

To: Participants of the Santa Monica UNITE HERE Health Benefit Fund and their eligible Dependents and COBRA Beneficiaries

From: The Trustees of the Santa Monica UNITE HERE Health Benefit Fund

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Administrative Improvements

SMM (SUMMARY OF MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS)

The Board of Trustees of the Santa Monica UNITE HERE Health Benefit Fund is pleased to announce the following improvements and changes to the Plan. Unless stated otherwise, these changes will go into effect on August 1, 2025.

This SMM supplements the summary plan description dated July 1, 2021 ("SPD"). You should retain this document with your copy of the SPD.

Beginning August 1, 2025, the Fund will be making some big changes to how we serve our participants. We've been working over the last year to improve fund administration including the following:



New member services team

This new team is here to provide personalized support, answer your questions, and help you navigate your health benefits. Contact them at 866-345-5189.

→ **Take action:** remove (562) 463-5075 from your contacts.



New secure member portal

The new portal will make it easier to manage your benefit selections online and stay up to date on plan changes – including signing up for texts from the Fund!

→ **Take action:** If you have an account on the existing portal, you will need to create a new account at Sirius.benefits11.org.



New address

The Fund is moving to a new, convenient location inside the new UNITE HERE Health Center. Free parking included!

→ **Take action:** Make sure you save our new name, address, and phone number in your phone in case you need to visit the Fund!

Benefits Administrative Office

UNITE HERE Local 11 Health Benefit Fund

1122 W. Washington Blvd, Suite 300

Los Angeles, CA 90015

Phone: 866-345-5189

Email: help@benefits11.org



New name and logo

The Santa Monica UNITE HERE Health Benefit Fund will become the UNITE HERE Local 11 Health Benefit Fund. The name has been changed to better reflect who we serve and address confusion about the location of our participants.

→ **Take action:** keep an eye out for communications from the Fund with our new name and logo:



Health Benefit Fund

Formerly Santa Monica UNITE HERE! Health Benefit Fund



New website

Will make it easier to access benefit information on your mobile device, and complete forms and documents online. We will launch the website in two phases with a landing page August 1 and the full website in September.

→ **Take action:** Bookmark www.Benefits11.org. *Note: our old web address will forward to the new site.*