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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR HEALTH INSURANCE**

October 1, 2021

Dear Sister/Brother:

I am excited to share with you some wonderful news regarding your health insurance benefits, which you can take advantage of during the 2021-2022 Open Enrollment period. **Effective October 1, 2021 the rates for MetroPlusHealth Plan GoldCare I and GoldCare II have been reduced.**

If you have opted out of the MetroPlusHealth Insurance plan and you wish to opt in, **you can take advantage of the lower premiums and enroll by completing a Welfare Fund Enrollment form and submitting with required documents by October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 in order to be enrolled by October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.** Any enrollments received after October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021 will be enrolled Effective November 1, 2021.

In addition, employees who wish to be enrolled in MetroPlusHealth GoldCare I or GoldCare II, will be covered for dental and optical benefits.

**The member payroll deductions for this vital program are as follows:**

	<b>Employee (Single)</b>	<b>Employee &amp; Child(ren)</b>	<b>Employee &amp; Spouse</b>	<b>Family</b>
<b>GoldCare I</b>	<b>\$ -0-</b>	<b>\$ 10.57</b>	<b>\$ 19.12</b>	<b>\$28.02</b>
<b>GoldCare II</b>	<b>\$59.23</b>	<b>\$100.23</b>	<b>\$125.64</b>	<b>\$172.05</b>

In addition, you can contact Day Care Council of New York -Local 205, District Council 37 Welfare Fund at 212-925-0005 with any questions regarding this important information.

Please take advantage of this important opportunity that your Union has fought hard to obtain for both you and your families' health insurance.

In Solidarity,

Henry A. Garrido