

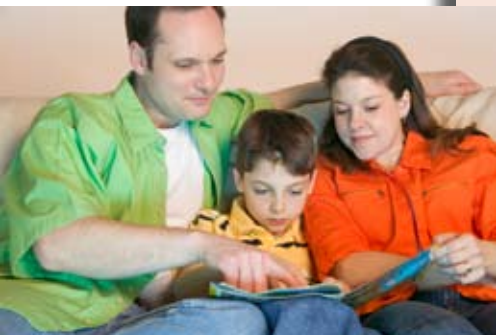
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**Is your family
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An important alert from your union joint health care committee members

Did you know...?

Unverified health care dependents will be dropped Nov. 30



During the state's recent health care dependent eligibility audit, **11 percent** of employees **DID NOT** return the dependent eligibility verification form required to keep their dependents covered under their health care plan.

As result, those unverified dependents will be dropped on Nov. 30.

**IMPORTANT:
November 30th
Appeal Deadline**

Employees who believe their eligible dependents were dropped erroneously have until Nov. 30 to file an appeal.

An appeal form is included with the termination letter recently sent to employees who did not submit a verification form or who dropped their dependents voluntarily. **The appeal form and appropriate verification information should be faxed to Secova at 866-361-9697 by Nov. 30.**

If an appeal is upheld, health care coverage will be retroactive to the termination date.

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