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RE: Alameda Alliance for Health – 2020 Medi-Cal Member Handbook: Combined Evidence of Coverage (EOC) and Disclosure Form: Errata Sheet

Dear Alliance Member,

This is an important update to your 2020 Alameda Alliance for Health (Alliance) Member Handbook: Combined Evidence of Coverage (EOC) and Disclosure Form. We previously sent you a Member Handbook, which provides information about your covered benefits as an Alliance member.

The information below was added to your current Member Handbook for the benefit year from April 1, 2020 – March 30, 2021. Please keep this document with your Member Handbook for your reference.

Section 4: Benefits and Services

Medi-Cal benefits covered by Alameda Alliance for Health

The Provisional Postpartum Care Extension Program

The Provisional Postpartum Care Extension (PPCE) Program provides extended coverage for Medi-Cal members who have a maternal mental health condition during pregnancy or the time period after pregnancy.

Alameda Alliance for Health covers maternal mental health care for women during pregnancy and for up to two months after the end of pregnancy. The PPCE program extends that coverage for up to 12 months after the diagnosis or from the end of the pregnancy, whichever is later.

To qualify for the PPCE program, your doctor must confirm your diagnosis of a maternal mental health condition within 150 days after the end of pregnancy. Ask your doctor about these services if you think you need them. If your doctor thinks you should have the services from PPCE, your doctor completes and submits the forms for you.

If you have any questions, please call:

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You are not required to take any action in response to this document, but we recommend you keep this information for your reference.

Best of Health, Alameda Alliance for Health