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### **Material Modification Effective August 1, 2020**

Teamsters Welfare Fund of Northern New Jersey Local 723 (the "Fund") is now expanding the Payer Matrix alternate funding program we use for specialty drugs for the following service as of August 1, 2020.

Self-injectable drugs, Home Infusion Medications, Chemotherapy Drugs and Injectables given at a provider's office or a network facility. These services will still require pre-certification and your provider will be notified that these specific drugs/medications are not covered through your medical plan but through an Alternate Funding Program provided through Payer Matrix.

If you currently are prescribed and administered one of these drugs/medications, or in future prescribed any one of these drugs, Payer Matrix Reimbursement Case Coordinator (RCC) will contact you to complete the enrollment process. If you refuse to enroll in this Program you will be responsible for 100% co-insurance or the full cost of your medication. If you are deemed not eligible your services will be reconsidered and covered under your medical plan through your network provider only.

The Fund strives to implement this service without interruption of your care with your full cooperation.

Please be cooperative and proactive in responding with the information requested back to Payer Matrix' Reimbursement Case Coordinator when information is directly requested from you. Also, please also advise your prescribing physician of the importance of providing any information requested.

If you have any concerns, or questions please contact the Fund Office at (908-688-0723)

Sincerely,

Teamster Welfare Fund of Norther New Jersey Local 723