

# UCare's Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO) Caregiver Assurance™

Some of us are designated caregivers who support our loved ones in day-to-day living. There are times when expert assistance would be helpful to answer questions or make things easier for both the caregiver and care recipient. You can ask UCare and M Health Fairview for that help!

UCare's Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO) (HMO D-SNP) plan includes up to 12 no-cost visits per year with Caregiver Assurance for you as a designated caregiver.\*

We'll partner you with a dedicated Caregiver Assurance Advisor, who is a clinical professional experienced in aging and caregiving. Your advisor will help address your top caregiving concerns, collaborate with care coordination and offer suggestions, informational resources and referrals. Advisors are available by phone Monday – Friday, 9 am – 7 pm.

Here are some examples of what's available for caregivers:

- Stress management
- Financial resources
- Emotional support Self-care guidance
- Family support
- Resource coordination
- Problem solving

# Ready to get started?

Call customer service to connect with your care coordinator. 612-676-6868 or 1-866-280-7202 , TTY users call 612-676-6810 or 1-800-688-2534 8 am – 8 pm, seven days a week

You can also go to caregiverassurance.com/ucare.



# Frequently asked questions

## Who is eligible to use this program?

All UCare's MSHO plan members are eligible for Caregiver Assurance. The member's designated caregiver — a single individual — may use this program. When calling, the designated caregiver must have the member's plan information available, including the member name, UCare identification (ID) and date of birth.

#### How can I get started?

Speak with the member's UCare Care Coordinator for additional information about the program. They can help determine if Caregiver Assurance is right for you and provide a referral to the Caregiver Advisors.

As a member or caregiver, you may contact the program directly to learn more by calling Caregiver Advisors at 612-672-7996, TTY users call 711. You can also go to **caregiverassurance.com/ucare.** 

## Are interpreter services available for non-English speaking members?

Interpreter services will be provided by UCare. Additional information about the program can be found at caregiverassurance.com/ucare.



## Additional questions?

Contact Caregiver Assurance at: 612-672-7996, TTY users call 711 caregivercoach@fairview.org

UCare's Minnesota Senior Health Options (MSHO) (HMO D-SNP) is a health plan that contracts with both Medicare and the Minnesota Medical Assistance (Medicaid) program to provide benefits of both programs to enrollees. Enrollment in UCare's MSHO depends on contract renewal.

<sup>\*</sup>Before sending a referral to Caregiver Assurance, the designated caregiver must confirm for the care coordinator that they have authority (authorized representative or Power of Attorney status) of the care recipient to discuss the member's protected health information. When calling, the designated caregiver will need to have the member's UCare member information available.

# Toll free 1-800-203-7225, TTY 1-800-688-2534

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Внимание: если вам нужна бесплатная помощь в устном переводе данного документа, позвоните по указанному выше телефону.

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## **Civil Rights Notice**

**Discrimination is against the law. UCare** does not discriminate on the basis of any of the following:

- race
- color
- national origin
- creed
- religion
- sexual orientation
- public assistance status

- age
- disability (including physical or mental impairment)
- sex (including sex stereotypes and gender identity)
- marital status

- political beliefs
- medical condition
- health status
- receipt of health care services
- claims experience
- medical history
- genetic information

You have the right to file a discrimination complaint if you believe you were treated in a discriminatory way by UCare. You can file a complaint and ask for help filing a complaint in person or by mail, phone, fax, or email at:

**UCare** 

Attn: Appeals and Grievances

PO Box 52

Minneapolis, MN 55440-0052 Toll Free: 1-800-203-7225 TTY: 1-800-688-2534

Fax: 612-884-2021 Email: cag@ucare.org

**Auxiliary Aids and Services: UCare** provides auxiliary aids and services, like qualified interpreters or information in accessible formats, free of charge and in a timely manner to ensure an equal opportunity to participate in our health care programs. **Contact** UCare at 612-676-3200 (voice) or 1-800-203-7225 (voice), 612-676-6810 (TTY), or 1-800-688-2534 (TTY).

Language Assistance Services: UCare provides translated documents and spoken language interpreting, free of charge and in a timely manner, when language assistance services are necessary to ensure limited English speakers have meaningful access to our information and services. Contact UCare at 612-676-3200 (voice) or 1-800-203-7225 (voice), 612-676-6810 (TTY), or 1-800-688-2534 (TTY).

# **Civil Rights Complaints**

You have the right to file a discrimination complaint if you believe you were treated in a discriminatory way by UCare. You may also contact any of the following agencies directly to file a discrimination complaint.

## U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office for Civil Rights (OCR)

You have the right to file a complaint with the OCR, a federal agency, if you believe you have been discriminated against because of any of the following:

race

age

religion (in some cases)

color

disability

national origin

sex

Contact the OCR directly to file a complaint:

Office for Civil Rights

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Midwest Region

233 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 240

Chicago, IL 60601

Customer Response Center: Toll-free: 800-368-1019

TDD Toll-free: 800-537-7697 Email: ocrmail@hhs.gov

### Minnesota Department of Human Rights (MDHR)

In Minnesota, you have the right to file a complaint with the MDHR if you have been discriminated against because of any of the following:

race

creed

public assistance

color

sex

status

national origin

sexual orientation

disability

religion

marital status

## Contact the MDHR directly to file a complaint:

Minnesota Department of Human Rights 540 Fairview Avenue North, Suite 201

St. Paul, MN 55104

651-539-1100 (voice)

800-657-3704 (toll-free)

711 or 800-627-3529 (MN Relay)

651-296-9042 (fax)

Info.MDHR@state.mn.us (email)

## Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS)

You have the right to file a complaint with DHS if you believe you have been discriminated against in our health care programs because of any of the following:

- race
- color
- national origin
- religion (in some cases)
- age
- disability (including physical or mental impairment)
- sex (including sex stereotypes and gender identity)

Complaints must be in writing and filed within 180 days of the date you discovered the alleged discrimination. The complaint must contain your name and address and describe the discrimination you are complaining about. We will review it and notify you in writing about whether we have authority to investigate. If we do, we will investigate the complaint.

DHS will notify you in writing of the investigation's outcome. You have the right to appeal if you disagree with the decision. To appeal, you must send a written request to have DHS review the investigation outcome. Be brief and state why you disagree with the decision. Include additional information you think is important.

If you file a complaint in this way, the people who work for the agency named in the complaint cannot retaliate against you. This means they cannot punish you in any way for filing a complaint. Filing a complaint in this way does not stop you from seeking out other legal or administrative actions.

Contact **DHS** directly to file a discrimination complaint:

Civil Rights Coordinator
Minnesota Department of Human Services
Equal Opportunity and Access Division
P.O. Box 64997
St. Paul, MN 55164-0997
651-431-3040 (voice) or use your preferred relay service