Title: Acupuncture for Chronic Low Back Pain (CAG-00452N)

Decision: The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) will cover acupuncture for chronic low back pain. Up to 12 visits in 90 days are covered for Medicare beneficiaries.

What this means: As a Medicare Advantage Plan, UCare covers all items and services that Medicare covers. Under certain circumstances, Medicare, and therefore UCare, covers acupuncture for chronic low back pain. Check with your physician to find out how your situation would meet the criteria for coverage.

Effective: 1/22/20

For more information, call Customer Service at the phone number on your member ID card.

This announcement can be found at: <u>Acupuncture for Chronic Low Back Pain (CAG-00452N)</u>

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