

## **Important Information Regarding the Recent Cyberattack on Change Healthcare**

Change Healthcare, a unit of UnitedHealth Group (UHG), experienced a cybersecurity incident in late February 2024. Change Healthcare is a major clearinghouse for electronic transactions in the healthcare industry. Therefore, the incident has caused problems related to the electronic billing and payment of healthcare services nationwide. The Funds' claims vendor, HealthSmart Benefit Solutions, Inc. (HBS), took immediate steps to utilize a different clearinghouse, Optum Insight, to receive providers' transactions.

**For Beneficiaries:** The Funds cares about the protection of your personal health information. We are closely monitoring UHG's response to this incident. To date, UHG has not released information concerning whether any data was breached. If a data breach is reported, Change Healthcare will be required to take certain actions, including notifying affected individuals. Please contact the Funds' Call Center at 1-800-291-1425, if you have any questions or concerns.

**For Providers:** The Funds' Electronic Data Interface (EDI) number has not changed. Please contact the Funds' Call Center at 1-800-291-1425 if you have any questions or need assistance billing the Funds at this time.