

DEI MEMO 23-04

To: ICs and HRGs
From: Department of Employee Insurance (DEI)
Re: COVID-19 Announcements
Date: April 27, 2023

The below communication is being sent overnight to all members with an email in KHRIS (minus waivers).



May 11, 2023, will mark the end of the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency. After this date, the Kentucky Employees' Health Plan (KEHP) will continue to cover COVID-19 vaccinations received from an in-network provider at no cost to KEHP members. However, beginning May 12, 2023, there will be some changes to your KEHP benefits for the coverage of COVID-19, as listed below:

- COVID-19 *testing* will continue to be reimbursed for in-network and out-of-network providers, but applicable copay and coinsurance will apply, similar to other lab services.
- Over-the-counter (OTC) COVID-19 test kits will no longer be reimbursed by your health plan, but a member may use their Health Flexible Spending Account (FSA) or Health Reimbursement Arrangement (HRA) to pay for OTC test kits.

If you have any questions regarding your benefits under the Kentucky Employees' Health Plan, please contact Anthem at 844-402-5347.
