



May 21, 2010

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<<Hoh City>>, <<Hoh State>> <<Hoh Zip>>

CASE #: <<Case NO>>

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Dear Parent or Legal Guardian:

This letter is to inform you about **IMPORTANT** changes to the **Healthy Kids** program for children ages 6-18. The child/children listed above is/are currently enrolled in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program.

In recent years, it has been difficult to fund this program. To keep your child/children covered, you will need to contribute toward the cost of the program.

Beginning July 1, 2010, your monthly payment will be **\$15** per child to stay in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program. This monthly payment is called a "premium". If you have three (3) children or more in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program, you will have to pay no more than \$45 per month.

Also, starting July 1, 2010, emergency room co-payments will increase from \$5 to \$15 for children in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program. You will not have to pay this co-payment if your child is hospitalized.

DON'T WAIT!

- You must **complete and return** the enclosed "Premium Increase Response Form" to let us know if you will pay the new premium to keep your child in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program.
- The form must be returned **no later than June 21, 2010**. Forms postmarked after June 21, 2010 will not be accepted.
- If the form is not returned **your child/children will be disenrolled** from the Healthy Kids 6-18 program at 12 a.m. July 1, 2010. *You will NOT be able to re-enroll your child/children in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program.*

If your child/children stays/stay in the Healthy Kids 6-18 program, you will receive a monthly bill that must be paid or your child/children will be disenrolled in 60 days.

Please note that these changes do not apply to children that are age five (5) and under in the Healthy Kids program.

If you have questions or need help, you may call:

- L.A. Care Member Services at 1-888-839-9909. L.A. Care representatives are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- Children's Health Outreach Initiative agency in your area – *See Enclosed List*

Sincerely,

L.A. Care Health Plan

Enclosures