

# May 23, 2025, HBR Alert!



## State Health Plan Board of Trustees Vote on 2026 Plan Changes for Members

The State Health Plan (Plan) Board of Trustees recently approved changes to benefits for the 2026 benefit year, which will begin Jan. 1, 2026. The approved changes address the Plan's \$507 million deficit. Member premiums will not be voted on until the August board meeting. The full board presentation is available on the Plan's [website](#).

The board also discussed the ending the of the Clear Pricing Project (CPP) effective Dec. 31, 2025. CPP will be replaced with a preferred provider program, which will provide a more sustainable financial approach to ensure members have continued access to high quality, affordable health care.

Plan members will receive more information regarding these changes prior to the 2026 Open Enrollment period which will take place Oct. 13-31, 2025.

HBRs are invited to participate in two upcoming webinars to learn more about these changes and to hear an update regarding the transition to Aetna.

Each webinar will cover the same information and to the extent possible allow time for questions. Please register by clicking the date/time below:

- [June 2 at 11am](#)
- [June 5 at 2pm](#)

In addition to these webinars, the Plan will also be hosting several HBR Open Enrollment Training for HBRs in July to better prepare HBRs for the changes coming for 2026. For dates and times of these trainings, [please click here to visit the Plan's HBR Training and Development page](#).

