



Health Talk



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United
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Lather up

The whole family should wear sunscreen any time you go outside this summer. Use a sunscreen that is broad spectrum, water resistant and has a sun protection factor (SPF) of 30 or higher.



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Controlling asthma

If you have asthma, join the club. About 25 million people in the U.S. have it. There's no cure for asthma, but proper care can help you live a normal life.

You can control your asthma by taking medications as directed by your provider and avoiding any triggers that may cause an attack. Having a written asthma action plan can also help. Your plan should tell you which medicines to take and when to take them. It should help you know if you should stop what you are doing if you don't feel well. The plan also should tell you when to call your provider and when to seek emergency care.



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Healthy mind, healthy body

You are not alone

According to the National Alliance on Mental Illness, millions of people in the United States are affected by mental illness. In fact, 1 in 5 adults and 1 in 6 adolescents have a mental health concern. One of the most common mental health conditions is having an anxiety disorder.

Anxiety disorders are different from normal feelings of being nervous or anxious. They are feelings of fear or anxiety that do not go away. They can also get worse over time.

If you have a mental health concern, help is available. Some good first steps to take are:

- Call Member Services at **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**
- Make an appointment to talk with a health care provider
- Learn more about mental health at [cdc.gov/mentalhealth](https://www.cdc.gov/mentalhealth)



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Just for you

Get personalized health plan information

When you sign up for myuhc.com/communityplan, you'll get tools to help you use your plan. You can:

- See your member ID card at any time
- Get help with using your benefits
- Find a provider or pharmacy near you
- Update your preferences to get communications the way you want, including texts and emails



Sign up today. It only takes a few minutes. Then you can log in anytime. To get started, visit myuhc.com/communityplan.

Health care for everyone

UnitedHealthcare is committed to making the health system better. We are working to provide quality and unbiased care for all members — no matter their race, place or situation.



We want to hear about your experience with UnitedHealthcare. Call Member Services toll-free at the phone number in the resource corner on Page 4 of this newsletter to let us know how we're doing.

Summer bucket list

5 healthy and fun activities to check off your bucket list this summer

Are you looking for fun ideas to get moving this summer? Here are 5 simple activities to try.



1. Take a walk, and track your steps. Walks are a great way to get low-impact exercise. Use a step-tracking app on your phone to watch your progress.



2. Check out a farmers market. Go with your family to learn about the food you eat. Farmers markets are a great place to get quality and nutritious produce.



3. Have a barbecue or picnic. Summer is the time for eating outdoors with family and friends. Try our recipe for a bright and healthy side dish: [healthtalksiderecipe.myuhc.com](https://www.healthtalksiderecipe.myuhc.com).



4. Plant a garden. Gardening is a fun and educational activity for the whole family. Take notes on what works well. Then watch your garden grow.



5. Take in a game. Sporting events are more than just fun to watch. They can also get your children excited about physical activity.

Explore more

Looking for even more activities to do this summer? Check out the list of state tourism websites at [usa.gov/state-travel-and-tourism](https://www.usa.gov/state-travel-and-tourism).



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Resource corner

Member Services: Find a provider, ask benefit questions or get help scheduling an appointment, in any language (toll-free).

1-866-292-0359, TTY 711

Our website: Find a provider, view your benefits or see your member ID card, wherever you are.

myuhc.com/communityplan

NurseLine: Get health advice from a nurse 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (toll-free).

1-866-351-6827, TTY 711

Member Rights and

Responsibilities:

To see member rights and responsibilities, please refer to member resources at:

uhccommunityplan.com/mo/medicaid/mo-health-net

Live and Work Well:

Find articles, self-care tools, caring providers, and mental health and substance use resources.

liveandworkwell.com

Transportation benefits at no cost for eligible members to and from your doctor visits:

Call Member Services to make a reservation. When asked why you are calling, say “transportation.”

1-866-292-0359, TTY 711

Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–5 p.m.



Beat the rush

Wellness visits are important for children as they head back to school

Children should have wellness visits throughout childhood and adolescence. These checkups are especially important for going back to school. A wellness visit may include:

- A physical exam
- Vaccines
- Vision and hearing tests
- Discussion of physical activity and diet
- Developmental screenings for speech, nutrition, growth and overall social and emotional milestones
- Questions about your child’s health and health history
- Lab tests, such as urine and blood tests

During the checkup, ask your child’s provider if your child is up to date with their vaccines. Vaccines protect your child and others from getting sick. You can view the childhood vaccine schedule at **cdc.gov/vaccines**. If your child missed any of their vaccines this year, it’s not too late to get them.



Get checked. Call your child’s provider to make an appointment today. To find a new provider, visit **myuhc.com/communityplan**. Or call Member Services toll-free at the phone number listed in the resource corner at left.



UnitedHealthcare Community Plan does not treat members differently because of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability.

If you think you were not treated fairly due to race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, you can file a grievance. File it with:

Civil Rights Coordinator
UnitedHealthcare Civil Rights Grievance
P.O. Box 30608
Salt Lake City, UTAH 84130
UHC_Civil_Rights@uhc.com
1-866-292-0359, TTY 711

You may file on the phone, in person or in writing.

If you need help with your grievance, call **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**. Hours are 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Online:

<https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>

Get complaint forms at: **<http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>**

Phone:

Toll-free **1-800-368-1019, 1-800-537-7697** (TDD)

Mail:

U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201

We provide communication help at no cost for people with disabilities. This includes materials with large print. It includes audio, electronic and other formats. We also provide American sign language interpreters. If English is not your main language, you may ask for an interpreter. We also provide materials in other languages. To ask for help, call **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**. Hours are 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday.

ATTENTION: If you do not speak English, language assistance services, at no cost to you, are available. Call **1-866-292-0359**, **TTY 711**.

Spanish

ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al **1-866-292-0359**, **TTY 711**.

Traditional Chinese

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 **1-866-292-0359**，**TTY 711**。

Vietnamese

LƯU Ý: Nếu quý vị nói Tiếng Việt, chúng tôi có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí. Vui lòng gọi số **1-866-292-0359**, **TTY 711**.

Serbo- Croatian

OBAVJEŠTENJE: Ako govorite srpsko-hrvatski, usluge jezičke pomoći dostupne su besplatno. Nazovite **1-866-292-0359**, **TTY 711**.

German

HINWEIS: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen kostenlose Sprachendienste zur Verfügung. Wählen Sie: **1-866-292-0359**, **TTY 711**.

Arabic

تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث العربية، تتوفر خدمات المساعدة اللغوية مجانًا. اتصل على الرقم

1-866-292-0359 ، الهاتف النصي **711** .

Korean

참고: 한국어를 하시는 경우, 통역 서비스를 비용 부담 없이 이용하실 수 있습니다. **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711** 로 전화하십시오.

Russian

ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите по-русски, вы можете воспользоваться услугами переводчика, без каких-либо затрат. Звоните по тел **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**.

French

ATTENTION : Si vous parlez français, vous pouvez obtenir une assistance linguistique sans aucun frais. Appelez le **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**.

Tagalog

ATENSYON: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, may magagamit na serbisyo ng pantulong sa wika, nang wala kang gagastusin. Tumawag sa **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711**.

Pennsylvania Dutch

WICHTIG: Wann du Deitsch (Pennsylvania Dutch) schwetze duscht, kannscht du ebber griege fer helfe mit Englisch unni as es dich ennich ebbes koschte zellt. Ruf **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711** aa.

Farsi

توجه: اگر به زبان فارسی صحبت می کنید، خدمات ترجمه زبان به صورت رایگان به شما ارائه خواهد شد. لطفاً با شماره تلفن **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711** تماس بگیرید.

Oromo

XIYYEEFFANNAA: Afaan dubbattu Oroomiffa yoo ta'e, tajaajilli gargaarsa afaanii baasii kee malee, ni argama. Bilbilaa **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.**

Portuguese

ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, encontram-se disponíveis serviços linguísticos, sem custo nenhum. Ligue para **1-866-292-0359, TTY 711.**

Amharic

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