



IMPORTANT REMINDER!! Watch for Important Information from ASIFlex

December 28, 2018

The State of Montana Benefit Plan (State Plan) recently announced that effective January 1, 2019 the Flexible Spending Account (FSA) program will be administered by ASIFlex.

During the transition from Allegiance to ASIFlex there will be a “blackout” period from January 1 – January 8 in which you will be unable to access your FSA funds (with Allegiance or ASIFlex). During the “blackout” period, any available balance you have in your Allegiance FSA medical or dependent care account will be transferred to ASIFlex. On January 9, ASIFlex will begin processing any claims received. **As of January 1, 2019 ALL claims need to be submitted to ASIFlex. ASIFlex will manage the FSA run out period (2018 claims submitted within 120 days from the end of the plan year), as well as the \$500 roll over.**

Important information regarding your new ASIFlex flexible spending account will be arriving in your home mail box in the next few days. You will receive debit cards for your ASIFlex account (if you elected a Medical FSA for 2019) within the next 2-3 weeks. You are now able to set up your ASIFlex online account, just go to www.asiflex.com and click on Online Access/Account Detail, then Participant/Account Detail.

As a reminder, in order to streamline the transition process from Allegiance to ASIFlex **we strongly encourage you to submit any 2018 plan year claims you have to Allegiance on or before December 31, 2018.** Submitting claims prior to December 31st will ensure you are promptly reimbursed for any 2018 claims. **If you currently have a debit card, Allegiance will be shutting off that card on December 31, 2018.** For information on how to submit FSA claims to Allegiance visit www.askallegiance.com or call (866) 339-4310.

Please feel free to contact the Health Care & Benefits Division (HCBD) at (800) 287-8266 or email benefitsquestions@mt.gov.

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