

HEALTH CARE NOTICES

Women's Health and Cancer Rights Act

Pursuant to the Women's Health and Cancer Right Act, the medical plans provided under the Kaiser Foundation Health Plan provide benefits for the restoration of breasts in connection with a mastectomy, specifically:

- Reconstruction of the breast on which the mastectomy was performed,
- Surgery and reconstruction of the other breast to produce a symmetrical appearance, and
- Prostheses and treatment of physical complications for all stages of a mastectomy, including lymphedemas (swelling associated with the removal of lymph nodes).

The Kaiser Foundation Health Plan will determine the manner of coverage in consultation with the patient and the attending doctor. Coverage for breast reconstruction and related services will be subject to any deductibles and coinsurance amounts consistent with those that apply to other health benefits under the Plan.

Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA) – Privacy of Health Information

SCPMG and Kaiser Foundation Health Plan take the security of your health information very seriously. SCPMG maintains a Notice of Privacy Practices that describes the circumstances in which SCPMG may use or disclose your health information. This Notice of Privacy Practices is available on www.kp.org. For additional information, or to obtain a paper copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices, please contact Member Services at 1-800-464-4000.

Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (GINA)

SCPMG and Kaiser Foundation Health Plan will not request, require, or otherwise collect genetic information pertaining to you or your family members for the purposes of limiting your benefits or for any other purpose in violation of the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act. For more information, please contact Member Services at 1-800-464-4000.