



Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey

# GROUP ENROLLMENT/CHANGE REQUEST

Attn: Large and Mid-Size Group Enrollment  
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**Group Information – to be completed by Employer.**

Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Sub Group Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Hire: \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date/Date of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

**A. Type of Activity – to be completed by Employer.**

*Refer to instructions before completing this form. Print clearly.*

ADD  REMOVE  OTHER CHANGE      Effective Date/Date of Event      Reason for Change

Subscriber \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Civil Union Partner (CUP)/Domestic Partner (DP) \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent Child \_\_\_\_\_

Over-Age Child as a Dependent Under 30  
*(and complete Coverage Continuation and section B)*

Name Change \_\_\_\_\_

Change Plan \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Add/Change Office ID Numbers \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider \_\_\_\_\_

**COVERAGE CONTINUATION**

**For Employee**

Date of Loss of Coverage      Qualifying Event #\*\*      Date of Qualifying Event

Total Disability\*  COBRA/NJSGC      Length of Continuation (in months):  18  29  
*\*Attach proof of disability*

**For Spouse/Civil Union Partner\*/Domestic Partner**

Date of Loss of Coverage      Qualifying Event #\*\*      Date of Qualifying Event

COBRA/NJSGC      Length of Continuation (in months):  18  29  36  
*\*Civil union partners are eligible to make an election pursuant to NJSGC, if applicable.*

**For Dependent or Over-aged Child**

Date of Loss of Coverage      Qualifying Event #\*\*      Date of Qualifying Event

COBRA/NJSGC      Length of Continuation (in months):  18  29  36

Dependent Under 30      Billing:  Home      Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Loss of Coverage      Qualifying Event #\*\*      Date of Qualifying Event

Group # \_\_\_\_\_ Subgroup # \_\_\_\_\_      \*\*Qualifying event #s: see list in Instructions.

**B. Additional Information for Dependent Under 30 Continuation Elections.**

*Provide information below about children listed in Section F for whom a Dependent Under 30 continuation election is being made.*

This Continuation Election is being made:

During an Open Enrollment period for the Over-Age Child based on his/her age-out anniversary

Within 30 days prior to the attainment of the limiting age (when the Dependent will become an Over-Age Child)

Within 30 days after the Over-Age Child has established eligibility for a Chapter 375 Continuation Election

**C. Employee Information – to be completed by Employee.**

ADD  REMOVE  CONTINUATION  OTHER CHANGE

*If a name change, indicate prior name: \_\_\_\_\_*

Last Name, First Name, M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Name \_\_\_\_\_ Employment Date \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Hours Worked Per Week \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider Name \_\_\_\_\_ Current Patient  Yes  No

NPI # \_\_\_\_\_ Loc Code \_\_\_\_\_

Other Health Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Medicare ID #, If any \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Submit a copy of the Certificate of Creditable Coverage*

**D. Race/Ethnicity – to be completed by the Employee, at his/her option.**

NOTE: Your response is appreciated but NOT required!      *Choose a category that most closely describes you:*

American Indian or Alaskan Native       Black, not of Hispanic origin

Hispanic       Asian or Pacific Islander       White, not of Hispanic origin

**E. Plan Option – Your selection must be offered by your employer.**

<b>Medical Check One:</b>				<b>Dental Check One:</b>			
S	F	2 Adults	PC	S	F	2 Adults	PC
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Traditional	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon PPO (HRA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Dental Option Plan		<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Dental PPO Plan			
<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon HMO	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon PPO (HSA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Dental PPO Access Plan		<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Dental PPO Access Plan			
<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon POS	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Direct Access (HRA)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon PPO	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Direct Access (HSA)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon Direct Access	<input type="checkbox"/> Horizon EPO						

S = Single; F = Family; 2 Adults = Husband/Wife, Civil Union Partners or Domestic Partners; P/C = Parent/Child(ren)

The Employee Copy of this application may be used as a temporary ID card for thirty days from the effective date if authorized by Employer. Coverage must be verified with Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey or Horizon Healthcare of New Jersey, Inc. prior to visiting a physician or admission to a hospital.

**F. Other Individuals Covered – to be completed by Employee.**

Identify individuals other than yourself for whom you are adding/changing/removing/ continuing coverage. Attach additional pages if necessary, with your signature and dated. Attach proof if full-time post-secondary student. Attach proof of disability.

**SPOUSE/CUP/DP**  **ADD**  **REMOVE**  **CONTINUE SPOUSE (COBRA/NJSGC)**  
 **CONTINUE CU PARTNER (NJSGC)**  **CONTINUE DP (COBRA/NJSGC)**

Last Name, First Name, M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security# \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider Name \_\_\_\_\_ Current Patient  Yes  No

NPI # \_\_\_\_\_ Loc Code \_\_\_\_\_

Other Health Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Medicare ID #, If any \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

Employed?  Yes  No *If Yes, Complete Section G1*

Home or billing address same as Employee?  Yes  No *If No, Complete Section G2*

*Submit a copy of the Certificate of Creditable Coverage*

**1. Child**  **ADD**  **REMOVE**  **CONTINUATION**  **OTHER CHANGE**

Last Name, First Name, M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security# \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider Name \_\_\_\_\_ Current Patient  Yes  No

NPI # \_\_\_\_\_ Loc Code \_\_\_\_\_

Other Health Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Medicare ID #, If any \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

If last name is different from Employee's, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Living with Employee?  Yes  No *If No, Complete Section H*

*Submit a copy of the Certificate of Creditable Coverage*

**2. Child**  **ADD**  **REMOVE**  **CONTINUATION**  **OTHER CHANGE**

Last Name, First Name, M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security# \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider Name \_\_\_\_\_ Current Patient  Yes  No

NPI # \_\_\_\_\_ Loc Code \_\_\_\_\_

Other Health Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Medicare ID #, If any \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Coverage  Yes  No, If Yes, Payer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy # \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_ Termination Date \_\_\_\_\_

If last name is different from Employee's, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Living with Employee?  Yes  No *If No, Complete Section H*

*Submit a copy of the Certificate of Creditable Coverage*

**G. Additional Spouse/CUP/DP Information – to be completed by Employee.** *If not applicable mark as N/A.*

1. Employer Name \_\_\_\_\_ Employer Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

2a. Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

2b. Please explain why the address is different: \_\_\_\_\_

**H. Additional Child Information – to be completed by Employee.**

Provide information below about children listed in Section F, if they have a different address from the employee. If multiple children are at an address, you may list them together. Attach additional pages as necessary, signed and dated.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Employee Signature**

I represent that all the information supplied in this application is true and complete. I hereby agree to the Conditions of Enrollment set forth in this Enrollment/Change Request form. I authorize deductions from my earnings for any contributions required from me.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**J. Over-Age Child's Signature**

I represent that all the information supplied in this application regarding the Dependent Under 30 Continuation Election is true and complete.

I hereby agree to the Conditions of Enrollment set forth in this Enrollment/Change Request form. I hereby agree to make premium payments required from me for the Dependent Under 30 Continuation Election.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**K. Employer Verification**

The requested activity is believed eligible and is approved by the Employer:  Yes  No

Employer Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Representative's Title: \_\_\_\_\_

## Instructions

### Employers

You must complete sections A, B and K and submit this application to be processed.

### Employees

You must complete sections C through I and submit the signature of each Over-Age Child for which a Dependent Under 30 Continuation Election is made in accordance with Section B in order for this application to be processed.

- Please PRINT except when a signature is requested.
- If a dependent is disabled and you want to continue his or her coverage beyond the limiting age, you do not have to make a COBRA/NJSGC or Dependent Under 30 election. Instead, select “Other” in Section A, and attach proof of disability.
- If a dependent is a full-time post-secondary student, you must attach a current course schedule or a letter from the school or its authorized representative confirming full-time student status.
- You can obtain the providers’ correct names from the appropriate provider directory. You may also obtain each provider’s NPI and LOC Code number from the provider directory or at: [www.horizonblue.com](http://www.horizonblue.com). Providers with multiple office locations and individual providers who belong to more than one practice or provider entity may have more than one NPI number. You should confirm the correct NPI number for the specific provider and office location where you will be seen by contacting that office directly.

### Qualifying Events

#### COBRA and NJSGC

- C1. Termination of job or reduction in hours
- C2. Employee enrollment in Medicare (COBRA only)
- C3. Divorce (COBRA/NJSGC); civil union dissolution (NJSGC) if covered under group benefits
- C4. Death of employee
- C5. Loss of dependent child status under the plan.
- C6. Disability (occurring subsequent to another qualifying event)

#### Dependent Under 30

- D1. Loss of dependent status and otherwise eligible
- D2. Reestablish eligibility: residency
- D3. Reestablish eligibility: nonresident full-time student
- D4. Reestablish eligibility: change in marital status
- D5. Reestablish eligibility: change in parental status
- D6. Reestablish eligibility: termination of other coverage

### Conditions of Enrollment - Applicant Acknowledgements and Agreements

On behalf of myself and the dependents listed in this Enrollment/Change Request form, I acknowledge that:

1. I authorize any physician or medical professional, hospital, clinic or other medical care institution, carrier, consumer reporting agency, and any employer to give Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey or Horizon Healthcare of New Jersey, Inc., or any consumer reporting agency acting on behalf of Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey or Horizon Healthcare of New Jersey, Inc., information pertaining to employment, other health coverage, and medical advice, treatment or supplies for any physical or mental condition relevant to me or a minor dependent applying for coverage. I agree that this authorization shall be valid for 30 months from the date I sign this Enrollment/Change Request form, unless revoked at an earlier date.
2. I agree that, if I revoke this authorization before it expires, such revocation shall not affect any action that Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey or Horizon Healthcare of New Jersey, Inc. has taken in reliance on the authorization.
3. I understand I may receive a copy of this authorization if I request one.
4. I agree Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey or Horizon Healthcare of New Jersey, Inc. will provide coverage in accordance with the terms of the contract for the group plan/policy.
5. I agree that the provision of coverage and benefits is contingent upon payment of premiums and may be terminated in accordance with the terms of the group plan/policy if premiums are not paid timely. I authorize my Employer to withhold payments from my wages as contribution to the premium, as appropriate.

### Misrepresentations

Any person who includes any false or misleading information on an Enrollment/Change Request Form for a health benefits plan is subject to criminal and civil penalties.

## Notices

### **General Notice of Special Enrollment Rights**

If you are declining enrollment under your group health plan for yourself and/or your dependents (if your plan includes coverage for dependents) because of other health insurance or other group health plan coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and those dependents in this group health plan if you or the dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage (or if the other employer or plan provider stops contributing toward your or your dependents' other coverage). However, you must request enrollment within 31 days after your or your dependents' other coverage ends (or after the other employer or plan provider stops contributing toward the other coverage).

In addition, if your plan includes coverage for dependents and you acquire a new dependent as a result of marriage, birth, adoption or placement for adoption, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents under this plan after declining its coverage. However, you must request enrollment within 31 days after the marriage, birth, adoption or placement for adoption.

If you decline coverage under this plan, you may be asked to state in writing whether the declination was due to the existence of other health coverage. If this is so and you don't provide the statement, the above special enrollment rights may not be available to you if you need them.

To request special enrollment or obtain more information about it, contact your benefits department or personnel representative.

### **Notice on Dependent Under 30 Continuation**

Horizon Blue Cross Blue Shield of New Jersey will bill over- age dependents directly and enrollees will remit the premium directly to Horizon. When Dependent Under 30 Continuation is selected, the home address must be completed under Section "A – Type of Activity" even when it is the same as the employee's address.

#### ***Important Note:***

- Although the employee must continue eligibility under the dependent's plan for continued coverage of the dependent, in addition to the additional applicable eligibility criteria, coverage for the dependent will be issued as stand-alone coverage. All cost-sharing requirements and limitations will apply and will not be combined with the employee's policy. Consequently, covered expenses incurred by the over-age dependent will not contribute to family deductibles and out-of-pocket maximums, nor will family incurred expenses contribute to the over-age dependent's deductibles or out-of-pocket maximums.