brand Non-Preferred	Option A \$5 \$15	Option B \$10 \$20	Option C \$10 \$30
*Effective January 1, 2016, <b>any</b>	MAIL ORDER	for up to a 34 day supply  Generic for up to a 90 day supply	\$30 \$15	\$40 \$30	\$50 \$30
drug that costs \$3,000 or more per month will be classified as a "Specialty or High Cost Drug."		Brand Preferred for up to a 90 day supply Brand Non-Preferred	\$30	\$40	\$60
*NOTE: These copayments are applicable to 15-day scripts for drugs classified as "Class II" Pain Medications by the FDA. Also, effective January 1, 2016, the copayment for all Zohydro prescriptions will be \$150 per	SPECIALTY	for up to a 90 day supply  Retail  up to a 30 day supply  Mail Order	\$60 \$150	\$80 \$150	\$100 \$150
script.		up to a 90 day supply	\$300	\$300	\$300



# **Step Therapy**

NOTE: The medications in each category are subject to change. Please make sure to check with the Fund (Phone: Toll Free in PA: 1-800-422-8330; Toll Free in USA: 1-800-331-0420) or on the Fund's website (www.centralpateamsters. com) for updates to this chart before beginning a course of medication.

Please note: all brand contraceptives are covered under Step II medications and are not subject to grandfathering.

Effective March 8, 2016, the following generic drugs are now added to the Step 1 Rheumatoid Arthritis step therapy: high dose ibuprofen and naproxen (requiring a prescription), celecoxib, nabumetone, piroxicam, diclofenac, diflunisal, indomethacin, ketoprofen, etodolac, prednisone, cyclophosphamide, cyclosporine, azathioprine, methotrexate, and xeljanz.

# STEP THERAPY CATEGORIES NOT SUBJECT TO GRANDFATHERING:

Effective January 1, 2016, the Fund will **NOT** provide benefits for medications in Step II unless you have documented that you have tried and failed on a Step I medication and your physician has submitted documentation demonstrating that the Step II medications are "medically necessary" under the Fund's criteria.

CATEGORY	STEPI	STEP II
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE	DONEPEZIL GALANTAMINE RIVASTIGMINE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ARICEPT EXELON NAMENDA RAZADYNE
ANGIOTENSIN RECEPTOR BLOCKERS (ANTIHYPERTENSIVES)	CANDESARTAN EPROSARTAN IRBESARTAN LOSARTAN TELMISARTAN VALSARTAN & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ATACAND AVAPRO BENICAR BYVALSON COZAAR DIOVAN EDARBI MICARDIS
ANTI-DEPRESSANTS	BUPROPION HCL CITALOPRAM DESVENLAFAXINE DULOXETINE ESCITALOPRAM FLUOXETINE NEFAZODONE SERTRALINE TRAZODONE VENLAFAXINE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	APLENZIN BRINTELLIX CYMBALTA EFFEXOR FETZIMA FORFIVO XL KHEDEZLA LEXAPRO PRISTIQ PROZAC SPRAVATO TRINTELLIX VIIBRYD WELLBUTRIN ZOLOFT
ANTI-GLAUCOMA EYE PREPARATIONS	APRACLONIDINE HCL BETAXOLOL BRIMONIDINE CARTEOLOL DORZOLAMIDE LATANOPROST LEVOBUNOLOL METIPRANOLOL PILOCARPINE TIMOLOL & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ALPHAGAN AZOPT BETIMOL BETOPTIC COMBIGAN COSOPT IOPIDINE ISTALOL LUMIGAN PHOSPHOLINE SIMBRINZA TIMOPTIC TRAVATAN TRUSOPT XALATAN XELPROS ZIOPTAN
ANTIPSYCHOTICS	CLOZAPINE OLANZAPINE QUETIAPINE RISPERIDONE ZIPRASIDONE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ABILIFY - Evidence of "medical necessity" must include docu- mentation of failure of all other therapies, including non-drug intervention

BETA-ADRENERGIC	ACEBUTOLOL	BYSTOLIC
BLOCKERS (ANTIHYPERTENSIVES)	ATENOLOL BETAXOLOL BISOPROLOL NADOLOL PINDOLOL PROPRANONOL SOTALOL TIMOLOL & ALL OTHER GENERICS	DISTOLIC
CALCIUM CHANNEL BLOCKERS (ANTIHYPERTENSIVES)	AMLODIPINE ATORVASTATIN AMLODIPINE BESYLATE AMLODIPINE VALSARTAN DILTI- AZEM FELODIPINE ISRADIPINE NICARDIPINE NIFEDIPINE NISOLDIPINE VERPAMIL & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ADALAT CADUET CALAN CARDENE CARDIZEM CARTIA XT EFIDITAB EXFORGE NORVASC PROCARDIA XL SULAR TIAZAC ER VERELAN
CONTRACEPTIVES	All Generic Contraceptives	All Brand Contraceptives
DIABETES	ACARBOSE GLIMEPIRIDE GLIPIZIDE GLYBURIDE JANUMET JANUVIA METFORMIN PIOGLITAZONE REPAGLINIDE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	INVOKANA JARDIANCE JENTADUETO KAZANO QTERN SEGLUROMET STEGLATRO STEGLUJAN TRADJENTA
NARCOTIC ANALGESICS  NOTE: BENEFITS WILL BE PROVIDED ONLY FOR NARCOTIC ANALGESICS PRESCRIBED AT THE MANUFACTURERS RECOMMENDED SCRIPT LEVEL.	ACETAMINOPHEN-CODEINE HYDROCODONE- ACETAMINOPHEN HYDROMORPHONE MEPERIDINE METHADONE MORPHINE SULFATE OXYCODONE OXYCODONE-ACETAMINOPHEN OXYCODONE-ASPIRIN OXYMORPHONE TRAMADOL & ALL OTHER GENERICS	APADAZ ARYMO DEMEROL DOLOPHINE LORTAB NORCO NUCYNTA OPANA OXYCONTIN PERCOCET TYLENOL WITH CODEINE ULTRAM VICODIN XTAMPZA
OSTEOPOROSIS	ALENDRONATE CALCITONIN-SALMON IBANDRONATE RALOXIFENE RISEDRONATE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ACTONEL ATELVIA BINOSTO BONIVA EVENITY EVISTA FOSAMAX MIACALCIN PROLIA







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RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS	HIGH DOSE IBUPROFEN AND NAPROXEN (PRESCRIPTION STRENGTH) CELECOXIB NABUMETONE PIROXICAM DIFLUNISAL INDOMETHACIN KETOPROFEN ETODOLAC PREDNISONE CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE CYCLOSPORINE AZATHIOPRINE METHOTREXATE XELJANZ & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ACTEMRA CIMZIA ENBREL HUMIRA INFLECTRA KEVZARA KINERET OLUMIANT ORENCIA RENFLEXIS SIMPONI STELARA TALTZ
URINARY AGENTS	TOVIAZ FLAVOXATE OXYBUTYNIN TOLTERODINE TROSPIUM & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ENABLEX GELNIQUE MYRBETRIQ OXYTROL VESICARE

**GRANDFATHERED DRUGS:** Effective January 1, 2016, any NEW prescriptions for the medications in the chart below are subject to the Step Therapy requirements set forth above. If, however, you are currently taking a medication in one of these categories, the Fund will continue to provide benefits for your medication.

ADD & ADHD	AMPHETAMINE SALTS D-AMPHETAMINE ER DEXMETHYLPHENIDATE DEXTROAMPHETAMINE METHAMPHETAMINE METHYLPHENIDATE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	ADDERALL ADHANSIA XR ADZENYS CONCERTA COTEMPLA XR DAYTRANA DESOXYN DEXEDRINE EVEKEO FOCALIN JORNAY METADATE METHYLIN PROCENTRA QUILLIVANT RELEXXII RITALIN VYVANSE ZENZEDI
ANTI-MIGRAINE	DIHYDROERGOTAMINE ERGOTAMINE-CAFFEINE TABLET NARATRIPTAN RIZATRIPTAN SUMATRIPTAN ZOLMITRIPTAN & ALL OTHER GENERICS	AAIMOVIG AJOVY AMERGE CAFERGOT D.H.E.45 EMGALITY ERGOMAR FROVA IMITREX MAXALT MIGERGOT MIGRANAL RELPAX REYVOW SUMAVEL

		TOCYMADA
		TOSYMRA TREXIMET UBELVY ZEMBRACE SYMTOUCH ZOMIG
ANTI-CONVULSANTS	CARBAMAZEPINE CLONAZEPAM DIVALPROEX ETHOSUXIMIDE FELBAMATE FOSPHENYTOIN GABAPENTIN LAMOTRIGINE LEVETIRACETAM OXCARBAZEPINE PHENYTOIN PRIMIDONE TIAGABINE TOPIRAMATE VALPROATE VALPROIC ACID ZONISAMIDE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	APTIOM BANZEL CARBATROL CELONTIN CEREBYX DEPACON DEPAKENE DEPAKOTE DILANTIN EPIDIOLEX FANATREX FELBATOL FYCOMPA GABITRIL KEPPRA KLONOPIN LAMICTAL MYSOLINE NAYZILAM NEURONTIN ONFI OXTELLAR PEGANONE PHENYTEK QUDEXY SYMPAZAN TEGRETOL TOPAMAX TRILEPTAL TROKENDI VALTOCO VIMPAT ZARONTIN ZONEGRAN
PROTON PUMP INHIBITORS	OVER THE COUNTER ("OTC"): LANSOPRAZOLE DR OTC NEXIUM OTC OMEPRAZOLE OTC OMEPRAZOLE-BICARB OTC PREVACID OTC PRILOSEC OTC ZEGERID OTC	ACIPHEX DEXILANT ESOMEPRAZOLE NEXIUM OMEPRAZOLE-BICARB PANTOPRAZOLE PREVACID PRILOSEC PROTONIX ZEGERID
ULCERATIVE COLITIS	AZULFIDINE BALSALAZIDE MESALAMINE SULFASALAZINE & ALL OTHER GENERICS	APRISO ASACOL COLAZAL DELZICOL DIPENTUM ENTYVIC HUMIRA LIALDA PENTASA SIMPONI STELARA

# RX NEWS



To locate a pharmacy in your area please contact Global Pharmaceutical Benefits (formerly GPP) at 1-800-341-2234

Effective 4/1/2020 rev. 3/3/2020

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# EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2021

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ANALGESICS

Anti-Migraine

Aimovi Emgality

Opioid Agonist

Xtampza ER

*Misc* Depen

Ridaura Caps

ANTI-ADDICTIVE AGENTS

Suboxone Zubsolv

ANTI-INFECTIVES

**Hepatitis Agents** 

Epclusa Harvoni Mavyret Sovaldi Vosevi

Miscellaneous Anti-infectives

Emverm

ANTINEOPLASTIC

Trexall

CARDIOVASCULAR

Angiotensin Receptor Blockers &

**Combinations** 

Entresto

Anti-adrenergic Agents

**Bystolic** 

Anti-Arrhythmics

Lanoxin Tabs

Norpace CR 100mg,

150mg Caps

Anti-hyperlipidemics

Livalo Praluent Repatha

Beta Blockers & Combinations

**Bystolic** 

**Diuretics** 

Carospir 25mg/5ml sus

**Nitrates** 

Nitro-Bid 2% ointment

**CNS AGENTS** 

Attention Deficit Disorder

**Treatment** Vyvanse

**Multiple Sclerosis Agents** 

Aubagio Avonex Gilenya

Plegridy Pen & Syr

Tecfidera

Miscellaneous CNS agents

Nuedexta Caps

**DERMATOLOGICALS** 

Anti-bacterial Agents

Mirvaso

Hemorrhoidal Preparations:

Proctofoam HC

Psoriasis & Eczema Agents:

Eucrisa 2% ointment

**EARS, NOSE & THROAT** 

Nasal Products, Antihistamines

Dymista

**Otics** 

Ciprodex OTIC

**ENDOCRINE** 

Androgens/Estrogens

Androderm Patch

**Corticosteroids** 

Medrol 2mg Tablet

Millipred Tabs 5mg

Gout

Colcrys

**Growth Hormones** 

Norditropin Flexpro

Hyperglycemics Dipeptidyl Peptidose-4 & Combos

Janumet

Janumet XR

Januvia

Jentadueto

Jentadueto XR

Tradjenta

GLP-1 Recep. Agonist

Bydureon

Bydureon BCise Autoini

Byetta Ozempic

Rybelsus Tab

Trulicity

Victoza

Insulins

Humalog Humulin

Lantus/Solostar

Levemir/Flextouch

Novolin

Novolog

Relion Novolin

Soliqua

Toujeo Solostar

Toujeo Max Solostar

Tresiba Vial, Flextouch

Sodium-Glucose Co Transporter 2

Inhib

Glyxambi

Invokamet

Invokamet XR

Invokana

Jardiance

Synjardy

Synjardy XR

Thiazolidinediones

Avandia

Miscellaneous

Baqsimi Spray

Glucagen Kit

Glucagon Kit

Symlinpen

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### **GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS**

Anti-ulcer
Pylera

Digestants
Creon
Zenpep DR

**Gastric Acid Secretion Reducers** 

Dexilant

Miscellaneous Products,

Gastrointestinal

Apriso Linzess Movantik Symproic Tab Viberzi Tabs

# **HEMATOLOGY**

Anti-Coagulants, Direct Factor X

Eliquis Xarelto

Miscellaneous

Pradaxa

Anti-Platelet

Brilinta

Miscellaneous Agents

Aranesp Neulasta Udenyca Zarxio

### **IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS**

Dupixent Enbrel Humira Otezla Skyrizi Stelara Trexall

# OB/GYN

Estrogenics

Climara Pro Patch Divigel Packets

Duavee Estring

Menest 0.3 mg

Premarin

Premarin vaginal cream

Premphase Prempro

Topical Anti-Infectives

Cleocin Vaginal Ovules

*Miscellaneous* Orilissa Tab

# OPHTHALMIC AGENTS

Anti-histamines

Pazeo

Anti-infectives

Moxeza

Glaucoma Agents:

Alphagan P 0.1%, 0.15%

Azopt Combigan Lumigan Rhopressa Rocklatan Simbrinza Travatan Z Xelpros

Miscellaneous

Prolensa Restasis Xidra

### RESPIRATORY AGENTS

Anti-muscarinic and Combos

Incruse Ellipta Spiriva Handihaler Spiriva Respimat

BetaAdrenergic & Combos

Anoro Ellipta Combivent Proair HFA Proair Respiclick Serevent Diskus Stiolto Respimat Symbicort Trelegy Ellipta Ventolin HFA

Glucocorticoids, Inhalation

Arnuity Ellipta Flovent Diskus Flovent HFA Pulmicort Flexhaler QVAR redihaler Symbicort

# UROLOGICAL AGENTS

Anestestics Elmiron

Antispasmodics

Myrbetriq

- \* Please note, certain drugs contained in this list are subject to Step Therapy. Please refer to the Step Therapy List of drugs on page 5-8 of this newsletter.
- \*\* Preferred Brand Formulary Drugs that cost in excess of \$3,000 are subject to a \$150 copay.

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Gout

Colcrys

**Growth Hormones** 

Norditropin Flexpro

Hyperglycemics Dipeptidyl Peptidose-4 & Combos

Janumet
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Januvia
Jentadueto

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Tradjenta

GLP-1 Recep. Agonist

Bydureon

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Ozempic
Rybelsus Tab
Trulicity
Victoza

Insulins

Humalog Humulin

Lantus/Solostar Levemir/Flextouch

Novolin Novolog

Relion Novolin

Soliqua

Toujeo Solostar Toujeo Max Solostar Tresiba Vial, Flextouch

Sodium-Glucose Co Transporter 2 Inhib

Farxiga Glyxambi Jardiance Synjardy Synjardy XR Trijardy XR Xigduo XR

**Thiazolidinediones** 

Avandia

Miscellaneous

Baqsimi Spray Glucagen Kit

Gvoke Symlinpen

# \*\*PLEASE GIVE TO YOUR PHYSICIAN\*\*

# EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2021

**VERY IMPORTANT** 

Please note that this drug list is subject to change without notice.

# **GASTROINTESTINAL AGENTS**

Anti-ulcer
Pylera

Digestants
Creon
Zenpep DR

Gastric Acid Secretion Reducers

Dexilant

Miscellaneous Products,

Gastrointestinal

Apriso Linzess Movantik Symproic Tab Viberzi Tabs

# **HEMATOLOGY**

Anti-Coagulants, Direct Factor X

Eliquis Xarelto

Miscellaneous

Pradaxa

Anti-Platelet

Brilinta

Miscellaneous Agents

Aranesp Neulasta Retacrit Udenyca Zarxio

# **IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS**

Dupixent Enbrel Humira Otezla Rinvoq ER Skyrizi Stelara Trexall

# OB/GYN

Estrogenics

Climara Pro Patch Divigel Packets

Duavee Estring

Menest 0.3 mg

Premarin

Premarin vaginal cream

Premphase Prempro

Topical Anti-Infectives

Cleocin Vaginal Ovules

*Miscellaneous* Orilissa Tab

# OPHTHALMIC AGENTS

Anti-histamines

Pazeo

Anti-infectives

Moxeza

Glaucoma Agents:

Alphagan P 0.1%, 0.15%

Azopt Combigan Lumigan Rhopressa Rocklatan Simbrinza Xelpros

Miscellaneous

Prolensa Restasis Xidra

### RESPIRATORY AGENTS

Anti-muscarinic and Combos

Incruse Ellipta Spiriva Handihaler Spiriva Respimat

# BetaAdrenergic & Combos

Anoro Ellipta Combivent Proair HFA Proair Respiclick Serevent Diskus Stiolto Respimat Symbicort Trelegy Ellipta Ventolin HFA

# Glucocorticoids, Inhalation

Arnuity Ellipta Flovent Diskus Flovent HFA Pulmicort Flexhaler QVAR redihaler Symbicort

Miscellaneous agents

Xolair

### UROLOGICAL AGENTS

Anestestics Elmiron

**Antispasmodics**Myrbetriq

\* Please note, certain drugs contained in this list are subject to Step Therapy. Please refer to the Step Therapy List of drugs on page 8-11 of this newsletter.

\*\* Preferred Brand Formulary Drugs that cost in excess of \$3,000 are subject to a \$150 copay.

# **Know Your Pension Plan**

The Pension Fund frequently receives questions on the topics below. Additional information on these and other topics is available by visiting the Pension section of the website. When you are ready to apply for your pension, please refer to the "Important Items to Remember" section of the website under Pension for additional information.

- 1. Beneficiary Updates/Change in Marital Status Please review your beneficiary designation if you change your marital status. Please notify the Fund if you get married, divorced, or become widowed. If you get divorced, please forward a copy of the divorce decree. You will need to complete a new beneficiary form for your Pension Benefits after your divorce is finalized. If you become widowed, you will need to forward a copy of the death certificate and also complete a new beneficiary form. Downloadable beneficiary forms are available on the Fund's website. You cannot name your pet as a beneficiary.
- 2. Retirement Applications Contact the Pension Fund three months prior to your retirement date to begin the application process (6 months if you have time in another Fund and are applying for a reciprocal pension). The Pension Fund can assist you with your Application over the phone. Please be sure to review your benefit options on your paperwork so that you are familiar with them prior to calling.
- **3. Your Retirement Income Plan (RIP) 1987** balance is updated by the 15th of each month and subject to

- net gains or losses through the last day of the month in which your application is approved for payment.
- 4. Power of Attorney If you cannot handle your own affairs, your Power of Attorney must provide the Fund with a copy of the Durable Power of Attorney before any information. The Pension Fund also requires, the Power of Attorney's to contact the Pension Fund Office and provide their mailing address and your physical address. As Power of Attorney, you must sign the Participant's name first and your name as Power of Attorney. For example John J. Smith, Jane J. Smith, POA.
- 5. Pension Checks Your checks from the Defined Benefit Plan (or monthly installments from the Retirement Income Plan if elected) are dated the first of each month. If you elect direct deposit, your check will be deposited on the first business day of the month. For example, if the first of the month falls on Sunday, your check will be deposited on Monday. All new Retirees are required to have their checks directly deposited.
- **6. Website** Please visit the website for Summary Plan Descriptions, Forms and Notices, Important Items to Remember or to view your RIP 1987 balance.
- 7. Signatures on Fund Documents Please sign all Fund documents with your legal name, which must match what is on file with the Fund Office. Please be sure to use your full name (no nicknames) and suffix (Jr., Sr., III), if applicable.



Please remember to keep your address with the Pension Fund updated if you have moved or if you have a temporary address at different times throughout the year. With a new year right around the corner, Form 1099-Rs will be mailed out in January 2021 and the Internal Revenue Service recommends that taxpayers notify their employers, the IRS a

recommends that taxpayers notify their employers, the IRS and the USPS if their addresses have changed so there are no delays in receiving your tax documents.

# **Know Your Health & Welfare Plan**

The Health and Welfare Fund frequently receives questions on the topics below. Additional information on these topics is available in your Active Plan Document or by visiting the Fund website.

- Dental Implants All requests for dental implants must be submitted for pre-determination for review under the implant policy. Failure to do so could mean higher out of pocket expenses.
- 2. Health Savings Accounts for Dependents If your spouse (or eligible dependent) is covered under a high-deductible health plan with a health savings account (HSA), this spouse or dependent may not be covered under the Central PA Teamsters Health and Welfare Plan. If your employer pays on a Component basis, the Employer will not be responsible for contributions for this spouse or dependent.
- 3. Motor Vehicle Accidents The Fund will consider payment of medical expenses only after the benefits from the auto insurance carrier have been exhausted. In addition, the Fund will not provide coverage for Short Term Disability Benefits (except for the first 5 days of missed work). Contact your auto insurance carrier to make sure that your policy includes payment for missed work due to injuries sustained in an auto accident.

- 4. Illegal Acts The Fund does not cover medical services rendered as a result of your committing an illegal act (misdemeanor or felony). This includes driving while intoxicated (DUI).
- 5. Change in Family Status Please review your beneficiary designation if there is a change in your family status. Please notify the Fund if you get married, divorced, are widowed or have a child. The Fund does not allow divorced spouses to continue to be covered under the member's coverage.
- 6. Moonlighting The Fund does not cover participants or eligible dependents for illness or injuries that occur as a result of performing non-covered employment for wage or profit.
- **7. Dependent Daughter Pregnancies –** The Fund does not cover medical expenses associated with a dependent's pregnancy.
- **8. Address Change –** Please remember to contact the Fund office if your address changes.

Visit our website at www.CentralPATeamsters.com



# **Vision Benefits**

If you have Vision Benefits through Central PA Teamsters H&W, all members and dependents over the age of 19 will be entitled to 1 pair of eyeglasses and a dispense of contacts, or 2 pairs of eyeglasses (in or out-of-network) within the 24-month period. All Materials must be ordered at the same time.



# Get financially ready for 2021 with these helpful tips

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As the end of the year approaches, many people will be thinking about the changes they want to make in their lives for the coming year. A lot of people make New Year's resolutions, but many people fail to keep up with them because they have not prepared. Many of these resolutions relate to finances, but in order to succeed, you need to ensure you plan ahead.

Many people this year have had a bad time when it comes to finances, so naturally many will be hoping to improve this situation in 2021. The good news is that there are various ways in which you can cut costs and improve your finances in the coming year. Reading through the tips in this article will enable you to gain some inspiration and ideas and will help you to plan ahead so that you can successfully improve your finances.



# What You Can Do to Help Your Financial Situation

There are lots of ways in which you can prepare for a better financial situation in 2021, and many things you can do in order improve your disposable income levels. So, let's take a look at some of the options:you can successfully improve your finances.

# Make More Money

One of the ways in which you can improve your finances in 2021 is by making more money. Even if you work fulltime, you may find it is difficult to make your money stretch far enough. By making extra cash, you can relieve the financial pressure and improve your financial situation. You do not necessarily have to go out to do a second job, as there are plenty of services you can offer online if you have the skills. For instance, you could offer web design or writing services online, enabling you to make extra cash in your spare time.

# **Cut Auto Insurance Costs**

If you drive, you probably face a range of expenses over month, and one of the highest auto expenses is car insurance. Many people spend a fortune on auto insurance premiums, with some paying way over the odds. So, you should try to reduce the amount you pay for your cover, as this can equate to big savings. Buying car insurance online makes it easy for you to find the best deals and cut the cost of your coverage.

# **Switch Utility Providers**

Another thing people often pay far too much for is their utilities, and this is why it is important to look for better deals. When it comes to gas, electricity, water, and even broadband services, there are often great deals you can sign up to. This can slash your household bills and make a big difference to your financial situation. You can even use switching sites online to make the process faster and easier.

# **Downsize Your Property**

One other thing you can do is to consider downsizing your property if you no longer need to live in a larger home. Many older people whose kids have flown the nest find themselves living in a property that is designed for families rather than singles or couples. So, if this is something you are doing, you could sell up and move to a smaller home. While this may seem like drastic action, it means you will have a home that is easier to maintain, cheaper to heat, quicker to clean, and will leave you with a nice little nest egg in the bank.

# **Use Software for Budgeting**

Often, people find that their financial situation deteriorates because they cannot get a grip on what is going in and coming out of their account. It is easy to lose control when you are oblivious of what is happening with your money, and this is the start of a downward spiral. So, try to take control by using software such as budgeting apps, as this can make it much easier to gain control. Once you have better control of your finances, you will be able to make cutbacks with far greater ease. This will then lead to an improve financial situation.

# **Stop Unnecessary Subscriptions**

A lot of people do not realize that they are still paying fees on subscriptions and services that they no longer need or use. This could be anything from gym memberships to magazine and streaming site subscription. While the monthly fee for some of these services may not be all that high, once you add them all up, it can come to a surprising amount. So, make sure you go through your outgoings to establish exactly what is going out each month. You can then make cutbacks and cancel services or subscriptions that you do not need.

# **Consider Debt Consolidation**

If you have a lot of different debts, a large chunk of your income may go on debt repayments each month. This can make a huge dent in your finances and can leave you struggling to cope. It also means that you are paying high rates of interest on a range of debts as well as dealing with many different creditors. One thing you can do is to consider consolidating your debts into one affordable consolidation loan. This means lower repayments each month and less interest paid overall. It also means you will only have one debt to deal with and one creditor to worry about.

# **Make 2021 Your Financial Year**

In terms of finances, 2020 has been a terrible year for many people. However, you do not have to let 2021 follow the same path. By taking these tips on board and planning ahead, you can help to make 2021 your year when it comes to finances.

By improving your income as well as reducing your outgoings, you can make a big difference when it comes to money. This means you can enjoy a life that is far less stressful, and you won't be worrying about money all of the time. It also means you can benefit from more disposable income with which to improve your life quality.

Source: www.adventisthealth.org

# Retirees Approved for Pensions Oct 2020 through Nov 2020

Name	Local	Employer	Name	Local	Employer
October 2020			YOUNG SR, MICHAEL J	776	YRC FREIGHT
ACHEY, EUGENE C	773	MATERIALS TRANSPORT SERVICE	ZETTLEMOYER, DAVID	776	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
BAILOR, MARVIN	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC	ZURAWSKI, GARY F	229	NEW PENN MOTOR EXPRESS INC
BESTRYCKI, ROBERT R	229	C&S WHOLESALE GROCERS			
BLOCKUS, THOMAS A	401	NORTHEAST EAGLE DISTRIBUTOR	November 2020		
BREEDY, MICHAEL D	429	WINDSOR SERVICE TRUCKING	ADAMS, JOSEPH	229	ROADWAY EXPRESS INC
BROWN, LEE P	229	C&S WHOLESALE GROCERS	BAUGH JR, NORMAN	401	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC
BURKE, KEVIN P	771	YELLOW FREIGHT SYSTEM INC	BEIDLER, MARY J	429	COTT BEVERAGES WYOMISSING INC
BURKHOLDER JR, GEORGE	A 429	E J BRENEMAN	BEITLER, JAMES C	776	YRC FREIGHT
CORCORAN, JEFFREY T	771	HAUCK & SONS INC	BERRYMAN, DOUGLAS	229	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
DEHART, DAVID D	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC	BOKAN, STEPHEN	773	GENERAL SUPPLY COMPANY
DEITER, THOMAS C	773	PENNA TRUCK LINES INC	BRIN, MICHAEL J	401	ACME MARKETS INC
DOBOSH, MICHAEL J	401	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	BUCKS, STEVE E	429	COTT BEVERAGES WYOMISSING INC
DONNELLY, ROBERT	776	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	: CARRA, JOSEPH	773	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
FABIAN, JOHN G	776	YRC FREIGHT	CERINO, BRIAN E	773	EASTERN INDUSTRIES INC
FARLEY, JOSEPH W	773	BERKS PRODUCTS CORPORATION	COHICK, ANTHONY W	764	CENTRE CONCRETE COMPANY
FELTENBERGER, MICHAEL F	R 429	SCHROCK CABINET COMPANY	CROUSE, CARLTON C	429	DEAN DAIRY FLUID LLC
FLOREY, DONALD C	773	ROCK HILL TRUCKING CO INC	DELJANOVAN, JOHN	764	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
FRANTZ, WILLIAM L	776	ASSOC TRANSPORTATION SERV INC	DEVOS, GARY RICHARD	999	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC
GAMEZ, JOSE	429	POWER PACKAGING	DIBUONO, JOYCE	429	SAVOR STREET FOODS INC
GODFREY, LARRY L	776	FLEMING COMPANIES INC	DICKSON JR, GEORGE A	229	CONSOLIDATED FREIGHTWAYS
GUEVARA HERNANDEZ BER	ENICE	429 POWER PACKAGING	DOMMES, FREDERICK J	229	DEFAZIO EXPRESS INC
HASSELBACH, WILLIAM L	771	YRC FREIGHT	DORAN, EDWARD F	429	KAYTEE PRODUCTS INC.
HAUSMAN, TIMOTHY J	773	EASTERN INDUSTRIES INC	DUKE, TONY	776	YRC FREIGHT
HOYES, ROBERT J	429	ASSOCIATED WHOLESALERS INC	DUM, ALAN	776	YRC FREIGHT
KIRKPATRICK, THOMAS F	229	CRYSTAL SODA WATER CO	FISHER, STEPHEN J	764	MARY MACINTOSH OF PA INC
LEACH, CLIFFORD	776	YRC FREIGHT	FLICKINGER, GARY	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC
LEVAN JR, RONALD M	776	NEW PENN MOTOR EXPRESS INC	FRUSHON, SHARON A	229	C&S WHOLESALE GROCERS
MALEHORN, JAY	776	YRC FREIGHT	GOODINE, DOUGLAS A	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC
MCCUNE, BRIAN	776	YRC FREIGHT	HENDERSON, LARRY	429	LENTZ MILLING CO LLC
MELNICK, LAWRENCE	773	EASTERN INDUSTRIES INC DIV OF	HENRY, RICHARD J	429	BERKS PRODUCTS CORP
MESSINA, MARTIN DAVID	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC	KYLE, JEFFERY L	776	BROCKER REBAR CO INC
MILLER, ADA K	776	ASSOCIATED WHOLESALERS INC	: LANIUS, SHEILA	229	TOPPS CHEWING GUM INC
MITCHELL, MARY LYNN	229	HARPER COLLINS PUBLISHERS INC	LEONARD, WILLIAM E	776	CAROLINA FREIGHT CARRIERS CORP
MORRIS, GERALD E	401	WYOMING QUALITY BEVERAGE	LOCKARD JR, SAMUEL R	771	PENNCAST CORPORATION
O'DONNELL, JOHN PATRICK	773	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	LYNCH, JAMES	776	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
ORWIG SR, DEAN C	776	CONSOLIDATED FREIGHTWAYS	: MALDONADO JR, ANTONIO	776	YORK COUNTY TRANSP AUTHORITY
PENTZ JR, THOMAS W	570	MAIERS BAKERY	MEALS, DOUGLAS	776	YRC FREIGHT
PETERS JR, EUGENE D	776	NEW PENN MOTOR EXPRESS INC	MILLER, DAVID H	773	YELLOW FREIGHT SYSTEM INC
RADLE, LEONARD E	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC	MITTEN, DOUGLAS W	776	ANDERSON LOGISTICS
RAUP, KEITH	776	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	: MOYER, KEVIN E	429	TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION 429
REHRIG, DENNIS A	776	YRC FREIGHT	: MULL, KIM F	764	NEW PENN MOTOR EXPRESS INC
REINEBERG, DANIEL E	776	PRESTON TRUCKING CO INC	PAGANO, JOHN C	776	ROADWAY EXPRESS INC
ROMIG, JEFFREY M	773	MYERS MEN INC	SERSHEN, JOHN	776	ROADWAY EXPRESS INC
SCHWARTZ, MICHAEL	773	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	SHAIBLE, ROBERT	764	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC
SEYLER, JEFFREY W	429	GOODMAN VENDING SERVICE	: SHUELL, TIMOTHY J	776	ARKANSAS BEST FREIGHT SYS INC
SHOEMAKER, ANN K	773	PEOPLE FIRST	SNYDER, ARTHUR D	773	MORRIS BLACK & SONS INC.
STAMY JR, ABRAM C	429	SAVOR STREET FOODS INC	SOCASH, KENNETH	229	TOPPS CHEWING GUM INC
STEELE, ROBERT W	773	YRC FREIGHT	SPANGLER, JAMES F	776	WALTER W ZEIGLERS SONS INC
SUTHERLY, LANE MICHAEL	429	ASSOCIATED WHOLESALERS INC	TYNER, CRAIG R	429	THE BACHMAN COMPANY
SWARR, JOHN L	429	NEW PENN MOTOR EXPRESS INC	WARNCKE, MICHAEL P	776	FLEMING COMPANIES INC
WALTERS, STANLEY	776	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC	WERLEY, STEVEN	429	SUPERVALU INC
		TRANSPERSONNEL ING	WILLIE CARV	773	LIMITED DADCEL CEDVICE INC
WHEELER, KEITH J	229	TRANSPERSONNEL INC	: WILLIS, GARY	113	UNITED PARCEL SERVICE INC

# NOVEMBER 2020 RETIREMENT INCOME PLAN (RIP) INVESTMENT RETURN

The following is the approximate net investment return for the Central PA Teamsters RIP 1987 retirement plan for the 11-month period ending November 30, 2020. The net investment return equals the gross investment return less investment and administrative expenses plus the reallocation of forfeited account balances from terminated non-vested participants who incurred a 5-year break in service.

Plan RIP 1987 Approximate Net Investment Return 6.1% YTD

You may also view your RIP 1987 balance on the Fund website through the Pension Fund Web Portal. Click on the Pension section and then "Pension Fund Web Portal." You must register first before you can access your account information.

For more information on investment results, visit the Central Pennsylvania Teamsters website, www.CentralPATeamsters.com. Click on Pension Fund and then "Reports and Notices."



# The Importance of Prevention

Prevention and proper screenings help you treat potential health problems before they develop or worsen. It's important to have a primary care physician that you can see for regular check-ups or when you get sick. You should have regular check-ups about once every two years or as your doctor advises.

# How often should you get screened?

While many preventive tests should be done regularly, you should discuss your screening schedule with your doctor.

# Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) adult preventive care guidelines

- **Blood pressure.** It's important to get tested for high blood pressure annually, or as needed beginning at age 18. High blood pressure is greater than 140/90.
- Cholesterol. It's recommended men age 35 and older get checked for high cholesterol levels every five years. High-risk men and women who are 20 and older should also be screened.
- Colorectal cancer screening. Beginning at age 50, you should get screened to check for early signs of colon cancer. The CDC recommends getting a sigmoidoscopy every five years (or as needed) or a colonoscopy every ten years (or as needed).
- Diabetes. If you're at low risk for diabetes, you should take a blood sugar (glucose) exam every three years. If you're at high risk, then it should be taken annually. If you have symptoms of diabetes, it's important to see a doctor right away.



- Oral health. You should brush your teeth twice a day and try to replace your tooth brush every three or four months. It's also important to visit your dentist regularly for cleanings and check-ups.
- Eye health. Get an eye exam every one to two years, or as recommended. Regular eye exams are important to your health. This is especially true if you have diabetes, as you're at greater risk for eye complications.

# Adults need vaccines, too

Vaccines aren't just for children. They are important for adults to stay healthy. Get a flu shot every year in the fall to prevent influenza. Every 10 years, get a booster of the tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis vaccine. At age 60, get a single dose of the shingles vaccine. Your doctor may have other recommendations for vaccines for you.

If you have been diagnosed with a chronic condition, you can contact a nurse health coach to understand what preventive screenings are most important for you.

# If you have a chronic condition and need assistance with preventive care

Members enrolled in a company sponsored medical plan are eligible for the Meritain Health Nurse Health Coaching Program. Call 1.888.610.0089 to enroll or learn more.



# Creating and logging in — to your member account

Davisvision.com gives you quick access to your vision benefits information. Member account information is shared by all covered family dependents. Your member account includes useful tools allowing you to access your member ID card, find an in-network provider or view your list of benefits.



# Step 1

From any page on davisvision.com, select "Member log in" from the navigation.

# Step 2

If you have already set up your account, enter your username and password. Otherwise, click "Register new account."

# Step 3

From the member registration page, the primary policy holder can set up an account with their own username and password and have immediate access to the secure member area of the website.



# Need access to benefits on the go? We've got you covered.

Download our mobile app and log in using the same credentials from your member account for quick and easy access to the same great features found online.

# Keep Smiling Delta Dental PPO™



# Save with PPO

Visit a dentist in the PPO<sup>1</sup> network to maximize your savings.<sup>2</sup> These dentists have agreed to reduced fees, and you won't get charged more than your expected share of the bill.<sup>3</sup> Find a PPO dentist at **deltadentalins.com**.

# Set up an online account

Get information about your plan, check benefits and eligibility information, find a network dentist and more. Sign up for an online account at deltadentalins.com.

# Check in without an ID card

You don't need a Delta Dental ID card when you visit the dentist. Just provide your name, birth date and enrollee ID or Social Security number. If your family members are covered under your plan, they'll need your information. Prefer to have an ID card? Simply log in to your account to view or print your card.

# Coordinate dual coverage

If you're covered under two plans, ask your dental office to include information about both plans with your claim — we'll handle the rest.

# Understand transition of care

Generally, multi-stage procedures are covered under your current plan only if treatment began after your plan's effective date of coverage.<sup>4</sup> Log in to your online account to find this date.

# Get LASIK and hearing aid discounts

With access to QualSight and Amplifon Hearing Health Care<sup>5</sup>, you can save as much as 50% on LASIK procedures and more than 60% on hearing aids. To take advantage of these discounts, call QualSight at 855-248-2020 and Amplifon at 888-779-1429.

# Save with a PPO dentist





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In Texas, Delta Dental Insurance Company provides a dental provider organization (DPO) plan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> You can still visit any licensed dentist, but your out-of-pocket costs may be higher if you choose a non-PPO dentist. Network dentists are paid contracted fees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> You are responsible for any applicable deductibles, coinsurance, amounts over annual or lifetime maximums and charges for non-covered services. Out-of-network dentists may bill the difference between their usual fee and Delta Dental's maximum contract allowance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Applies only to procedures covered under your plan. If you began treatment prior to your effective date of coverage, you or your prior carrier is responsible for any costs. Group- and state-specific exceptions may apply. If you are currently undergoing active orthodontic treatment, you may be eligible to continue treatment under Delta Dental PPO. Review your Evidence of Coverage, Summary Plan Description or Group Dental Service Contract for specific details about your plan.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Vision corrective services and Amplifon's hearing health care services are not insured benefits. Delta Dental makes the vision corrective services program and hearing health care services program available to you to provide access to the preferred pricing for LASIK surgery and for hearing aids and other hearing health services.

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# REMINDER Keep Your Information Current with the Fund Office

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FROM THE FUND OFFICE

**Fund Office Contact Information**Contact the Fund Office directly with

any questions on Health and Welfare

or Pension benefits. The Fund staff

is available Monday through Friday

**Telephone Numbers:** 

Health & Welfare

(610) 320-5500

Toll free in PA 1-800-422-8330

Nationwide 1-800-331-0420

Pension

(610) 320-5505

Toll free in PA 1-800-343-0136

from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Please remember to keep your address, dependent and beneficiary information updated with the Funds. You can call or mail in address changes to the Fund. You can call the Fund office or visit www.CentralPATeamsters.com to obtain beneficiary change forms to complete and send in to the Fund Office.

Visit Our Website at: www.CentralPATeamsters.com