

An EBD Alert – 2008 Plan Design Correction and Clarification

Correction: In yesterday's EBD Alert, it was incorrectly stated that the \$250 co-payment plus 10% co-insurance would not apply when the radiology services (MRI, CT, MRA, or PET scans) were provided in conjunction with an Emergency Room visit or as part of a "routine Physician / Specialist visit". The \$250 co-payment plus 10% co-insurance **will** apply when the services are done as part of a physician or specialist visit, but **will not** apply when provided as part of an Emergency Room visit or an In-Patient Hospital Admission.

Clarification: Yesterday's Alert also raised questions regarding the number of radiology services (MRI, CT, MRA, or PET scans) covered by the Plan. The Plan will cover all radiology services deemed to be "Medically Necessary" for the member. The 1 co-payment maximum deals only with the member's financial responsibility of \$250 co-payment for the first MRI, CT, MRA, or PET scan and is not a limit of the number of covered radiology services.

We apologize for any confusion regarding this issue.

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