



PIPE TRADES SERVICES MN

## HEALTH & PENSION FUNDS

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### SUMMARY OF MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS TO THE PIPE TRADES SERVICES MN WELFARE FUND

The Board of Trustees of the Pipe Trades Services MN Welfare Trust have amended the Pipe Trades Services MN Welfare Fund (the “Welfare Fund”) effective May 27, 2021, to:

- A. Provide contact information for its new specialty drug provider—Optum Specialty Pharmacy.
- B. Update contact information for its dental services provider—Delta Dental.
- C. Restate the summary of dental coverage available to Retirees and their Dependents in the Benefits Booklet for Pre-Medicare Retirees and their Dependents.
- D. Remove the \$2,000 annual limitation for participation in sleep studies, but continue to require Prior Authorization.
- E. Within the definition of “Disability Retirement” in the Benefits Booklet for Pre-Medicare Retirees and their Dependents, remove the requirement that applicants are not able to engage in any substantial gainful activity for purposes of determining whether there is a total and permanent disability.
- F. Remove the definition of “Disability Retirement” from the Benefits Booklet for Support Workers and their Dependents and for Helpers and Pre-Apprentices.
- G. Correct a formatting error at the top of replacement page 44 of the Benefits Booklet for Support Workers and their Dependents and for Helpers and Pre-Apprentices by removing the definition of “Contributing Employer” and part of the definition of “Contribution” because that language already appears at the bottom of page 43.

The above change is reflected in the following replacement pages which are available with a verified account at [www.healthpartners.com](http://www.healthpartners.com) or by calling the Fund Office:

- Pages 6, 9 and 27 of the Benefits Booklet for Journeymen, Apprentices, and their Dependents;
- Pages 6, 8, 13, 25 and 77 of the Benefits Booklet for Pre-Medicare Retirees and their Dependents; and
- Pages 6, 8 and 22 of the Benefits Booklet for Support Workers and their Dependents, Helpers and Pre-Apprentices.

This SMM merely summarizes amendments to the Pipe Trades Services MN Welfare Fund for your convenience. Your benefits are determined in accordance with the applicable Plan Document and Summary Plan Description. Contact the Fund Office at (651) 645-4540 if you have any questions.