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### Summary of Material Modifications

**To: All Participants in the UFCW National Health and Welfare Fund Plan of Benefits for the New Jersey and California Fund Offices EN 9944 and EN 9945, UFCW Local 1D**

**From: Maurice Hodos, Fund Administrator**

**Re: Change in Benefits from Contract Negotiations**

**Date: Effective May 1, 2017**

This document is a Summary of Material Modifications (“Summary”) intended to notify you of important provisions in the UFCW National Health and Welfare Fund Plan of Benefits (“the Plan”) **for the New Jersey and California Fund Offices EN 9944 and EN 9945, UFCW Local 1D**

You should take the time to read this Summary carefully and keep it with the copy of the Summary Plan Description that was previously provided to you. If you need another copy of the Summary Plan Description or if you have any questions regarding the Plan, please contact the Fund Office during normal business hours at 66 Grand Avenue, Englewood, NJ 07631, 1-888-773-8329 or visit our website at [www.ufcwnationalfund.org](http://www.ufcwnationalfund.org).

1. In & out-of-network calendar year deductible increased to \$300 individual / \$900 family from \$150/\$450.
2. Out-of-network coinsurance decreased to 70% from 80%
3. Annual preventative care added
4. Vision materials/hardware increased to \$200 maximum per calendar year from \$100 maximum.
5. Speech therapy added, 24-visit maximum per calendar year
6. Acupuncture added, 12-visit maximum per calendar year
7. Hospice care added
8. Diagnostic lab/radiology benefit increased to 100% from 80% for California staff plan.
9. Staff Plans amended to non-grandfathered status.

This Summary of Material Modifications is intended to provide you with an easy-to-understand description of certain changes to the Summary Plan Description. The Summary Plan Description previously provided to you also serves as the Plan Document. While every effort has been made to make this description as complete and as accurate as possible, this Summary of Material Modifications, of course, cannot contain a full restatement of the terms and provisions of the Plan. The Board of Trustees or its duly authorized designee, reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to amend, modify or terminate the Plan, or any benefits provided under the Plan, in whole or in part, at any time and for any reason, in accordance with the applicable amendment procedures established under the Plan and the Agreement and Declaration of Trust establishing the Plan (the "Trust Agreement"). No individual other than the Board of Trustees (or its duly authorized designee) has any authority to interpret the plan documents, make any promises to you about benefits under the Plan, or to change any provision of the Plan. Only the Board of Trustees (or its duly authorized designee) has the exclusive right and power, in its sole and absolute discretion, to interpret the terms of the Plan and decide all matters arising under the Plan.