

# 2019 | 2020 Benefits Overview



This guide highlights the main features of many of the benefit plans sponsored by Bickford Senior Living. Full details of these plans are contained in the legal documents governing the plans. If there is any discrepancy between the plan documents and the information described here, the plan documents will govern. In all cases, the plan documents are the exclusive source for determining rights and benefits under the plans. Participation in the plans does not constitute an employment contract. Bickford Senior Living reserves the right to modify, amend or terminate any benefit plan or practice described in this guide. Nothing in this guide guarantees that any new plan provisions will continue in effect for any period of time. This Guide serves as a summary of material modifications as required by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended.



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### **ENROLL BY JUNE 17, 2019!**

This year's open enrollment will be June 3 – June 17, 2019 You must actively complete the enrollment process to confirm benefits, dependents and beneficiaries.

#### Make Sure You:

- Check out available benefits, contact information and frequently asked questions at the new benefits website,
- www.bickfordbenefits.com
- Call 866.672.3992 to speak with a Benefit Counselor and enroll in your benefits

#### WHAT'S NEW?

At Bickford Senior Living, we are continually grateful for the effort and enthusiasm that you display at work every day. It is this energy that drives and motivates us to provide a suite of benefits for you and your family. As we prepare for the upcoming plan year, our benefit priorities remain unchanged: keep our plans competitive, cost-effective, and useful for you and your family, so we can offer you the level of support you provide for us daily.

#### **Benefit Changes This Year:**

- An increased Emergency Room copay to \$250 your Telehealth visit copay is still \$0
- A new Open Enrollment process (outlined on page 4)
- Permanent Life Insurance with Long-Term Care through Chubb (page 15)

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

You are eligible to enroll in Bickford Senior Living's benefit plans if you are a regular, full-time Bickford Family Member (BFM) scheduled to work at least 30 hours per week.

#### **Dependent Eligibility**

You may also cover your eligible dependents, including:

- Your legal spouse
- "Children" are defined as your natural children, stepchildren, legally-adopted children, and children for whom you are the court-appointed legal guardian
- Children may be covered under medical insurance up to the end of the year of age 26
- For dental and vision insurance, eligible children are covered to the end of the month in which they turn
   26
- Physically or mentally disabled children of any age who are incapable of self-support. Proof of disability may be requested



#### **ENROLLMENT INFORMATION**

#### **Annual Open Enrollment**

You must complete the enrollment process by electing or declining benefits by June 17, 2019 for the plan year July 1, 2019-June 30, 2020. To complete the enrollment process you must call a Benefit Counselor at 866.672.3992 by June 17, 2019.

#### **How to Enroll**

A new enrollment system is being introduced for this plan year. To elect your benefits, please call 866.672.3992 to speak with a Benefit Counselor.

#### **Making Changes to Coverage**

Once you make your benefit elections, these choices remain in effect until the next Annual Open Enrollment – unless you have a qualified status change or you or your eligible dependents become eligible for coverage through special enrollment rules.

If you have a qualified status change or you have another allowable event, you can make certain changes during the plan year. However, you must make your enrollment change within 31 days of the event by calling a Benefit Counselor at 866.672.3992. If you do not call to enroll within 31 days, you will have to wait until the next Open Enrollment to make new elections.

Qualified status changes include, but are not limited to:

- Change in number of eligible dependents due to birth, adoption, placement for adoption, or death
- Gain or loss of dependent status (i.e., your child reaches the age limit for eligibility)
- Change in legal marital status, including marriage, divorce, or death of a spouse
- Change in residence or workplace that changes your or your dependent's eligibility for coverage
- Change in employment status, such as starting or ending employment, for you, your spouse, or your children
- End of the maximum period for COBRA coverage
- Loss of other coverage

For a more complete list of qualified status changes, refer to the Summary Plan Description.

#### **Special Enrollment Rules**

If you choose not to enroll yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because you have other coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents at a later date if:

- You or your dependents lose Medicaid or Children's Health Insurance Program ("CHIP") coverage as a result of a loss of eligibility for such coverage, or
- If you or your dependents become eligible for a premium assistance subsidy under Medicaid or CHIP
- You must enroll within 31 days of the qualified events shown in the "Special Enrollment Rules" above

If your dependent had other health coverage and lost that coverage in the above situations, they may be added to your coverage. However, you will not be able to add yourself or your dependents to this coverage if the other coverage was terminated "for cause" (including failure to pay the required premiums on time).

In addition to the changes described above, you may enroll yourself and your spouse (with or without the new dependent) in a Bickford Senior Living health plan following marriage or the adoption, placement for adoption, or birth of a child, as long as you request enrollment within 31 days of the event. You must be enrolled to cover your dependents. If you have a special enrollment event and would like to enroll for health coverage, call 866.672.3992 to speak with a Benefit Counselor.



#### **WELLNESS PROGRAM: A HEALTHIER YOU**

Bickford has partnered with Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas City to offer a Wellness Program, A Healthier You™. We encourage you to continue participating in the Wellness Program as getting and staying healthy is one of the best things we can do to keep our health care costs down.

To receive the wellness plan rates – a savings of \$40 per month – you must complete a Blue KC Health Risk Assessment and receive a biometric screening (branch support) or routine annual preventive exam by a physician prior to April 30, 2020. If both requirements are fulfilled by April 30, 2020, the wellness rates will be effective beginning July 1, 2020.

A Healthier You<sup>™</sup> has both online and mobile experiences that make staying healthy and managing your conditions easy. You can access all of your health and wellness tools and information online with your laptop, tablet or smartphone. Plus, you will be rewarded for meeting your health goals. See the following pages for more information.

Schedule your health screening, take the health risk assessment and more through the **A Healthier You™** portal.

- Visit mybluekc.com.
- If you are a first-time visitor, click on "REGISTER" Have your member ID card available for reference.
- Once logged in, click on "Health & Wellness" to access A Healthier You

You may also download the "Blue KC A Healthier You" app, available on the App Store and Google Play Store.



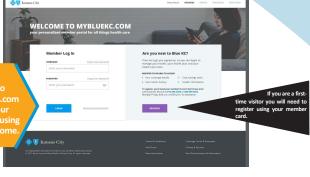


# **Accessing A Healthier You**<sup>TM</sup>

A Healthier You (AHY) is Blue KC's suite of health and wellness services. The cornerstone of AHY is your personalized member portal, which can be accessed online or via our mobile app.



2.
Click on A
Healthier You
OR
You may choose to
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MyBlueKC com





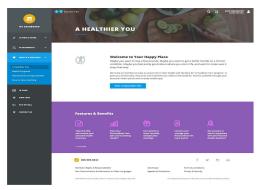
#### **DOWNLOAD THE APP**

- 1. Go to the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.
- 2. Search for the BLUE KC A Healthier You app by HealthMine Services, Inc.







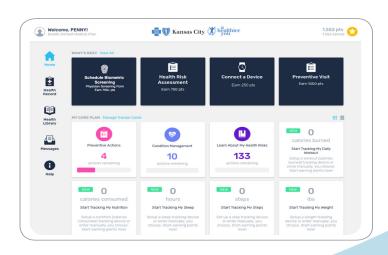


The first time you access the AHY portal, you will be prompted to complete a series of personalization questions. Questions are specific to health goals and current lifestyle activities. After completing the questions you will be awarded points and will be taken to your personalized AHY portal.

\*NOTE: answering these questions is not completing the Health Risk Assessment.

#### **PORTAL FEATURES:**

- Take your Health Risk Assessment (HRA).
- Access the health library for a variety of educational topics.
- Connect a device to track your steps, sleep, nutrition and more!
- Stay on track with preventive care reminders.
- View your biometric screening results (if available).
- Earn points to enter into sweepstakes.



Having Trouble? Email AHY@BlueKC.com



# A Healthier You (AHY) App

The Blue KC A Healthier You app provides easy access to the AHY program on the go and at your fingertips! You can easily access all program features through the app, such as completing your biometric screening registration (if offered by your employer), finish your Health Risk Assessment, connect devices or manually input your data all while earning points! You can even enter monthly sweepstakes using the points you've earned through the App.

#### Follow these quick steps to download the App now!

- Visit the Apple App Store or Google Play Store
- Search for the "Blue KC A Healthier You" app by HealthMine Services, Inc.
- 3. Install and open the App
- 4. Click Register Now
- Blue KC Member ID information is required (fields are case sensitive.) Review the terms and conditions and click Accept.
- View your personal tracking cards, connect devices or track your data manually and begin earning points!







Using an iPhone or Apple Watch to track your steps? For your data to display on the AHY portal you must use the A Healthier You App since this data is stored on your Apple device.

Visit the FAQs on your AHY portal for more information **Having Trouble?** Email AHY@BlueKC.com



#### MEDICAL AND PRESCRIPTION DRUG PLAN

Bickford Senior Living's medical options provide coverage for the same types of expenses, such as doctor's office visits, preventive care, prescription drugs, and hospitalization. You choose the option that makes the most sense for you and your family based on your needs and what you want to pay for coverage.

For the 2019-2020 plan year, you have the choice of two PPO plans: **base PPO plan** and **buy-up PPO plan**. If you choose the buy-up plan, you will have higher payroll deductions taken out of your paychecks, but your out-of-pocket expenses will be lower. If you choose the base

plan, your payroll deductions will be lower, but your outof-pocket expenses will be greater.

For more details on our benefit plans, including out of network benefits, go to **www.bickfordbenefits.com** or call **866.672.3992**.

Please note, if you do not contact a Benefit Counselor to elect or decline your benefits for the plan year, you will be automatically enrolled in the Base PPO medical plan as well as all employer-paid benefits, including Basic Life and Accidental Death & Dismemberment (AD&D)

Benefit/Service	Preferred-Care Blue Base PPO Plan	Preferred-Care Blue Buy-Up PPO Plan		
bellefit/ Service	In-network	In-network		
Annual Deductible (Individual/Family)	\$2,500 / \$5,000	\$1,000 / \$2,000		
Coinsurance (you pay)	20%	20%		
Annual OOP Max (Individual/Family)	\$5,300 / \$10,600	\$3,800 / \$7,600		
Physician Office Visit	\$25 copay	\$25 copay		
<b>Specialist Office Visit</b>	\$50 copay	\$50 copay		
Emergency Room Visit	\$250 copay, then deductible + coinsurance	\$250 copay, then deductible + coinsurance		
Virtual (Telehealth) visits	\$0 copay	\$0 copay		
<b>Preventive Care</b>	100%	100%		
Inpatient Hospital Services	Deductible + 20%	Deductible + 20%		
Retail Pharmacy				
Tier 1	\$10 copay	\$10 copay		
Tier 2	40% up to \$75	40% up to \$75		
Tier 3	60% up to \$75	60% up to \$75		
Mail-Order Pharmacy				
Tier 1	\$30 copay	\$30 copay		
Tier 2	40% up to \$225	40% up to \$225		
Tier 3	60% up to \$225	60% up to \$225		

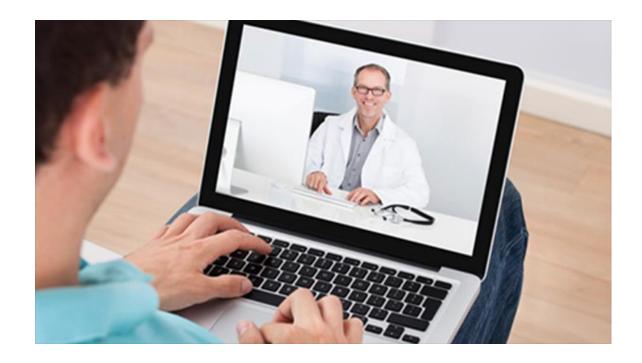


#### **Medical Plan Contributions**

PPO Base Plan					PPO Buy-Up Plan				
Monthly BFM Contributions	BFM Only	BFM + Spouse	BFM + Child(ren)	Family	BFM Only	BFM + Spouse	BFM + Child(ren)	Family	
Wellness Participant	\$80.20	\$333.42	\$225.17	\$558.59	\$114.77	\$498.41	\$390.16	\$868.97	
Non-Wellness Participant	\$120.20	\$373.42	\$265.17	\$598.59	\$154.77	\$538.41	\$430.16	\$908.97	

#### **Telehealth Benefit Through Amwell**

Blue KC members can schedule and see a doctor online from their phone, tablet or computer through the Amwell mobile app or on the web at amwell.com. With Telehealth services, members can take care of most common medical issues, like colds, flu, fever, rash, abdominal pain, sinusitis, pinkeye, ear infection, migraines and more. It's free to enroll, and the copay is \$0 per visit.



# **TELEHEALTH**

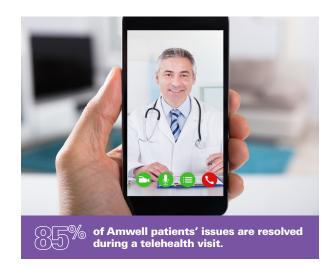
# 24/7 HEALTHCARE

- Get care wherever you are for common medical issues
- Provided by American Well (Amwell)<sup>1</sup>



#### Who uses TELEHEALTH?

- Busy professionals who can't wait for an appointment
- Families, including sick children
- Individuals that live in rural areas or outside the city



### Why use TELEHEALTH?



Speak with a doctor in minutes – **AVERAGE WAIT TIME IS 3 MINUTES** 



Connect easily with your camera phone or personal computer with camera



Get the care you need – including some prescriptions<sup>2</sup>



Meet with licensed, U.S. board-certified physicians with an average 15 years' experience practicing medicine



Feel safe with Amwell's private, secure, HIPAAcompliant tool



Save on drive time or office wait time



Rest assured if you are traveling and need care quick



Pay much less than going to emergency room

#### What can be treated?

Common medical issues, such as:

- Sinus Pain
- Mild Asthma
- Mild Allergic Reactions
- Minor Headaches
- Burning with Urination
- Cold Sores
- Sprains, Strains
- Pink Eye
- · Nausea, Vomiting, Diarrhea
- Bumps, Cuts, Scrapes
- Coughs, Sore Throat
- Eye Swelling, Irritation, Redness or Pain
- Minor Fevers, Colds
- Rashes, Minor Burns



Amwell is a provider in the Blue KC network, and their contracted rates are subject to change. Enter your member information in the **Amwell Mobile app** or at Amwell.com to see the current cost of telehealth services.

#### **TELEHEALTH IS NOT FOR EMERGENCIES**

If you are experiencing severe symptoms or have a serious medical concern, it's important to go to the emergency room or call 911.

#### How do I make an appointment?

- Download the Amwell Mobile App or visit Amwell.com.
- Create an account using your Blue KC member ID card for reference. Ensure you choose Blue KC from the drop-down list.
- **3.** View a list of available doctors, their experience and ratings, and select one.
- **4.** Stream a live visit directly from the Web or your mobile device.

If needed and if medically appropriate, you can request a sick slip or back-to-work documents from your Amwell doctor.



- <sup>1</sup> Amwell is available to most Blue KC members (Medicare Advantage members do not have access).
- <sup>2</sup> Blue KC does not guarantee a prescription will be written.
- American Well's Online Care Group is an independent provider contracted to participate in Blue KC's commercial provider networks.



#### **DENTAL COVERAGE**

Bickford Senior Living's dental plan is administered through Delta Dental of Kansas and provides you and your family with coverage for typical dental expenses, such as cleanings, X-rays, fillings, and orthodontia for children. You are free to go to any dentist of your choice; however, there may be a difference in the amount you pay if the dentist is not a Delta Dental PPO/Premier participating dentist.

To see if your dentist is included in the Delta Dental PPO/Premier list, go to deltadentalks.com and click on "Locate a Dentist."

Dental Benefit/Service	Benefit
Deductible (Single/Family)	\$50/\$150
Diagnostic/preventive services	100% no deductible
Basic services	80% after deductible
Major services	50% after deductible
Annual maximum	\$1,500 per individual
Orthodontic services	50% after deductible
(dependents to age 19)	
Lifetime maximum benefit	Orthodontia per
	individual \$1,500

#### **Dental Plan Contributions**

Coverage	Monthly Premium
BFM only	\$8.50
Entire family	\$42.00

#### **IMPORTANT**

The frequencies for diagnostic and preventive services are two times per calendar year.

Periodontal surgical re-entry is a 36-month waiting period

#### **VISION COVERAGE**

Bickford Senior Living's Vision Plan promotes preventive care through regular eye exams and provides coverage for corrective materials, such as glasses and contact lenses. The Vision Plan is administered through Vision Service Plan (VSP). All BFMs and their dependents enrolled in the medical plan are eligible for one annual vision exam if you enroll in the **vision exam-only** plan. You are responsible for a \$25 copay at the time of the exam.

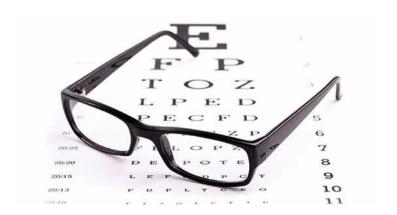
Visit vsp.com to search for a participating optometrist or ophthalmologist. No ID card is required. Just provide the last four digits of the BFM's Social Security number and the patient's date of birth.

You may purchase additional vision insurance through the **buy-up vision plan** that allows you and each of your family members new lenses every 12 months and new frames every 24 months for adults and adult dependents. Dependent children up to the end of the month in which they turn 18 may receive new lenses and new frames every 12 months. See

http://www.bickfordbenefits.com for more details.

#### **Vision Plan Contributions**

Buy-up Vision Plan	Monthly Premium
BFM only	\$8.04
Entire family	\$17.12





# BASIC LIFE AND ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT (AD&D)

#### **Basic Life and AD&D Insurance**

Bickford Senior Living provides you with basic life and AD&D insurance equal to one-times your base annual salary, to a maximum of \$50,000. You automatically receive this coverage at no cost to you.

#### **VOLUNTARY BENEFITS**

#### **Supplemental Term Life Insurance**

You may elect additional coverage, up to \$300,000, to supplement the existing term life coverage provided to you by Bickford Senior Living. Below are the monthly premium rates per \$1,000 of coverage

Age	Rate
< 20	\$0.08
20-24	\$0.08
25-29	\$0.08
30-34	\$0.10
35-39	\$0.14
40-44	\$0.21
45-49	\$0.32
50-54	\$0.52
55-59	\$0.92
60-64	\$1.41
65-69	\$2.71
70+	\$4.39

#### **Supplemental AD&D Insurance**

You may elect coverage for yourself if you are enrolled in supplemental term life coverage. The amount of supplemental AD&D coverage will match the amount of supplemental life elected.

#### **Spouse and Child Term Life Insurance**

- You must be covered to elect spouse and/or child coverage.
- For spousal coverage, you may elect up to 50% of the BFM coverage amount, up to a maximum of \$150,000. Premium rates per \$1,000 of spousal coverage are the same as BFM rates.
- Child term life insurance is available, up to a maximum of \$10,000. Rates are as listed below.

Child Li	fe
Per \$2,000	\$0.40

#### **Evidence of Insurability**

New hires may elect up to \$150,000 without providing evidence of insurability. The insurance company will require you answer health questions before approving any amount over \$150,000 or any new/additional coverage you elect during open enrollment.

#### **Accident insurance**

Accident Insurance pays you benefits for specific injuries and events resulting from a covered accident. The amount paid depends on type of injury and care received. Accident insurance can help with: medical expenses, home healthcare costs, lost income due to missed time at work and everyday expenses.

If you enroll in accident insurance, you also have access to a wellness benefit which provides an annual benefit of \$50 if you complete a health screening test, whether or not there are any out-of-pocket costs. You, your spouse and children are eligible for accident insurance. You must be covered to elect spouse and/or child coverage.

Monthly Premium Rates					
BFM only	\$13.44				
BFM + Spouse	\$22.45				
BRM + Child(ren)	\$26.25				
Family	\$35.26				



#### **Critical Illness Insurance**

Critical illness insurance pays a lump-sum benefit if you are diagnosed with a covered illness or condition. You can use this money to help pay for expenses not covered by your medical plan, lost wages, child care, travel, home healthcare costs or any of your regular household expenses. If you enroll in critical illness insurance, you have access to the wellness benefit. The wellness benefit provides an annual benefit of \$75 if you complete a

health screening test, whether or not there are any outof-pocket costs. This benefit is designed to encourage you to maintain a healthy lifestyle as the tests can help screen for a wide range of potential illnesses and diseases. You, your spouse and children are eligible for critical illness insurance. You must be covered to elect spouse and/or child coverage.

#### Critical Illness monthly rates (includes wellness benefit rider):

#### BFM:

Non-Tobacco User						T	obacco Us	er		
Age	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$30,000	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$30,000
<30	\$3.80	\$5.65	\$7.50	\$9.35	\$13.05	\$4.65	\$7.35	\$10.05	\$12.75	\$18.15
30-39	\$5.00	\$8.05	\$11.10	\$14.15	\$20.25	\$6.90	\$11.85	\$16.80	\$21.75	\$31.65
40-49	\$8.80	\$15.65	\$22.50	\$29.35	\$43.05	\$13.25	\$24.55	\$35.85	\$47.15	\$69.75
50-59	\$13.55	\$25.15	\$36.75	\$48.35	\$71.55	\$21.10	\$40.25	\$59.40	\$78.55	\$116.85
60-64	\$18.35	\$34.75	\$51.15	\$67.55	\$100.35	\$29.60	\$57.25	\$84.90	\$112.55	\$167.85
65-69	\$24.95	\$47.95	\$70.95	\$93.95	\$139.95	\$37.10	\$72.25	\$107.40	\$142.55	\$212.85
70+	\$36.95	\$71.95	\$106.95	\$141.95	\$211.95	\$54.80	\$107.65	\$160.50	\$213.35	\$319.05

#### Spouse:

N	Т	obacco Us	ser			
Age	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000
<30	\$4.55	\$7.15	\$9.75	\$5.80	\$9.65	\$13.50
30-39	\$5.80	\$9.65	\$13.50	\$8.05	\$14.15	\$20.25
40-49	\$10.75	\$19.55	\$28.35	\$16.15	\$30.35	\$44.55
50-59	\$19.05	\$36.15	\$53.25	\$30.20	\$58.45	\$86.70
60-64	\$25.05	\$48.15	\$71.25	\$41.40	\$80.85	\$120.30
65-69	\$33.65	\$65.35	\$97.05	\$51.25	\$100.55	\$149.85
70+	\$46.80	\$91.65	\$136.50	\$70.30	\$138.65	\$207.00

#### Child:

Coverage Amount	Rate
\$2,500	\$1.23
\$5,000	\$2.45



#### **Voluntary Short-Term Disability Insurance**

Short-term disability (STD) insurance can help protect your finances if you experience an illness or injury that leaves you unable to work. Your STD benefits will replace 60% of your base pay for up to 13 weeks. These weekly benefits allow you to concentrate on getting better and back to work when possible. The premium amount will be based on your income, age and amount of coverage purchased.

Monthly Premium Rates (per \$10 of weekly benefit)		
<24	\$1.09	
25-29	\$1.27	
30-34	\$1.29	
35-39	\$0.99	
40-44	\$0.85	
45-49	\$0.88	
50-54	\$0.99	
55-59	\$1.17	
60-64	\$1.38	
65-69	\$1.60	
70+	\$1.67	

#### **Additional Assistance**

If you would like to speak with a benefit counselor regarding any of the voluntary benefits listed, please call **866.672.3992** For detailed plan information, updating beneficiary elections, or to file a claim, go to presents.voya.com/eb/landingpage/bickfordcoverage.

#### **Life Insurance with Long-Term Care**

Bickford is excited to be offering a new permanent life insurance plan to all benefit eligible BFMs. Permanent Life insurance is uniquely designed to match the needs of BFMs throughout their lifetime by providing coverage that is meant to follow you wherever you may go in life. With locked in rates and long-term benefits included, this coverage offers more flexibility compared to traditional life insurance. This plan is also being offered without medical questions and a variety of coverage options are available to accommodate your needs and budget. Coverage is available for you, your spouse and/or your children.





#### **FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS (FSA)**

FSAs allow you to pay for certain health care and dependent care expenses using tax-free money deducted from your paychecks.

To participate in an FSA for 2020, you have the opportunity to enroll or re-enroll for the 2020 calendar year during the FSA annual enrollment period held in November 2019. If you are interested in learning more about how the program works, please contact a Benefit Counselor at 866.672.3992.

- New FSA participants will receive a debit card that allows you to pay for eligible expenses directly with funds in your account — no claim forms needed! (Current FSA participants keep their debit cards to use in the new year)
- If you enroll in an FSA, be sure to save your receipts in case you need to validate medical expenses

#### **Health Care FSA**

 You can contribute up to \$2,700 per year on a before-tax basis

#### **Dependent Care FSA**

- You can set aside up to \$5,000 per year.
- However, if you are married and you and your spouse file separate tax returns, the maximum you can contribute is \$2.500 each

#### **Eligible Expenses**

- Eligible 2019 healthcare and dependent care expenses must be incurred no later than March 15, 2020
- Claims must be submitted by March 31, 2020

#### PLAN CAREFULLY!

The IRS has a "use it or lose it" rule which requires that any amounts still in FSAs at year-end must be forfeited.

#### STUDENT LOAN REPAYMENT ASSISTANCE

Bickford Senior Living offers a student loan repayment assistance program that allows BFMs with FAFSA documented loans to receive loan advisory services at no charge. This allows you to view all loans, loan rates and determine whether loans might be consolidated or refinanced to better fit with the current financial situation

Bickford offers a monthly payment towards FAFSA-documented loans in our program. In order to qualify, you must be full- or part-time and employed with Bickford for at least 60 days. Full-time BFMs receive a higher contribution rate by Bickford than part-time BFMs. The amount contributed will be set annually with a lifetime maximum benefit from Bickford of \$3,000.

#### **529 PLAN**

Bickford Senior Living wants to help make saving for college easier. A 529 plan allows BFMs to put money aside for your child or grandchild's college education. There is a minimum \$25 per pay period deposit. This deposit is payroll deducted on an after-tax basis. Full-and part-time BFMs are eligible to enroll.

#### 401(K) PLAN

Smart saving and investing is the foundation for financial security during your retirement years. Our 401(k) plan is designed to help you reach your retirement goals and can be a powerful tool in your secure financial future.

The 401(k) plan is administered by Securian Retirement. Bickford Senior Living will match 0.5% for every 1% contributed by the BFM, up to 6%. For all full- and part-time BFMs age 21 and older, you are eligible on the first of the month following two months of employment.

To enroll, go to securian retirement center.com/enroll and enter **plan number** 068978 and **enrollment code** 068978 enroll.



#### **IMPORTANT CONTACTS**

Resource	Phone Number	Website/E-mail
Bickford Benefit Counselors	866.672.3992	www.bickfordbenefits.com
Medical and Prescription Blue Cross Blue Shield	888.989.8842	BlueKC.com
<b>Dental</b> Delta Dental of Kansas	800.234.3375	DeltaDentalKS.com
<b>Vision</b> VSP	800.877.7195	VSP.com
401(k) Retirement Securian Retirement Christi Orem	913.782.3200	Christi.Orem@enrichinghappiness.com
Voya	877.221.6117	Presents.voya.com/eb/landingpage/bickford- coverage
Flexible Spending Accounts Discovery Benefits	866.451.3399	DiscoveryBenefits.com
Mail-order Prescription Drug Plan Express Scripts	888.218.2579	Express-scripts.com
Student Loan Repayment Assistance Student Loan Genius		Studentloangenius.com genius@studentloangenius.com
<b>529 Plan</b> Renaissance Financial Tyler Anderson	913.344.7756	Tyler.Anderson@rfconline.com



#### **ANNUAL COMPLIANCE NOTICES**

- Premium Assistance under Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)
- Health Insurance Marketplace Coverage Options and Your Health Coverage
- Notice of Privacy Practices
- Newborn & Mothers Health Protection Notice
- Medicare Part D Notice
- COBRA Rights Notice
- Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act
- Expanded Coverage for Women's Preventive Care
- Notice of Special Enrollment Rights
- Wellness Program and Reasonable Alternatives Notice

#### **SUMMARIES OF BENEFITS AND COVERAGE**

The government-required Summaries of Benefits and Coverage (SBCs), which summarize important information about your Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas City medical plan options, are available on **www.bickfordbenefits.com**. A paper copy is also available upon request.



## PREMIUM ASSISTANCE UNDER MEDICAID AND THE CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (CHIP)

If you or your children are eligible for Medicaid or CHIP and you're eligible for health coverage from Bickford Senior Living, your state may have a premium assistance program that can help pay for coverage, using funds from their Medicaid or CHIP programs. If you or your children aren't eligible for Medicaid or CHIP, you won't be eligible for these premium assistance programs, but you may be able to buy individual insurance coverage through the Health Insurance Marketplace. For more information, visit **www.healthcare.gov**.

If you or your dependents are already enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP and you live in a State listed on the following page, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office to find out if premium assistance is available.

If you or your dependents are NOT currently enrolled in Medicaid or CHIP, and you think you or any of your dependents might be eligible for either of these programs, contact your State Medicaid or CHIP office, dial **1-877-KIDS NOW**, or visit **www.insurekidsnow.gov** to find out how to apply. If you qualify, ask your state if it has a program that might help you pay the premiums for an employer-sponsored plan.

If you or your dependents are eligible for premium assistance under Medicaid or CHIP, as well as eligible under your employer plan, your employer must allow you to enroll in your employer plan if you aren't already enrolled. This is called a "special enrollment" opportunity, and **you must request coverage within 60 days of being determined eligible for premium assistance**. If you have questions about enrolling in your employer plan, contact the Department of Labor at **www.askebsa.dol.gov** or call **1-866-444-EBSA (3272).** 

If you live in one of the States listed on the following page, you may be eligible for assistance paying your employer health plan premiums. The list of States is current as of January 31, 2019. Contact your State for further information on eligibility.

To see if any other states have added a premium assistance program since January 31, 2019, or for more information on special enrollment rights, contact either:

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
www.dol.gov/agencies/ebsa

1-866-444-EBSA (3272)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services www.cms.hhs.gov 1-877-267-2323, Menu Option 4, ext. 61565



State	Website/E-mail	Phone
Alabama (Medicaid)	http://www.myalhipp.com	1-855-692-5447
Alaska (Medicaid)	Premium Payment Program: http://myakhipp.com	1-866-251-4861
	Medicaid Eligibility: http://dhss.alaska.gov/dpa/Pages/medicaid/default.aspx	
	E-mail: CustomerService@MyAKHIPP.com	
Arkansas (Medicaid)	http://myarhipp.com/	1-855-692-7447
Florida (Medicaid)	http://www.flmedicaidtplrecovery.com/hipp/	1-877-357-3268
Georgia (Medicaid)	www.medicaid.georgia.gov (click on Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP))	404-656-4507
Indiana (Medicaid)	Healthy Indiana Plan for low-income adults 19-64: http://www.in.gov/fssa/hip/	1-877-438-4479
	All other Medicaid: http://www.indianamedicaid.com	1-800-403-0864
lowa (Medicaid)	http://dhs.iowa.gov/hawk-i	1-800-257-8563
Kansas (Medicaid)	http://www.kdheks.gov/hcf/	1-785-296-3512
Kentucky (Medicaid)	https://chfs.ky.gov	1-800-635-2570
Louisiana (Medicaid)	http://dhh.louisiana.gov/index.cfm/subhome/1/n/331	1-888-695-2447
Maine (Medicaid)	http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofi/public-assistance/index.html	1-800-442-6003
(	<u></u>	TTY: Maine relay 711
Massachusetts (Medicaid and CHIP)	http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/masshealth/	1-800-862-4840
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Minnesota (Medicaid)	https://mn.gov/dhs/people-we-serve/seniors/health-care/health-care-programs/programs-	1-800-657-3739 or
	and-services/other-insurance.jsp	651-431-2670
Missouri (Medicaid)	https://www.dss.mo.gov/mhd/participants/pages/hipp.htm	573-751-2005
Montana (Medicaid)	http://dphhs.mt.gov/MontanaHealthcarePrograms/HIPP	1-800-694-3084
Nebraska (Medicaid)	http://www.ACCESSNebraska.ne.gov	1-855-632-7633
(		Lincoln: 402-473-7000
		Omaha: 402-595-1178
Nevada (Medicaid)	http://dhcfp.nv.gov/	1-800-992-0900
New Hampshire (Medicaid)	https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/oii/hipp.htm	603-271-5218 or
(,	<del>р.,,</del>	1-800-852-3345, ext. 5218
New Jersey (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: http://www.state.nj.us/humanservices/dmahs/clients/medicaid/	Medicaid: 609-631-2392
, ,	CHIP: http://www.njfamilycare.org/index.html	CHIP: 1-800-701-0710
New York (Medicaid)	https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/	1-800-541-2831
North Carolina (Medicaid)	https://dma.ncdhhs.gov/	919-855-4100
North Dakota (Medicaid)	http://www.nd.gov/dhs/services/medicalserv/medicaid/	1-844-854-4825
Oklahoma (Medicaid and CHIP)	http://www.insureoklahoma.org	1-888-365-3742
Oregon (Medicaid)	http://healthcare.oregon.gov/Pages/index.aspx	1-800-699-9075
oregon (Medicala)	http://www.oregonhealthcare.gov/index-es.html	1 000 033 3073
Pennsylvania (Medicaid)	http://www.dhs.pa.gov/provider/medicalassistance/healthinsurancepremium	1-800-692-7462
i emisyrvama (wealcala)	paymenthippprogram/index.htm	1 000 032 7 102
Rhode Island (Medicaid)	http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/	1-855-697-4347
South Carolina (Medicaid)	https://www.scdhhs.gov	1-888-549-0820
South Dakota (Medicaid)	http://dss.sd.gov	1-888-828-0059
Texas (Medicaid)	http://gethipptexas.com/	1-800-440-0493
Utah (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: https://medicaid.utah.gov/	1-877-543-7669
סנמון (ואוכטונמוט מווט כו וור)	CHIP: http://health.utah.gov/chip	1-011-0 <del>4</del> 0-1002
Vermont (Medicaid)	http://www.greenmountaincare.org/	1-800-250-8427
Virginia (Medicaid and CHIP)	Medicaid: http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm	Medicaid: 1-800-432-5924
virginia (iviculcalu allu CNIP)	CHIP: http://www.coverva.org/programs_premium_assistance.cfm	CHIP: 1-855-242-8282
Washington (Medicaid)	http://www.hca.wa.gov/free-or-low-cost-health-care/program-administration/premium-	1-800-562-3022, Ext. 15473
wasiiiigtoii (wedicald)		1-000-302-3022, EXL. 134/3
Most Virginia (Modicaid)	payment-program  http://musushing.com/	1 955 600 9447
West Virginia (Medicaid)	http://mywvhipp.com/	1-855-699-8447
Wisconsin (Medicaid and CHIP)	https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/publications/p1/p10095.pdf	1-800-362-3002
Wyoming (Medicaid)	https://health.wyo.gov/healthcarefin/medicaid/	307-777-7531



## HEALTH INSURANCE MARKETPLACE COVERAGE OPTIONS AND YOUR HEALTH COVERAGE

#### **PART A: General Information**

Since key parts of the health care law took effect in 2014, there is another way to buy health insurance: The Health Insurance Marketplace. To assist you as you evaluate options for you and your family, this notice provides some basic information about the Marketplace and employment-based health coverage offered by your employer.

#### What is the Health Insurance Marketplace?

The Marketplace is designed to help you find health insurance that meets your needs and fits your budget. The Marketplace offers "one-stop shopping" to find and compare private health insurance options. You may also be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium right away. Typically, you can enroll in a Marketplace health plan during the Marketplace's annual Open Enrollment period or if you experience a qualifying life event.

#### Can I Save Money on my Health Insurance Premiums in the Marketplace?

You may qualify to save money and lower your monthly premium, but only if your employer does not offer coverage, or offers coverage that doesn't meet certain standards. The savings on your premium that you're eligible for depends on your household income.

#### Does Employer Health Coverage Affect Eligibility for Premium Savings through the Marketplace?

Yes. If you have an offer of health coverage from your employer that meets certain standards, you will not be eligible for a tax credit through the Marketplace and may wish to enroll in your employer's health plan. However, you may be eligible for a tax credit that lowers your monthly premium or a reduction in certain cost-sharing if your employer does not offer coverage to you at all or does not offer coverage that meets certain standards. If the cost of a plan from your employer that would cover you (and not any other members of your family) is more than 9.5% of your household income for the year, or if the coverage your employer provides does not meet the "minimum value" standard set by the Affordable Care Act, you may be eligible for a tax credit.

Note: If you purchase a health plan through the Marketplace instead of accepting health coverage offered by your employer, then you may lose the employer contribution (if any) to the employer-offered coverage. Also, this employer contribution — as well as your employee contribution to employer-offered coverage — is often excluded from income for Federal and State income tax purposes. Your payments for coverage through the Marketplace are made on an aftertax basis.

#### **How Can I Get More Information?**

For more information about your coverage offered by your employer, please check your summary plan description or contact Human Resources.

The Marketplace can help you evaluate your coverage options, including your eligibility for coverage through the Marketplace and its cost. Please visit HealthCare.gov for more information, including an online application for health insurance coverage and contact information for a Health Insurance Marketplace in your area.



#### **PART B: Information About Health Coverage Offered by Your Employer**

This section contains information about any health coverage offered by your employer. If you decide to complete an application for coverage in the Marketplace, you will be asked to provide this information. This information is numbered to correspond to the Marketplace application.

3. Employer name			4. Employer Identification Number (EIN)	
Bickford Senior Living Group, LLC			48-1102899	
5. Employer address			6. Employer phone number	
13795 S Mur-Len Rd			913.782.3200	
7. City			State	9. ZIP code
Olathe			KS	66062
10. Who can we contact about employee health coverage at this job?				
Christy Dienstbier, Vice President of BFM Support				
11. Phone number (if different from above)	12. E-mail address			
	Christy.dienstbeir@bickfordseniorliving.com			

Here is some basic information about health coverage offered by this employer:

• As your employer, we offer a health plan to some employees.

Eligible employees are:

- All fulltime employees working 30 or more hours per week
- With respect to dependents, we do offer coverage.

Eligible dependents are:

- Legal spouse and dependent children (up to the end of the month that they turn age 26). Disabled children over age 26 with supporting documentation.
- If checked, this coverage meets the minimum value standard, and the cost of this coverage to you is intended to be affordable, based on employee wages.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Even if your employer intends your coverage to be affordable, you may still be eligible for a premium discount through the Marketplace. The Marketplace will use your household income, along with other factors, to determine whether you may be eligible for a premium discount. If, for example, your wages vary from week to week (perhaps you are an hourly employee or you work on a commission basis), if you are newly employed mid-year, or if you have other income losses, you may still qualify for a premium discount.



## IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM BICKFORD SENIOR LIVING ABOUT YOUR PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE AND MEDICARE

Please read this notice carefully and keep it where you can find it. This notice has information about your current prescription drug coverage with Bickford Senior Living and about your options under Medicare's prescription drug coverage. This information can help you decide whether or not you want to join a Medicare drug plan. If you are considering joining, you should compare your current coverage, including which drugs are covered at what cost, with the coverage and costs of the plans offering Medicare prescription drug coverage in your area. Information about where you can get help to make decisions about your prescription drug coverage is at the end of this notice.

### There are two important things you need to know about your current coverage and Medicare's prescription drug coverage:

Medicare prescription drug coverage became available in 2006 to everyone with Medicare. You can get this coverage if you join a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan or join a Medicare Advantage Plan (like an HMO or PPO) that offers prescription drug coverage. All Medicare drug plans provide at least a standard level of coverage set by Medicare. Some plans may also offer more coverage for a higher monthly premium.

BlueCross BlueShield of Kansas City (BCBSKC) has determined that the prescription drug coverage offered by the Bickford plans are, on average for all plan participants, expected to pay out as much as standard Medicare prescription drug coverage pays and is therefore considered Creditable Coverage. Because your existing coverage is Creditable Coverage, you can keep this coverage and not pay a higher premium (a penalty) if you later decide to join a Medicare drug plan.

#### When Can You Join a Medicare Drug Plan?

You can join a Medicare drug plan when you first become eligible for Medicare and each year from **October 15th through December 7th**.

However, if you lose your current creditable prescription drug coverage, through no fault of your own, you will also be eligible for a two (2) month Special Enrollment Period (SEP) to join a Medicare drug plan.

#### What Happens to Your Current Coverage If You Decide to Join a Medicare Drug Plan?

If you decide to join a Medicare drug plan, your current plan with BCBSKC will not be affected. If you do decide to join a Medicare drug plan and drop your current BCBSKC plan coverage, be aware that you and your dependents may not be able to get this coverage back until next open enrollment.

#### When Will You Pay A Higher Premium (Penalty) To Join a Medicare Drug Plan?

You should also know that if you drop or lose your current coverage with BCBSKC and don't join a Medicare drug plan within 63 continuous days after your current coverage ends, you may pay a higher premium (a penalty) to join a Medicare drug plan later.

If you go 63 continuous days or longer without creditable prescription drug coverage, your monthly premium may go up by at least 1% of the Medicare base beneficiary premium per month for every month that you did not have that coverage. For example, if you go nineteen months without creditable coverage, your premium may consistently be at least 19% higher than the Medicare base beneficiary premium. You may have to pay this higher premium (a penalty) as long as you have Medicare prescription drug coverage. In addition, you may have to wait until the following October to join.

#### For More Information About This Notice or Your Current Prescription Drug Coverage...

Contact the person listed below for further information. **NOTE**: You'll get this notice each year. You will also get it before the next period you can join a Medicare drug plan, and if this coverage through BCBSKC changes. You also may request a copy of this notice at any time.



#### For More Information About Your Options Under Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage...

More detailed information about Medicare plans that offer prescription drug coverage is in the "Medicare & You" handbook. You'll get a copy of the handbook in the mail every year from Medicare. You may also be contacted directly by Medicare drug plans.

For more information about Medicare prescription drug coverage:

- Visit www.medicare.gov
- Call your State Health Insurance Assistance Program (see the inside back cover of your copy of the "Medicare & You" handbook for their telephone number) for personalized help
- Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227). TTY users should call 1-877-486-2048.

If you have limited income and resources, extra help paying for Medicare prescription drug coverage is available. For information about this extra help, visit Social Security on the web at www.socialsecurity.gov, or call them at 1-800-772-1213 (TTY 1-800-325-0778).

Remember: Keep this Creditable Coverage notice. If you decide to join one of the Medicare drug plans, you may be required to provide a copy of this notice when you join to show whether or not you have maintained creditable coverage and, therefore, whether or not you are required to pay a higher premium (a penalty).

May 10, 2019
Bickford Senior Living
13795 S Mur-Len Rd, Olathe, KS 66062
Human Resources
Christy Dienstbier 913.782.3200
Christy.dienstbier@bickfordseniorliving.com



#### **WOMEN'S HEALTH AND CANCER RIGHTS ACT OF 1998**

If you have had or are going to have a mastectomy, you may be entitled to certain benefits under the Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act of 1998 (WHCRA). For individuals receiving mastectomy-related benefits, coverage will be provided in a manner determined in consultations with the attending physician and the patient, for:

- All states of reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance
- Prostheses
- Treatment of physical complications of the mastectomy, including lymphedema

These benefits will be provided subject to the same deductibles, copays and coinsurance applicable to other medical and surgical benefits provided under your medical plan. For more information on WHCRA benefits, contact your medical plan administrator.

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#### **HIPAA NOTICE OF SPECIAL ENROLLMENT RIGHTS**

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) requires group health plans to provide a special enrollment opportunity to an employee (or COBRA enrollee) upon the occurrence of specific events. This Chart summarizes the qualifying events and the corresponding special enrollment rights. This notice is being provided to ensure that you understand your right to apply for the Bickford Group Health Care Plan. You should read this notice even if you plan to waive coverage at this time.

EVENT	SPECIAL ENROLLMENT RIGHT
Acquisition of New Dependent(s) due to Marriage	<ul> <li>Employee may enroll the employee (if not previously enrolled).</li> <li>Employee may also enroll newly-eligible spouse and/or newly-eligible stepchild(ren).</li> </ul>
Acquisition of New Child due to birth or adoption (including placement for adoption)	<ul> <li>Employee may enroll the employee (if not previously enrolled).</li> <li>Employee may also enroll spouse and/or newly-eligible child(ren).</li> </ul>
Gain Eligibility for Premium Assistance Subsidy under Medicaid or CHIP	Employee may enroll the employee and the spouse or child(ren) who have become eligible for the premium assistance.
Loss of Other Health Coverage if due to:  Loss of eligibility.  Death of spouse; divorce, legal separation  Child loses status (e.g. reaches age limit)  Employment change (e.g. termination, reduction in hours, unpaid FMLA)  Expiration of COBRA maximum period  Moving out of HMO plan's service area  Other employer terminates its plan (or discontinues	<ul> <li>Employee may enroll the employee (if not previously enrolled).</li> <li>Employee may also enroll spouse and/or children who have lost other health coverage.</li> <li>Note: Person losing the Other Health Coverage must have had the other coverage since the date of this employer plan's most recent enrollment opportunity.</li> </ul>
employer contributions)  Loss of Medicaid or CHIP coverage	Employee may enroll the employee and the spouse or child(ren) who have lost Medicaid/CHIP entitlement.

#### **Notes:**

- 1. HIPAA Special Enrollees must be given 31 days (from the date of the event) to enroll.
- 2. For events related to Medicaid/CHIP, the special enrollment period is 60 days.
- 3. Special enrollment, if elected, must take effect no later than the first day of the month following the enrollment request. If the event is the birth or adoption of a child, the special enrollment must take effect retroactively on the date of birth or adoption (or placement for adoption).

To request special enrollment or obtain more information, please contact: Bickford Senior Living
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#### **NOTICE REGARDING WELLNESS PROGRAM**

Bickford Senior Living Wellness Program, administered by BlueKC, is a voluntary wellness program available to all employees. The program is administered according to federal rules permitting employer-sponsored wellness programs that seek to improve employee health or prevent disease, including the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, as applicable, among others. If you choose to participate in the wellness program you will be asked to complete a voluntary health risk assessment or "HRA" that asks a series of questions about your health-related activities and behaviors and whether you have or had certain medical conditions (e.g., cancer, diabetes, or heart disease). You will also be asked to complete a biometric screening, which will include a blood test for [be specific about the conditions for which blood will be tested.] You are not required to complete the HRA or to participate in the blood test or other medical examinations.

However, employees who choose to participate in the wellness program will receive an incentive as outlined in the Open Enrollment Guide for completing the HRA and biometric screening or routine preventive exam. Although you are not required to complete the HRA or participate in the biometric screening, only employees who do so will receive the incentive.

The information from your HRA and the results from your biometric screening will be used to provide you with information to help you understand your current health and potential risks. You also are encouraged to share your results or concerns with your own doctor.

#### **Protections from Disclosure of Medical Information**

We are required by law to maintain the privacy and security of your personally identifiable health information. Although the wellness program and Bickford Senior Living may use aggregate information it collects to design a program based on identified health risks in the workplace, the wellness program will never disclose any of your personal information either publicly or to the employer, except as necessary to respond to a request from you for a reasonable accommodation needed to participate in the wellness program, or as expressly permitted by law. Medical information that personally identifies you that is provided in connection with the wellness program will not be provided to your supervisors or managers and may never be used to make decisions regarding your employment.

Your health information will not be sold, exchanged, transferred, or otherwise disclosed except to the extent permitted by law to carry out specific activities related to the wellness program, and you will not be asked or required to waive the confidentiality of your health information as a condition of participating in the wellness program or receiving an incentive. Anyone who receives your information for purposes of providing you services as part of the wellness program will abide by the same confidentiality requirements. The only individual(s) who will receive your personally identifiable health information are business associates of Bickford Senior Living in order to provide you with services under the wellness program.

In addition, all medical information obtained through the wellness program will be maintained separate from your personnel records, information stored electronically will be encrypted, and no information you provide as part of the wellness program will be used in making any employment decision. Appropriate precautions will be taken to avoid any data breach, and in the event a data breach occurs involving information you provide in connection with the wellness program, we will notify you immediately.

#### **BICKFORD SENIOR LIVING**



You may not be discriminated against in employment because of the medical information you provide as part of participating in the wellness program, nor may you be subjected to retaliation if you choose not to participate.

If you have questions or concerns regarding this notice, or about protections against discrimination and retaliation, please contact:

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employer. The text contained in this Guide was taken from various summary plan descriptions and benefit information. While
every effort was taken to accurately report your benefits, discrepancies, or errors are always possible. In case of discrepancy
between the Guide and the actual plan documents the actual plan documents will prevail. All information is confidential,
pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. If you have any questions about your Guide,
please refer to your Employee Manual for additional information or contact your benefits manager.