

Welcome to the California Schools VEBA. VEBA purchases and administers your health care benefits. What this means to you is that you get more benefits at a more reasonable cost than if your district purchased benefits on its own. Based on your district, you can enroll yourself and your eligible family members in a health plan through either Kaiser Permanente or UnitedHealthcare.

VEBA is committed to helping you and your family be healthy and stay healthy. To make sure you choose the health plan and doctors that are best for you, we encourage you to research all of the plan benefits that are available to you as well as the medical groups and doctors you use. You can do this by visiting the California Office of the Patient Advocate at www.opa.org.

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

This form has the following three sections.

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<ul> <li>Section 1. Employee Enrollment Information (ALL employees must complete Parts A, B, and C of this section)</li> <li>□ Fill in all the information requested (Kaiser Permanente members and UnitedHealthcare PPO plan members do NOT have to include a Primary Care Provider (PCP) name or number)</li> <li>□ Check with your employer to determine if domestic partnership coverage is available</li> <li>□ You can enroll your eligible dependents up to age 26</li> <li>□ Proof of permanent disability is required for dependents over age 26</li> </ul>	
Section 2. Employee Signature Required for Binding Arbitration Agreement  All employees must sign the Binding Arbitration agreement as a requirement of the plan you select  If you don't sign your health plan's Binding Arbitration agreement your enrollment may be denied	
Section 3. UnitedHealthcare (UHC) Information  Employees enrolling in a UHC Plan must review and sign the "Release of Medical Information" section	
IMPORTANT NOTE: If you enroll in the UnitedHealthcare Performance HMO Plan:  ☐ You and any dependents must ALL enroll in the same network ☐ You and each of your dependents will remain in your selected network and HMO plan for the ENTIRE plan year ☐ You and your dependents can choose separate Medical Groups as long as they are in the same network ☐ You must select a Primary Care Provider—if you do not select a PCP, one will be assigned to you	

SECTION	11. ENKOLLMENT	INFURIM	AHON								
A. Your In	formation (please prir	nt on all sed	ctions of	form)						D. Empl	oyer to Complete This Section
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Residence Mailing Address:		City:			State:		Zip Code:	□Employee Status Change □Dependent Status Change □New Hire			
Home Telephone:		Work Telephone: Birt		Birth D	n Date (mm-dd-yy):		□Rehire □□Termination				
Social Security No. (SSN):		Marit	arital Status: □Single □Married □Divorced			rced 🗆	□Widow □Domestic Partner			│	
PCP Name: PCP			P Number:			,	Are You an Existing Patient? □Yes □No			Enrollment Event Date: Employee Class:	
Are you currently on COBRA? □Yes □No							Your Email Address:		□Active □Retired □Leave □COBRA		
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B. Select	Your Coverage										
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☐Self ☐Self + 1 Dependent ☐Self + 2 or more Dependents		(If your o	(If your district offers a choice, (If your distri			hcare HMO Plan t offers the Performance HMO, ose one Network for your family.)		amily.)	□UnitedHealth Signature Va Advantage H	alue	□UnitedHealthcare PPO Plan
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C. Depend	dent Information (atta	ch additior	nal sheet	ts if necess	ary)						
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□Add □Delete □Change Dependent Name (Last, First, MI)		□M □F	Address (if different from yours)			Birth Date (mm-dd-yy)		SSN: PCP Name: PCP No.:		CP Name:	

# SECTION 2. EMPLOYEE SIGNATURE REQUIRED FOR BINDING ARBITRATION AGREEMENT

Based on the health plan you enroll in, you must sign the plan's Binding Arbitration agreement for your enrollment to be effective.

• Sign A below for Kaiser plan

• Sign B below for UnitedHealthcare plan

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan, Inc., I understand that (except for Small Claim procedure regulation, or any claims that ties on the one hand and Kaiser Founda other associated parties on the other ha cal or hospital malpractice (a claim that or relating to the coverage for, or deliver resort to court process, except as applic	and Kaiser Permanente Insurance C ns Court cases, claims subject to a Medic cannot be subject to binding arbitration of tion Health Plan, Inc. (KFHP), Kaiser Pern nd, for alleged violation of any duty arisin medical services were unnecessary or ur y of, services or items, irrespective of leg cable law provides for judicial review of ar	ompany Arbitration Agreement* are appeals procedure, and, if I am enrolled under governing law) any dispute between n nanente Insurance Company (KPIC)*, any co g out of or related to membership in KFHP o nauthorized or were improperly, negligently, o al theory, must be decided by binding arbitra	in coverage that is subject to the ERISA claims myself, my heirs, relatives, or other associated parantracted health care providers, administrators, or or coverage by KPIC, including any claim for medior incompetently rendered), for premises liability, ation under California law and not by lawsuit or right to a jury trial and accept the use of binding surance.
☐ By checking this box, I am indicating	g that I have carefully read the above "B	inding Arbitration" agreement and agree to	its terms.
Employee Signature	Employee Name (please print)	Date (month/day/year)	
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B. UnitedHealthcare Plan Men	nbers Binding Arbitration Agree	ement (Read and sign this section ONL	Y if you enroll in a UnitedHealthcare Plan)
CLAIMS OF MEDICAL MALPRACTIC SARY OR UNAUTHORIZED OR WE BETWEEN MYSELF AND MY DEPE UNITEDHEALTHCARE OR ANY OF ANY SUCH DISPUTE WILL NOT BE VIDES FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW OF A TO HAVE ANY SUCH DISPUTE DEC YOUR SIGNATURE	ANY AND ALL DISPUTES, INCLUDIN CE (THAT IS, AS TO WHETHER ANY IN RE IMPROPERLY, NEGLIGENTLY OF NDENTS ENROLLED IN THE PLAN (I ITS PARENTS, SUBSIDIARIES OR AF RESOLVED BY A LAWSUIT OR RESO ARBITRATION PROCEEDINGS. ALL F CIDED IN A COURT OF LAW BEFORE	MEDICAL SERVICES RENDERED UNDE R INCOMPETENTLY RENDERED), EXCE NCLUDING ANY HEIRS OR ASSIGNS) A FFILIATES, SHALL BE DETERMINED BY ORT TO COURT PROCESS, EXCEPT AS PARTIES TO THIS AGREEMENT ARE GI	AND UNITEDHEALTHCARE OF CALIFORNIA, SUBMISSION TO BINDING ARBITRATION. STHE FEDERAL ARBITRATION ACT PROVING UP THEIR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS NG THE USE OF BINDING ARBITRATION.
Employee Signature	Employee Name (please print)	Date (month/day/year)	

# **SECTION 3. UNITEDHEALTHCARE PLAN** (UHC plan members must sign "Authorization to Release Medical Information" below)

#### **HIV Disclaimer**

"California law prohibits an HIV test from being required or used by health care service plans and insurance companies as a condition of obtaining coverage."

## **Legal Entities Disclaimer**

Health plan coverage provided by or through UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company and UnitedHealthcare of California. Administrative services provided by UnitedHealthcare Insurance Company, United HeathCare Services, Inc., PacifiCare Health Plan Administrators, Inc., Prescription Solutions or Optum Health Care Solutions, Inc. Behavioral health products are provided by U.S. Behavioral Health Plan, California (USBHPC) or United Behavioral Health (UBH).

#### Authorization to Release Medical Information

I authorize UnitedHealthCare Insurance Company and its affiliates ("UnitedHealthcare and Affiliates") to obtain, use and disclose my medical, claim or benefit records, including any individually identifiable health information contained in these records. I understand these records may contain information created by other persons or entities (including health care providers) as well as information regarding the use of drug, alcohol, HIV/AIDS, mental health (other than psychotherapy notes), sexually transmitted disease and reproductive health services. I authorize any health care provider, pharmacy benefit manager, other insurer or reinsurer, hospital, clinic or other medical facility, health care clearinghouse, and any of their affiliates, representatives or business associates, who may be in possession of my confidential health information, to disclose my information to UnitedHealthcare and Affiliates. I understand the purpose of the disclosure and use of my information is to allow UnitedHealthcare and Affiliates to make decisions regarding eligibility, enrollment and risk rating. I understand this authorization is voluntary and I may refuse to sign the authorization. My refusal may, however, affect my ability to enroll in the health plan or receive benefits, if permitted by law. I understand I may revoke this authorization at any time by notifying my UnitedHealthcare and Affiliates representative in writing, except to the extent that action has already been taken in reliance on this authorization. As required by HIPAA, UnitedHealthcare and Affiliates also request that I acknowledge the following, which I do: I understand that information I authorize a person or entity to obtain and use may be re-disclosed (with the exception of HIV/AIDS health information) and no longer protected by federal privacy regulations except as prohibited by state law. This authorization, unless revoked earlier, expires 30 months after the date it is signed. I understand that I am completing a health application and that each response must be complete and accurate. I (we) request the indicated group medical coverage for myself and, if the plan provides, for my dependents. I authorize any required premium contributions to be deducted from earnings. I (we) have not given the agent or any other persons any health information not included on the Request for Coverage. I (we) understand that the HMO/insurance company(ies) is not bound by any statements I (we) have made to any agent or to any other persons, if those statements are not written or printed on this Request for Coverage and any attachments. UnitedHealthcare is only seeking to collect information about the current

nealth status of those persons listed on the application. You should not include any genetic information. Please do not include any family medical history information related to genetic services or genetic diseases for which you believe you or your dependents may be at risk.								
☐ By checking this box, I am in	dicating that I have carefully read the above "A	Authorization to Release Medical Info	rmation" and agree to its terms.					
Employee Signature	Employee Name (please print)	Date (month/day/year)						