

# **International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local Union 683**

IBEW Local 683 Health and Welfare Trust  
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TO: All Eligible Participants in the IBEW Local No. 683 Health and Welfare Fund

Re: **IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING COVID-19**

The IBEW Local 683 Health and Welfare Plan Trustees want to update you on their response to the COVID-19 outbreak. This is obviously a fast-changing crisis, and the Trustees wanted to share a few important items.

## **Testing Coverage**

Effective March 18, 2020 through December 31, 2020, the Plan will cover COVID-19 testing and items and services related to testing at 100% without any participant cost-sharing, prior authorization or other medical management requirements. Specifically, the Plan will cover 100% of the cost (without cost-sharing) of: (1) the COVID-19 tests and their administration, and (2) items and services provided during an office visit (including a telehealth visit), urgent care visit, or emergency room visit that result in an order for a test or its administration, to the extent they relate to the furnishing or administration of, or evaluation for, the test.

## **Cleveland Clinic Express Care on Demand**

Medical Mutual of Ohio (MMO) offers a telemedicine alternative for eligible IBEW Local No. 683 participants. They recognize it has become a challenge to see a doctor. The Trustees have enhanced the telemedicine coverage to cover 100% of the telemedicine office visit when utilizing the Cleveland Clinic Express Care on Demand. Information regarding the Cleveland Clinic Express Care Online and how to use the service is enclosed with this mailing. If you have additional questions, please contact MMO toll free at (877) 226-1115.

Sincerely,

Board of Trustees  
IBEW Local No. 683 Health and Welfare Fund