

# College Insurance Program Benefits Handbook Amendment

This document is an amendment to the CIP Benefits Handbook released in October 2011. An amendment adds, modifies, deletes or otherwise changes a benefit listed in the Benefits Handbook. As changes occur, the online handbook will be modified to reflect the changes. Those updates and changes will be included in this amendment document as they occur. If you have a printed copy of the online handbook, you should refer to this amendment to ensure you have the most up-to-date information.

## COLLEGE INSURANCE PROGRAM AMENDMENT – 03/1/2012

### The following is an amendment to the 2011 CIP Benefits Handbook:

1. On pages 2, 27, 29, 41, 46 and 47 the address for the Group Insurance Division has been changed to:  
**801 S. 7th Street, Springfield, IL**
2. On page 6 the following note regarding survivors was added under 'Eligible as Dependents':  
**“NOTE: Survivors may add a dependent only if that dependent was eligible for coverage as a dependent under the original member.”**
3. On page 15 the fifth bullet point under 'Termination of Dependent Beneficiary's Coverage' was changed to "On the last day of the month..." instead of "First day of the month...".  
"On the last day of the month following receipt of the written request to terminate dependent coverage."...
4. On pages 39 and 40 in the 'Medicare Part B Reduction' section, "in-network" was added to describe eligible charges  
**Medicare Part B Reduction**  
"... This means that CIP will only pay up to 20% of the total in-network eligible amount for each claim until Medicare Part B is in effect..."
5. On page 41 under the 'Private Contracts with Providers who Opt Out of Medicare' section, "in-network" was added to describe eligible charges.  
**Private Contracts with Providers who Opt Out of Medicare**  
"... If the service(s) would have normally been covered by Medicare, the CCHP plan administrator will only pay up to 20% of the in-network eligible charges; **the plan participant will be responsible for the remaining balance of the claim.**"
6. On page 46 in the Second-Level Internal Appeals section, the qualifier **CCHP only** was added to clarify that this level of appeal only applies to appeals regarding the College Choice Health Plan.  
**II. Second-Level Internal Appeals (CCHP only)**