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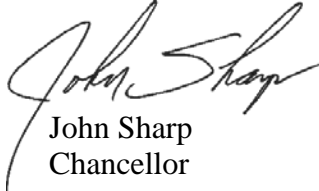
Dear Presidents and CEOs:

Chancellor John Sharp has announced that all Texas A&M System health plans will temporarily waive member cost-sharing, including deductibles, copayments and coinsurance, related to treatment for COVID-19.

The waiver applies to costs associated with COVID-19 treatment at in-network facilities and treatment for out-of-network emergencies. The savings will apply to all Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Texas (BCBSTX) plans, including all A&M Care plans and the graduate student plan. It will include charges through May 31. The situation may be reassessed later.

The Texas A&M System already has waived copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles for COVID-19 testing, consistent with earlier guidance issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The System also allows employees to receive telemedicine services for medically necessary, covered medical and behavioral health services without a copay until May 31. As of March 19, the copay also was waived for MDLVE, the telehealth medicine service.

Sincerely,



John Sharp
Chancellor