

ROOFERS LOCAL 149 FRINGE BENEFIT FUNDS
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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING NEW SERVICE

The Roofers Local 149 Security Benefit Trust Fund now offers a new package of services to assist participants with catastrophic medical conditions and/or procedures. These services are provided at no cost to you. **MedCAT** services provide decision support for the following services:

Cancer Care Services - A designated Oncology Certified Nurse (OCN) from Biologics Inc. will coordinate your treatment plan with your Oncologist and assist you between physician appointments. Pre-certification of chemotherapy and radiation is required to participate. OCNs provide assessments, interventions and education regarding improved treatment outcomes, enhanced care and quality of life. If Biologics oncology pharmacy provides oral chemotherapy or supportive drugs at the request of the oncologist provider, you will be counseled by an assigned Clinical Oncology Pharmacists (RPh) to provide information about:

- * Drug administration
- * Side effect profile
- * Side effect management/mitigation

Clinical Oncology Pharmacists are available for consultation 24 hours a day via 800.983.1590.

Dialysis- An expert Dialysis Treatment Coordinator contacts you to offer cost savings techniques to help extend your group medical plan benefits. Cost savings techniques include purchasing Medicare B supplement during the dialysis waiting period prior to Medicare becoming your primary payer; self injecting epogen at home; and exploring home hemodialysis as an option. Pre-certification of chemotherapy and radiation is required to participate.

Premature Baby (initial inpatient stay)- An expert Neonatology Nurse Case Manager reviews your baby's treatment plan while hospitalized, provides personalized support to parents, interacts with the neonatology nurses and doctors caring for your baby and facilitates medical review by neonatology physicians.

Transplant- An expert Transplant Nurse Case Manager provides education and support as you progress through evaluation to listing and eventual transplantation. Additionally, qualified transplant centers are identified and offered through a transplant provider network.

Hemophilia- An expert Hemophilia Nurse Case Manager visits you personally, assesses your self care techniques and provides educational support for adults as well as children and their parents. Factor is shipped direct to the home in the exact amounts needed on a regular basis.

Once you re identified as a potential **MedCAT** candidate, you will be contacted by a **MedCAT** representative to offer enrollment in the applicable program. We believe that **MedCAT** services can have a positive impact in supporting you during the treatment of your condition. Please contact the Fund Office is you have questions about this program.

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