

SPECIAL ENROLLMENT NOTICE

If you are declining enrollment for yourself or your dependents (including your spouse) because of other health insurance or group health plan coverage, you may be able to enroll yourself and your dependents in this plan if you or your dependents lose eligibility for that other coverage (or if the employer stops contributing towards 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 employer stops contributing toward the other coverage).

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

If you are declining coverage for yourself or your dependents because of coverage under Medicaid or a State Child Health Insurance Program (SCHIP), you may be able to enroll yourself or your dependents in this plan if that coverage terminates due to a loss of eligibility. You must request enrollment in the plan no later than 60 days after the termination of coverage. Additionally, if you decline coverage and you or your dependents become eligible for premium assistance for this group health plan under Medicaid or SCHIP, you or your dependents may be able to enroll in the plan at that time. You must request enrollment no later than 60 days after the date you are determined to be eligible for the premium assistance.

To request special enrollment or obtain more information contact Human Resources.