



## **HCCSC - Near Site Clinic**

### Frequently Asked Questions – Clinic Medications For HCCSC insured employees and dependents

#### Q: What do the medications on the drug list cost if I get them filled at the Near Site Clinic?

A: As a benefit to you, your employer has taken financial responsibility for medications you obtain directly from the Near Site Clinic or those which are on the approved list of mail order medications. Please refer to these lists for which are covered at no cost to you.

#### Q: Can I bring a prescription from another physician, for one of the medication on the free list, to the Near Site Clinic to be filled?

A: Filling prescriptions from other physicians would require the Near Site Clinic to function as a pharmacy; which it cannot. Medications distributed at the Near Site Clinic are based on acute illness as determined by the Near Site Clinic provider at the time of service, and only after a short visit has occurred.

#### Q: If I already use a medication for a long-term health condition but it is not on the list of drugs the Near Site Clinic Mail Order Service offers, can I change it to a medication the Near Site Clinic Mail Order Service does offer?

A: If your maintenance medication is not included on the drug list for the Near Site Clinic please approach your primary care physician about making a change to the medication you are currently taking to one offered at the Near Site Clinic. They will need to review your medical history to ensure there will not be any complications from changing your medication.

# Q: What if I see a Near Site Clinic provider and they prescribe a medication that is not included on the Near Site Clinic or Mail Service drug list?

A: If the Near Site Clinic provider determines you need a medication that we do not offer in the clinic, they will write you a prescription you can fill at the pharmacy of your choice. If you chose to go to another outpatient pharmacy, your prescription co-pay/fees will apply.

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