

Sponsor Edition

# Focus Update



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## Update: Continuing benefits coverage during COVID-19

On [March 25, 2020](#), we let you know about your options about continuing coverage during this time.

There is a change to continuing coverage during temporary lay-offs. You may maintain coverage during a temporary layoff for six months, instead of three months. This applies to all benefits, except disability. If you decide to extend benefits for six months, you'll need to tell us to end disability benefits at the three month mark.

We hope this change gives plan members continued access to their group benefits coverage.

### Questions? We're here to help.

Please check our Group Benefits [COVID-19](#) website daily for updates. If you have questions about our response to COVID-19, please don't hesitate to call your Group Benefits representative.

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