NOTICE: EPSDT Services- Eyeglass replacement and Repair

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Dear Provider,

Health Choice covers eyeglasses and other vision services, including replacement and repair of eyeglasses, for members under the age of 21 years to correct or ameliorate defects, physical illness, and conditions discovered by EPSDT screenings. There are no restrictions for replacement eyeglasses when medically necessary for vision correction. This coverage includes but is not limited to loss, breakage, or change in prescription.

EPSDT members do not need to wait for their next scheduled EPSDT well-child visit or vision screening to receive eyeglass replacement or repair.

The members can choose to accept or decline any upgrade to lenses or frames. Any upgrade that is not AHCCCS covered is the member's responsibility, and providers are required to ensure the member accepts financial responsibility and signs a financial responsibility agreement prior to rendering service. The agreement must detail the service and the amount to be paid by the member.

Should you have any questions, please contact your Network Services Provider Performance Representative.

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