

**Preferred Plus of Kansas
HMO Plan Changes
for Health Care Reform**

Preventive Care

- 100% Coverage (no copayments)
- List of Preventive Care Services is subject to change as additional guidance is issued for Health Care Reform

Emergency Room

- One-Level Cost Share no matter where emergency services are rendered
- No inpatient penalty applies if Member is admitted from a non-contracting hospital emergency room within the Service Area

Mental Health and Substance Abuse – Outpatient

- One-Level Cost Share (“PCP Copay” applies to both PCPs and Specialists)
- Biologically Based Mental Illness is covered as any other mental health service

Dependent Child Age – to age 26

Lifetime Maximum – No limit

Annual Dollar limits changing to Visit limits for:

- Outpatient Speech Therapy
- Outpatient Rehabilitation

No dollar limits apply for:

- Durable Medical Equipment
- Disposable Medical Supplies
- Home Health Care

Oral Surgery and Related Services

- Services for accidental injury to sound, natural teeth dollar limit does not apply to dependents under 18 years of age.

Women’s Health Care Services

- Referral Authorizations are not required for any women’s health care services rendered by a contracting OB/GYN

PHS retains the right to adjust benefits as necessary to comply with changes in any federal or state law, statute or regulation, including but not limited to the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as amended.