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A lthough you may have filled out a Health Assessment last year under the High Option Plan, you can and should complete another one to keep your health information current. Please keep in mind that, as of 2017, we no longer offer the CVS gift card; however, the Plan continues to offer other incentives from which you can choose. When you fill out our free Health As-

your 2017 Health Assessment

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sessment at nalchbp.org, you are taking a positive step toward better physical and mental health. The Health Assessment is an online tool that analyzes your responses to health-related questions and formulates a personalized plan to get you on the path to good mental and physical health.

When you complete the Health Assessment, you may either choose to be enrolled in the Self Only CignaPlus Savings<sup>®</sup> discount dental program, and we will pay the premium for the remainder of the calendar year in which you completed the Health Assessment provided you remain enrolled in our Plan; you may choose the waiver of two \$20 PPO medical office visit co-payments (when the Plan is primary payor) incurred in the same year as the Health Assessment is completed; or choose a wearable activity-tracking device.

When two or more covered family members (including the member) complete the Health Assessment, you may choose either the Family CignaPlus Savings discount dental program, the waiver of four \$20 PPO medical office visits, or a wearable activity tracking device (limit two devices per enrollment).

## Personal Health Record (High Option Plan)

Another great tool we offer that is a great idea when starting the new year is the Personal Health Record. The NALC Health Benefit Plan understands the importance of having an organized accounting of your health-related information. Our online Personal Health Record at nalchbp. org is a helpful tool our members can use to create and keep up-to-date records of medications, immunizations, allergies, medical conditions, physicians and emergency contacts. Your personal health information is stored in a safe, password-protected place accessible by only you or your designated personal representative.

Simply go to our home page at nalchbp.org and refer to the top right corner, where you can register and sign in to your account. The Personal Health Record is easy to navigate, so you can update information at your convenience. The Blue Button feature on the Personal Health Record home page allows you to access and download your Personal Health Record information into a simple text file that can be read, printed or stored on any computer.

## **Electronic Health Record (High Option Plan)**

**Once registered on our secure website, you can view your** claim history and get real-time deductible and out-of-pocket amounts, as well as print copies of your Explanation of Benefits safely and conveniently at your home or on the go.

#### Healthy Rewards® (High Option Plan)

Are you ready to start a healthier lifestyle and save money at the same time? Couldn't we all use a little help finding ways to make staying healthy more affordable? That's the idea behind the Healthy Rewards Member Savings Program. You can save up to 60 percent on products and services to encourage and promote healthy behaviors and lifestyle:

- Vision and hearing care discounts, such as Lasik vision correction
- Fitness club discounts at locations around the country
- A wide variety of other healthy life and wellness products
- Jenny Craig<sup>®</sup> discounts, which range from a free 30day trial membership or up to 30 percent off all-access membership.

There are no claim forms or referrals, so the program is easy for members to use. You have access to a nationwide network of more than 50,000 providers and fitness clubs. You can access the Healthy Rewards program by calling 800-558-9443 or by visiting the Plan website at nalchbp. org under Quicklinks.

**Please note:** Some Healthy Rewards programs are not available in all states. A discount program is *not* insurance, and the member must pay the entire discounted charge.

#### New for 2017: Telemental Health Medicine (High Option Plan)

**Beginning Jan. 1, the Plan offers outpatient Telemental** Health services through Optum<sup>™</sup>. Telemental Health offers convenient access to virtual visits for mental health assessments and mental health treatment at a distance. Telemental Health appointments also offer the advantage of reducing the time you may need to be away from work and eliminate travel time. Providers include psychiatrists, psychologists and social workers. For services provided by in-network providers, members will pay a \$20 co-payment. To find an in-network Telemental Health provider, call Optum at 877-468-1016.