## CAHP HEALTH BENEFITS TRUST BENEFIT MODIFICATIONS FOR PLAN YEAR 2002

## Basic Plan

- 1. Terminate CAHP Vision Service Plan (Actives will be transferred to State Vision Service Plan. Retirees will not have vision coverage).
- 2. Increase office visit copayment from \$10 to \$15 (waived for preventive care).
- 3. Eliminate coverage for laser eye surgery benefit.
- 4. Implement PPO specialty network for acupuncture and speech therapy, with copayments changed from current 10 percent (all providers) to 10 percent for PPO providers and 40 percent for non-PPO providers.
- 5. Change emergency care services:
  - Decrease outpatient hospital emergency care payment from 100 percent to 90 percent for PPO facility and emergency treatment.
  - Increase outpatient hospital non-emergency care payment from 50 percent to 60 percent for non-PPO facility and non-emergency treatment.
  - Decrease outpatient physician emergency care payment from 100 percent to 90 percent for PPO physician, emergency treatment by a physician and non-PPO provider at a PPO facility.
  - Increase outpatient physician non-emergency care payment from 50 percent to 60 percent for non-PPO physician.
  - Emergency room copayment remains at \$25 per visit (waived if hospitalized).
  - Decrease inpatient hospital emergency care payment from 100 percent to 90 percent.
- 6. Changes mandated by Federal mental health parity; details yet to be approved by the Trustees of the CAHP Health Benefits Trust.

## Medicare Supplement Plan

- Terminate CAHP Vision Service Plan.
- 2. Increase office visit copayment from \$5 to \$10.
- 3. Implement PPO specialty network for acupuncture and speech therapy.