

To: Nebraska Medicaid Managed Care Plans
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Re: Medicaid Insurance for Workers with Disabilities (MIWD) Premium Resumption

This Health Plan Advisory is being issued to notify health plans of upcoming changes to cost-sharing for members enrolled in the Medicaid Insurance for Workers with Disabilities (MIWD) program.

As part of federal requirements implemented during the COVID-19 public health emergency (PHE) and the twelve (12) months following, Nebraska Medicaid temporarily waived premiums during this time for individuals enrolled in the MIWD group. As part of the return to regular eligibility operations, premiums for members in the MIWD program will resume **effective May 1, 2024**.

This change will only apply to MIWD members whose income is 200% or more but less than 250% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). Members will be informed by mail if a premium applies to them.

This health plan advisory updates guidance issued in [Provider Bulletin 23-12](#).

If you have questions regarding this advisory, please contact MLTC Communications, via email at: DHHS.MLTCexperience.Nebraska.gov. Health plans should also copy their contract manager.

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